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THE BEE IN CHICAGO: The Daily and Sunday Bee is on sale in Chicago at the following places: Railway house, Grand Pacific hotel, Auditorium hotel, etc.

SECRETARY HOKE SMITH has smoked the pipe of peace. We trust that his copper-colored warts will permit him to participate in a war dance before the entertainment cases.

IT is evident that Receiver Hayden of the broken Capital National bank is not strictly in line with the men who claim to own the town of Lincoln.

IOWA prohibitionists are trying to get after saloon keepers by a new path. They now make complaints alleging that the saloon is a nuisance.

FORTUNE often compensates for reverses. A pardon, a wife and a saloon, all in one month, ought to go far in reconciling Anarchist Neebe to the years of suffering which his conduct at the time of the Haymarket riots entailed upon him.

THE offer of a purse at Cleveland for any trotter that will beat a mile in 2:08 on the track there with the old-style sulky suggests that doubt is entertained whether any of the flyers which have made better records with the pneumatic sulky on the kite-shaped track can lower the record of Maud S.

AND now the prospects indicate a year's continuous session of the congress about to convene. After imposing such an affliction upon the people there ought to be no fears regarding an overwhelming republican victory at the congressional elections which follow the adjournment of that body in 1894.

SAN FRANCISCO people are congratulating themselves on the fact that the Pacific Postal Telegraph company has almost completed its line of copper wires from Washington to that city by the southern route.

WHAT to do with the stock of silver bullion now lying in the treasury seems to be the question over which many brains are being racked. The New York Evening Post suggests that it be transformed into silver souvenir spoons and distributed as a loan among the people.

THE new democratic administration is inaugurating its plan of economy by having the white house redecorated. The work upon the bed room is alone to cost the government about \$5,000.

A KANSAS rain fakir is in sore distress. During his operations at Goodland recently a cloudburst happened that way and destroyed the crop of a man who had contributed to pay the fakir to produce rain.

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A PROLONGED FIGHT PROMISED.

Washington dispatches say that the idea that the extra session of congress might be made a short session, dealing promptly with the silver question and leaving other matters to be considered at the regular session, is dying out.

There must be no misunderstanding regarding the spirit and disposition of the advocates of the free and unlimited coinage of silver. They mean to battle for their cause to the bitter end.

There is reason to believe that the opponents of a repeal of the silver purchase clause of the Sherman act will have a better organization when congress meets than will those who favor repeal.

FETE DAY IN FRANCE. The 14th day of July in France stands for the establishment of popular government upon the decaying ruins of a monarchic despotism.

Fete day in France is a festival for high and low. It is celebrated with that enthusiasm and earnestness for which the French are noted.

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ANTI-TRUST LAW AND THE RAILROADS.

The question as to whether congress intended the anti-trust law to apply to railroad combinations is important.

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PEOPLE AND THINGS.

The assessed valuation of real estate in Philadelphia is \$749,353,447.

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THE democratic policy when congress shall have assembled is as plain as the nose on one's face.

THE republicans in congress will be in the attitude to a certain extent, spectators.

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NEBRASKA AND NEBRASKANS.

It cost George Hill of O'Neill \$100 to steal a \$30 watch.

There is talk of changing the name of the town of Elk Creek.

Buffalo county has paid out \$73.91 for gutter seams this season.

Rev. F. M. Bacon is the new pastor of the Broken Bow Episcopal church.

The southeastern Nebraska Political association has been reorganized at Beatrice with S. S. Barton as president.

Ben E. Glazier and Pleasant Richardson, two former Lincoln men, are in jail at Denver because of crooked transactions.

Abbie Haven, a 13-year-old Fremont young lady, while on a visit to Danbury, Ia., was killed in a runaway accident.

It is said that Beatrice has a resident who is a bigamist, having a wife there and one at Chicago.

A team of mules belonging to Charles Snyder of Colfax is missing, and a team is believed to have helped himself to the animals and indulged in the luxury of a ride.

C. C. Dalby, wanted at Okaloosa, Ia., for burglary committed February 4, has been captured at his brother's home near Republican City and will be taken back to the scene of his crime.

William Earles, who was foreman of construction of the big bridge at Nebraska City, and who later murdered his wife at Memphis, Tenn., while intoxicated and was sentenced to imprisonment for life.

The grocery store of S. C. Stubbs & Co. of Bradshaw was destroyed by fire with all its contents, causing a loss of \$4,500.

The fire in the town turned out, formed a bucket brigade and helped to save other property from destruction. The origin of the fire is a mystery.

It will be remembered, says the Norfolk News, that several months ago Levi Innes, a brakeman on the Scribner branch line of the Fremont, Elkhorn & Missouri Valley road, was seriously injured while switching at Scribner.

His case was watched with great interest, as his neck was badly crushed and supposed to be broken. After lingering on the brink of death for weeks, Mr. Innes began to improve very slowly until he is now able to be taken around in a sedan chair, and is fast regaining his strength.

This is one of the remarkable cases that occur now and then to puzzle the medical fraternity.

MILKING LINES.

Washington Star: It is when a woman gets caught in a shower bath that you may realize what a rain of terror is.

Buffalo Courier: "He is certainly the most honest man in town."

"Induced!" "Yes, got mad 'cause his wife wanted him to beat a carpet."

Detroit Free Press: They call them selling necks because a big majority of those who take a chance on the job are sold.

Boston Transcript: "Well, do you call that a trunk?" said the cultured Boston hatter, surveying a large shapeless box on the trunk. "If I don't call it a trunk, I call it a torso Helvetorum."

Philadelphia Ledger: A Mr. Howe is said to raise more honey than any other man in New York state, which brings him an invalid chair, "How doth the little busy bee?"

Kate Field's Washington: Son—"What is this picker twaddling himself so much for, father?" Father—"He don't call it a truck, I call it a torso Helvetorum."

Atlanta Constitution: "Town's got a new railroad, hasn't it?" "Yes, just built."

Father—"How do you like going?" "Don't know; but yonder comes the receiver, ask him."

New Orleans Picayune: The only suspicion or credence in the world is when an astronomer discovered that some of the stars had been fixed.

Atchison Globe: When a man reaches the age at which he begins to settle down and stop giving his wife trouble, his sons have reached the age to begin.

Philadelphia Record: At the Theater—"Mamma, doesn't papa like me?" "Yes, my child; why do you ask?" "He always goes out between the acts when the band plays."

Washington Star: "He's rich," she murmured. "I believe, and while his style is very neat. His sense of grammar, I perceive, is altogether becoming."

"Alas, I don't see how he can be a proper sort of husband for me. He cannot be a powerful man. Whose parts of speech will not agree?"

Ohio State Journal: During the fiscal year ending June 30 imports amounted to \$355,000,000, which is nearly \$300,000,000 more than for any year since the enactment of the McKinley bill. What has become of the Chinese wall that democrats said would be erected around the country when that measure became a law?

Black and white, it has come, the way of it, the other dire predictions indulged in by our friends, the enemies.

TALKING NOW. Indianapolis Journal: I fell in love with her sweet voice. And I swore I'd take my living choice of her, when for times a score. I'd asked for nothing more, forty-four, Would bid me my impatience stay. And say, in such a delicate way, "Thy's talking now."

Ah, well! No wed; she's now my own, No longer does she seek my hand; And now, I think it's safe to say, No matter what the wind may blow, She's always here, linguistic power, And I may say, at any hour, "Thy's talking now."

MERCER CLEARING SALE. Saturday morning we begin to clear up our lines of summer wear. In men's suits we have made some very stiff reductions. \$20.00 Men's Suits \$13.50. \$20 suits for \$15. Corresponding reductions in the several grades. Some suits are marked down to ONLY \$5.00. These are our regular line of this season's summer suits, all cloths, colors and makes. \$3.50 Boys' Wash Suits \$2.00. Wash suits that sold all season at \$3.50 go now for only \$2.00. A good boy's suit worth \$2.50 now on sale at \$1.50. All Summer Goods Must Be Closed Out. Men's and Boys' Straw Hats. All our straw hats at just HALF PRICE. \$1.00 hats are now 50c. 50c hats are now 25c. was \$5.00, now \$2.50. H. G. & CO.