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ONE SAFE COURSE OPEN TO ALL.

A single great outstanding fact has been before the American voters since the opening of the campaign.

It is as certain as anything can be that La Follette will not get enough votes to elect him.

But this desired result can only be made possible by voting for Coolidge.

What reason is there for desiring to turn Coolidge out of office, to substitute either of his opponents?

Since 1921, when the republicans started to rebuild the wreck into which the democrats had plunged the nation by encouraging the post-war orgy of speculation, government finances have been stabilized.

This sort of intelligent process will be continued under Coolidge and a republican congress.

Davis promises, if elected, to lower the protective tariff, in the face of an industrial revival in Europe.

La Follette not only promises to lower the tariff, but his schemes would increase the taxes.

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—By Omaha's Own Poet—

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ON THE FENCE AFTER ELECTION.

I oft have sat upon the fence

Before I did the chores,

And thought about the promises

Of office-seeking bores;

I've studied much the ideas which

These fellows recommend,—

But I believe that energy

Is man's most faithful friend.

Now that suspense is largely o'er,

And smoke has cleared away,—

I sit upon the fence and let

My musings go astray;

But I don't telly wait to reap

The things I was said I'd get.

Because I know that one must earn

His dimes and dollars yet.

But it's a pleasure, I am sure,

To call again to mind

The lukewarm issues of the days

A single step behind,—

And while I sit upon the fence

'Till chore time drifts along

I'm thankful that my heart is free,

And that my gums are strong

prerogatives. This has been modified to the extent of paying taxes and otherwise conforming to local laws and regulations, as "rendering unto Caesar the things that are Caesar's."

The late Peter Jansen of Jansen, Neb., was twice called upon by the Dominion government to quiet religious outbursts among the Doukhobors.

GIVE FACTS TO THE PUBLIC.

Oscar Wilde once said, "Hall Caine always writes at the top of his voice." Something of the sort applies to Samuel Untermyer and Frank P. Walsh.

Just now they are whooping it up over the "slush fund." This is a stock charge, heard in every campaign, and always alleged against the republican party.

Weeks of examination of witnesses of their own choosing, before an impartial committee has failed to develop any evidence of the existence of an enormous corruption fund.

Senator Borah, chairman of the committee, has the confidence of the public. He says the matter will be probed. It should be, for the sake of America's reputation.

BEATS THE OLD BABYLON BRICK.

If you wish, you may buy a bit of brick that was sun-dried and laid in the walls of Babylon, or Nineveh, or some other of the Mesopotamian capitals long before Abraham set up the livestock business in Canaan.

But improvement has come in the art of making brick, and Omaha is just now the scene of an attempt that promises to revolutionize building methods.

Architects and builders who have examined it, express great interest in the discovery. As one of the best known architects of the city says, it will, if entirely practical, reduce the cost of steel in a modern office building by fully one-half.

Just as the modern brick beats that of Babylon, so does this new discovery promise to excel the modern brick. It is a world of progress and Omaha may have a new industry that is abreast of the age.

The death of the author of the Nick Carter stories having almost as frequently as the death of the last survivor of the Charge of the Light Brigade.

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The Big Question



Letters From Our Readers

All letters must be signed, but name will be withheld upon request. Communications of 200 words and less, will be given preference.

Vote for the School Bonds. Omaha, Neb., Nov. 1.—To the Editor of The Omaha Bee: To the millionaire and laborer, to the farmer and the business man: There is only one thing that you can give your children that someone else cannot steal, and that is an education.

That's Only Mike's Way. Omaha, Neb., Nov. 1.—To the Editor of The Omaha Bee: I note the World-Herald in its issue of this morning publishes a letter from Mr. M. F. Harrington of O'Neill in which he states that the committees at Washington representing organized labor have endorsed the candidacy of Mr. Jamieson for Congress from the Second District.

That's That for Canada. Glidden, Ia.—To the Editor of The Omaha Bee: Under date of June 11, 1924, you published an editorial upholding Canada as a cheaper wheat-growing country than the United States, and you further intimated that the world produces upwards of a half billion bushels of wheat every year.

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LISTENING IN

On the Nebraska Press

Gus Buechler of the Grand Island Independent meekly insinuates that the reason men do not go to church is that they are not interested in what other men wear.

Lev Shelley of the Fairbury News laments the fact that there has never been a beauty contest for men. In a male beauty contest, Lev would be eliminated by a set of blind judges, unless the entries were limited to him, Asa Wood of the Gering Courier, Ole Buck of the Harvard Courier and Jack Walsh of the Auburn Republican.

Conan Doyle declares that everybody will work in the next world, which impels Editor Huse of the Wayne Herald to remark that it will be hell for a lot of people until they get used to it.

The Nebraska City Press would like to know what has become of

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SUNNY SIDE UP

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THE VICTORS.

After the battle is over and cooled is the heat of the fray: After the losing or winning, we come to the close of the day. After winning or losing is nothing compared to the way that we fought.

After the battle is over, and counted the gain or the cost. The loser is often the victor, the victor the one who has lost. For error may triumph a season, and rule for a time by its might.

It isn't the fact you are winner; it's how you have fought through the day. The battle, though lost, may be only the part of an infinite plan. To learn if you really measure full up to the size of a man.

A woman stepped up to the counter in the flower department of a downtown store and inquired as to the cost of wreaths and sprays. She was quoted prices and finally decided on what she would take. Then she was asked when she wanted it delivered, and she replied: "I'll let you know. The party isn't dead yet."

We have often wondered where the movie recruited their stars. Now we know. Little Bryce came home from school the other day and told his mother that they had played "Golden Locks and the Three Bears."

An Omaha man and his wife are political opponents. They have agreed to part today, but both will remain at home, each to watch the other.

Were you went to work this morning Did you go and vote? Were your office chair adorning Did you go and vote? If you didn't, quick, hop to it! Grab your hat now and go do it. Vote the right way as you view it— But vote!

Word comes of a torchlight parade that ended a day's political rally in a western Nebraska county. It seems that people have actually been taking some interest in politics, after all.

We speak from experience when we say that it is disconcerting for a man to make a talk at a Father and Son banquet when two or three of his own boys sit in front and listen. He is afraid that the boys will laugh at the wrong place. WILL M. MAUPIN.

These "No Beer, No Work" buttons worn so prominently a few years ago. "Fortunately the corrupt practices act does not apply to straw votes," chuckles the Auburn Herald.

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