

The Daily Intelligencer.

LANCASTER, JUNE 28, 1888. THE DAILY INTELLIGENCER publishes all the news of the city and county...

Their Tariff Plank.

Words are dangerous things and party platforms cannot afford a luxuriance of them. It is always a case of "the least said is soonest mended"; there are always differences of opinion to be reconciled, and there is always need for the allowance of plenty of rope to accommodate them.

The Republican platform is voluminous and declares many things. It is particularly frank in its adoption of the most advanced protection theory. It declares for a tariff high enough for the total exclusion from the country of all foreign-made goods, and does not afford any excuse whatever for the moderate protectionist, who believes in protection but not exclusion, to remain in its ranks.

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Nevertheless for city traffic the underground is the only possible road of the future, and Philadelphia is well adapted to its use. It is certain that surface road transit will not do. The number of people that are killed and injured by the cable cars should compel their immediate removal. They are a constant menace to those who use the streets which they traverse; and are a great danger to those that board them. They swing around curves so violently as to inevitably throw off their feet those who may be standing on them. One man was thus cast into the street from the platform, to be run over by the following car; for they run in trains.

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It seems that Harrison will not be an acceptable candidate to the labor organizations, because of his affiliations as a railroad corporation attorney; and they say that in 1877, during a railroad strike, he demanded that the governor should order out troops to suppress it; and when "Blue Jean" Williams, who was then governor, refused to do so, he mustered and drilled a company of men to be ready for the emergency. In all of this Harrison may not have been blameworthy; any more than he may be for his regard for Chinese labor, or for the Know-Nothing affiliations of his youth. A man may be a railroad lawyer, and a railroad guard; he may like Chinese cheap labor, and dislike the Dutch; and still be a very good man. But it may not be a wholesome record, all the same, for a presidential candidate, as Mr. Harrison is likely to learn.

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LIBERAL AMERICAN IDEAS. From the Omaha World. Englishmen.—And how is my old friend, Senator Fair? Western Man (sadly)—Poor Fair! I see you haven't heard Senator Fair has met with reverse. "Goodness me! I ought to have known it sooner. Only last week I gave a man a position worth one hundred thousand a year. Is he suffering?" "Well, not yet, but he told me candidly that there wasn't over \$20,000,000 between him and the poorhouse."

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