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STATEMENT OF CIRCULATION. State of Nebraska, Douglas County, ss. Dwight Williams, circulation manager of The Bee Publishing Company...

Popular Choice of Senators.

The favorable report by a senate committee on the proposed constitutional amendment for popular choice of United States senators signals the rapid culmination of the movement that has had that object in view.

The framers of the constitution had before them as models the legislative bodies of Europe, and particularly that of Great Britain, most of which consisted of two houses, one the popular branch and the other with hereditary membership.

Popular choice of United States senators, therefore, could effect only one element of difference between the two houses and would in no way put them both on the same basis.

Mr. Carnegie on Strikes. Andrew Carnegie makes the sweeping assertion that nine-tenths of the strikes are due to employers' assistants.

In Defense of the Frank. If anyone started to hunt for a defense of the congressional frank the last place he would look would be to Collier's Weekly.

and, more than that, the realization of what mutual good will means to all concerned. This is no doubt what Mr. Carnegie has in mind.

Age Limit for Preachers. Some of the religious journals have deemed it necessary to raise objection to a tact rule of certain churches not to call pastors over 45 years of age.

Housewives, Look Out. The Porch Climbers' association has reduced the task of getting into the choice corners of homes in Cleveland to a simple basis.

Country Life and Farm Values. Sir Horace Plunkett's book on 'The Rural Life Problems in the United States' is an instructive treatise of a subject on which he is an authority.

Dividends Are Safe. That fine of \$2,500, which the Standard has just paid for accepting rebates will have any appreciable effect on the company's 6 per cent dividends.

Compounding Economy. The high cost of living seems to have one very important compensation. A physician says that those who eat the least stand the best chance of avoiding pneumonia.

Public Has a Right to Know. These seem to be the last days of secrecy in the public service. The feeling is growing that the public has a right to know how its own business is being conducted.

Vague Suspicion Outlined. Perhaps it is true, as the Lanesville News asserts that the tobacco trust has made no increase in prices to consumers.

mission plan, an achievement which he pronounces the capstone of his public services. It is the theory on which we are working in many portions of the country.

Might Does Not Make Right. Most people admit that with all the barbarity of warfare there have been many righteous wars.

What about a law to compel all charities depending on public contributions to report their financial and other operations and work under the supervision of some public authority?

Chicago Inter-Ocean. A dispatch from Ellijay, Ga., tells of a somewhat unusual rebuke administered to a disturber of church services by the Rev. James Kimmons.

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People and Events.

Weather note: 'We have seen better days.' Assurances are given that American dollars will be accepted at par value in payment for seats at the coronation festivities in London.

The British lord soon to be annexed to the house of Gould is two years younger than the bride's father and twenty-six years older than the bride.

A New Jersey statesman proposes a law abolishing tips, and the New York Board of Health warns travelers of the perils of a whisker-growing clothes in cars.

There are almanacs and almanacs—astronomical, political, medical, and others. The only one New York City has is the 'Handsome' one.

Effectiveness Ministerial Rebuke. What happened to a critic of Sermons in Georgia. Chicago Inter-Ocean. A dispatch from Ellijay, Ga., tells of a somewhat unusual rebuke administered to a disturber of church services by the Rev. James Kimmons.

Wealth of the United States. Pretty Fair Showing, but Not What It Should Be. Wall Street Journal.

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SERMONS BOILED DOWN.

A good man only punishes when he dare not pardon. The world never forgets those who forget themselves.

Life is all wasted when every today is a funeral over yesterday. It is not what you say to men but what you are to men that counts.

It is always much easier to rewrite a creed than to keep an ally clean. It's no use having recording angels if you're afraid of a business auditor.

SECULAR SHOTS AT PULPIT. New York Tribune. With Mrs. Eddy's works in the ship libraries, will the men of our navy study the giving of absent treatment to hostile fleets?

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Foreign exchange business alone of these countries is worth more than almost any dozen of our petted industries.

The time has come to consider these things seriously and drop the mutual admiration business for a while.

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