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It is and has been for some time past the custom of many of our contemporaries on entering upon a new vocation to print a double number of their paper...

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How do you like our style—neat and unassuming, is it not? In Philadelphia, it is safe to presume, impudence don't really impeach.

Is the Progressive Democracy should fail to progress, what will Henry George do? WOLFE's somewhat gentle drop seems to have rendered him unconscious just the same.

As usual the inexorable law of political gravitation will decide who the Beaver Cabinet will be.

Congress will convene in December, and already it casts its shadows of delusive hopes and fears abroad.

Some day the laboring masses of Chicago will open their eyes to the fact that striking is a business that don't pay.

As the period of Pattison's administration slowly wanes the effect of the late election becomes more forcibly apparent.

It is safe to conjecture that we are living in an age when Civil Service Reform don't exactly reform—a good many Federal office-holders.

In this little world of ours "Blackheads, Sorcerers and Extremists" may develop itself as gigantic as Buehard's New York "Hum, Romanism and Rebellion."

BOB INGENUOUS says that "the paradise of the rich is a gilded hell." It is astonishing to see the number of individuals who try to get there just the same.

SOMEONE has been cruel enough to insinuate that the Knight of Labor representatives will want a second term. Truly, this is looking far into the uncertain future.

If the spontaneous enthusiasm for Quay keeps up a little while longer, we are afraid that the few Democrats in the next Legislature will unthinkingly vote for him.

The political horoscope pictures McDevitt smilingly occupying Quay's seat in the State Treasury building, while Quay trends gently the vaulted corridors of the Senate.

The enthusiasm with which some of our contemporaries are fixing the Beaver Cabinet will only be equalled by the matter of fact manner in which leaders of the vindictive will do just as they please.

THERE is a silver lining to every dark cloud, and Calvin Well's should be willing to live on and hope for the best. We are living in an age of great pestilences, and who knows what some day Calvin may be vindicated.

We acknowledge the receipt of a beautiful engraving of the "World's Exchanges," compliments of Messrs. Moore & Seelye, the popular New York bankers and brokers, and published by Root & Tucker, Tribune Building, that city.

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We this week send sample copies of the CARBON ADVOCATE to a number of persons who have not hitherto been subscribers. If you like its appearance send us your name and address with one dollar and we will mail you the ADVOCATE for one year.

It is proposed to hold a world's exhibition in Washington from May to October, 1892, in honor of the 400th anniversary of the discovery of America by Columbus, and afterward to maintain a permanent exhibition there under the control of the government.

WITH two uncles and a referee to govern a game of base ball we can look out for some extraordinary wrangling when the game opens next season. Next in order will be the chartering of an undertaker and a coroner, followed soon by placing the national game on a systematic basis.

THE KNOT IN THE LABOR QUESTION.

The N. Y. Sun: The new labor party is slowly building a platform for itself. It went into the election for Mayor with no principle but that of the taxation of land without regard to the improvements upon it. The Saturday after the election it added a demand for the Government ownership of railroads and telegraphs.

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Broadbrim's New York Letter.

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and recommend both makes as exceptional as to value and quality, if indeed a recommendation is necessary.

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