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REPUBLICAN PARTY AND LABOR.

It is said that some of the democratic leaders are counting upon organized labor being largely against the republican party this year and are arguing upon carrying several states in which the labor unions are especially strong.

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In the light of recent dispatches from the far east it is rather interesting to read the views of such professed military experts as the Austrian and German military attaches as expressed at the Russian headquarters about six weeks ago.

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According to the Lincoln Journal a selection of Charles M. Rigg as assistant secretary of the State Board of Railroad Assessment was approved because Mr. Rigg has done considerable work for corporations during sessions of the legislature and is thoroughly qualified for the new position.

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In 1898 the czar of all the Russias, urged and finally forced by the reactionary influences surrounding him, was guilty of a great act of perfidy. He took away from the Finnish people, by imperial decree, the measure of self-government which had been granted to them by solemn treaty when they recognized the suzerainty of Russia.

Dr. PRICE'S CREAM BAKING POWDER helps housekeepers more than any other article in the household. Its use protects the health of the children.

Table with 2 columns: Circulation statistics for various months and years, including total circulation and net sales.

THE STATE OF NEBRASKA, Douglas County, ss. George H. Trenchard, Secretary of the Bee Publishing Company, being duly sworn, says that the actual number of full and complete copies of the Daily Bee, published during the month of April, 1904, was as follows:

THERE WILL BE NO DOUBLE-HEADER. The republican congressional convention of the Second district promises to be wild and tumultuous. The chairman of the district committee has refused to call a convention early enough to suit the majority that has control of the Douglas county committee.

The state supreme court has very wisely declined to act as a committee on credentials for contending political factions and its decision will doubtless be followed by the lower courts hereafter when appeals are made for restraining orders and mandamus in primary election fights.

Chicago develops some remarkable political freaks. The latest is an officeholder who refused to accept his salary for the time he was absent from the city. Local museums are bidding for him.

POLITICAL DRIFT. The "Sage of Essex" isn't saying a word and not a crow is heard in Woffert's room. The crowd will come later.

The weather man has evidently taken out a membership in the Civic Improvement league. Russian soldiers who cannot tell friends from enemies bid fair to rival Port Arthur mines in their destruction of Muscovite life.

Organized labor has had no more earnest friend than Theodore Roosevelt, as his record most amply and conclusively shows. He believes in it and has done much to promote its welfare.

The only inference to be drawn from the advertisement of several speeches to be delivered in this city shortly by Colonel Bryan is that the loyal democrats hereabouts are very seriously alarmed lest they be outnumbered by the disloyal democrats when the count of noses is had.

Silence that Betrays the Dead. Chicago Post. The Hearst resolutions in Iowa say: "In William Randolph Hearst we recognize a living exponent of true democratic principles."

Invincible Qualities of Honesty, Fearlessness and Decision. Portland Oregonian. The pre-eminence of Mr. Roosevelt in republican circles is not due to any political maneuvering on his part or to any sharp bargain he has driven with rival candidates.

POINTED REMARKS. Howell-Do you think it pays to put much money into clothes? Fewell-Not if you qualify a wife to go through them.—Town Topics.

When Japan shall have floated its proposed loan in the United States it may be easier to distinguish the trend of sympathy in this country. Connecticut seems to have the true brand of "fighting democracy."

What possible benefit could organized labor derive from the election of a democrat to the presidency that it might not reasonably hope to get from continuance in the office of Mr. Roosevelt? It should not be forgotten that the last democratic president not only did nothing for labor, but in consequence of his policies labor had one of the hardest experiences in her history.

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THE SAFETY VALVE. Be one's life however humdrum, and the "same old story" such day. Always in the "gentle springtime" we are prone to sound a lay.

The Russian commander of the fleet at Port Arthur has been given imperative orders by his superiors not to leave the harbor, which demonstrates how, in spite of war, the desires of Alexieff and Togo harmonize.

Discussing the policy of publicity for corporations an eastern financial paper remarks that a management has far more to gain than to lose by a reasonable regard for publicity. Oftentimes, it observes, were the public to put credit in official denials, the effect of an issue of bonds or stock might prove disastrous to a successful flotation.

LOUD UNIFORMS AS A TARGET. Philadelphia Press. The army officers in Washington say that they are not surprised over the proposal of a serious loss of officers by the Russians in the fighting with the Japanese. The Russian officers wear very conspicuous uniforms and thus become a prey to Japanese sharpshooters.

Official figures recently published by the German statistical office, in reference to suicides in the German empire, are by no means of a satisfactory nature. They show a steady increase in the number of persons who had committed suicide since 1900.

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TRAINING ON RIGHT LINES. St. Louis Globe-Democrat. The hopeful feature in the democratic party in 1898 and 1900 and the other wing is likely to follow the example in 1904.

The grain rate war is said to be settled. The settlement will not be complete, however, until Omaha has achieved a place on the map as a grain market commensurate with the importance of the grain belt for which it is the natural outlet.

Suppose the congressional committee had seen fit to refuse to issue a call, would any rational person contend that the Second congressional district would remain disfranchised? It is equally absurd to presume that the congressional committee will arrogate to itself the right to pass upon the credentials of delegates to the convention, duly elected from the respective counties and bearing the seal of legitimacy from the officers of the regular county organizations.

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"It Is Always Fair to Exchange Good Money For Good Clothes..." -Beau Brummel to his Valet. MAKE THE CHANGE HERE-

The committee which is to pass upon the portraits of "prominent women" before they may hang in the Woman's building at St. Louis is to be a secret one, says current dispatches, which, however, immediately render the statement questionable by saying that it is to be composed exclusively of women.

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