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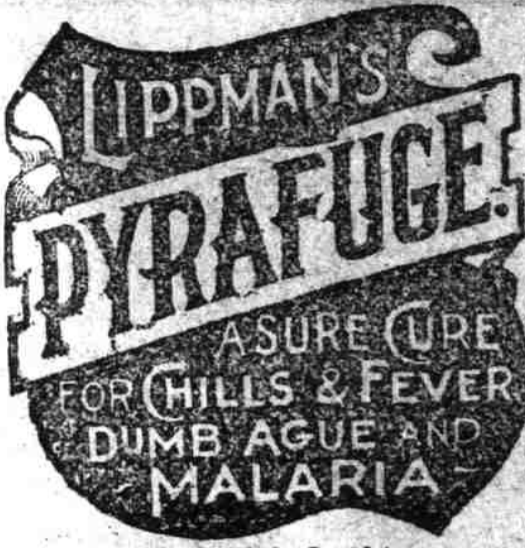
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THE THIRD PARTY.

GOV. THILMAN, OF SOUTH CAROLINA, OPPOSED TO IT.

Extract from His Speech at Red Springs, S. C., as Reported in the Charleston News-Courier.

We farmers of the South and West know that we are growing in power day by day, and we have sworn by the eternal God that our demands shall be granted by the robbers [Applause and cheers.]

What strange scenes have we witnessed of late! The farmers have organized, driven to it by stern necessity. They did not care about organization when they were prosperous. Now the Alliance between the South and West has some promise of realization. In Kansas and other Northwestern States—"Bleeding Kansas," the blackest of black Republican States—which helped to make us in South Carolina, at least, subservient to the black horde that once dominated our State, the farmers with poverty staring them in the face and the sheriff behind them with their mortgages unpaid, have been driven to adopt Democratic principles in spite of themselves [Applause.] They haven't the manliness to come out and say we have been wrong and you were right. Instead of joining the Democratic outright, they want to organize a Third party.

They won't come right square into the Democratic party, although I admit it is hard for a fellow who has been voting one way for twenty-five years to confess he was wrong; but we don't care how they help us so long as they do help us. [Laughter and applause.] If they want to vote for Democratic principles in the Third party, in God's name let us send them joyful greetings; for if we can divide those fellows up there we'll have a showing then, won't we, boys? [Applause.] But I am afraid that that Third party idea has taken too strongly down South, and I hear that there is too much of it especially in North Carolina. I may be mistaken, but I have got the impression that there is an under current that may carry off a lot of you by next summer.

I would like to talk about this to the men who have been Democrats in mind, heart, soul and body, where Democracy is bred in their very bones. You often hear it said: "If the Democratic party don't give us what we want, we don't care what we do." Now that is a bad attitude to assume towards anybody or party. You can't bulldoze the American people, and there are often things involved in party principles that cannot permit certain things to be done.

A WORD OF WARNING. I would call attention of those men who are running after an ignis fatuus to the deeds and misdeeds of the Republican party. Ever since 1860 that party has been responsible primarily for every piece of devilment that has been perpetrated in the United States. [Applause.] How can I prove it? Up to 1874 they controlled the House, the Senate and the President. In that year the Democrats carried the House, but the other fellows held the Senate and President. They stole the Presidency in 1876, but a lie stuck to it as good as the truth and a defacto President is as good as a de jure President when he holds the fort. The Republicans held the fort and they were responsible for all the acts of the Government. Once we had the House and Senate, but the Republican President had the veto power.

Last year the Republicans had the House, Senate and President, and look at what they wanted to do. They tried to reconstruct us to make the pyramid stand on its apex and give us back again.

THE NEGRO AS A RULER. And yet some Democrats talk about jeopardizing unity. As I asserted, the Democratic party since 1860 has had no opportunity to do anything for the relief of the people. They have only been able to hang on the back of the Radical party and keep it from doing more devilment. Is there any reason why any Democrat should grow weary with this long struggle, and especially now when victory is about to perch on our banners, and fly after utter political nonsense? They will not do it in South Carolina, and I do not believe you will do it in North Carolina. [Applause and cheers.]

LET DEMOCRATS AND ALLIANCE MEN STAND CLOSE TOGETHER.

The Alliance platform and that of the Democratic party bear a strong family resemblance—so strong that it attracts attention.

Except upon the sub-treasury plan and the theory of government control of railroads, etc., they are united upon every issue.

Let's see.

First. The members of the Alliance do not insist upon the sub-treasury scheme. They submit it to the people and say, almost in an apologetic way: "We have been growing poorer, while the rich are growing richer. The unequal condition of affairs is due to the 'evil' workings of our financial system. We want a remedy. Here's our plan. We admit that it has its crudities. We are not wedded to it. Improve our plan if you can. Give us something better in order that the desired end may be reached and we will abandon the idea and gladly join you." Not only are the members of the order undecided as to its practicability, but there are some, among them Alliance leaders, who are publicly renouncing it. They believe that the Democratic theories of tariff reduction, free coinage of silver, currency enlargement, and a broad, healthy, heroic treatment of the finance question in general will best serve the farmers. This number is being continually augmented by new converts, who fear that the new policy remedy is worse than the old financial disease.

Second. The farmers do not demand government control of railroads, etc., except as a last resort. It becomes necessary only when all other means to control the gigantic corporations, who operate the public rights of way have failed. But with railroad commissioners to stand between them and the people, to make the railroads bow in greater deference to the people, to make them reduce expenses and at the same time raise the standard of public service and safety to life and limb government control will remain a thing unthought of.

Both plans breed centralization, to which the Democratic party is unalterably opposed. They create thousands of new offices and make partisan office-holders "thick as the leaves which strew the brooks in Vallumbrosa." They aggravate the corrupt political situation by making those sucking the public "pup" and their retinue of retainers and underlings active and offensive zealots in restoring the administration in place at the time. They would make such a vast army, with equipments and intrenchments, that it would require a great struggle to dislodge it. Again, the government should not interfere to protect or destroy the legitimate business of its citizens. Besides the government has the misfortune of generally conducting its business enterprises at considerable losses.

The difference between the Alliance and the Democracy lies more in name than in fact. Strictly speaking it is the difference between tweed and tweedledee. What it is analyzed we wonder that it is so microscopically small.

Let the Alliance hold together in its cement of free masonry, preserve its non-political character. But let every mother's son of the order remember that if he is true to his colors he is a Democrat, too.—Kiddville Review.

A True Woman.

Every man of sense and refinement admires a woman as a woman; but when she steps out of this character, a thousand things that in their appropriate sphere would be admired, become disgusting and offensive. The appropriate character of a woman demands the delicacy of appearance and manners, refinement of sentiment, gentleness of speech, modesty in feeling and action, a shrinking from notoriety and public gaze, aversion to all that is coarse and rude, and an instinctive abhorrence of all that tends to indecency and impurity, either in principle or action. These are the traits which are admired and sought for in a woman.—Wilson Mirror.

FORMS OF GOVERNMENT.

American Register, Dec.

John Adams, in his three volumes in defence of the Constitution of the United States, has reviewed the various republics of ancient times, and of the middle ages, and has classified republics into three distinct forms: the democratic republics, aristocratical republics, and monarchical republics. The democratic republics have always had a plural executive, some two, some ten, and others a different number. Rome and Carthage and Sparta had two chief executive officers, Athens ten, and Switzerland has now, and has had for over five hundred years, seven chief executive officers, called their chief executive council.

A monarchy is a government of one man. The root and derivation of the word shows it to be the ruling of one person. Where all the powers of a government are vested in one man it is an absolute monarchy. But where only a part of the supreme power is given to one man, it is a limited monarchy. Under our Federal Constitution the executive power, indeed all the supreme executive power is vested in the President, one man. So that, as to the executive branch of the government, it is indubitably monarchical. A monarchy may be inheritable or elective by the people. History shows elective monarchies to be the most corrupt and worst form of government there is. They have been found inseparable from the corruptions, conflicts and increasing warfare of political factions struggling and wrangling for partisan ascendancy and power.

The people of this country generally have been under the impression that they had a democratic republic, but this is a mistake, and the sooner it is corrected the better.

The above appeared in the American Register, over one hundred years ago, and is now published in the TIMES by request of one of its readers.—EDITOR.

THEY ARE NOT ALL FOOLS.

The St. Louis Globe Democrat, a Republican sheet, had a long editorial some time ago trying to show that the great success of the Democratic party last year was due to the poor crops, and that this year is strongly Republican because of the assured good crops. It says that the Farmers' Alliance is due to a failure of crops; that whenever there are poor crops and a consequent scarcity of money, the farmers attribute the whole affair to the party in power. Its argument, in citing numerous incidents which it claims proves its theory, may be plausible to very gullible persons, but it is only another illustration of the old practices of the Republican party which has been based on the theory that every farmer and the majority of voters are a set of fools. It is a bright compliment to the 180,000 farmers of Missouri who have gone into the Alliance that all their grievances are due to poor crops! A paper that would attempt to crowd such stuff down their throats, at once puts them down as a set of idiots and fools or is itself the most charlatan of demagogues. The reason the Republican party was exterminated last year was because the farmers and laboring people had comprehended the fact—had learned the lesson and learned it well—that the Republican bosses considered them as natural vassals for the rich cormorants; as a set of gullible fools that could be controlled by humbug better than anything else. The last representatives of the Republican party are now dying very hard, but they are very dead. Die! Die! You old humbug! Die dead as a ducat, because you have been false to the people and the true principles of civil government!

THREE BEAUTIES.

The People's party in Ohio has held its State convention and adopted a platform. There are three planks in it that are perfect beauties. Read them;

"We believe that the solution of the liquor problem lies in abolishing the element of profit, which is a source of constant temptation and evil, and we therefore demand that the exclusive importation, exportation, manufacture, and sale of spirituous liquors shall be conducted by the Government or State at cost through agencies or salaried officials in such towns and cities as shall apply for such agencies.

We believe that the right to vote should be given to everybody, irrespective of sex or color; we demand Government ownership of all means of transportation between and by the people of the United States.

We favor liberal pensions to all honorably discharged Union soldiers of the late civil war and generous care for their widows and orphans and demand that the differences between the value of gold and greenbacks at the date of payment be made equal to gold, so as to place the soldier on the same footing as the bondholder has been."

The first is the exclusive property of the Ohio Third party people. The other two were taken from the National platform and adapted at Cincinnati. We do not believe there are many people about here who want to see the government go into the business of making and selling whiskey. Nor do we believe there are any in favor of woman suffrage and this wholesale addition to the pension business.

HOW TO GET ALONG.

Do not stop to tell stories in business hours.

If you have a place of business be found there when wanted.

No man can get rich sitting round stores and saloons.

Never "fool" in business matters.

Have order, system, regularity, liberality and promptness.

Do not meddle with business you know nothing of.

Never buy an article you do not need, simply because it is cheap and the seller will take it out in trade. Trade in money, then you will get things cheapest and know just what a thing costs you.

Avoid hard words.

Do not kick every stone in the path. More miles can be made in a day by going steadily on than stopping.

Pay as you go.

A man of honor respects his word as his bond.

Aid, but never beg.

Help others when you can, but never give what you cannot afford simply because it is fashionable.

Learn to say "No." Don't snap it out in dog fashion, but say it firmly and respectfully.

Have but few confidants, the fewer the better.

Learn to think and act for yourself. Use your own brains, but also learn to use the brainwork of others.

Be vigilant. Keep your eyes and ears wide open.

Keep ahead rather than behind the times.

Young men, reflect on this, and if there be a flaw in the argument let us know.—Selected.

LABOR TO GET A HOME.

So far as possible every man should aim to secure a home of his own. In the long run it is cheaper. The temptation of one who rents is to make frequent changes, and no truer saying was ever uttered than that "three moves are as bad as a fire." You may have only an average amount of furniture. Its transportation cannot be effected without breaking some of it and marring a great deal more. As a rule nothing fits whether you go. Even things which you did not need will have to be bought to replace destroyed or damaged ones so as to meet new conditions. When all has been done you are fifty or seventy-five dollars worse off than you were before. Besides all connected with the household are worn out, disgested, sick of themselves and everybody that they know; that is, unless they are angels in disposition. It seems strange to see a large proportion of the families in the community tear up and move every spring, as if the yagranth habits of their ancestors away back in the early centuries still ran as a tendency in their blood and could not be resisted. In the second place, any man who ceases to live in a hired house in exchange for one of his own instinctively, unconsciously becomes a better citizen. He gains a new interest in seeing the taxes kept moderate, business flourish, good order prevail, general improvements go forward and the conditions of the people's happiness and prosperity multiplied. It is among the propertyless classes chiefly that socialism, communism, revolution and anarchy flourish and endanger the existing order of things. It is a duty that the head of the family owes not only to those dependent upon him for support but to the community to aim to become a home-holder. The larger the proportion of this class in the country the safer will sail the ship of state.—Ex.

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