

WHERE THE BLAME RESTS.

The reason alleged for forming a third party is that neither of the old parties can be relied upon to make the legislative reform so essential to the farmer and laborer.

It is a rank begging of the question to say that the democratic party cannot be trusted to enact measures for the benefit of the people, when it has not had the opportunity for thirty years.

This is a most inopportune time to reduce the democratic forces and votes. For, with its majority in the next congress and its more than even chances for having the next executive branch of the administration, it is just getting in shape for effective work.

We assume that third party advocates are honest and earnest in their efforts. That it is not glory or public patronage they are seeking, but the general welfare of the people.

Another argument advanced for a new political organization is that while the democratic party does advocate some of the measures they demand enacted, it does not go far enough and include all.

No doubt figures can be juggled, payments can be held back and funds manipulated and a deficit may not exist now.

By careful experiments made at the United States mint, it has been shown that \$5 are lost by abrasion every time \$1,000,000 in gold coin are handled.

Secretary Foster says the Farmers' Alliance movement is a "spasmodic eruption." That was probably Mr. Ingall's impression when the Alliance spasmodically ejected him from public life.

The canvass in Ohio this year will necessarily make the tariff issue prominent. If the contest turned upon that question alone there would be every reason to expect a democratic triumph.

The duty on the standard case of tin-plate was \$1.02; the new rate is \$2.37, which increase of \$1.35 the consumer will hereafter pay.

The tariff not having accomplished the marvels in the way of building up tin-plate mills which were expected of it, the manufacturers of sheet iron intended to be used in tin plate production are about to avail themselves of the most dearly prized privilege of the tariff baron and cut down wages in the expectation of reducing the cost of their product.

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