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THE SILVER DEBATE: Tomorrow The Bee will publish the concluding arguments in the silver coinage discussion between Mr. Rosewater of The Bee and Mr. Burrows of the Farmers Alliance.

There is no sense in raising switching rates from \$1.50 and \$2 per car to \$3 and \$5.

OMAHA jobbers have some rights which the Union Pacific should be compelled to recognize.

MISS CANADA has been looking coquettishly across the fence for some little time and may send Uncle Sam a leap year valentine.

KANSAS is just now taking a good deal more interest in the promised opening of the Cherokee strip than in the coming presidential election.

GENERAL MANAGER CLARK will find several grievances awaiting adjustment on his return. The most important, however, is the switching extortion.

The competitive drill guaranty should not be allowed to drag. This national meeting will bring more money to Omaha people directly than a national convention.

ALMOST any man would be satisfied to resign the presidency of a life insurance company in consideration of an annual salary of \$37,500 during the remainder of a life of leisure.

A LITTLE more sense and a little less dignity will undoubtedly bring the Board of Education and the city council near enough together to fix the school levy at two mills.

AMONG the stockholders of the defunct Western Farm Mortgage company of Denver is a man named Snide. From the character of the concern it would seem that he owned a controlling interest.

THE colored deputy jailer is a black robber. Perhaps if he were a black democrat, the county commissioners would not take \$20 per month from his salary to add that sum to the salary of the jailer.

SHOULD an extra session of the legislature be called switching charges can be regulated; meantime the State Board of Transportation and the city council can draw all their available weapons and bring the Union Pacific to time.

THE general agent of a well known eastern furniture company has gone east to superintend the manufacture of the city hall furniture. It is probably a coincidence that his departure should occur while the grand jury is in session.

RECALLING Mrs. Maybrick's experience and that of Mrs. Captain Osborne and other women who have recently figured in English courts, we are led to the opinion that gallantry is not as common in English courts and juries as to those in America.

MAX O'RELL remarks that if he could be born again and could choose place and sex he would be an American woman. The witty Frenchman has been very lucky in his American investments and he has learned that American gallantry in a foreigner is a drawing card for a lecture.

CONGRESSMAN MCKEIGHAN informs our Washington correspondent that he has no time to read the newspapers. Naturally the people will wonder how the congressman from the Second district has been willing away his time during the last two months in Washington.

NERVE is a trifle wanting in the Kansas alliance directory. After appointing delegates to the St. Louis meeting who would oppose the subversary and land loan heresies, they have backed down in most humiliating style in the face of a clamor set up by the suballiances and political farmers of the state.

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THE POLICIES AT STAKE.

The issues in the coming contest are the industrial and financial policies of the government, and Mr. Blaine rightly says that "the popular decision on these issues is of great moment and will be of far-reaching consequence."

The democratic majority in the present congress was elected as the result of a widespread popular misunderstanding of these policies. The McKinley tariff became a law a month before the congressional elections of 1890.

At the general election the coming fall two amendments to the constitution are to be submitted to the people. The first provides for three new executive officers to be known as railroad commissioners, who are to be appointed by the governor to serve until the general election in November, 1893.

Any attempt on the part of councilmen to obstruct the movement for the abolition of sinecures and the consolidation of offices where such consolidation would be of benefit to the people and reduce taxes will be in bad faith.

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THE general conference. The winter is slipping away so rapidly that almost before we are aware of it May will be upon us with the responsibility of the great quadrennial meeting of Methodist ministers and laymen.

WESTERN CANDIDATES. With the growing probability that the national democratic convention will be compelled to select a candidate for the presidency outside of the state of New York, owing to the bitter factional conflict there, the claims and availability of western men are receiving more attention.

THE Anti-Bill Movement. Four thousand democrats at least, many of them of considerable prominence in the party, are now becoming identified with the movement in this city, and sympathetic bodies are organizing for the same purpose in various other parts of the state.

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subsequently, and established a national reputation for exceptional ability. He has contributed very largely to the literature of finance, and the labor of few men in this direction has been more largely drawn upon in the public discussion of his currency and monetary questions.

THE senate committee on finance has brought in an adverse report on the bill of Senator Stewart of Nevada providing for the free coinage of silver.

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A TRAVELING man writes to THE BEE to suggest a law which shall compel conductors to disembark passengers in order to avoid rear-end collisions when detained on the main track by an accident.

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Much Jaw in It. David Browbeater Hill must not make the mistake of thinking that the clamor against him and his policy is made by enemies.

A Suggestion to Heintz. Mr. Watterson has not written a letter declining the New York Herald nomination for the presidency.

Carry the News to New York. A Chicago court has decided that the late John Crozer had a right to do just what he pleased with his own money.

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of a liberal state donation to the World's fair was "Rats" This will probably be the reply the governor will get when he presents his claims for another official position.

One of the Witnesses in the Overman Court Martial Admits He Was a Defaulter. The bill of Lamson Brothers sent to the office was for only \$2.40.

ARKANSAS METHODS. Colored Man, His Wife and Son Killed By Drift Coal. Little Rock, Ark., Feb. 9.—An unfortunate tragedy occurred at Garland, Ark., on last Saturday.

Swing Him to a Convenient Linn. MONTICELLO, Ark., Feb. 9.—As Ulrich Wright, the 14-year-old daughter of Mr. Jackson Wright, who resides near Wilmar,

No Truth in the Report that He Had Been Executed at Monterey. SAN ANTONIO, Tex., Feb. 9.—The reported execution of Colonel Hernandez, the Mexican officer convicted by court martial at Monterey of conspiracy with the revolutionists,

TOOK A DASTARDLY REVENGE. Crime of a Bitter Lover—He Uses Vitriol with Awful Effect. CHICAGO, Ill., Feb. 9.—Peter Graetz, a jilted lover, took a fearful revenge on his sweetheart.

CHICAGO TIMES: Queen Victoria is the frequent referent to her health in the papers. It is barely possible that this tired feeling is shared by the prince of Wales.

NEW YORK HERALD: Haughty Lady (who has purchased a strap)—Must I put it on myself? I'm so nervous. You are to be congratulated. You are the father of twins.

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Royal Baking Powder. ABSOLUTELY PURE. Image of a woman holding a tray with a crown above her head.

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BROWNING, KING & CO. S. W. Corner 15th and Douglas Sts. Figure it out yourself—February, March, April and maybe during a little bit of May you'll find it pleasant to wear heavy underwear. We've knocked the prices silly on our underwear for this week. A lot at 40c a garment, 75c a suit. Fine merino 75c a garment, regularly \$1. Very superior wool underwear \$3.75 a suit, that we always get \$5 for and lots of others. You can also make \$4 to \$8 if you buy a business suit this week. Image of a man in a suit.