

THE DAILY BEE

E. ROSEWATER, Editor. PUBLISHED EVERY MORNING.

TERMS OF SUBSCRIPTION. Daily and Sunday, One Year, \$10.00. Daily, One Month, \$3.50. Daily, One Year, \$35.00. Daily, Three Months, \$10.50. Daily, Six Months, \$18.00. Sunday, One Year, \$10.00. Sunday, Three Months, \$3.50. Sunday, Six Months, \$6.50. Weekly, One Year, \$2.50.

ADVERTISING. All communications relating to news and editorial matters should be addressed to the Editor.

THE BEE PUBLISHING COMPANY, PROPRIETORS. The Bee Building, Farnam and Seventeenth Sts., Omaha, Neb.

SWORN STATEMENT OF CIRCULATION. In compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress approved March 3, 1879, relating to the circulation of newspapers, I, the undersigned, do hereby certify that the actual circulation of THE DAILY BEE for the week ending May 31, 1896, was as follows:

STATE OF NEBRASKA. County of Douglas. George B. Zeschuck, secretary of The Bee Publishing Company, does solemnly swear that the actual circulation of THE DAILY BEE for the week ending May 31, 1896, was as follows:

SINGLE COPY POSTAGE RATES. 12-page paper, 10 cents; 10-page paper, 8 cents; 8-page paper, 6 cents; 6-page paper, 4 cents; 4-page paper, 2 cents; 2-page paper, 1 cent.

DOLLARS for defense, not a cent for bogus claims, should be the motto of the county board.

CONTRACTORS, builders and insurance men are pretty liberally represented on the board of education.

THE returns from recent school elections prove that the second ward is a dangerous kicker when thoroughly aroused.

CONGRESS has already entered upon its annual sweat, which will continue with slight variations till the ballots are counted in November.

THE remnants of the Chicago gas trust are in the hands of a receiver. Like treatment of other combines would contribute materially to the welfare of the country at large.

THE hospital contractors should be given every encouragement to take their claims into court. It is due to the taxpayers of the county that the jobbers be compelled to establish their demands in the proper tribunal.

SIXTY thousand dollars worth of farmers are to be employed to teach the Indians how to handle modern farm machinery. The returns from the reaper and threshing will undoubtedly show an abundant harvest of good Indians.

THE engineer of the Oakland train which plunged through an open drawbridge has been held for manslaughter by the coroner's jury. This is one of the few instances on record of the failure of the railroad air brake to check an impetuous petti jury.

UNDER the act of congress passed last April a general pardon has been granted to deserters from the regular army. The proclamation of amnesty carries freedom from arrest to thirty-two thousand men, a number greater than the rank and file of the present army.

THE police commission insinuates that the tax levy will be insufficient to meet current expenses for the year, and a reduction of the force will be necessary. This was to have been expected. The board should have foreseen that the money at its disposal would not hold out against the increased drain.

WILL Mayor Cushing allow the rotten council combine to dictate appointments and parcel out the patronage of the mayor's office, or will he manfully assert his prerogative and exercise the powers vested in him by the charter in the interests of good government?

THE government fish bureau is one of the most prolific hatcheries of nepotism supported out of the national treasury. Of the hundreds of thousands appropriated annually for its maintenance, thirty-one thousand goes to the support of the family of one commissioner, while two others draw sustentation for nine members of their households.

SENATOR PADDOCK has fished up an old order issued by General Grant as president, which forbids federal officeholders from holding any lucrative city, county or state office. That order is still in force. Had it been enforced upon W. J. Broatch, who drew two thousand five hundred dollars a year as member of the Missouri river commission and also drew a salary of two thousand five hundred dollars a year as mayor of Omaha for two years and a half, he would have been in a dilemma like the ass between two bundles of hay.

THE local money market presented no new features yesterday—money is abundant and rates easy at eight per cent. General trade continues good and collections appear to improve daily. The produce market was liberally supplied and quotations were shaded toward the close, but the bulk of the receipts of berries and vegetables were closed out at full prices. Berries and vegetables are arriving from Missouri in refrigerator cars in fine condition. Coffee has advanced one-half cent per pound as was anticipated; the market is quiet. Other staples are unchanged.

AN EARLY CONVENTION.

The republican state central committee, which meets at Lincoln today to formulate the conditions under which the state convention is to be held, is charged with a grave responsibility. Its action will, in a great measure, determine whether the party shall continue in supremacy for the next two years, or be swept from power and place by the tidal wave of popular discontent.

There are those in the state committee who resent the action of the anti-monopoly republican conference as an impertinent intrusion and unwarranted interference with the prerogative of the committee.

They look upon its demand for an early convention as a threatened bolt. These members apparently overlook the fact that the republicans of Nebraska are confronted by a popular uprising that must be placated before it is too late.

They also seem oblivious to the fact that a convention in the first week of July is not an early convention. In a majority of the states conventions are to be held during the present month and comparatively few state conventions will be held later than the early part of July. Candidates for state offices have already been nominated in several states.

It is therefore manifest that the declaration of the conference in favor of a convention not later than July 8 is not at variance with the customs of the great parties in other states, so far as relates to the time of holding conventions.

Mr. Chaffee is a very thrifty provider for the political gang in his own ward, and the roustabouts with whom he is associated in the Tammany club.

OUR LATTER-DAY SAINTS. The principal stock-in-trade of the prohibition agitators and organ grinders is the alleged nefarious plotting and pernicious activity of the whisky trust in Nebraska.

Now we boldly assert that the whisky trust has had no more to do with the prohibition campaign in Nebraska or with the governor's course than the wine trust, the iron beam trust or the sugar trust.

THE principal stock-in-trade of the prohibition agitators and organ grinders is the alleged nefarious plotting and pernicious activity of the whisky trust in Nebraska.

THE prohibition campaign will continue to stigmatize them and everybody who opposes prohibition as "friends of the saloon," "rum hounders," and "whisky bloats."

SILVER LEGISLATION UNCERTAIN. Congressman McKinley does not believe it to be by any means a sure thing that a silver bill will be passed at the present session of congress.

FOR fiendish ingenuity and promotion, the attempt to wreck a passenger train on the Union Pacific tracks near

the city is without a parallel in the history of Omaha. The object could not have been robbery, for had the wreck succeeded it would have been impossible to loot the train before assistance arrived from Omaha and South Omaha.

THE money market continues easy and bankers are looking for good, safe securities in which to invest their loanable surplus at profitable rates.

THE famous Texas cattle trail is a thing of the past. A drive of ten thousand cattle recently completed the journey to Wyoming, but not without costly delays and detours to dodge cultivated lands and farm fences.

PROSPECTIVE candidates for county commissioner are sprouting and spouting in the verdant suburbs.

THE people of Nebraska are to be congratulated upon their escape from an extra session at this juncture.

THE tariff reform states of the Washington correspondents are able to obtain regarding the progress the senate committee is making with the tariff bill.

IT is a foolish thing to suppose that a call for an extra session of the old legislature could be brought to the service of the people and that the railroad question should be settled on this basis.

THE German empress will not accompany her husband when he goes swinging round circles this summer.

QUEEN Victoria will confer the Order of the Bath upon the railway contractors in the west of the city.

MISS Ethel Chase Sprague, who was recently announced had given up all idea of going on the stage, made her debut in Buffalo and is said to have made a hit.

MISS Ethel Chase Sprague, who was recently announced had given up all idea of going on the stage, made her debut in Buffalo and is said to have made a hit.

MISS Ethel Chase Sprague, who was recently announced had given up all idea of going on the stage, made her debut in Buffalo and is said to have made a hit.

MISS Ethel Chase Sprague, who was recently announced had given up all idea of going on the stage, made her debut in Buffalo and is said to have made a hit.

MISS Ethel Chase Sprague, who was recently announced had given up all idea of going on the stage, made her debut in Buffalo and is said to have made a hit.

MISS Ethel Chase Sprague, who was recently announced had given up all idea of going on the stage, made her debut in Buffalo and is said to have made a hit.

MISS Ethel Chase Sprague, who was recently announced had given up all idea of going on the stage, made her debut in Buffalo and is said to have made a hit.

THE city is without a parallel in the history of Omaha. The object could not have been robbery, for had the wreck succeeded it would have been impossible to loot the train before assistance arrived from Omaha and South Omaha.

THE money market continues easy and bankers are looking for good, safe securities in which to invest their loanable surplus at profitable rates.

THE famous Texas cattle trail is a thing of the past. A drive of ten thousand cattle recently completed the journey to Wyoming, but not without costly delays and detours to dodge cultivated lands and farm fences.

PROSPECTIVE candidates for county commissioner are sprouting and spouting in the verdant suburbs.

THE people of Nebraska are to be congratulated upon their escape from an extra session at this juncture.

THE tariff reform states of the Washington correspondents are able to obtain regarding the progress the senate committee is making with the tariff bill.

IT is a foolish thing to suppose that a call for an extra session of the old legislature could be brought to the service of the people and that the railroad question should be settled on this basis.

THE German empress will not accompany her husband when he goes swinging round circles this summer.

QUEEN Victoria will confer the Order of the Bath upon the railway contractors in the west of the city.

MISS Ethel Chase Sprague, who was recently announced had given up all idea of going on the stage, made her debut in Buffalo and is said to have made a hit.

MISS Ethel Chase Sprague, who was recently announced had given up all idea of going on the stage, made her debut in Buffalo and is said to have made a hit.

MISS Ethel Chase Sprague, who was recently announced had given up all idea of going on the stage, made her debut in Buffalo and is said to have made a hit.

MISS Ethel Chase Sprague, who was recently announced had given up all idea of going on the stage, made her debut in Buffalo and is said to have made a hit.

MISS Ethel Chase Sprague, who was recently announced had given up all idea of going on the stage, made her debut in Buffalo and is said to have made a hit.

MISS Ethel Chase Sprague, who was recently announced had given up all idea of going on the stage, made her debut in Buffalo and is said to have made a hit.

MISS Ethel Chase Sprague, who was recently announced had given up all idea of going on the stage, made her debut in Buffalo and is said to have made a hit.

THE CENSUS MAN'S TROUBLES.

A Be Reporter Tells the Tribulations of a Lincoln Enumerator.

DAMAGES FOR WATERED WHISKY. A Capital City Saloonkeeper Sues the Corporation—Articles of Incorporation Filed by a Paper Factory.

Lincoln, Neb., June 3.—[Special to THE BEE.]—One of the poor fortune-tellers who are acting as census enumerators called at the home of your correspondent today and declared that this was the first time he had been treated as a human being during the two days that he has been collecting facts and figures that are for the best interests of the very people who are treating him like a tramp.

"We don't want any books," said one. "We have all the pictures we need," said another. "We don't need any censuses," declared the enumerator, who yielded to the impulse and wrote "No census" on the card.

"What makes you so inquisitive?" said one woman. "I believe you're noisier a reporter," said a pugilistic looking Amazon of Gaelic ancestry. "Oh don't want any noisiness," said the enumerator, who was by now feeling a little chagrined.

"What makes you so inquisitive?" said one woman. "I believe you're noisier a reporter," said a pugilistic looking Amazon of Gaelic ancestry. "Oh don't want any noisiness," said the enumerator, who was by now feeling a little chagrined.

"What makes you so inquisitive?" said one woman. "I believe you're noisier a reporter," said a pugilistic looking Amazon of Gaelic ancestry. "Oh don't want any noisiness," said the enumerator, who was by now feeling a little chagrined.

"What makes you so inquisitive?" said one woman. "I believe you're noisier a reporter," said a pugilistic looking Amazon of Gaelic ancestry. "Oh don't want any noisiness," said the enumerator, who was by now feeling a little chagrined.

"What makes you so inquisitive?" said one woman. "I believe you're noisier a reporter," said a pugilistic looking Amazon of Gaelic ancestry. "Oh don't want any noisiness," said the enumerator, who was by now feeling a little chagrined.

"What makes you so inquisitive?" said one woman. "I believe you're noisier a reporter," said a pugilistic looking Amazon of Gaelic ancestry. "Oh don't want any noisiness," said the enumerator, who was by now feeling a little chagrined.

over for trial on the charge of obtaining property under false pretenses. A pension examining board was organized at Springfield last week and it will meet every Wednesday for the present.

A new town will be laid out in Buffalo county two and a half miles northwest of Stanley and will be christened Amhurst.

The new Methodist church at Seward was dedicated Sunday. The building cost \$12,327.37, and there is still \$3,000 to be raised. Allie Clark of Craig, at one time a wealthy and influential Bart county farmer, was the other day fined \$5 at Tolomah for being drunk.

W. H. Korns, editor of the Tokamak Herald, was arrested Monday on a charge of criminal libel preferred by County Judge H. Wade Gillis. Korns was released on his own recognizance pending a hearing.

The village fund, says the Wayne Gazette, and instead of occasioning the expense necessarily incurred when a drunk is arrested, among the improvements in hand, the assumption of work on the college building, improvements of the water power, etc., are among the things that will be done.

John Stark, a brakeman, was struck by the flyer at Oxford the other day and was severely injured. He last night recovered from having his hand crushed by the cars and was making his first trip since the second accident befell him.

Over \$800,000 worth of houses are in process of erection at Salt Lake City. Most of the wood of the timber basin in Montana will this year be shipped by way of Billings.

Immense quantities of trout are now being caught by the Stillwater river near Demeritsville, Mont.

The Boise City, Idaho, city council has granted a twenty-five-year franchise to an electric street railway company.

Mrs. Isabella Irish of Tacoma, Wash., was instantly killed the other day while entertaining a guest in her parlor by the accidental discharge of a revolver in the hands of her son.

Barren, who has a twenty-foot vein of coal which promises to develop into a most valuable property.

Says the Billings (Mont.) Gazette: Range foremen are encountering great difficulty in securing competent cow hands for 175,000 up and about 200,000 head.

A little three-year-old daughter of James McNamara was the victim of a peculiar accident at Butte, Mont., the other evening.

Mrs. Hannah Sullivan, of Newcastle, Wyoming, has reached the age of one hundred and ten years. She is a native of Ireland and came to America in 1852.

THE NEBRASKA HOMEOPTHATHISTS. They Will Convene at the Paxton Hotel This Afternoon.

The Nebraska Homeopathic Medical Society convenes in this city this afternoon. The meeting will be held at the Paxton hotel and about two hundred delegates are expected to be in attendance.

THE morning and evening sessions tomorrow will be taken up by clinics and papers on various subjects.

THE morning and evening sessions tomorrow will be taken up by clinics and papers on various subjects.

THE morning and evening sessions tomorrow will be taken up by clinics and papers on various subjects.

THE morning and evening sessions tomorrow will be taken up by clinics and papers on various subjects.

Advertisement for "A Matter of Millions" by Anna Katherine Green, published in the New York Ledger on Saturday May 31. The ad features the title in large letters and mentions it is for sale by all news dealers. Below the ad is an advertisement for Radway's Ready Relief for Pain, describing its benefits for various ailments like headache, neuralgia, and rheumatism.