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Champ Clark's Letter.

Minority Rule In Rhode Island. Fruits From Our Colonies—Random Shots at Persons and Things

[Special Washington Letter.]

CERTAIN Republican organ grinders are vociferating that Bryan is ambitious to be chairman of the Democratic national committee. In the language of Sir John Falstaff: "Lord, Lord! How this world is given to lying!"

The fact that Senator Fairbanks of Indiana—if it be a fact—is spending his money in starting newspapers in the south to promote his presidential boom demonstrates that he is a mere tyro in capturing southern Republican delegates. What they want is not newspapers, but cold cash. If the altitudinous Hoosier senator will invest a few dollars in John Sherman's book and read what John has to say about how General Russell A. Alger euchred him out of his southern delegates, he will be a wiser, if a sadder, man.

Southern Republican delegates come high. Shortly after the Sherman-Alger-Harrison convention of 1888 a stranger was visiting in Texas. In front of a hotel he met a colored brother who was sporting an unusually handsome gold watch and who informed the stranger that he obtained his timepiece at the Chicago convention. "Were you a delegate?" asked the stranger. "No, sah," replied the colored patriot. "I was only an alternate. If I had been a delegate, I would have owned this hotel."

De gustibus non est disputandum! Senator Benjamin R. Tillman of South Carolina is hissed vigorously wherever he lectures in the north. Yet he keeps on lecturing. He appears to be as great a glutton for hisses as Jim Jeffries is for physical thumping.

The question, "The tiger or the lady?" bequeathed to the world by Frank R. Stockton, has bothered the minds of a great many people for a great many moons, but it pales into utter insignificance beside this one, "Statesman or mountebank?" as applied to Castro, president of Venezuela. He is certainly the enigma of the hour. The late lamented Phineas T. Barnum was not in it for one moment as an advertiser, and so far as leading a strenuous life is concerned President Roosevelt's is flat and stale when compared with the South American's.

"The early bird catches the worm" philosophy is certainly believed in by the Republican mayor of Indianapolis, Hon. C. A. Bookwalter. He is a candidate for re-election and ordered a nomination convention for Saturday, March 28, notwithstanding the fact that the election does not take place until Oct. 13. If Brother Bookwalter will consult the "Sage of Wolfert's Roost" as to the policy or impolicy, wisdom or unwisdom, of the early bird convention, he may learn something to his advantage.

Free From "Carpetbagger" Debt.

The Democrats of Missouri recently had a grand blowout when the last "Republican state bond" was paid off. The carpetbaggers had possession of Missouri only eight years, but most emphatically they made hay while the sun was shining. Missouri was the richest state that ever fell into their clutches, and they plundered her at a most amazing rate. She escaped from their iron grasp in 1871, and since then the Democrats have so wisely and economically administered her affairs that at last they have paid off the huge debt bequeathed to them. Most of the county and township debts have also been paid off—debts created by corrupt Republican county courts. Missouri is now a fit subject for congratulation.

"Festina lente" ("Go slow") would be a tiptop motto for those silly and evil minded persons who are incubating a plan to kidnap President Roosevelt. They are liable to find themselves in the harrowing condition of the adventurous idiot that caught a bear by the tail and then yelled lustily for somebody to help him let loose. When the president turns his strenuosity full blast upon them, they are liable to pray for the mountains to fall upon them—that is, if kidnapers ever pray. My advice to them is Puck's—"Don't!"

Wonder if Governor Richard Yates of Illinois ever pesters his head to find out why there is so much talk of Governor Cummins of Iowa for vice president and so little of Governor Yates? Illinois and Iowa lie alongside of each other, and both are Republican states. Yates has been governor twice as long as Cummins and is governor of a state with twice the population of Iowa. The reason lies chiefly in the fact that Governor Cummins has ideas of his own, or, rather, an idea, which he borrowed, from the Democrats—"the Iowa idea," so called, of tariff reduction.

Speak Low.

Judge David A. De Armond of Missouri introduced a resolution into the house just before the adjournment of congress looking to the annexation of the North American British possessions. He probably did it because he favors annexation, and for no other reason. He never dreamed that he was injuring the political prospects of any living man; but, as a matter of fact, his resolution was the cause of the undoing of Colonel John L. Bittinger of St. Joseph, Mo., consul general to Montreal. He expressed himself vigorously and volubly in favor of De Armond's resolution and was promptly bounced. Colonel Bittinger should have considered the unhappy end of the parrot that talked too much and been warned thereby.

Admiral George Dewey also seems to have developed an unaccountable mania for talking. As an old woman whom I knew in my youth used to say, "His tongue appears to be loose at both ends and tied in the middle." He curtly and correctly disposed of Grover Cleveland's candidacy for the presidency by saying laconically, "He is too old!" and he knocked the fat into the fire by his comparison of the American and German navies. "Speech is silvern, but silence is golden."

It may not be considered improper at this time to call the careful and prayerful attention of such eminent reformers as Judge Crumpacker of Indiana to the fact that the Wisconsin legislature, largely Republican in both branches, is incubating a bill prohibiting the intermarriage of Caucasians and persons of African descent. The judge thinks that the negroes are being maltreated down south, but Wisconsin is closer to him, and he can jump on that legislature which is discriminating against colored folks without jumping so far as he is compelled to jump in order to jump on South Carolina, Mississippi or Louisiana.

It might also be well for Hon. John C. Spooner to drop that Indianola postoffice case long enough to address a few words of admonition to the legislature which recently re-elected him to the senate of the United States, but it's dollars to doughnuts that neither Senator Spooner nor Congressman Crumpacker will open his chops to protest against the Wisconsin law against miscegenation.

Surely the Missouri Republicans have not heard the news that the consulship at Guayaquil, with a salary and perquisites amounting to $5,000, is vacant and that nobody is applying for it. Guayaquil is on the equator. Thomas Nast, consul, died there recently; yellow fever indigenous. Nobody wants place! Most assuredly Missouri Republicans have not heard of that, else one of them, indeed scores of them, would have offered to sacrifice themselves on the altar of their country. What to a Missouri Republican is the equator, what the yellow fever, when a good, fat salary is in sight?

Harmony in Iowa.

That delightful and much exploited Harmony, with a big, big H, now existing in the Republican party is curiously illustrated by an unseemly wrangle now going on between Governor Cummins of Iowa and Congressman Hull of the Des Moines district as to which of them shall be chief cook and bottle washer at the Roosevelt festivities soon to be pulled off in the capital city of the Hawkeye State. Those two statesmen hate each other more venomously than did the Montagues and Capulets. Each is the head of a faction, and it's a factional war to the death. Each aspires to be the whole show—to be "it." Consequently as soon as it was announced that President Roosevelt in "swinging around the circle" would stop at Des Moines each concluded to make political capital out of that event for himself, and the scheming promptly began and continues. It is already attracting much attention. These two enemies live in the same state, county, city, ward and precinct. It is an open secret that Cummins has made up his mind to drive Hull out of public life, and no man loves public life more than Hull. No doubt President Roosevelt will be in a frame of mind to exclaim, "A plague on both your houses!"

The editor of the Washington Post ought to be arrested under the statute against cruelty to animals, for he makes this irreverent remark:

The Hon. William F. Harrity is being mentioned occasionally in the current political gossip. It is about time for Don M. Dickinson to begin to stand around and make remarks.

Does not the Post know that in making such a fling at Don M. Dickinson it is poking fun at the most gorgeous mutton chop whiskers in America? How can the Post be so heartless?

Undemocratic; Unrepublican.

The Washington Post, independent, contains this vigorous, scathing and truthful editorial, touching the deplorable condition of affairs in Rhode Island and Connecticut:

The constitution of Rhode Island is almost as unrepublican and antidemocratic as that of Connecticut, and there is even less prospect of reform in the former than in the latter state. While each of the two commonwealths probably meets the requirement of the federal constitution, "a republican form of government," both are probably deficient in the spirit of republicanism and contemptuously defiant of the spirit of democracy. The Post's readers are, or ought to be, familiar with the Connecticut monstrosity, but much less publicity has been given to Rhode Island's. In the latter state each city and township, regardless of population, has one member of the senate. This was not very equitable sixty years ago, and it has come to be an abomination through the growth of cities. Its injustice is illustrated by such facts as these: Twenty townships, with 40,398 inhabitants and 5,620 voters, elect twenty out of thirty-eight senators. Eight cities and towns, with a population of 330,000, elect only eight senators. Providence has 26,030 voters, but only one senator. The twenty townships with their 5,620 voters absolutely control legislation. Having a majority in the senate, a small minority of the people can and do prevent any amendment of the constitution that would deprive them of plenary power. This minority rule is the chief source of the bribery and corruption with which Rhode Island is disgraced. As the Chicago Tribune puts it:

"The influence of money in elections depends largely on the size of an electorate. It would take much money to carry an election in Providence, with its 26,030 votes. Comparatively little is needed in a town with 300 voters, and the small Rhode Island towns are the ones which have been so completely debauched that they invariably elect the candidate who will pay out the most money."

The only hope of a change lies in the creation of a public sentiment strong enough to shame the people of the small towns into compliance with the dictates of decency. As the case stands, they are either participants in or promoters of infamous crimes—of crimes for which the law prescribes the penitentiary.

The trouble about reforming Rhode Island and Connecticut and bringing them into harmony with the progressive spirit of the age is that in order to change the present status the small towns must voluntarily relinquish their power, and they will not willingly do so. They are about as much influenced by public opinion as a duck is by an April shower.

Served Him Right.

The following dispatch from Boston conveys a valuable lesson:

"Kiss that flag," sternly commanded Captain Henry H. Rogers of the United States revenue steamer Seminole today as the entire ship's company was mustered at general quarters. The man to whom the command was given meekly stepped. No one who saw it will ever forget the scene with its picturesque setting and its solemn meaning, the starry banner alone brightening the spot where the men stood, contrasting with the dark blue of their uniforms and the white coat of the Seminole herself.

"'This is my country; this is my flag. Repeat those words,' commanded the captain, and the shamefaced sailor repeated them.

"'No one shall ever say a word against it in my presence.' Repeat that too." And it was done.

And then a hem of the ship's flag was handed the man. "Kiss it!" was the order, and six times was the ceremony performed while all the officers and men watched. Then the oath of allegiance was administered.

The offense which the man had committed was vile abuse of the government, winding up by calling the flag a dirty rag.

Colored Men on Juries.

Where, oh, where was Judge Crumpacker of Indiana when Mr. Justice Holmes of the supreme court of the United States, a rock ribbed Republican, was rendering the opinion referred to in the following editorial from the Boston Herald? The Herald says:

Justice Holmes of the United States supreme court handed down a decision on Monday that has some bearing on the race question. A convicted murderer sought a new trial on the ground that the trial, which was in South Carolina, was invalidated because, although four-fifths of the population of the community where the alleged crime was committed were negroes, he was denied the right of having a negro on the jury. The decision of the court was against a new trial. It was held that no proof was shown supporting the claim that the jury was unfair. We do not see how it could be wise or safe to declare that a jury trying a negro must have one or more negroes on it. Doubtless there are sections where such a requirement would mean a certain disagreement of the jury, no matter what the evidence might be. This case appears to have rested on the claim that colored men should have been put on the jury because the accused requested it as a right. We do not understand that a contention that the verdict was contrary to the evidence was presented to the court.

The Most Unkindest Cut of All.

Ministers of grace, defend us! How are the mighty fallen! Is life worth living? Here comes the Washington Post and makes the following astounding remarks:

The frequent defalcation of Hawaiian officials doesn't necessarily mean that popular government of the islands is a failure. It should be borne in mind that a great many of the officeholders but there were imported from New England, and the natives have not had a fair chance to show what they can do in that line.

Now, that pregnant paragraph suggests several things: (1) It is a broad insinuation that New Englanders are more corrupt than the mongrel population of Hawaii, which is hard to believe. If true, it is most deplorable. That paragraph could not have been intended for humor. If so, hereafter when the Post intends to be facetious it ought to label its output thus: "This is a joke." (2) What has become of all of the virtue and intelligence which we were assured in the summer of 1898 were possessed by the Hawaiians? I have a distinct recollection that when I was honestly discharging my duty to my country and my kind by opposing the annexation of those islands in June, 1898, the Washington papers lambasted me to the queen's taste and declared that the Hawaiians whom I was trying to keep out were an extraordinarily fine lot of citizens. (3) Are they defaulting—a mild name for stealing—because the thievish propensity was natural or because our satraps have taught them the trick? Our leper colony does not appear to have been such a glorious acquisition after all.

He's Coming.

Reference is not here made to President Roosevelt, but to that other eminent, if not illustrious, Republican statesman, the sultan of Sulu. That famous Republican potentate is coming to the Louisiana Purchase exposition. He will undoubtedly prove a drawing card, especially if he is accompanied by his 300 wives and his retinue of concubines! And Christian taxpayers who believe in and practice monogamy will be called upon to foot the bills. Polygamous potentates come high, but we must have them, because we are a world power, you know. What a commentary upon our boasted conquest of the east, or was it a purchase? Was it not that brilliant man Thomas Brackett Reed who enunciated the bitter truth that we paid $2 per head for the yellow bellies in the Philippines, as he irreverently denominated our new fellow citizens? How various is our treatment of polygamists! Poor Roberts, a Democrat, was unceremoniously yanked out for having three wives. Reed Smoot, a Republican, is kept in the senate! The sultan of Sulu, another Republican, is to be wined and dined at the public expense!

Champ Clark

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"What's the matter?" asked the news man; nothing out of order—won't work?"

"No; that's not much, the trouble with me is it is too good order. Here's the way it is and I am relating actual occurrences: The other morning before 7 o'clock a customer living just exactly a mile from my place called me up and asked me to send him an article that cost exactly five cents. He's a regular patron of mine and of course I couldn't get out of it. Inside of ten minutes after this another party living almost as far asked me to send a bar of cheap soap out to his house. This is an every day occurrence. I have frequently sent a boy out with a small bundle and by the time he would get back to the store the same party he had just visited 'phoned after something else. Talk about a man making a living. I'll be dry if the whole country don't get into bankruptcy if this practice is kept up."

And he was no doubt telling the truth about the use of the 'phone. It's use is becoming an abuse and an imposition. There is only one way out of it and it is to charge extra for the delivery of such trifling purchases, for in truth people should have some consideration, some respect for the service such requires. A merchant wants to be obliging if he is a man who desires to conduct his business properly, but he should not be imposed on.—Greensboro Record.

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What letter is the center of gravity? The letter V.

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T. P. Harris, Admr. of J. E. Finnegan, Dec'd.
Yarn & Winston, Atty.

Administrator's Sale of Land.

By virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of Franklin county in the special proceedings of W. A. Cunningham, admr., vs Julia E. Lancaster et al, I will sell by public auction for cash at auction on April 27, 1903, at the late residence of L. E. Lancaster near C. Z. Edwards mill in Franklin county the following lands of the estate of said L. E. Lancaster, dec'd, viz:

One tract on or near Layton Creek adjoining the lands of C. Z. Edwards, Henry Long, T. T. Hunt and others containing one hundred and one and ½ acres, less forty acres assigned by metes and bounds as widow's dower. Sale subject to confirmation by the Court. This March 26th, 1903.
W. A. Cunningham, Adm'r.
T. M. Pittman, Att'y.

NOTICE OF SALE.

By virtue of the power conferred upon me in a certain deed of trust executed by J. A. Turner and wife, dated September 21, 1900, and recorded in the Registry of Franklin county in Book 133, page 446, I will on Tuesday, the 28th day of April, 1903, at the Court House door in Louisburg, N. C., sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash the following described tract or parcel of land, to wit:

A certain lot in the town of Louisburg, N. C., bounded on the North by the land belonging to the Williamson estate, on the East by J. H. Tuppenny, on the South by Nash street, and on the West by lot of Mrs. Carrie, containing one (1) acre, and being the lot whereon said J. A. Turner and wife now dwell. This the time of the execution of said deed of trust. This March 25th, 1903.
W. A. Duncan, Trustee.

Mail Orders.
For anything in the Drug Line will receive careful and prompt attention.
W. G. THOMAS,
DRUGGIST,
RALEIGH, N. C.

NOTICE.

By virtue of all powers herein the undersigned Commissioner will sell the land of Jesse Hoyle, late of J. T. Spencer and known as the Dwell-place lot in the Richard Hunter on Nashville May 4, 1903. Terms of sale, Cash. Bonds, Notes, Terms, cash. This April 4, 1903.
Geo. P. Pearce, Com.

FRIZE BOOTS ON SALE.

By virtue of power in a mortgage deed made to us by S. G. Davis we will on Friday, April 17th, 1903, at public auction, at the Spring at Louisburg, sell the following described property, viz: One buggy, one harness, one Grand Rapids Bookcase, one Clock, one Stove, one Table, one Bed, one Wardrobe, one Chairs, one Stove, one Table, one Bed, one Wardrobe, one Chairs, one Stove, one Table, one Bed, one Wardrobe, one Chairs