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SHORT AND SWEET

Republican Platform Will Not Be a Burdensome Document It Is Said.

REVISION OF TARIFF

This Will Be One of the Most Important Subjects Deal With in the Coming Campaign.

Conferences of Leaders of the Party With a View to Preparing Declaration of Principles.

Washington, May 4.—The platform to be adopted by the Republican national convention has been among the topics discussed at the conferences which have taken place recently at the White House, in committee rooms at the capitol and at different residences where a number of Republicans have been assembled. Senator Lodge, who is slated for chairman of the committee on resolutions at the convention, has prepared preliminary sketches of various topics that he thinks should be treated and has submitted them to senators and others for their approval or suggestion as to amendment. It is expected that before convention meets a complete platform will be prepared which will have the approval of the president.

The principal feature of the platform will be the tariff plank, which will declare in the strongest terms the adherence of the Republican party to the principles of protection, but will not bind the party not to revise the tariff. It will say that the party is not committed to any schedule, but that changes should be made only when changed conditions of business or the treasury render it necessary or advisable. Persons present at the recent conference say it already has been agreed that the tariff will be revised in the 59th congress if the Republicans win at November.

There is at present a determination to make the platform as brief as possible, consequently the endorsement of the administration and the acts of the party will be put in compact form. This endorsement will be a general approval of the course of the president and of the actions of the Republicans in congress.

The plank concerning trusts in effect will declare that the laws for the regulation of monopolies and the restraint of conspiracy against commerce were enacted by the Republicans and that the enforcement of such laws have been only by Republican administration. It also will say that it is not the policy or intention of the Republican party to assail legitimate industry and business or to infringe on the rights of persons or property. Special attention will be devoted to the phraseology of this plank.

Some difficulty has been experienced in finding the proper wording for a reciprocity suggestion. Nearly all the senators who have attended the recent conferences have contributed their share toward keeping the reciprocity treaties negotiated by the McKinley administration closely confined in committee pigeon-holes. Reciprocity has not been popular in congress, and it was with a great effort that the Cuban legislation was passed.

Senator Aldrich announced when the Cuban bill was under consideration that there would be no more tariff legislation by treaty. If anything is said about reciprocity it will be so worded as to mean that reciprocity shall be confined to such articles as are not in competition with products of the United States.

Mention of the financial question will consist of an allusion to the maintenance of the gold standard by the Republican party and a promise to continue the finances of the country upon a sound basis.

Disfranchisement of the negroes in Southern states will be denounced as an encroachment on rights guaranteed by the constitution.

The demand for restoration of the merchant marine of the country will be renewed, but it is not the intention to endorse any specific plan.

There are some other suggestions as to planks in the platform, but the decision to have the platform as brief as possible may eliminate them from consideration as unnecessary at this time.

IN PLAIN LANGUAGE

Speaker Cannon Puts Away Vice Presidential Suggestions.

Washington, May 4.—"Even at the risk of being accused of declining that which I probably could not get if I desired it, I answer most unequivocally that if the nomination were tendered to me I would not accept it under any circumstances whatever." Thus strongly did Speaker Cannon in an authorized interview emphasize his determination with reference to the vice presidency. As he concluded dictating what he had to say, the speaker added:

"If there is any language which can be more decisive, write it in."

Turned the Negro Down. New Orleans, May 4.—The lily-white Republicans who have been recognized as the dominant Republican faction in Louisiana and who hold the federal offices, have nominated an all-white delegation to the national convention.

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Lot No. thirty-five (35) in that part of the city of Richmond, Wayne county, Indiana, laid out by Charles W. Starr. Said lot 35 contains 50 feet by 100 feet deep, as appears of record in plat book No. 1, page 21.

Also a certain tract of land adjoining said lot thirty-five (35) on the east, described as follows: Beginning at the northeast corner of said lot 35; thence east to an alley laid out by Bickle & Laws; thence south to a point in line with the south side of said lot thirty-five (35); thence west to the southwesterly corner of said lot; thence north to the place of beginning.

To be sold as the property of George W. Russell to satisfy said execution in my behalf of Harry A. Stout, assignee of the Second National Bank. Said sale without relief from valuation or appraisement laws.

RICHARD SMITH,
Sheriff of Wayne County.

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2-2t
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LOST—A gold chain bracelet either in the Colonial building or on Main street, between Colonial building and the Westcott, or between Main and north A on eighth street. Finder please leave at the Westcott and receive reward.

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