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Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence this 25th day of March A. D. 1891. N. P. FERR, Notary Public.

State of Nebraska, County of Douglas, ss. George R. Tschuck, being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is secretary of The Bee Publishing Company.

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THE reform legislation still hangs on, but it looks as if the crop of reform would fall short.

IF Governor Boyd does not take his usual Sunday rest he may get time to read the Newberry bill through today.

SHERMAN county, Kansas, is proud, if she is poor, and absolutely refuses to accept aid from the state relief committee.

LEGISLATORS will observe that the Institute for the deaf and dumb at Omaha is a model of economical management.

SPEAKER ELDER, having affixed his official signature to the Newberry bill, he will be permitted to go home to see his sick wife.

PRESIDENT HARRISON must be impressed with the fact that the Nebraska delegation can fill with neatness and dispatch all the offices for which orders may be received.

WYOMING declines to accept aid from the east, and the governor officially notifies the New York Tribune that the state can take care of those in need.

COLONEL HENRY and several other officers fresh from the scenes of the recent Indian troubles agree with THE BEE that there is little or no danger of an outbreak among the Sioux this spring.

THE bill to create the office of assessor in cities of the metropolitan class as passed by the senate provides for the election of a city assessor, who shall be a freholder and elector of the city and county.

A WOMAN of wealth in the east announces that she intends to bequeath a large sum of money for the establishment of an institute for the exclusive benefit of women with artistic or literary proclivities.

IN THE HANDS OF THE GOVERNOR.

The maximum railroad bill enacted by the legislature has been formally placed in the hands of the governor. The constitution has very wisely empowered the executive to approve or veto all laws as his judgment may warrant.

THE BEE has no disposition to hamper the action of the executive, much less will it attempt to dictate what he should or should not do in the premises.

It is the governor's duty to carefully scan the bill and consider it in all its bearings. If it is constitutional and in his judgment the rates fixed therein are reasonable, he should sign it.

In reaching a conclusion the governor cannot afford to disregard the demand of the producers of this state for relief from exorbitant tolls.

THE BEE does not believe that they have lost all manhood and become mere droves of cattle. We believe that these wage-workers are alarmed over the situation and honestly believe that the enforcement of a very radical cut on rates will be followed by a corresponding cut in wages.

There is no prospect of increased railroad traffic in the near future and therefore railroad employes do not need to be dubbed into line or threatened with discharge.

THE fact is that other wage-workers feel almost as much concerned over the impending reduction of wages and cutting down of operating force on the railroads as the railroad employes do themselves.

A TURN IN A LONG ROAD.

For the past three months THE BEE has persistently called attention to the fact that every natural condition demanded better prices in the live stock markets and a relief from the starvation rates that have crushed the producers of the west.

market widens year by year and is larger today than ever before.

With these favorable conditions the discouraged stock raiser and feeder of Nebraska and Kansas may well take hope. He has reason to believe that the packers' trust can no longer keep prices down in the face of a shortened supply and an increased demand.

There are two sides to an era of high prices in provisions. Increased prices for the cattle raiser means increased cost of living for consumers.

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THE Nebraska senators have waited upon President Harrison and presented the names of six or eight republicans of more or less prominence for appointment on the new circuit bench.

It is to be hoped that the various eminent Nebraskans, from Major General Coby down to Judge Mason, will feel flattered at the compliment graciously bestowed upon them.

A NATIONAL CONSERVATORY OF MUSIC.

One of the closing acts of the last congress was the passage of a bill incorporating the national conservatory of music, with Mrs. Jeannette M. Thurber, the projector of the enterprise.

THE element of the American people which is of Scotch-Irish origin is a large and important one. It has furnished some of the ablest and most useful men in every department of activity.

MIGHT MAKES RIGHT.

Following the policy of retrenchment recently adopted by the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy the Pittsburg, Ft. Wayne & Chicago has closed three of its block stations at and near Chicago, thereby throwing six operators out of employment.

THE APPOINTMENT OF A ROYAL COMMISSIONER.

Ex-Senator Ingalls recently said in an interview: "The Yankee idea seems to be to treat the demands of the west with derision and contempt."

Sectionalism has been the bane of the republic from the time of its founding. It is still a mighty danger to its peace and happiness, even if it shall never again become a menace to its existence.

THE differences between the east and the west are very wide. Territorially, Boston and Omaha are further apart than Paris and St. Petersburg.

AS BETWEEN Birkhauser and Squires the public is indifferent, but it has the right to insist that the board of public works shall do its own duty as well as to compel the contractor to comply with terms of his contract.

MINNEAPOLIS CANNOT AFFORD TO MISREPRESENT OMAHA.

MINNEAPOLIS cannot afford to misrepresent Omaha so long as Omaha bonds sell at a premium and those of the Minnesota metropolis go begging for bidders.

IN MINISTER Phelps to Blamo?

Picked pigs' feet is a favorite dish in Berlin. Still the proper thing for our German friends to do is to go the whole American hog.

THE TOM-TOM THAT THE OLD SEWARD RESIDENCE IN WASHINGTON BRINGS BACK OUGHT TO BE KILLED.

Mr. Blaine was not living in it when he was defeated in his presidential campaign, and there is no house that he will not die in whenever he becomes sick enough while occupying it.

PROTESTANT UNITY IMPOSSIBLE.

THE very genius of Protestantism is inconsistent with unity. It necessitates division, for it is private and individual judgment as opposed to the church authority which produces unity.

THE EASTERN SERVICE.

I saw a little saint on Easter day. She had sat quiet near me all the service through. She heard each word the preacher had to say.

PASSING JESTS.

New York Journal: Policeman (to intoxicated man who is dropping pennies into the slot of a lamp post letter-box)—What other coin do you have?

There was an Old Man with a beard, Who said, "It is just as I feared:—Two Owls and a Hen, four Larks and a Wren, Have all built their nests in my beard."

Harmer's Bazaar: "How do you sell your music?" "I sell it as I can." "It depends on what kind you want to buy," replied the dealer.

NEW YORK Herald: Mr. Breezy—"You've got to put on more clothes if I'm going to take you to the ball." "Mrs. Breezy—if you think I'm thinly dressed now you ought to have seen me at my first ball."

Indiana Journal: Before you start out to attain a seat on the highest pinnacle of fame bear in mind that it runs up to a pretty sharp point.

Washington Star: The Green Isle should change its name to the Isle of Pat-moss.

SUBVERTING AUTHORITY.

AV'gorous Protest Against Bill denigrating Governor Boyd.

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QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS.

ANS.—Yes, if he is a citizen of the United States he is eligible.

ANS.—You can get all the information you may need with regard to old coins by writing to the editor of The American Journal of Numismatics, Boston.

ANS.—You can give me the name of the place where the non-partisan paper published in Iowa has any other non-partisan paper published in Iowa.

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