

DEMOCRATIC NOMINATIONS.

FOR PRESIDENT: SAMUEL J. TILDEN, OF NEW YORK.

FOR VICE PRESIDENT: THOS. A. HENDRICKS, OF INDIANA.

FOR PRESIDENTIAL ELECTORS: W. B. LASWELL, Of Grant; HENRY KLIPPEL, Of Jackson; E. A. CRONIN, Of Multnomah.

FOR CONGRESS: LA FAYETTE LANE, OF DOUGLAS.

Congress Adjourned.

After being in session since December last Congress finally adjourned on the 15th. The country is indebted to the lower House for many beneficial acts originated in it, which would have been more abundant, had it not been for the narrow partisan action of the Republican Senate. The exposure of the wholesale corruption and rottenness of the present administration is solely due to the Democratic House, but for which would have gone on undisturbed and unchecked. The reduction of nearly \$40,000,000 in our annual expenses is the work of the Democratic majority in the House of Representatives, which persistently and faithfully stood out against the Republican Senate in its attempt to increase instead of lessen the appropriation bill and which was the cause of it being several millions larger than originally intended by the House. The country has lost nothing and gained everything in the election of a Democratic Congress. The Republicans may cry "rebel" House and the like, but the figures speak for themselves. And, as the country has done so well with one branch of Congress Democratic, it can certainly do much better in having both a Democratic Senate and House, backed by a Democratic President, all fighting under the Democratic banner of retrenchment and reform. Let the people elect Tilden and Hendricks and mark the difference in National affairs.

Lying the Radical Order of the Day.

The Republican telegraph and press evidently deem a lie well stuck to as good as the truth, and do not hesitate in making all kinds of false assertions concerning the Democratic nominees, if they make a point or not thereby. They are quick to lie, but slow to correct. Among the many untruths they have already issued is one that the admirable resolution on the Chinese question adopted by the St. Louis Convention had been omitted in the official copy of the platform; and who should discover this but McPherson, Chairman of the Republican Convention at Cincinnati. This was telegraphed all over the Coast, in the expectation of changing a few votes from the Democratic. Of course it was a lie. The St. Louis Convention was sincere in what it said on this question, and its official proceedings contain this resolution, as well as all others, as originally adopted. It is plainly apparent that the Republicans, having no just or real reasons why they should be continued in power, are resorting to every manner of skulduggery to secure the election of their ticket, and it would be well to learn for yourselves before taking any stock in their assertions.

Shows his Ears.

A Douglas county paper, sporting patent inwards and calling itself the Independent, is making itself peculiarly ridiculous by the vindictive and uncalculated manner in which it abuses Hon. L. F. Lane. J. W. Kelly, its editor, has been the object of the boot of several persons whom he has heretofore similarly assailed, and his flings of course have no effect with those who know him. Like Bombastes Furioso, he is wonderfully valiant, with Mr. Lane a long distance away. His warfare is entirely of a personal character, and his attempt to thus get even with Mr. Lane for his efforts to bring him to account for alleged irregularities while partner in the Plain-dealer with a nephew of that gentleman, will prove naught.

BLAINE AND THE ADMINISTRATION.

Mr. Blaine made a short speech to the State Convention of Maine a few days since. He saw that things were not working well for the prospects of the Republican party. So he felt constrained to make the effort and appear among his friends. It is doubtful, however, whether he will be able to succeed in again cementing the bond of union which has been broken. His friends may admire him the more for his willingness to forgive past injuries, and for counselling them to cast over these insults the mantle of oblivion, but they cannot so easily act upon the advice and carry out the desire. They know and they keenly feel that he has been ruthlessly slaughtered by Grant, whom in season and out of season he has defended and sustained. They have been compelled to stand by and see the tools Morton and Conkling used by the President, to tie the hands and feet of their hero, while he could pour his cowardly blows upon his friend and benefactor. These instruments of Grant delighted in their work, for in the victim they saw a rival who was destined to outstrip them in the race for public honor and distinction. Blaine is the ablest and one of the best, as he has proved himself the most magnanimous and the manliest of the Republican generals, and through malice and envy did his rivals combine to sacrifice him. For the time they have succeeded, but he will rise again. His friends are fairly furious at the treatment that he has received and are waiting the opportunity to avenge his injuries. There can be but little doubt that they will do his bidding now, and obey the snap of the party whip, but they cannot heartily engage in the work before them. They recognize their chieftain as one of the greatest statesmen of the day, and they cannot but retain their feeling of the injustice that has been done to him.

More Civil Service Reform.

Our readers will remember that at the beginning of the present session of Congress a committee of nine members was appointed to investigate the irregularities in the Navy Department. Four of the nine members were Republicans. The majority of the committee, five Democrats, and one Republican, reported a great waste of material and money, as well as heavy and suspicious speculations in contracts. They further report that in two or three instances there had been violations of law, and through such violation the Government in every instance had been a heavy loser. Mr. Burleigh, of Maine, signed the majority report, says the Modesto News, stating that from the evidence adduced he could not do otherwise and be true to the people and his obligations, unless he considered party interest as the governing considerations. For this manly and outspoken action he was at once placed on the black list by the Federal office-holding brigade, and through their manipulations has been defeated for a re-nomination by the Republican Convention of his own district. It is by just such means that Radicalism disciplines its officials and breaks every independent action or thought of its most prominent members, or else drives them from position and power.

Gov. Hendricks' Letter.

We call especial attention to the admirable letter of Gov. Hendricks on our fourth page. There are many excellent points contained in it. He is particularly bold and pronounced on the coolie question. He says: "The iniquitous coolie system which, through the agency of wealthy companies, imports Chinese bondsmen and establishes a species of slavery and interferes with the just rewards of labor on our Pacific Coast and should be utterly abolished." We refer the reader to his utterances on the standard of reform, the financial situation, and particularly to what he says of our public school system. His letter as a whole is worthy of his great reputation as a statesman. Between himself and Gov. Tilden there is perfect accord. What do the Radicals think now?

Death of Speaker Kerr.

Hon. Michael C. Kerr, Speaker of the House of Representatives, died at the Alum Springs, West Virginia, where he had gone for his health. Mr. Kerr was one of the ablest men of the age, whose character was above reproach and his integrity unquestioned. In his death the country loses one of its leading statesmen, who had the confidence of all, and the Democracy sustains a loss which will be difficult to replace. Requiescat in pace.

POLITICAL NOTES.

Gen. Franz Sigel is out in a card announcing himself in favor of the election of Tilden.

A Tilden and Hendricks club with a large membership was organized at Salem on the 11th.

"What you want to do now is to cut down your expenses and live within your income."—Tilden's Letter.

It is evident that Gov. Tilden's letter of acceptance is exercising a powerful influence throughout the country.

Three-fourths of the German vote of Illinois is for Tilden and Hendricks. That's what Governor Koerner says!

Elet Tilden President, and such another beheading of thieves will be seen nevermore! How they will hunt their holes!

The great Northwest seems to gravitate toward Tilden almost unanimously, and to declare for him as the embodiment of reform.

In this campaign it seems probable that Mr. Carl Schurz will be a good deal occupied in defending his own conduct. It begins that way.

The national plunderers are sanguine of electing Hayes, who will, "when he becomes President," tolerate Grant's system of public plundering.

"Live within your income," is Governor Tilden's advice. But if the Republican party remains in power another four years nobody in private life will have an income to live within.

As he contemplates the course which the great majority of the Republicans are pursuing towards Robeson, Belknap must think he committed a blunder in confessing and resigning.

Hon. George W. Anderson, the Missouri member of the National Liberal Committee, and for two terms Radical member of Congress from Missouri, has declared for Tilden and Hendricks.

No radical organ will admit that the Democratic House has saved the country a dollar, but they all pitch into the Representatives "for their miserly conduct, in cutting down appropriations."

Storrs, the Illinois crooked whisky Ring lawyer, is the loudest bawler for Hayes and Wheeler. Hayes has every confidence in Storrs' ability to procure him the votes of the members of the Grant Whisky Ring. Hayes is a reformer.

Hon. John F. Farnsworth, one of the founders of the Republican party, and for several years a member of Congress from the Aurora, Illinois district, was one of the speakers at the Tilden and Hendricks ratification meeting held at Aurora a few days since.

The National Treasury will be used as a Radical corruption fund in this election. That is why the Reformer Chandler was made Chairman of the National Committee. He had better be careful, as Tilden will be apt to investigate his transactions after the fourth of next March.

In New York, fighting Jo Hooker, of the army, is encouraging the people to go for Tilden and reform. He speaks out boldly, and says it is as much a duty to crush out rascality and reform the Government as it was to save the Union. General Slocum also comes out for Tilden.

Governor Tilden was the first man who ever set about reforming the corrupt officials in New York. Should he, which we know he will, be elected to the Presidency next November, he will send the 94,000 thieves, now constituting the plundering party's office-holders, about their business.

Whenever you go to a Democratic meeting and hear someone on the outskirts of the crowd cry, "Hurrah for Jeff Davis," let him have a brick between the eyes, advises the Louisville Courier-Journal, and the next morning you will hear of a Radical bumper laid up with a broken head.

It is gratifying to find so many Republicans who recognize the ability of Mr. Tilden, and acknowledge that he is the fit man for President. Mr. Tilden's Republican vote in this city and State will be very large. He has won these Republicans over by sheer force of character and actual reforms.—N. Y. Sun.

Col. Smith, son-in-law and bosom friend of the late Horace Greeley, has taken the stump for Samuel J. Tilden. He says he knows thoroughly what Mr. Greeley's opinion of the public men of this nation was, and that he is justified from that knowledge in supporting the Democratic nominees as against the Republicans.

It is worthy of notice that all the "outrages" upon negroes at the South are in the Republican States, where the governors, judges, prosecuting attorneys and the rest of the office-holders are Republicans. In the Democratic States there is good order and good government, and negroes and white people are alike protected.

And now Columbus Delano is about to take the stump for Hayes. The nomination seems to have superinduced a regular epidemic of enthusiasm among the ringsters, corruptionists and disgraced officials of Grant's administration. Another batch of recruits for the same glorious cause will be forthcoming shortly from the penitentiaries with credentials in the shape of an executive pardon.—St. Louis Times.

The mean, unjust and uncalculated assaults upon the private character of Samuel J. Tilden roll away from him like water from the back of a duck. Every charge is met with prompt and overwhelming refutation. His public record is equally invulnerable. No man was ever nominated for a high position in this country, not even Silas Wright nor Andrew Jackson himself, who is more absolutely free from reproach.

What Governor Tilden has done in New York, and what the Democratic Congress has done, Governor Houston has been doing in Alabama. Says the Montgomery Advertiser: He stepped the leuks, cut down expenses, he practiced the most rigid economy, and will save the people at least \$20,000,000 during his term. Wherever the Democrats have control in the South order prevails, and the people are secure in their person and property.

AN ANSWER.

Why is Gov. Tilden any more likely to reform this Government than Hayes? What is there in the character of these two men that gives one, Tilden, the pre-eminence over Hayes as a reformer?—John Sherman in the Senate.

The answer to these questions furnishes the dividing line between the two parties:

I. Gov. Tilden has shown by his works his faith in reform and his ability as a reformer. He struck down the Tweed ring inside his own party. He crushed the Canal ring, composed of rogues of both parties. And in less than eighteen months he reduced the taxation in his State from fifteen to eight millions in round numbers. What has Hayes done but sign routine papers, grant pardons, and take his ease in office?

II. The characters of the two men are as far apart as the poles. Tilden is pronounced, positive and aggressive in assailing corruption and fraud, while Hayes is uncertain, weak, and indifferent, especially when the exposure of his own party is concerned. His record as a member of Congress and as Governor is a blank. He belongs to the order of negative men, without force or self-assertion, who travel the smooth road of life, smiling like the late Schuyler Colfax, and treading on nobody's corns or prejudices, that furnish the material for "compromise candidates." Tilden would be the leader of reform in the White House, and Hayes would be the mere tool of Cameron, Morton, Blaine, Chandler, Logan and the factions, to continue Grantism under another name. The firm would be changed, but the business would be exactly what it is now.

Rough on Hayes.

Not long since D. W. Munn, of Chicago, asked ex-Speaker Blaine to procure a favor for him from Grant. In answer to this request Mr. Blaine informed Mr. Munn that he had no influence with Grant, in the following plain language:

"I have no influence with the present Administration. No man has who is not a thief by instinct."

J. G. BLAINE.

We consider that the above from Blaine is exceedingly rough on the Republican nominee. It will be remembered, by well-informed readers, that not long since the news was telegraphed to this Coast that the President and Governor Hayes were, and always have been, on the most intimate terms. The President was made to say, in that interview, that for some time past he had made no appointment to prominent offices, without first receiving the sanction of that gentleman.

A Reform Candidate.

The nomination of Ben Butler for Congress, in Massachusetts, remarks the Examiner, indicates the spread of the reform movement in the Radical party. It indicates also the sincerity on the resumption issue. Ben believes in setting the day of judgment as "the earliest practicable" day on which to resume. He is also a civil service reformer of repute. Should he be elected with a Radical majority in the Lower House, he will resume his old place as leader, and his first speech will be on the silver question, with which he is said to be very familiar.

The Long and Short of It.

The Cincinnati Convention adopted a resolution approving of Grant's administration, and then nominated Hayes for President. Hayes accepted the nomination, endorsed the platform, and now stands upon it. Grant promptly congratulated Hayes on his nomination. This is the whole story in a nutshell, or at least the first chapter of it. The second chapter, as Chandler and Secor Robeson hope it will be, is Hayes' election and the continued administration of the Government according to the ways of Grantism. But that chapter will not be.

Defies the Whole Gang.

The Cleveland, Ohio, Plain Dealer defies the whole gang of Radical writers in the country to point to a single instance where, as a public officer, Gov. Tilden has not manfully and nobly upheld the side of the people against the demands of "ringsters" and "jobbers."

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