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TARIFF TALK.

FROM DEMOCRATS EAST AND WEST.

What a Revenue Tariff, With Incidental Protection, Means—Sentiments of the recent canvass for speaker and—more especially its determination in favor of Carlisle—has started anew the discussion of the tariff question.

Some of the Revenue Reformers. Ex-Governor Andrews says: "A horizontal tariff is impossible."

Senator James B. Beck says: "Nobody asks or expects that Congress to establish free trade or to tear down custom houses."

Senator Howard says: "The power to tax by laying duties upon imports may be so exercised as to do what it has done ever since the foundation of the government, and that is to give an advantage equivalent to the amount of the tax to the American producer or manufacturer over his foreign competitors in the same line of production or manufacture."

Mr. Carlisle, of Kentucky, in substance reiterates these sentiments. His position has been expressed thus: "It is the most and swiftest sense which the use of the term generally implies I am not a free trader."

Mr. Randall, in a speech in Congress, has said: "I do not favor a tariff enacted upon the ground of protection simply for the sake of protection, because I doubt the existence of any constitutional warrant for any such protection of the sort."

"So, too, with free trade, there is hardly a man in public life who advocates it pure and simple. Nobody wants direct taxation, although it would bring taxation so near and so constantly before the people that Congress would be likely long before it voted the sums of money it now does, not for improper at least for questionable purposes."

"I believe that the arrangement of our system of tariff duties should not rest upon any partisan basis regulated by existing parties, but on the contrary, it should be a measure be divorced from politics and cease to be a bone of political contention in and out of Congress. It should occupy the higher level and command the best efforts of statesmanship of every party."

The first plank of the platform of the Democratic national convention which met in Baltimore May 5, 1883, is as follows: "Resolved, That it is the duty of every branch of government to enforce and practice the most rigid economy in conducting our public affairs; and that no more revenue ought to be raised than is required to defray the necessary expenses of the government."

The platform of the Democratic convention at Baltimore, June 1, 1852, contained the following declaration of Democratic faith: "Resolved, That it is the duty of every branch of the government to enforce and practice the most rigid economy in con-

ducting our public affairs; and that no more revenue ought to be raised than is required to defray the necessary expenses of the government, and for the gradual, but certain extinction of the public debt. The same resolution was adopted at Cincinnati, Ohio, June 2, 1856; at Charleston, South Carolina, April 23, 1860, and at Baltimore, June 18, 1860.

The Democratic convention of 1864, at St. Louis, on August 29, passed no tariff resolution. The Democratic platform of 1868, in New York city, has the following resolution: "And a tariff for revenue upon foreign imports, and such special taxation under the internal revenue laws, will afford incidental protection to domestic manufactures, and as will, without impairing the revenue, impose the least burden upon and best promote and encourage the great industrial interests of the country."

The national Democratic convention of Baltimore, July 9, 1872 resolved as follows: "We demand a system of federal taxation which shall not unnecessarily interfere with the industry of the people, and which will provide the means necessary to pay the expenses of the government, economically administered, the pensions, the interest on the public debt, and a moderate reduction annually on the principal thereof; and recognizing that there are in our country localities in which the differences of opinion with regard to the respective systems of protection and free trade, to permit the discussion of the subject to the people of their congressional districts and to the decision of the Congress thereon wholly free from executive interference or dictation."

The St. Louis convention of 1876 declared as follows: "Reform is necessary in the same and mode of federal taxation, to the end that capital may be set free from distrust and labor highly benefited thereby."

We denounce the present tariff levied upon nearly 4,000 articles as a monstrous piece of injustice, inequality and false pretence. It yields a dwindling, not a yearly rising revenue; it has impoverished many industries to subsistence; it has produced a large class of paupers; it has degraded American commerce from the first to an inferior rank on the high seas; it has cut out the sales of American manufactures at home and abroad and depleted the treasury of American agriculture and industry by half; our people pay it; it costs the people five times more than it produces to the treasury; it obstructs the processes of production, and wastes the fruit of labor; it promotes fraud, fosters smuggling, enriches dishonest officials, and bankrupts honest merchants. We demand that all custom house taxation shall be only for revenue.

The platform of 1880, at Cincinnati, declared for a tariff for "revenue only." Pennsylvania in 1882. The Democratic state convention of Pennsylvania in 1882 declared as follows: "They believe in such taxation of people as is requisite for the necessities of the government economically administered, and that import duties should be so adjusted in their application as to prevent unequal burdens, encouraging productive industries at home and abroad just compensation to labor, but not create or foster monopolies. They denounce the proposition of the Republican party that the protection be taxed to raise a surplus fund for the federal government to distribute among states. The people should be taxed so much as is absolutely indispensable for the frugal conduct of their affairs—not a cent for surplus and no unnecessary taxation. The existing surplus in the treasury should be forthwith applied to the payment of the public debt. The money not needed for the expenses of the government should remain in the pockets of the people."

This passage is from James K. Polk's letter to Judge Knapp in 1844. It was upon this that the Democrats then carried Pennsylvania for Polk against Clay. "I am in favor of a tariff for revenue, such a one as will yield a sufficient amount to the treasury to defray the expenses of the government economically administered. In adjusting the details of a revenue tariff, I have therefore sanctioned such moderate discriminating duties as would produce the amount of revenue needed, and at the same time afford reasonable incidental protection to our home industry. I am opposed to a tariff for protection solely and not for revenue."

"In my judgment it is the duty of the government to extend as far as it may be practicable all other means within its power, fair and just protection to all the great interests of the whole union, embracing agriculture, manufactures, the mechanic arts, commerce and navigation."

The reason why Solomon said, that there was nothing new under the sun, was that he counted by the day, and saw the same things over and over again. Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup has not been compounded then, it has long since proved itself to be the great benefactor of the nineteenth century.

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