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EVOLUTION.

No proposition can be clearer than that the State Central Committee was intended to be, and should be, organized in the interest of the whole party, and that the issues between Democratic aspirants should be prohibited in its councils.

Accepting this theory as correct, it is not strange that many of the members thought that there should be a re-organization, and that Mr. Fitzpatrick, the president, who is an active, vigorous and determined partisan of Gen. Ogden, should be replaced by a more moderate, temperate and judicial presiding officer. Whatever doubts we may have entertained, prior to the meeting of the committee, as to the policy or wisdom of such a course, they were fully removed by the violent and revolutionary methods to which Mr. Fitzpatrick resorted to prevent such re-organization, and suppress the will of the majority. We have seen such rulings resorted to in Radical conventions, where the duty and purpose of the chairman were to overrule the majority, but we challenge any of our Democratic friends to cite any such rulings in any Democratic body outside of New Orleans ward clubs. The scheme of revolutionizing the committee appears to have been inaugurated a few nights ago in the twelfth ward, where the effort was made, in spite of reason or justice, to "fire out" a member adverse to the minority, and it was continued by the rulings of the late chairman yesterday.

We are perfectly amazed that intelligent Democrats should have sustained the rulings of Mr. Fitzpatrick and at the same time charged the majority, who were exercising a plain and well established right, as revolutionists.

Every organization, or public or private body, that elects its own officers, has a perfect right, whenever a majority of its members think proper, to re-organize. Even the House of Representatives has this right, and a majority of its members can at any time depose the Speaker and elect a new one. The exercise of this or any other right may be at certain times or under certain circumstances, unwise or impolitic; but it is a contradiction in terms—a palpable absurdity—to say that the exercise of a right is revolutionary. Revolutionary movements are sometimes made to assert a right denied, and they are sometimes made to prevent the exercise of a right, as was the case yesterday on the part of Mr. Fitzpatrick and his followers to prevent the majority of the committee from carrying out their will; but we trust our Democratic friends, who left the committee, will not commit themselves, longer than reason can re-assert its sway, to the absurd proposition, that the exercise of a right, by legitimate means, is revolutionary under any circumstances.

Only two remarks more at this time. The proposition of the Pica-yune that a minority may at any time bolt the committees and conventions of the party, is subversive of all discipline, and if adopted would inevitably lead to defeat.

Finally all temperate men must regret the speech of Mr. Fitzpatrick, in which he intimated that the Republican ranks were open to the reorganizers, and that it was into those ranks they desired to go. This was the language of excitement and passion, and we will not comment on it now. We desire harmony in the committee, and while that event is a possibility, no word shall be uttered by us calculated to embitter the controversy. Our advice is to let bygones be bygones. The committee has been re-organized, one of the most eminent citizens of the State is at its head, and if the Democratic proposition is recognized, that the committee has nothing to do with either Ogden or McEnery, and that its only duty is the organization of the party and the adoption of rules to secure every Democrat a fair vote, peace will reign again.—N. O. States.

WHEN YOU WALTZ WITH A BEAR KEEP YOUR EYE ON YOUR PARTNER.

This axiom of the frostersman might be profitably applied to the present manner of conducting politics in Louisiana.

When a man is elected to an office that has appointments to give, he soon finds himself surrounded by all sorts of people who want fat places for either themselves or their friends. These are the bears. They are perfectly willing to waltz right through the term of the administration on terms of mutual friendship, provided they get what they want; but if they fail, they discover rings, cliques, corruption and all the evils that the State's body is heir to.

That is just exactly the case in the present contest.

There is a clique of politicians in the State who were the power behind the throne of previous administrations, Warmoth and Kellogg not excepted, whose voice in the selection of appointments to office, and in shaping the policy of the administration, has had no force with Governor McEnery.

In his experience he has found it beneficial to keep his eye on these bears, and he has not allowed them to get him in their embrace.

For this season they have raised an awful howl against him. Every act of his administration has been abused, misrepresented and perverted in order to set the public mind against him.

Although, by his wise and prudent administration of the State's affairs, he has raised it up from a condition of financial and commercial despondency to that of thrift, activity and prosperity, he has never received a word of commendation from the crowd of political barnacles whom he declined to give appointments to at the expense of these his predecessor had appointed to these positions.

Are such men actuated by Democratic principles? If agreed for office at all times under all circumstances be principles, they exhibit plenty of it.

Take these bears one by one and read the mystic lines on their paws and you will find each one has a personal grievance. If he has not been an office hunter for himself he has been for some one else, or has had some other little scheme to work that failed to attract the hearing of Gov. McEnery.

We believe that Gov. McEnery was right to keep his eye on them when they were waltzing around him, and when the impartial historian writes up the present administration Sam McEnery will not only receive credit for refusing to place himself within the grasp of the rings and cliques that tried to ensnare him, but he will receive the thanks of the intelligent tax paying people of the State.

Latest Markets by Telegraph.

LIVERPOOL.

COTTON.

LIVERPOOL, October 25. Noon.—Good demand freely met at previous prices.

QUOTATIONS.

Uplands..... 6
Orleans..... 6½

SALES AND RECEIPTS.

Sales..... 15,000
Speculation and export..... 1000
Receipts..... 2850
American..... 2850

FUTURES.

October 5 62-64, —6 1-64
Oct. and Nov. 5 61-64—60-64,
Nov. and Dec. 5 58-64—57-64
Jan. and Feb. 55-64,
Feb. and Mch. 5 62-64—61-64
Mch. and April 62-64—51-64
Apr. and May 65-64—64-64
Futures strong, firm.

2 p. m.—
Good Uplands, 6¼; Uplands, 6. Low Middling, 5¾. Good Ordinary, 5¾. Ordinary, 5 5-16. Orleans, 6¼. Low Middling six, Good Ordinary, 5 13-16. Ordinary, 5¾. Good Texas, 6 5-16. Texas, 6 3-16. Low Middling six. Good Ordinary, 5¾. Ordinary, 5 7-16. Sales, American, 1165. October, 5 60-64.

4:30 p. m.—
October 5 61-64—62-64
Dec. and Jan. 5 57-64,
Feb. and March 5 62-64,
April and May 5 65-64,
May and June, 5 68-64.

NEW YORK.

STOCK.

New York, 10:30 a. m.—Stocks opened active and buoyant. It is reported that Vanderbilt will call in his stock to-day. In the first fifteen minutes there was an advance of ½ to 2. Michigan Central rose to 96½, Lake Shore to 101½, N. Y. Central to 138½, Oregon Transcontinental to 47½, Union Pacific to 92, Northwest to 124½ and Western Union to 79½.

10:45 a. m.—Market strong again and on advance after reaction of ½ to 1½, Oregon Transcontinental is up to 48½, Lake Shore to 101½, Illinois Central to 132, Northern Pacific preferred, to 66 and Lockawana to 118, New York Central is leading at 11-6 New Jersey Central 1-64 to 1-32, Michigan Central at 1-32 and Union Pacific flat, Northern Pacific, preferred, is flat, bid 1-32, asked, Denver 1-64, asked. Prices irregular but strong, about 2½ 3½. Prices dull, 81 to 83½.

MONEY.

Money 2¼ to 3¼. Exchange dull. Long 481, short 83½. State Bonds quiet; Governments strong.

COTTON.

Quiet, steady. Sales 519, 1300 in transit.

QUOTATIONS.

Uplands..... 10½
Orleans..... 10½

FUTURES.

Steady. Sales 38,000.
Oct. and Nov. 10.58 to 60—Dec. 68 to 70
Feb 97 to 8—Mch 11 to 12

Post's cotton says future deliveries opened without change, and after having steadily advanced 5 to 6-100 lost 1-100. Third call showed fair demand at full rates. Dec. brought 1070; Feb 1098—99, May 1136, June 1147. Trading is confined to operators for small profits who are encouraged by slightly improved prices. Liverpool advances ran prices up. Futures closed quiet and steady. October 4-100 and balance 2 to 3-100 higher than yesterday.

Later.—Net receipts 681. Gross 12,196. Futures closed dull but steady. Sales 68,000
October..... 10.57 to 9
November..... 10.58 to 9
December..... 10.57 to 8
January..... 10.81 to 2
February..... 10.96 to 7
March..... 11.10 to 11
April..... 11.22
May..... 11.33 to 4
June..... 11.44 to 5
July..... 11.55 to 6
August..... 11.63 to 5

NEW ORLEANS.

COTTON.

October 25.—Cotton firm; sales 85,000—
QUOTATIONS.

Ordinary..... 8½
Good ordinary..... 9½
Low middling..... 10½
Middling..... 10 5-16
Good middling..... 10 7-16
Middling fair..... 10 11-16
Fair..... 11
Net receipts..... 13,324
Gross..... 14,392
Exports Great Britain.....
Coastwise.....
Stocks..... 199,760

FUTURES.

Quiet and steady. Sales 23,900
October..... 10-42 bid
November..... 10-27-8
Dec..... 10-31-2
Jan..... 10-46-7
Feb..... 10-62-3
March..... 10-75-6
April..... 10-89-00
May..... 11-02-4
June..... 11-19-17
July..... 11-30-32
Aug..... 11-39-41

GRAIN AND PROVISIONS.

CORN MEAL—Irrregular source, 2-62 to 75.
HAY—Choice, good demand, lower, 16½ to 17.
BACON—Long clear rib and clear rib scarce and higher, 7½.
COFFEE—Steady, good demand, common to prime 10½ to 13½.
SUGAR—Fair demand and easier; yellow clarified 7¼ to 7½; white clarified, 7½ to 8.
MOLASSES—Dull and lower; centrifugal 25 to 40, prime to choice, 45 to 50.
BRAN—Dull, easier 82½ to 85.

EXCHANGE.

Sight par Sterling Bank 4.80½ 4.81
Consols 65½ to 65¾.

CINCINNATI.

CINCINNATI, Oct. 24.—FLOUR—Unchanged. WHEAT—1.11½ to 1.12. CORN—Heavy at 50c. OATS—Steady, 30c. PORK—Steady, 11.25-50. LARD—Weak, 7.35. BULK MEATS—Scarce, 5.07. BACON—Firm. WHISKY—Active and firm at 13. SUGAR—Unchanged.

ST. LOUIS.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 25.—FLOUR—Unchanged. WHEAT—Higher and slow; No. 2 Red Fall 160-1 cash, nov. 1¾ to ½. CORN—Inactive and firm 44½ cash, ¾ Oct. OATS—Very slow at 26½ cash. WHISKY—Steady at 14. PORK—Quiet 81.00. DRY SALT MEATS—Nominal and firm; only job trade. BACON—Firm; long clear 7½ to 7¾, short rib 7 to 7½, short clear 8½. LARD—Dull and nominal.

CHICAGO.

CHICAGO, Oct. 25.—FLOUR—Steady and regular. WHEAT—Fair demand and higher at 90½ to 91. Oct. No. 2 Red Winter at 97½ to 98. CORN—Firm; shade easier at close at 46½ cash and October. OATS—Fair demand and firm at 27½ to 27¾ cash, 7½ October. LARD—Quiet; shade easier at 7.37½ to 7.40 cash and October. WHISKY—Unchanged. PORK—Quiet; shade easier at 10.45 to 10.55 cash and 10.45 to 10.50 Oct.

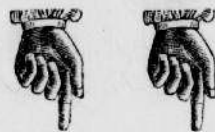
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