

The Democrat.

"WHEN ROGUES FALL OUT."

One of the most amusing and spirited contests to swindle the public that the country has ever witnessed is now going on between the wool men and woolen manufacturers. The manufacturers have arrived at the conclusion that the wool men are receiving far more than their share of the "swag" wrested from the public through the means of our blessed tariff laws. They therefore claim, if they cannot have all free wool, they must, at least, have free carpet wools. They say the tariff on wool is much higher in proportion than on woolen goods, and that, therefore, they are not treated fairly in the distribution of the taxes wrung from the people in the name of protection. A beautiful spectacle is this, indeed, when these two small classes, not numbering more than one in every hundred of the population of the country, shall quarrel and fight over the spoils captured from the toiling millions in the name of protection. There is an old saw that tells a homely truth that says, "when rogues fall out, honest men will get their dues," and the truth seems appropriately applicable at this point. The truth is these two classes contributed vast sums of money to elect Harrison, and they now seek to make the whole country pay it back to them by taxing them in the name of "protection." The manufacturers feeling that they are not making it fast enough have demanded free wool. The wool men are hot in the collar, and declare that if the manufacturers do not withdraw this demand, they will openly advocate and go before congress and demand a removal of all duties on woolens. Here is a pretty set of "free traders" for you. Shades of the *Mountaineer, Statesman and Oregonian*. Here is the great stay, the bone and sinew of the republican party, the element that furnished the millions of money to send voters in "Blocks-of-Five" to the polls to elect Harrison boldly coming out for "free trade," and have actually come out in favor of the hated British system. Are these men bent on ruining the manufacturing and industrial products of the country? Let these organs speak out. They should no longer remain silent. When rogues fall out honest men will get their dues, and when the beneficiaries of our robber tariff system begin to quarrel and fight over the spoils wrung from the people through this system, then may the hope be entertained that there will be a revision and reduction of the tariff in the interest of the toiling masses.

THE RETURN OF EXTRAVAGANCE.

Fifteen years ago, the people of this country, having tired of the extravagance which had long characterized the republican management of public affairs, elected to congress an overwhelming majority of democrats. It was known as the tidal-wave congress, and whatever else it did, or failed to do, it stopped the wasteful expenditure of public money. Now, after the lapse of a decade and a half, there is a certainty that the next congress will be republican, the administration is republican throughout, and already old time tendencies are beginning to reappear. The last congress made appropriations for this fiscal year, which commenced on the 1st of July, 1889, and will end June 30th, 1890. Those appropriations provided for the legitimate expenses of the government without increasing the national debt. By extravagant management the departments of the government can exceed the monthly pro rata of many of the appropriations and ask congress to provide for this excess by the passage of deficiency bills. In the first two months of the first fiscal year in which it controls the departments, bureaus and offices of the government, the present administration has increased the public debt over \$7,000,000. Over \$6,000,000 of this increase has occurred for the month of August. A continued increase at the same rate would render further tariff legislation unnecessary, except to increase the duties, and allow the people no opportunity of being relieved from the burdens of excessive taxation.

The above increase comes after government receipts of over half a million in revenues more since July than was turned into the treasury for the same time last year. During these same two months, July and August, last year, under a democratic administration, the public debt was decreased nearly \$12,000,000. These are patent facts, evident to every one who takes the trouble to follow the current news of the day. They cannot be explained away by the most ingenious sophistry, and it is folly to suppose that eventually the same causes which produced the tidal wave in 1874 will not bring about a reaction when another congress is to be chosen next year.

During the eleven months ending July 31, Great Britain imported 136,995,280 bushels of wheat. The sources of supply were as follows: Russia, 40,195,464 bushels; Atlantic ports of America and Canada, 29,243,138 bushels; Pacific coast, 21,455,338 bushels (total from America, 49,698,476 bushels); India, 16,167,304 bushels; Germany and Hungary, 16,658,336 bushels; Australasia, 4,745,060 bushels; Chili, 2,049,400 bushels; the Platte, 787,832 bushels, other sources, 7,693,536 bushels.

A timber land contest involving nearly 2,000 acres, is now in progress at Seattle. The parties interested are the Government vs. S. S. Hawley, R. A. Alger and R. K. Hawley, and its object is the restoration of the tract to the government for settlement, being property claimed to be of great agricultural value. This is to be made a test case, and should the government be successful, will lead to the contesting of other large tracts now held by large mill firms and capitalists, comprising some of the most extensive camps on Puget Sound.

The Moors are said to have made paper from linen in the thirteenth century, all paper known before that being apparently made from cotton. In the British Museum are some specimens of linen paper from the fourteenth century. Recently Prof. Church has discovered an Episcopal Register of 1273 from Auvergne, in which paper some strands remaining show to have been linen. This carries linen paper back further than was supposed.

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