

THE OMAHA BEE.

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TERMS FOR ADVERTISING. All Business Letters and Remittances should be addressed to THE BEE PUBLISHING COMPANY, OMAHA.

JERRY BLACK and Jeff Davis are having a controversy about Buchanan.

If our merchants wish to protect themselves against the police there is no reason why they should not be permitted to do so.

The inspector business will be watched. The Bee proposes to keep its weather eye well opened as to the city affairs in this metropolis.

If the democrats continue their blunders at the present rate in Ohio, a democratic congress will be the salvation of the republican party.

PRESIDENT ARTHUR was a political accident, but from the tone of press comments he seems to have proved a happy one for the country.

The Vassar graduates in Omaha are about to raise \$4,000 to educate a western girl at Poughkeepsie.

FULL returns from Kentucky give Proctor Knott the governorship by nearly 40,000 majority.

With a return of the hot weather a tour of our alleys reminds one of the fellah portion of Cairo.

MR. ALEXANDER SWAN confirms the reports of the great stock yards and slaughtering establishments which English capital is to construct in Omaha.

GENERAL MEIGS who has charge of the erection of the new pension building at Washington feels greatly insulted over a gratuity in the form of two terra cotta vases offered him by a firm of contractors.

THE Nemaha Granger rises to remark: "They have had a big fight over pavement question in Omaha, and the courts sustained the position taken by THE BEE."

THE strike is undoubtedly failing. The telegraph company have strengthened their position every day since the beginning of the conflict.

THE New York Times agrees with THE BEE that the Edmunds law cannot suppress Mormonism, and that the problem is as difficult as ever.

THE LINCOLN MANDAMUS.

Glen Kendall, on behalf of the state board of public lands and buildings, has filed an answer to the petition of Mr. Silver in the capitol contract suit.

The alleged facts may or may not be important, if true. The lateness of their discovery is very remarkable. The board gave the contractor just one hour to explain how he happened to bid lower than Mr. Stout.

RECENT decisions of the patent office have given to the Bell telephone company virtual control of the entire telephone business in the United States.

THE Chicago Tribune notes that there is one way to escape from the control of patent monopolies which are organized and operated against the public interests.

THE general manager of the Northern Pacific has published a stringent order regarding the issuing of passes over his line.

MILEAGE is expected to cover all expenses of travel. The rate allowed, under the act of July 24th, 1876, is very liberal.

THE central committee of Buffalo county held a meeting on Saturday to reorganize for the campaign, and called the county convention for the 1st of September.

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