

REASONS FOR OUR EXCELLENT NATIONAL CREDIT.

The reasons why the United States loans have won the complete confidence of the financial world are not simply because of our vast resources, but because of the excellent statutes which have been passed, defining for what the revenue of the country shall be liable, and for what purposes it shall never be expended. What are these salutary prohibitions?

First. That there shall never be any recognition of any debt or liability created by the so-called Confederacy or any of the Southern States for carrying on the rebellion.

Second. That there shall never be any compensation made for slaves liberated.

Third. That there shall be no bounty or pension paid to any one arising out of any service or act done in behalf of the rebellion.

In fact that while the devotion of the loyalist to the flag of his country shall be recognized and recompensed, there shall never be any payment made under any pretense for damage to person or property arising out of acts of disloyalty.

Does any one suppose if these declarations had not been made by the Republican party that the credit of the Government would have attained its present enviable position?

Now look on the other feature. It is an underlying principle of the opponents of the Republican party:

First. That payment shall be made for slaves set free.

Second. That the Southern soldiers shall be pensioned the same as the loyal ones.

Third. That all damage done to the South shall be made good out of the common treasury.

Fourth. That all back pay due officers who threw up their commissions shall be adjusted in their favor, this to include what is claimed by the renegade civil as well as military and naval officers.

It is useless to attempt to disguise that these are the radical differences between the present Administration and a large portion of the persons who are joined in opposing it. Without the hope of the recognition of the equal rights of the Southern with the Northern soldier, and compensation for the liberated slaves, a very large portion of the Greeley supporters, and upon which the opposition mainly rely, would be drawn off. They would be counted out of the canvass. For they know that they possess and enjoy every other right and privilege in common with all citizens under the rule of the Republican party except that of being paid for service and damage arising out of participating in the late rebellion.

It is incumbent upon the business portion of the country, on those who love peace and who want to see the plighted faith of the Republic lived up to religiously, to put a stop now and forever to these impious demands on the revenues of the country. A decline in the price of the national securities, such as will be sure to follow any vote looking to a disapprobation of or change in the policy inaugurated and sustained by the Republican party, would so unsettle and disturb the relations of commerce, movements of the products of the field, the farm, the mine, the workshop, and other industries of the nation, that it would be convulsed and shaken to its very center. The consequence can hardly be foretold.

Imagine for a moment if the immense amount of loans held by capitalists were to be withdrawn from permanent investments and sent home for redemption—or for sale, which is just the same. A panic such as the world never before saw would follow. It is useless to say that this is but an idle supposition, for it is one that will inevitably come to pass, in a lesser or greater degree, unless the American people resolve to maintain inviolably the promises of the Republican party as to the application of the public revenues. It may be argued that the leaders of the opposition have not pledged themselves to the demands for compensation before alluded to. It is sufficient to know they have taken for their trusty allies those who maintain stoutly on every occasion that such payments should be made, and it may be relied upon that if the time comes when they have the opportunity to be heard they will be listened to and some concessions made.

It is idle to say such is not possible, for anything may be expected of such an alliance as is combined in opposition to the success of the Republican party. Let no one be deceived; those who are not for us are against us.

It is noteworthy in reviewing the state of the national finances, that the longer the loan is for the higher rate of premium is secured, showing that it is credit of the Government that is in demand, and if the allegations of the opponents were true, or a title of them were believed, the reputation and credit of the country would be a by-word and reproach.

Intimately connected with the value of the national securities is the known policy of the country and the party in charge of the administration of affairs on the questions of internal and import taxes. The principles and policy of the Republican party are spread forth

to the world; they join neither the extremists of free trade or protection, but endeavor and strive to adjust the laws to the exigencies of the state of the country demand.

What is the policy of the mongrel opposition seeking to come into power? They start with a free trade proposition, and put up a rampant protectionist as their standard-bearer. For the sake of success they agree to bury for a time the differences on this question, the most vital to the prosperity of the country, upon which they frankly confessed at Cincinnati they never can agree. Does any one with a grain of common sense believe in such a hollow truce? No. Every one knows that should it unfortunately occur that they should accidentally succeed, the old feuds on this great question, on which they irreconcilably differ, will break out anew. Differences on the question of tariff and revenue are bitter and unrelenting, and, as a consequence, the country will be torn by contending factions supported from the pockets of interested persons, and confusion worse confounded will ensue. Nothing else can happen with a party professing one set of principles and its standard-bearer totally different ones.

The Imprisoned Ku Klux.

By instructions from the President of the United States Col. Whitney of the Secret Service Division has made a special investigation of the case of the Ku Klux prisoners confined at Albany, N. Y. This inquiry was ordered for the purpose of obtaining a report as to the expediency of exercising executive clemency in the several cases. From Col. Whitney's report we take the following interesting paragraphs:

The prisoners were mainly frank and communicative. Some of them are very poor and unlearned, and have left large families behind them and while acknowledging that they were members of the various orders of the organization known under the general head of Ku Klux Klan, and that they had been justly sentenced as such, plead in extenuation that they had joined the Order without a full knowledge of its aims and objects, and had been incited to deeds of violence by their leaders, who had managed to escape from the country, leaving them to bear the responsibility and the punishment of their misdeeds.

A number of them stated that they had been compelled to join the Order to save themselves and families from a visitation of the Klan. Others had entered into its ranks under the supposition that it was a society organized for mutual protection, but learned subsequently that its real designs were the extermination of the negro race and the driving out of such of the whites as were in favor of the political equality and social elevation of the blacks. These several expressed the contrition for their misdeeds, stated that the organization was one inimical to the best interest of society, and that the Government was fully justified in breaking it up.

In further extenuation of having been members of the Order, they state that the operations of the Klan were wide-spread, embracing within its folds men of superior intelligence, to whom they had been accustomed to look for advice and counsel, and whom, they did not suppose, would lead them into any combination that contemplated personal violence and murder, if these were necessary, or the accomplishment of its ends. They were told that it was a good institution, one to put down meanness in the country, and they accepted the statement implicitly.

About forty examinations were made in the manner above indicated, neither prisoner knowing that any one but himself had been called out, and none of them being aware, as before observed, of my official position or the object of my visit. There was a singular unanimity in these statements, and a general expression of regret that they should have been drawn into an organization differing so entirely in the object which they supposed it had in view when they joined it.

In reply to the general question what were the objects of the organization, the answer was almost invariably, "When we joined the Order we supposed it to be a society established for mutual protection, but after having been fully initiated, discovered it to be for a political purpose, which was embodied in an oath, in which we swore to oppose the Radical party in all its forms, and prevent the negroes from voting. It was this great deception that misled us and which has brought us into our present condition."

The contrition manifested by many of these prisoners, the hearty abhorrence expressed by them for the acts into the commission of which they claim they were betrayed by unscrupulous and designing men of more enlightened minds, their general want of intelligence and their extreme poverty, all appeal strongly for mercy.

My view as to the expediency of restoring any of them to society through the exercise of Executive clemency are clearly in favor of such a course with some portion of them, and I believe it may be done in some of the cases not only with great safety, but fully in the interest of the public good. (Here follows a list of those recommended for pardon.)

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A. F. TURNER, Deputy Jailor.

This is to certify that the above statement is correct to my own knowledge.

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