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Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence this 24th day of December, 1892. N. F. FEHL, Notary Public.

Average Circulation for November, 26,050. THE LEGISLATURE.

The Bee has completed arrangements for printing the fullest reports of the legislature during the coming session. These include a full staff of efficient correspondents at the state capital and an exclusive view from the state house, running into the Bee editorial rooms, with operators at both ends.

It is reported that a Chicago alderman is going to resign. He should be investigated at once.

MR. LAMBERTSON SAYS he is for Padlock for the senate, but who is the Lancaster delegation for? It's votes and not wishes that count in a senatorial fight.

THE talk of selecting Frederik R. Condit as a compromise candidate for senator from New York is quite funny. Mr. Condit is no friend of Tammany, and his election to the senate would leave that organization out in the cold altogether.

SOME idea of the way in which New York City is governed may be had from the fact that the horses of the fire department in that city are now on short feed because there is a shortage in the fund for oats and hay.

ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY LAMBERTSON sends out a statement by Associated press that he is not a candidate for senator, but we would bet a nickel against a rubber button that he would not decline if he were elected any more than he would decline the appointment of assistant secretary.

MILWAUKEE is wrestling with the problem of incendiary fires. The last conflagration in that city, involving a loss of about \$500,000, was caused by a bomb thrown into a building by some person unknown.

THE latest accounts of Russian persecution and despotism in the treatment of the unfortunate people who are the victims of Russian prejudice and hatred should arouse the indignation of the civilized world.

MR. GLADSTONE passed his eighty-third milestone on Thursday and was still steady on his legs and showing no abatement of intellectual vigor.

It is reported that President Harrison objects to the plan of the secretary of the treasury of issuing bonds to increase the gold reserve of the treasury.

THE OMAHA DAILY BEE, SATURDAY, DECEMBER 31, 1892.

has gone forward with great rapidity, thus making it necessary for the establishment of lines of railroad to keep pace with growing traffic demands.

But our present mileage of 175,000 miles is equal to nearly one-half that of the whole world, which shows that our gain has been much more rapid than that of other countries.

Among the concessions embodied in the union depot compromise is a quit claim title from the city to the greater portion of Tenth street covered by the viaduct.

There is also a provision deeding a large portion of Eighth street not formally conveyed to the railroad company. The question is Why should the city deed away that portion of Tenth street without an equivalent?

Well informed political judges in Europe now assert that unless the quarrels between Norway and Sweden are soon patched up in some satisfactory fashion it is improbable that the two countries will become entirely distinct and individual powers.

There are a great many people in the United States who believe that ultimately Cuba must become a part of the United States. The idea is a very old one.

It appears that this feeling is growing. The people of Cuba are so well satisfied with the results of the reciprocity arrangement with the United States that they cannot contemplate with equanimity the possibility of losing the commercial benefits they derive from this arrangement.

THE YEAR'S RAILROAD BUILDING. It is shown by figures presented by the Railway Age that railroad construction in the United States during the year now nearly closed has been only about 4,000 miles, as compared with 4,500 miles last year.

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every town in the interest of home patronage. It is an undertaking that will involve a great deal of work, but it is sure to produce results beneficial to all concerned.

As long as this army remains faithful, Diaz will remain dictator in fact and reputation. The only facts which make the present news from Mexico different from the news of previous risings in the northern provinces are the numerous signs and reports which indicate that various generals high in command appear to think that the army is no longer faithful and are risking their lives on this opinion.

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self-government. This fact makes a royalist or imperialist movement in France a predestined failure. If a revolution should come it would more likely be in the opposite direction.

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committee or of this new executive committee to select some person to take the place of Secretary McComas in assisting the new chairman in the direction of three years' campaign and the management of permanent headquarters.

NATIONAL COMMITTEE PLANS Special Session to Be Held in New York Next Month.

Some of the Republican Managers Inclined to Think the Campaign of 'Ninety-six Should Be Opened at the Earliest Possible Moment.

WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE BEE. MR. FOURTEENTH STREET. Chairman Carter will call together the republican national committee for a special session in New York early in January.

There will be no serious disagreement over the question and discussion will amicably end in the election of a chairman who may or may not be the present chairman, Mr. Carter.

May Locate in Washington. It is probable that the proposed permanent headquarters will not be located by the committee in New York City.

And the Mercury is Falling. The unbroken ice between Mr. Cleveland and Mr. Hill still remains thick enough to skate on.

The French Political Pot. The present French republic has lasted a remarkably long time, as things go in fickle France.

Revising an Ancient Truth. Leading clergymen in Kansas admit that prohibition is a failure as a means to promote temperance.

FURNISH THE MURPHYS. St. Louis Republic: Mr. Murphy may be senator from New York some other time, but not this time.

DR. PRICES' DELICIOUS Flavoring Extracts. NATURAL FRUIT FLAVORS. Of perfect purity - Of great strength - Economy in their use.

Major Padlock of Omaha left this evening for home, after a two weeks' visit with his daughter in Washington.

Belgianism and Rouge. Springfield (Mass.) Republican. If the governor signs the bill, the state of South Carolina will enter the liquor business in July, 1893.

Brooklyn Life: "Do you hold fast to your ideals?" she asked. "Would I if I had a chance," he answered softly. "You are mine."

Philadelphia Record: Jolly Uncle: "Well, lad, 'spos you're a little short of funds as usual, but I've got a little help for you."

Chicago Herald: "You can't have the old excise of no snow now," she whispered, after suggesting a solution.

Detroit Free Press: The Ohio woman had called to see her lawyer about bringing suit for divorce.

Both dancers were courtly and figures of grace. Yet the maid held my fancy as never before. The glow gave a blush to her beautiful face.

And I dreamt of the days that are dead; The spirit of the dance was by sorcery wrought And the hurrying modern days fled.

It was peace—the sweet rest of the olden day When all I'd loved were not overthrown; And as I gazed I watched where bewitched by the dance.

BROWNING, KING & CO. Largest Manufacturers and Retailers of Clothing in the World. A Great Kicker. Was John Randolph of Roanoke? They say he was so much opposed to the tariff on wool that he would go 40 rods out of his road to kick a sheep.

Washington Star: "It may be true that I am not very strong as to staying power," she said, "but I usually manage to cover the ground."

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