

**Daily Democrat.**

Can it be said that the city council loves darkness better than light because their deeds are evil?

The legislative session is half over and nothing very startling has occurred yet. But keep your eye on Pasco.

Now does the city council come forward and propose to make the winter of our discontent glorious by making darkest Dixie [third ward] howling wilderness by casting its inhabitants into outer darkness.

A citizen and tax payer vouchsafes the suggestion that if there are to be but nine arc lights in the city they should not be placed on first street but on streets farther back where darkness is thickest.

The threat made by republican senators that they will adopt the cloture rule if necessary to secure the confirmation of Harrison's appointment for Supreme Judge will not likely be carried into execution as it would apply after the 4th of March when democrats will be in the majority.

Democrats in the legislature should bear in mind, that notwithstanding they are in the minority and are directly responsible for the kind of legislation given to the people, yet they are making records by which the party will be judged in the state campaign in June 1894.

It is broadly hinted that if suitable terms cannot be made with the electric light company for lighting the city that a number of citizens stand ready to organize a company and furnish light upon terms that the city council deems reasonable.

It seems pretty certain that the democrats will control the next senate, in which case the pledges of tariff reduction must be carried out according to the pledges made in the Chicago platform. Let good faith and fair dealing characterize the conduct of the party in this regard and the people will not hesitate to continue it in power.

No man in the United States is better equipped to formulate a tariff bill expressive of the will of the people as manifested in the election of Cleveland, than Mr Carlisle, and his appointment as Secretary of the Treasury will be regarded by the people as an earnest that the president elect intends to fully redeem the pledges made in the Chicago platform.

Can spiders prognosticate weather changes? is answered by Dr McCook in the negative. It is usually believed that spiders fairly well indicate the weather, and weather is ready before fair weather. From observations made for six years past, he finds that many species of orb weavers, which were colonized and kept under close observation, make snares freely before rains and storms, frequently even in the intervals between heavy rains. This a popular fallacy is destroyed.

Four weeks from next Saturday will be inauguration day when the democrats will take charge of all three departments of the government. The responsibility will be a great one and the united wisdom of the leaders of the party will be necessary to enable the administration to meet the just expectations of the people. The greatest good to the greatest number, equal and exact justice to all citizens, and special privileges to none, public office is a public trust, are rules which if faithfully adhered to will make the incoming administration a successful one, and one that will meet the hearty approval of the people.

In connection with the great problems of revenue and currency which the new administration will have to meet, it will have to give special attention to the largest channel of expenditure, that of pensions. The pension service is now the one entirely scandalous branch of the Government business, unless there are some other divisions of the Department of the Interior that may be ranked with it. It is a huge political machine, scandalous not only in its lists of pensioners padded with names of the undeserving, but in its payrolls padded with the names of idle, incompetent or useless employees and in its general inefficiency for any purposes but those of jobbing attorneys.

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**INDEPENDENTS AND DEMOCRATS.**

Judge Gresham is a type of the Independents whose support of the Democratic party at any time and on any issue is warrant that so far the party is deserving the support of earnest, intelligent and patriotic citizens. To win the support of such men is a right aim for any party; to forfeit it is a misfortune. Because the Republican party has forfeited it that party is prostrate.

It is sound encouragement, therefore, to know that Judge Gresham heartily approves of the selection of Senator Carlisle to be Secretary of the Treasury. He regards it as "a guarantee that the new tariff bill will give tariff reformers satisfaction." His enthusiasm over this action of Mr Cleveland is deep. He says:

Carlisle is a great man and knows all about the tariff and can make no mistakes. I predict for him a successful career in the Treasury, and also in two years I expect to see the finances of the country so plain and simple that a boy can read a statement of the Treasury and understand it. As it stands now the more statements we read of the condition of the Treasury the less we know. But Carlisle can be trusted and he will succeed in bringing order out of chaos, and if he does he is my candidate for President in 1896, and there is not a man in the country that can beat him for the nomination and election.

Judge Gresham does not speak, however, as a Democrat who is a Democrat whether the party is right or wrong in his judgment. For in the same interview he defines his political motives, and no doubt he speaks for thousands more to whom the party is indebted for its magnificent victory last November. It is an utterance to which those who are responsible for the use of the power intrusted to the party should give heed:

I want you to understand that I am a Democrat only as far as the Democrats go my way of thinking. That is to say, that I am only a Democrat on the tariff and economy positions. I consider the tariff as the only great question dividing the two parties. But should the Democrats fail to keep their pledges, not one of these men [Independents] will be found voting the Democratic ticket in 1896.

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**JAY W. BLAIN, Secretary.**

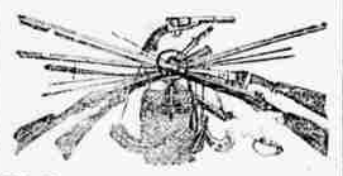
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