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- The Bee's Platform
1. New Union Passenger Station.
2. Continued improvement of the Nebraska Highways...
3. A short, low-rate Waterway from the Corn Belt to the Atlantic Ocean.
4. Home Rule Charter for Omaha, with City Manager form of Government.

Visit and Search.
The effort of the arms conference to outlaw the submarine is making some progress, although not proceeding as rapidly or as extensively as might be wished.

Under that humane rule the asperities of war were greatly softened. The scope of the World War, however, was such that combatants felt impelled to disregard the rule of visit and search and that requiring a blockade to be effective before it could be recognized as legal.

It was thus discovered how little substance there is to what has been so confidently referred to as "international law." "Visit and search" is a sacred phrase, but open to many constructions in actual warfare.

Reveling in the "Revolt."
Our interesting democratic contemporary gleefully shouts that the prairies are afire with "revolt," that if all the republican policies were left to a referendum they would be rejected.

Repeat of the excess profits tax law is another thing that would have been rejected by the referendum; maybe, but the World-Herald very studiously neglects to tell that the new revenue law relieves more than 2,500,000 heads of families of a burden laid on them by a democratic congress.

Sunrise and the New Day.
At a dinner where every man breathed hope and courage, over 1,200 Omaha bankers, merchants, manufacturers, salesmen and the like pledged themselves to make 1922 a real season of activity and prosperity.

With such determination success must follow. When the men whom President Harding designates as "ambassadors of trade" go out to meet their customers, they will be sustained by a faith that conquers.

Another View of the Farm Outlook.
Put in its simplest terms agriculture consists of raising raw products which are exchanged for manufactured ones.

The present economic order is essentially a co-operative one. Its co-operation is effected through exchange, and between all the exchanging groups there is an intimate degree of interdependence.

The point is made that European farmers are back on the job, but the manufacturers are not. The condition abroad, it is predicted, will be one in which the large volume of farm products must be exchanged on the basis of a curtailed industrial output.

Perils of Prophecy.
The announcement of a California scientist that earthquakes may be predicted with the same precision as weather forecasts are made might have been put more positively.

According to the method of determining the coming of earthquakes by detecting the slow preliminary movement of the earth's crust, it would seem that although a destructive shock might be predicted, neither the day nor the month nor even the year might be certainly known.

The situation may be compared to that in the Ibsen play in which one man discovers that the curative waters which have made a village famous are polluted. No one wanted to know the truth or even a bit of the truth.

That Spanish newspaper which looks back over the closing year and calls it rotten no doubt finds comfort in the belief that the next year could not be any worse.

THE HUSKING BEE - It's Your Day - Start It With a Laugh

SLEEP OUT THE OLD-SNORE IN THE NEW.
'Tis New Year's Eve and in the cabaret, Where New Year's Eve was wont to be so gay.

No ribald laughter nor suggestive quip Passes 'round from carmed lip to lip, No fairy dances on the table-top— Not e'en a sash with something on the hip.

'Tis true a few staid souls have come to dine, They'll hang around 'til noon, 'til half-past nine, Then home, for there is nothing else to do, No foaming stein, no champagne and no wine.

At midnight, when the obsequies are done, And folks have given up pursuit of fun, A little stranger, 1922, arrives To take the place of 1921.

The gay light in his eyes then slowly dies, And gives way to a look of pained surprise, "Where are the folks that used to wait," he said, "To drink my health and form their New Year's ties?"

Then on the threshold to the By and By, The Old Year stops and sadly wipes his eye, "Times have changed, there's no more fun," he said, "The country's bevo—prohibit—gone dry!"

PHILO-SOPHY.
A broken resolution is a broken rung in the ladder of success.
We hadn't really decided whether to start a new year or just go on with the old, but we see now that we have no option in the matter.

SEASONABLE ALIBI.
No, no, I didn't pick this out. I got it for Christmas.
I like the winter season With its sparkling frost and snow, I find it rather pleasant.

UNIMPORTANT ITEM.
We understand Babe Ruth didn't send Judge Landis a Christmas greeting card. Probably couldn't find one with the right sentiments on it.

ADD SIGNS OF SPRING.
Bunch of kids whiling away the tedious hours of vacation playing marbles. Who'll see the first robin?
Looks like the telephone company is going to have a hard time getting its number.

SNAPPY NEW YEAR.
Sapp who thinks he can start the New Year with a bung-starter or open it with a corkscrew, is laboring under a delusion which is apt to be a snare. It simply isn't being done this season.

BROKEN BOTTLES.
The havoc wrought by the proverbial bull in a china shop fades into a sweet dream of peace and quiet when compared to a squad of bulls fring into a drug store with riot guns.

IT'S ALL WRONG, SARJ!
All summer through the scorching heat, Upon the street where hot sun pours, The traffic cops stood on their beat And waved like human semaphores.

But now when chilling winds are here And gray clouds overcast the skies— When winter's in the atmosphere And coppers need the exercise.

THE HEALTHIEST YEAR
Insurance company statistics, covering 27,000,000 persons, make 1921 the healthiest year in the history of the United States and Canada.

AFTER-THOUGHT: We wouldn't be so anxious to watch the clock year go if we weren't sure there will be another to take its place.
Time to Repeat.
Once more they are grooming Carter Harrison for mayor of Chicago.

Fifty-Fifty.
Christmas goods dropped 50 per cent as compared with 1920, the mercantile experts tell us. So has dad's Christmas roll.—Richmond Times-Dispatch.

How to Keep Well

By DR. W. A. EVANS.
Quintessence containing hygiene, sanitation and prevention of disease, submitted to Dr. Evans by readers of The Bee, who have responded to his subject in proper limitations, where diagnosis, addressed envelope is enclosed.

BAD MENTAL HABITS.
This is the story of an investigation by a very intelligent, painstaking physician of some 90 young men, each of whom had one or more complaints.

Next in frequency was weakness. Then came stomach trouble. Other frequent complaints were nervous hands and feet, nervousness, shortness of breath, difficulty in breathing, backache and various kinds of headaches.

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The Bee's Letter Box

The Bee offers its columns freely to its readers who desire to discuss any question. It requests that letters be "neatly typed, not over 500 words, and also include the address of the writer so that the editor may be able to contact him if necessary.

Comment on the Strike.
Oxford, Neb., Dec. 27.—To the Editor of The Bee: In a recent editorial you rather rubbed it into the packers, blaming them for not harmonizing their differences with the strikers.

Thanks From the Legion.
Omaha, Dec. 27.—To the Editor of The Bee: We wish, through your columns, to extend to all those who have assisted us in carrying out the program undertaken in the Douglas County post, American Legion, during the Christmas season our most sincere thanks.

Where to Draw the Line.
Gibson, Neb., Dec. 26.—To the Editor of The Bee: In a recent editorial in The Bee you stated that the unmistakable impression of my letter of December 10 was that those who do the common toll were to be denied the benefit of education.

Long Walks—Regularly.
H. writes: "I, My height is 5 feet 3 1/2 inches and my weight is 138, I eat well, but I don't eat much a day. Would long walks help to keep me to normal?"

REPLY.
1. Yes.
2. Yes.
3. No.
4. No.
5. No.
6. No.
7. No.
8. No.

Have Swollen Glands Cured.
Miss A. E. C. writes: "About four years ago I was 14. I was operated on for a swollen gland below the chin, or seven months later I noticed a whole string of glands had begun to swell from a point below the ear almost down to the shoulder. We again operated on, but only one or two glands were removed."

REPLY.
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2. Yes. There are various routes by which such infections enter the body, just as they result from different infecting bacteria.
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Common Sense

By J. J. MUNDT.
You Have Got to Work.
You say that it is so long since you have had as much as a week of work ahead of you that you have forgotten how it would feel to be assured of enough to keep you from want, if not actual hunger, should this winter be a hard one.

Suppose you take an hour or more each day to think up what would help you most with your work, what sort of knowledge would put you into a better place along your line than you have ever held before.

Persons have been known to get so interested in ideas of advancement along favorite lines that they have not cared to get—did not want to sleep.

College Girls as Splinters.
Fifty per cent of college girls become splinters, says a California professor. Whether it is a dreadful fate depends on the point of view.—Pittsburgh Gazette-Times.

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