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THE BEE NEWS-PAPER. Keosau New Era. There is but one daily newspaper printed in the state like The Bee. For news it has no competitor.

It is plain beyond dispute that in all his fights ex-Fugitive Sullivan's law was never disabled.

We do not imagine Ambassador Bayard will lose much sleep over the proposal to impeach him.

There will be no repudiation in Kentucky while Governor Bradley holds down the executive chair.

Mayor Bemis can be depended upon to use his veto in the interests of the taxpayers to the very last.

Prospects are that many a day will elapse before Nebraska witnesses another jury trial in its supreme court.

The man who knows any more about the condition of the city treasury than he did five months ago is gifted with second sight.

How will the council be able to get along after January 1 without the assistance of that brilliant financier, Halfdan Jacobsen?

If the health commissioner were only given a free field in the expenditure of city money he would soon double the deficit in the city treasury.

There is some other state money besides the \$236,000 in the Capital National tied up in failed depositories. What is being done to recover these public funds?

And Comptroller Olsen is the public official whom this council, members of the finance committee included, whitewashed a few weeks after the treasury defalcation was unearthed.

Now watch the champions of different presidential candidates try to read political significance into the selection of St. Louis as the place for holding the republican national convention.

It must be painful to the judges of the supreme court to be called upon so frequently to issue orders to rectify the mistakes made by the judge of the criminal division of this district court.

Had President James Monroe had a premonition of the amount of space in the Congressional Record discussion of his famous doctrine was to occupy in years after his departure he might have left it to be promulgated by some one of his successors.

The State Relief Commission spent \$9,000 in relieving the wants of its old and young. They may have needed this assistance, but if so their names and the sums received by each should have been included in the commission's report along with the names of the other beneficiaries of private and state contributions to the drouth sufferers' fund.

The Omaha Fair and Speed association at its recent meeting reported most favorably upon the condition of its finances. That such a showing could be made after the heavy burdens incident to the state fair had been overcome is as remarkable as it is gratifying.

If anything were needed to prove the imbecility of the combine that is in the saddle in the council the action of the finance committee in asking the repeal of an ordinance regulating the city treasury which had at its recommendation been passed over the mayor's veto and had not yet been put into force ought to be conclusive.

Local philanthropists insist that in the construction of the new cages for the jail in the basement of the city hall separate cells should be provided for the boys and for the girls and for women who have not revealed in the lower depths of depravity. These suggestions are commendable and should be adopted by the council in perfecting plans for the new city bastille.

THE CASE OF MR. BAYARD.

No fair-minded man will seriously question that the intemperate made to British audiences by Ambassador Bayard, referred to in the resolution of Representative Barrett of Massachusetts and adopted by the house, were indelicate, but whether they call for any action on the part of congress is at least a debatable question.

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AGAIN THE BOND.

The refusal of Mayor Bemis to approve the official bond offered by City Treasurer-elect Edwards complicates the treasury situation.

credit their official tribunals they must expect this people elsewhere will accept the verdict of the decline to become part of a community where the courts do not command confidence.

According to the Washington correspondent of the Chicago Record, Speaker Reed recently expressed himself in conversation with a New York congressman who wanted to get on the committee on public buildings and grounds for the purpose of promoting certain public building appropriations to the effect that it would not help him if he did secure the coveted appointment.

HOW MUCH LONGER?

The report of the finance committee of the council and the accompanying statement of the experts in its employ on the extent of the recent treasury defalcation leaves the public as much in the dark as ever.

As a climax to the almost criminal carelessness which the council finance committee has displayed in its treatment of the treasury defalcation and in its action with reference to the derelict officials responsible for its existence this report is a fitting monument.

Missouri should show its appreciation of the gift of the republican national convention by swinging the electoral votes of the state over into the column headed by the name of the candidate put in nomination there.

Prospective History.

History will say of Cleveland that he hunted more ducks and disgusted more democrats than any other president.

Rebuking Maryland.

Mr. Gorman has resumed his old position as leader of the senate democrats and the absence of anything like a protest would seem to indicate that the democratic members of that body had very little respect for the opinions of the Maryland voters.

Sugar Attracts a Title.

One of the great sugar barons is to get a patent of nobility from Australia. This is the gilding refined gold or sweetening saccharine.

Get Thee to the Political Shrine.

If Senator Allison should "take a day off" some time soon and run over to New York, no objection should be raised.

Chicago's Blooming Humor.

Chicago is again complaining of unjust discrimination in railroad rates. It sounds strange to hear the complaints from Chicago, which by rights and other systematic discriminations in its own favor has thrived at the expense of the whole west.

Fee Shirts Must Go.

The attorney general's recommendation for the abolition of the fee system of remunerating federal employees and officers is sound and sensible and will be approved by all intelligent citizens outside the ranks of the fee-takers.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Patent

Advertisement for Royal Baking Powder, featuring the text 'ROYAL BAKING POWDER' and 'ABSOLUTELY PURE'.

AMERICA FOR THE COLONELS.

The American eagle shook himself a little and blinked approvingly at Senator Allen yesterday when that grand old statesman introduced a bill in the senate 'disfranchising any citizen of the United States who shall solicit or accept a title, patent of nobility or degree of honor from a foreign nation, and punishing this crime by both fine and imprisonment.'

Of course this measure, should it become a law, which at present seems doubtful per reason of our disinclination to appear to offend our foreign cousins, would not apply to the marquis of Pullman, Sir Charles Gibson of St. Louis, or to any other citizen of the republic who has gleamed these titles or patents of nobility in days gone by.

TWO OF A KIND.

Philadelphia Record (dem.): The wholesome feature of last Tuesday's elections in Massachusetts was the uprising of the independent voters who did with the regular and general drift toward non-partisanship in city elections.

The new chief of police of New York City is Mr. Peter Conlin. His last acting chief since the retirement of Thomas Byrnes and was subjected to a severe civil service examination before promotion.

THE EVANGEL OF HATE.

Globe-Democrat: The Prussian missionary, Ahlwardt, who has been preaching the gospel of hatred and extermination of Jews, will be treated as a crank and lunatic by the nearest museum or lunatic asylum.

Philadelphia Record: Herr Ahlwardt, the anti-Semite agitator, who has come to this country on a jet-hauling trip, hopes that he will not meet with him with "finger and thumb" and thus give him the notoriety which is the breath of life in the nostrils of a fanatic.

Chicago Tribune: There is no point of view from which Herr Ahlwardt's mission will commend itself to the American people. If he has come over here expecting to stir them up, arouse their prejudices, and set them on a Jew hunt, it is only a reflection upon his ignorance.

Buffalo Express.

Buffalo Express: Ahlwardt, the well known agitator against the German Jews, has just arrived in New York, or will be in a day or so. It is supposed he has come with the idea of extending his work to these shores.

Philadelphia Times: Considering the fact that the American Jew was his place in our best citizenship even before the revolution and has kept it ever since, and that his activity and energy, his charity and public spirit are felt everywhere among us today, the impudence of this man Ahlwardt's self-assumed mission is equaled only by its absurdity.

Washington Star.

Washington Star: His mission is an impudent one that should and probably will be resented by every honest and intelligent citizen. It is a waste of energy for him to seek rank and fame by the dissemination of a violent and riotous sort that he represents.

Chicago Record: No true American citizen has a momentary patience with either Ahlwardt or with his vice-grotesque.

PERSONAL AND OTHERWISE.

Missouri cannot honorably refuse taking its place in the republican procession.

The fact seems to be that the town by the lake bridge had a greater graft than the town by the lake.

Give me the ducks of my country to shoot," exclaimed Cleveland, "and I care not who makes her laws."

The women of Olympia, Wash., at the late election made a commendable innovation on current election methods by starting the day with a prayer meeting, but, as they did not hold the meeting until 9:30, they still gave the ungodly at least two and a half hours' start of them.

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HOT STUFF.

Boston Transcript: Out for the stuff—Taxidermist.

Chicago Record: What's the latest from the new woman?

Philadelphia Record: Hobson—Yes, I have my own house now, and I'm happy; but we expect to take rooms in an apartment house soon, and then I guess I'll change my tune.

Philadelphia Times: A Chicago man has invented a bicycle that accommodates the whole family. Other styles are successes, but this is calculated to bring down the house.

Detroit Free Press: "Harold," she cried, "I have just been told there is a price on your head." "For?" "For being a woman."

Judge: Tramp—I ain't lazy, I'm willing to work, but I don't find anything to do in my line.

Truth: Mrs. Newell—We will have to have another. "For?" "For being a woman."

Chicago Tribune: "Taking one thing with another," mused the burglar, adding the present day's asked the young man with a miscellaneous plunder already in his open satchel, "business in my line is pretty good."

IOWA PRESS COMMENT.

Sioux City Tribune: The record that Iowa school teachers have done better work in the union.

Sioux City Journal: Iowa republicans certainly can have no objection to St. Louis, but on the other hand, they have every reason to be satisfied with the selection of the committee, whose action, it may be added, will be approved by the republican party generally.

Davenport Democrat: The Nebraska papers are wasting space on the next election in that state, which does not take place for nearly a year.

Dubuque Telegraph: Senator Allen of Nebraska has introduced a bill prohibiting citizens of the United States, under pain of fine and imprisonment, from soliciting or accepting titles, patents of nobility or degrees of honor from foreign nations.

Des Moines Leader: The selection of St. Louis as the place of holding the next republican convention, as far as the place concerns such a matter, will aid Senator Allen.

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Lively Fight for Control of the Spoils Committee.

Kansas City Star: The contest for membership on the advisory board now in progress in the A. P. A. councils of the city is fought with much vigor, because on its result will depend very largely the position of the order in the city campaign next spring.

The importance of gaining control of the advisory board rests chiefly on the fact that the board passes on the qualifications of all candidates for the order's support.

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Three Days Free . . .

Only three more days in which to get a half dozen photographs free with each purchase of \$6 in children's department.

The Society Circus is with us, And there's a low railroad rate to Omaha.

It isn't boasting when we say that the biggest end of the best end of the clothing trade of Omaha is ours.

But we want out-of-city trade. This week we're selling splendid lots of Boys' and Children's Suits, Ulsters and Overcoats at about one-half price.

Two tables full on second floor. Men's all wool high grade Suits and Overcoats, \$10 to \$25—our own make.

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