

THE OMAHA DAILY BEE

E. ROSEWATER, EDITOR. PUBLISHED EVERY MORNING.

TERMS OF SUBSCRIPTION. Daily Bee (without Sunday), One Year, \$4.00. Daily Bee and Sunday, One Year, \$5.00. Illustrated Bee, One Year, \$6.00. Sunday Bee, One Year, \$3.00. Saturday Bee, One Year, \$3.00. Twelfth Century Farmer, One Year, \$4.00.

DELIVERED BY CARRIER. Daily Bee (without Sunday), per copy, 2c. Daily Bee (including Sunday), per week, 12c. Sunday Bee (including Sunday), per week, 12c. Evening Bee (without Sunday), per week, 12c. Evening Bee (including Sunday), per week, 12c.

COMMUNICATIONS. Communications relating to news and editorial matter should be addressed to Omaha Bee, Editorial Department.

STATEMENT OF CIRCULATION. State of Nebraska, Douglas County, ss. George B. Tschuck, secretary of said Publishing Company, being duly sworn, says that the actual number of copies of the Omaha Daily Bee, Morning, Evening and Sunday Bee printed during the month of August, 1904, was as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Copies, Total. Rows include Morning, Evening, Sunday, and Total circulation figures.

The packing house strike is over and Omaha rejoices with South Omaha. It is all up with the strike, but it is not yet all down with the meat prices.

Russian irony is so keen that many persons might be misled by the demand of St. Petersburg newspapers for higher rank for Kourapatkin.

Sir Thomas Lipton is to visit the St. Louis World's fair. As the Olympic games have ended, it is not probable that he expects to secure a trophy.

Mexico is to have a legation at Peking. It begins to look as if the southern republic were getting big enough to "sit up and take notice."

The political pot will not reach the boiling temperature until King Ak-Bar-Ben X has made his entry with all the pomp and circumstance of glorious peace.

Donnelly took the reins in his own hands and stopped the packing house strike, and still there are those who have no good word to say for any labor leader.

The war between the contractors for bitulthick, bricklithick and stoneopathic pavement is still being fiercely waged. Hurry up with that municipal paving plant!

There is every evidence to indicate that the present national campaign has produced a stringency in the money market at Elkins, W. Va., if at no other financial center.

A special grand jury has been called to investigate the latest Alabama lynching. The sentiment of the community can be judged better after the grand jury's report is in.

Princess Louise says she intends to lead a simple, retired life. It is to be hoped that Parisian newspapers will assist her in the effort, although she has chosen a poor town in which to begin.

Ornithologists are now hunting a bird which will destroy the boll weevil. In the language of the street, anything which will destroy this pest will be a "bird," regardless of the form it may assume.

NATIONAL EXPENSES.

Perhaps for the first time in his life Judge Parker has been giving attention to the national expenses and he has found that it costs more to run this government at present than it did twenty years ago.

In his speech to the democratic editors Judge Parker cited the average annual expenditure during the first Cleveland administration and that for the past three years and added: "Instead of a surplus of the annual receipts of about \$80,000,000, which the present executive found on assuming control, there is now a deficit to be found there of \$42,000,000."

Of course the expenditures of the government have increased since Mr. Cleveland's first term and there are sufficient reasons for this. The country has been growing and this growth has created larger demands upon the government.

A JOB FOR THE CITY ATTORNEY. For more than thirty years prior to 1904 the Union Pacific railroad machine shops and grounds have been returned for assessment to the local assessors the same as all other taxable real estate outside of the right-of-way and outside of the railway depot grounds.

Thus the county of Douglas and the city of Omaha have been chiseled out of local taxes on \$112,825 in the assessment roll for this year.

Secretary Tracy of the Butchers' union finds a victory for the men in the settlement of the packing house strike. Evidently the Russian war office has no corner on optimism under adverse circumstances.

Throughout the whole strike, South Omaha took rank as the most orderly of the packing house towns, even though there were occasional disorders on a small scale.

Elder Russell admonishes the Advertisers that there are indications pointing to the end of some earthly things. For example, there are indications that the democratic congressman from the Second Nebraska district is foredoomed to one term.

County fairs are on throughout Nebraska in these days and never before have the fairs reflected such prosperous conditions, both in exhibits and in attendance.

We fall to see what good that water-logged statesman expects to accomplish by insulting the intelligence of Omaha voters day after day.

have been decreased by at least \$8,000 to \$10,000 a year and the burden has been shifted from the Union Pacific Railroad company, where it properly belongs, upon the shoulders of the other taxpayers who were already overburdened.

It appears that negotiations for a reduction in rates of postage between this and other countries have passed to a satisfactory stage and it is expected that the reduction will be accomplished through the delegates to the International Postal union, which is to convene in Rome in the near future.

The true profit to be expected and to be demanded from a postal department, remarks the Cincinnati Tribune, is found in the commercial and trade advantages to come from quick and from safe transmission of correspondence between purchaser and seller and between individuals.

The French minister of commerce has completed his official report of the census of France in 1901, which shows the population of the republic to be 38,961,946, a gain of only 444,633 in ten years.

The growth of the American navy has been unprecedented in the annals of the world. It is a good navy, consisting of stout ships manned by able men and intelligently directed.

Grandpa Davis is said to have coughed up \$50,000 for campaign expenses. In the light of the returns from Vermont democrats have another guess coming.

The Chinese vote of New York state is solid for the republican ticket. Chew Wing, the only one in it, has declared himself, and Chew has his que on straight.

The New York Herald, which espouses the cause of Parker, with a good reason why, has been polling members of the Produce exchange.

In Wisconsin, where there is raging that shindy between La Follette and the anti-La Follette folks, the record has been: 1892, Cleveland's plurality, 4,541; 1896, McKinley's plurality, 106,613; 1900, McKinley's plurality, 106,581; state election, 1902, republican plurality, 47,649.

Five new members of the school board are to be chosen at the coming election and it behooves friends of the schools to see to it that candidates are forthcoming who have some more interest in the public schools than to load the pay rolls with their relatives or to protect some contractor.

We are rapidly approaching the time limit when propositions that are to be submitted for popular approval or rejection at the coming elections must be passed upon by the mayor and council.

The Department of Commerce and Labor would make itself the most popular in the government if it would put experts to work to discover a plan of preventing railroad accidents.

People who fear that the Gould interests are striving to secure possession of the Rio Grande need not be alarmed. The advent of the Goulds does not mean what it once did, for Goulds of the present generation have shown themselves to be road builders instead of road wreckers.

By which route the new interurban line from Omaha to Lincoln will enter Lincoln is still a mooted question. But we do not mind whether it enters the state capital from the north or south, or east or west, so long as it gets there speedily.

Senator Dewey reports that he lost some money while attending a county fair. It is really a difficult thing to pick out the shell that the pea is under.

Eight miles is about as near the scene of fighting as war correspondents are allowed to get. Reporting battle from that distance is a heavy draft on the imagination, and many of the correspondents are coming home to recuperate.

According to the very latest telegram from Manassas, General Grant is striving to retreat into the kitchen. The critical stage of the maneuvers will not be reached until a direct assault is made upon the wine cellar and the refrigerator.

It is painful to learn that John Bull regards the declaration of a Japanese protectorate of Korea as an infringement of his treaty rights. This revelation that the Jap means to partake of the omelet for which he has furnished the eggs is likely to come as a shock to others besides Mr. Bull.

From present indications the aggregate wealth of the country in 1901 will be in the neighborhood of \$128,000,000,000. A day will come within the lifetime of many persons now alive when the rate of growth in the country's wealth will drop below that of recent decades.

The growth of the American navy has been unprecedented in the annals of the world. It is a good navy, consisting of stout ships manned by able men and intelligently directed.

Grandpa Davis is said to have coughed up \$50,000 for campaign expenses. In the light of the returns from Vermont democrats have another guess coming.

The Chinese vote of New York state is solid for the republican ticket. Chew Wing, the only one in it, has declared himself, and Chew has his que on straight.

The New York Herald, which espouses the cause of Parker, with a good reason why, has been polling members of the Produce exchange.

In Wisconsin, where there is raging that shindy between La Follette and the anti-La Follette folks, the record has been: 1892, Cleveland's plurality, 4,541; 1896, McKinley's plurality, 106,613; 1900, McKinley's plurality, 106,581; state election, 1902, republican plurality, 47,649.

Five new members of the school board are to be chosen at the coming election and it behooves friends of the schools to see to it that candidates are forthcoming who have some more interest in the public schools than to load the pay rolls with their relatives or to protect some contractor.

We are rapidly approaching the time limit when propositions that are to be submitted for popular approval or rejection at the coming elections must be passed upon by the mayor and council.

The Department of Commerce and Labor would make itself the most popular in the government if it would put experts to work to discover a plan of preventing railroad accidents.

People who fear that the Gould interests are striving to secure possession of the Rio Grande need not be alarmed. The advent of the Goulds does not mean what it once did, for Goulds of the present generation have shown themselves to be road builders instead of road wreckers.

By which route the new interurban line from Omaha to Lincoln will enter Lincoln is still a mooted question. But we do not mind whether it enters the state capital from the north or south, or east or west, so long as it gets there speedily.

Senator Dewey reports that he lost some money while attending a county fair. It is really a difficult thing to pick out the shell that the pea is under.

OTHER LANDS THAN OURS.

The competition between the steam railroads and the electric lines has become so strong with respect to suburban travel in certain parts of England that the railroad companies have adopted the "some" system and reduced fares to extremely low rates.

The twenty-fourth birthday of Queen Wilhelmina has just been celebrated with great rejoicing by her devoted subjects. The Dutch are a most independent and at the same time a most loyal people.

The French minister of commerce has completed his official report of the census of France in 1901, which shows the population of the republic to be 38,961,946, a gain of only 444,633 in ten years.

The growth of the American navy has been unprecedented in the annals of the world. It is a good navy, consisting of stout ships manned by able men and intelligently directed.

Grandpa Davis is said to have coughed up \$50,000 for campaign expenses. In the light of the returns from Vermont democrats have another guess coming.

The Chinese vote of New York state is solid for the republican ticket. Chew Wing, the only one in it, has declared himself, and Chew has his que on straight.

The New York Herald, which espouses the cause of Parker, with a good reason why, has been polling members of the Produce exchange.

In Wisconsin, where there is raging that shindy between La Follette and the anti-La Follette folks, the record has been: 1892, Cleveland's plurality, 4,541; 1896, McKinley's plurality, 106,613; 1900, McKinley's plurality, 106,581; state election, 1902, republican plurality, 47,649.

Five new members of the school board are to be chosen at the coming election and it behooves friends of the schools to see to it that candidates are forthcoming who have some more interest in the public schools than to load the pay rolls with their relatives or to protect some contractor.

We are rapidly approaching the time limit when propositions that are to be submitted for popular approval or rejection at the coming elections must be passed upon by the mayor and council.

The Department of Commerce and Labor would make itself the most popular in the government if it would put experts to work to discover a plan of preventing railroad accidents.

People who fear that the Gould interests are striving to secure possession of the Rio Grande need not be alarmed. The advent of the Goulds does not mean what it once did, for Goulds of the present generation have shown themselves to be road builders instead of road wreckers.

By which route the new interurban line from Omaha to Lincoln will enter Lincoln is still a mooted question. But we do not mind whether it enters the state capital from the north or south, or east or west, so long as it gets there speedily.

Senator Dewey reports that he lost some money while attending a county fair. It is really a difficult thing to pick out the shell that the pea is under.

Eight miles is about as near the scene of fighting as war correspondents are allowed to get. Reporting battle from that distance is a heavy draft on the imagination, and many of the correspondents are coming home to recuperate.

According to the very latest telegram from Manassas, General Grant is striving to retreat into the kitchen. The critical stage of the maneuvers will not be reached until a direct assault is made upon the wine cellar and the refrigerator.

Cash or Credit THE PEOPLE'S STORE OF Cash Credit THE PEOPLE'S FURNITURE AND CARPET CO.

A Lucky Strike!



Kuh, Nathan & Fischer, the well known makers of men's fine clothing, sold us the balance of this fall's suits and overcoats, including some of their best goods, at our own price.

We will open the Fall Season Saturday with extra good values in men's suits and overcoats that K., N. & F. sold wholesale at \$10, \$12.50 and \$15.00. These will all go at the one price of

Suits come in single and double breasted in all this fall's latest patterns. Overcoats in all lengths with or without belts.

Your Credit Is Good.

VERMONT POINTS THE WAY. Pittsburg Dispatch: Vermont sets the republican pace. Without the intervention of some new issue into the presidential canvass confidence in President Roosevelt's overwhelming triumph in November cannot be dissuaded.



Some People

Have a fancy that they can't get good clothes ready to wear. They Call Here.

Our new Fall Lines include about fifteen styles at the popular price of

\$15.00 Some for less—Many for more. And there are as many styles of Top Coats—nearly as there are men—

From \$12.00 up. Long, short or medium length. "NO CLOTHING FITS LIKE OURS."

Browning King & Co. R. S. WILCOX, Mgr.