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State of Nebraska, County of Douglas, ss:
Dwight Williams, circulation manager of The Bee Publishing Company, being duly sworn, says that the average daily circulation for the month of January, 1914, was 50,542.

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Farmers and Autos.
Farmers of Nebraska and Iowa and other states are numerous at the annual Automobile show, not only as spectators, but also as purchasers.

What proportion of sales made during these annual shows are to farmers we do not know, but we imagine it is large. The upshot of it all is another emphatic affirmation that the basis of permanent prosperity is found in the tiller of the soil.

The Case of Castillo.
What is the status and the best disposition to make of the Mexican bandit, Maximo Castillo, held by federal powers in a Texas prison?

Up to the Parent.
When a child and his teacher fall out the child invariably blames the teacher and goes home feeling sure that he himself is right.

Democratic Dollar Diplomacy.
By way of Paris comes the information that our State department has been receiving the co-operation of the American Chamber of Commerce in its effort at readjusting tariff disputes with France.

Looking Backward
This Day in Omaha
CONTRIBUTED FROM BEE FILES

FEBRUARY 27.
Thirty Years Ago—
Another terrific explosion started the people of Omaha which it turned out came from a powder magazine belonging to Steele Johnson which was blown up.

Twenty Years Ago—
Circuit Judges Caldwell and Sanborn issued their eagerly-looked-for order commanding the Union Pacific to meet its employes in conference on wages, and so it was announced that on March 15 President S. H. H. Clark and such other officials as agreed to would meet the men through their delegates and redress the grievances arising when the company slashed the wages some weeks hence following the receivership.

Ten Years Ago—
Raymond Kline, the little one-armed newsboy, for whom so many good people manifested sympathy, found a happy home when Emil Moll of Lincoln adopted him.

People and Events
Even in the "Sunny South" the high cost of living is causing some unhappiness. A Mississippi man is being sued for \$7,000 for stealing a lion.

Hammer Taps
Nearly all of the trouble in this world is started by people who imagine they are doing good.

Twice Told Tales
A Mean Trick.

Two lawyers, one a veteran and the other a novice, were arguing a case before a judge renowned for his incorruptibility. The novice, however, was unaware of this. Taking the veteran, his opponent, aside before the case went on, he said:

His Trusty Sword.
Brown, an elderly gentleman, was entertaining some friends one night, and during the evening some of the guests paused to admire a particular room where arms of various kinds decorated the walls.

Editorial Viewpoint
Kansas City Times: The editor of that Mexican paper ought to have known better than to go up against a man named O'Shaughnessy.

Lincoln and Spiritualism.
OMAHA, Feb. 26.—To the Editor of The Bee:—The other day had a short notice of Dr. Eddy's "stunts," in which is the following:

Why an Army and Navy.
BRADSHAW, Neb., Feb. 26.—To the Editor of The Bee: We have for some time been wondering what our country navy and army have been to our country since the Wilson administration set in.

The Bee's Letter Box

As to Girl Shoe Shiners.
OMAHA, Feb. 26.—To the Editor of The Bee: We take great pleasure in thanking Mr. McIntosh for his boost to the trust busters of the Twentieth Century shoe shining parlor.

Mexico.
FAIRFIELD, Neb., Feb. 26.—To the Editor of The Bee: It is now apparent that President Wilson's Mexican policy of "watchful waiting" is a failure, and that his refusal to put himself in accord with the other leading nations in recognizing Huerta's government was a mistake.

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SMILING REMARKS.
"Been little Chawlie Brown's spout coast says he paid \$40 for it. Chawlie's extravaganza is getting worse and worse."
"Should be checked."
"Was paid."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Quaint Bits of Life
Robert Goodnight of Michigan town, Ind., has a hen which regularly goes on the nest and comes off cackling, but has never laid an egg. She has, however, hatched and raised several broods of chickens.

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