

A ROCKY INTERVIEW WITH ROSEWATER.

HE IS PERFECTLY RECKLESS AS TO WHAT HE SAYS.

It is Possible He May Commit Suicide.

THE ALLIANCE reporter could not gain access to the editor of the Bee without climbing to the northeast corner of the building and running the gauntlet of half a dozen guards and door keepers.

"Mr. Rosewater, will you give me your views on some matters of interest for publication in THE ALLIANCE?"

"Yes, I guess so. I've sneaked two or three interviews out of Burrows. I guess I can stand one."

"What do you think of the case of the independents in the contest?"

"They've got a good case—a very good case indeed. The fact is, our fellows were too dumb careless. They slung railroad money around altogether too free."

"Oh, there's no telling. Lots more than most people think, though. But those Lincoln fellows can't get much proof. That's where we've got 'em."

"Where was the bulk of your election money raised?"

"Oh, right here in Omaha. That's easy enough, y'know. We tax the soiled doves here. We call it a fine. It's really a tariff—a kind of Bill McKinley thing—or perhaps a sort of high license, y'know. And it was for Jim Boyd, y'know, all in the family. See?"

"Oh, yes, I see. Do you think that way of raising money is quite respectable?"

"Respectable? What? I don't understand you. Oh, yes—respectable? Well, y'see that money comes out of the men who patronize the saloons—indirectly, y'see. Money is money, isn't it? Besides, we tapped the railroads. That's Van Wykian—forging on the enemy, y'know. And Jim Boyd probably used a little. And the whiskey-trust money to beat prohibition counted dollar for dollar for Boyd and our combine. It was a slick game, sure enough."

"Will the Bee continue right on as the advocate of anti-monopoly, the champion of the people, and the pet of the farmers?"

"Oh, damn the people—damn anti-monopoly—damn the farmers. That's all rot. That game's played out. The masses are spelled them asses in my dictionary. I shall stay with the men that have the money. Boyd's good enough for me. Howe and Brad Slaughter are about as good as any of them, too. I've made it up with Thurston, and expect to with the others."

"I see you advertise for Mr. Dauphin of New Orleans yet. Isn't that against the law?"

"Oh, damn the law. Law isn't worth anything against money in this country."

"A good many republicans voted for Boyd, didn't they?"

"Oh, republicans be damned. We're all Omaha men. I don't let party spoil any points for me."

"The farmers are getting that way, too, aren't they?"

"Oh, they'll forget it next year."

"What do you think of the Farnell-O'Shea business?"

"Oh, that's nothing. All great men have such peccadilloes. Even my friend, Jim Boyd—well, no matter—you needn't print that. I admire fine women, y'know. I'm a fellow now, but never mind. Of course, we don't rush into print with such things."

"Do you think you'll renew your proposition to consolidate the Bee with THE ALLIANCE?"

"Well, no, I guess not. Burrows seems to be out of sorts with the Bee a little. Besides, I'm in better shape now. With Boyd, the whiskey trust, the railroads, and such republicans as I can fool, I guess we'll be worry along a while yet. True, Hitchcock is a little thorny, but the combine'll shut him up before long, y'know."

CREAM OF THE LATEST NEWS

A state convention of the Minnesota farmers' alliance will be held in St. Paul Dec. 20. Steps will be taken, it is understood, toward the organization of a national independent party.

The Balloon Cable Road Co. has been incorporated in Chicago. It will be built for the purpose of yanking people from one part of the world's fair ground to another in balloons attached to a suspended cable.

The Indiana state farmers' alliance met in Indianapolis last week. Among the resolutions adopted are: A demand that all public officers shall be paid a fixed salary; bimetallic system of coinage and absolute free and unlimited coinage of silver; that the traffic in liquor shall be prohibited; etc. T. W. Force, of Shoals was elected president.

Jay Gould has executed his threat of a few years ago, and now practically controls the railroad traffic of this country. In company with the Standard Oil octopus he has secured a controlling interest in 40,000 miles of railway, which includes the Union Pacific and Santa Fe routes. The demoralization of western roads during the last year is now explained. Gould had his little wrecker at work.

Editor Rosewater can't get through with prohibition. He is writing the members-elect of the legislature asking what they are going to vote for in the whiskey line.

While the farmers' alliance was in session at Burr last Saturday night, some miscreant cut and slashed the harness on thirty-two teams. It was probably the work of disappointed politicians.

The Custer County Beacon makes an appeal for help for the destitute people in that county. Owing to last summer's drought hundreds of families are on the verge of starvation.

The Star, the leading home rule paper in England, says it has reliable information that Parnell will retire from the leadership of the Irish nationalists.

The la grippe or influenza has again made its appearance in Europe, and is spreading over the country at a rapid rate. The disease is more fatal than during its first visitation.

Edward Bates of York was elected to the position of district judge by 2,500 majority on the independent ticket, but the board refused to canvass the votes on account of the technical error of Governor Thayer in not including the call in his proclamation. Mr. Bates has begun action in the supreme court to compel the counting of the votes.

Execution of murderers by electrocution is again upheld by the supreme court. Shibuya Jigiro, the Japanese murderer, will soon be shuffled off via the electric route.

August Belmont, the famous New York banker and politician, died Monday.

The independent party has placed a ticket in the field for the coming city election at Omaha.

The United States Rolling Stock Co., of Chicago, has failed for \$4,000,000.

The Siberian Exile Petition association has forwarded a petition to the czar, containing 100,000 names, asking for the release of some of the prisoners and for less severe treatment of the unfortunate.

Judge James W. Savage of Omaha died Saturday evening. He stood very high in the legal profession, and was respected by all for his many noble traits of character.

William III, king of Holland, died Sunday morning of softening of the brain. His only child, Emma, ascends the throne. With William III dies the direct male representation of the great house of Orange.

The harvester manufacturers of the United States have organized a giant trust with \$25,000,000 capital, and will be known as the American Harvesting Machine Co. They claim that prices will be reduced, but they hardly expect any body to believe it. McCormick, Walter A. Woods, Wm. Deering and others are in the new concern.

Professor Koch, the gentleman who has paralyzed the reading world with his invention for the cure of consumption, has been knighted by Emperor William at Berlin, who bestowed upon the famous doctor the grand cross of the high muck-a-muck red eagle, etc. The populace is becoming impatient however that the professor's cure don't act readily.

W. J. E-ke, a member of the Grant Implement Co., at Grant, Neb., committed suicide Sunday morning.

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Mr. Gladstone estimates his library to contain from 22,000 to 25,000 books, arranged by himself into minute divisions and sections. He thinks that about one-fourth of the volumes may be theological. He has about thirty editions of Homer, and from thirty to forty translations, whole or in part.

Belle Overington of Hemingford, Neb., died under peculiar circumstances, and an autopsy revealed the fact that death was caused by a large wad of chewing gum which had lodged at the entrance of the stomach.

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FIFTH ANNUAL SETTLEMENT. January 1st, 1890. ASSETS. Mortgages (first liens) and accrued interest. \$63,150 24 Note receivable. 21,423 08 Bills receivable and accrued interest. 63,151 70 Note receivable and accrued interest. 3,206 34

LIABILITY. Capital Stock. \$100,000 00 Reserve fund required by law. 116,327 50 All other liability. 2,110 61 Surplus. 24,204 68 \$243,642 79

Number of losses from May 15th, 1890, to August 10th, 1890. Windstorm losses. 51 Lightning losses. 125 of which \$22 was live stock.

Notice is hereby given to the twenty-seven Subordinate Alliances of Red Willow county that there will be a meeting of the Alliance relief committee in the opera house in Indiana, at one o'clock p. m., on the following dates Nov. 8, 15, 22, 29 and Dec. 6th, 1890, for the transaction of important business. J. F. Black, Chairman.

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