# THE MORNING BEE

MORNING-EVENING-SUNDAY

THE BEE PUBLISHING COMPANY NELSON B. UPDIKE, Publisher. B. BREWER, Gen. Manager.

MEMBER OF THE ASSOCIATED PRESS The Associated Press, of which The Ree is a member, is exclusively entitled to the use for republication of all news dispatches credited to it or not otherwise credited in this paper, and also the local news published herein. All rights of republications of our special dispatches are also reserved.

BEE TELEPHONES Private Branch Exchange. Ask for the Department or Person Wanted. For Night Calls After 10 P. M.: AT lantic Editorial Department. AT lantic 1021 or 1042.

Main Office—17th and Farnam

Co. Bluffs - - 15 Scott St. So. Side, N. W. Cor. 24th and N. New York—286 Fifth Avenue

Washington - 422 Star Bldg. Chicago - - 1720 Steger Bldg.

### THE IOWA'S LAST BATTLE.

"Here she lies where she longed to be."

The Iowa was one of that insignificant little went down in Havana harborga thrill went through the nation, the shock and the reaction. War was as the nation, the shock and the reaction. War was as the passing of the days, and on sea as on land, for our foe was to be met on both sides of the world by army and navy.

Rossvelt, as assistant secretary of the navy in the world by army and navy.

Rossvelt, as assistant secretary of the navy in the world by army proved how fully the situation was vishong that proved how fully the situation was vishong that proved how fully the situation was vishone the pople are fitted for self-rule. Americans, he says, have no conception of the passing of the fatures as they were?

And the passing of the days, and on sea as on ideal to know her features as they were?

And the navier of the passing of the pas

Kong that proved how fully the situation was vis- ple as a whole, it will only be necessary to prove ioned at Washington. When the Olympic had the desire for separation and the capability for mainsteamed under the guns at Corregidor and Montojo's taining an independent democratic government in fleet had not only been found but destroyed, in lit- order to win the Filipinos the right to call a constitueral compliance with that order, the stage was fully | tional convention of their own,

round half the world, as did the Oregon, nor does well outside the three-mile limit. the state for which she was named possess a deep ten years after the Battle of Santiago, she could the most useful and law-abiding birds. have engaged and defeated every vessel of both The insinuation is plain, that this pigeon, havnavies present at that fight and never have been ling tasted the hootch, liked it and chased the ship within range of their strongest guns. And now the several hundred miles and then deliberately "framed Nebraska has been scrapped as obselete. Thus does up" a second drop on the deck in order thereby to the science of gunnery and naval architecture pro- get another drink.

fitting that she should have the president's salute as she sunk. Officers and men, lining the rail and standing at attention, must have recalled Holmes'

was the fitting that she should have the president's salute as should have the president's salute as should have the president's salute as of all, apparently exhausted, on the decks of vessels wink. When just the proper quantity of drink that other size of control of the present day boats. It was the proper quantity of the present day boats. It was the proper quantity of the present day boats. It was the proper quantity of the present day boats. It was the proper quantity of the present day boats. It was the proper quantity of the present day boats. It was the proper quantity of the present day boats. It was the proper quantity of the present day boats. It was the proper quantity of the present day boats. It was the proper quantity of the present day boats. It was the proper quantity of the present day boats. It was the proper quantity of the present day boats. It was the proper quantity of the present day boats. It was the proper quantity of the present day boats. It was the proper quantity of the present day boats. It was the proper quantity of the present day boats. It was the proper quantity of the present day boats. It was the proper quantity of the proper standing at attention, must have recalled Holmes' lines, written for "Old Ironsides:"

Nail to the mast her holy flag. Set every threadbare sail.
And give her to the god of storms. The lightning and the gale.

## WHEN BILLION MEETS BILLION.

Henry Ford has just told a waiting world that within twenty years a great Ford plant, in which 20,000 men are employed, turning out raw material to be fabricated into Henry's principal output, will the era of big business is just beginning. Under klan shows only mediocre ability. Despite all the The time when rum no longer should be looked upon as a small concern. In fact, he says the new era articles the people need will be pro- high professions of the mysterious figures at headduced at prices the people can afford to pay.

the day! Yet a fly remains in the ointment. Nobody has as yet received an intimation that "John D." is contemplating abdication. Until the Standard Oil can be induced to make some concession, the their particular code of conduct. The men at the The human heart. first cost of the auto is sure to be overshadowed head of the klan were not big enough to hold their by the upkeep. And that opens a field for specula- subjects in control. The evil thoughts once started

coal trust, the transportation trust, the steel trust, tore at its foundations. There is much to interest and the lumber trust, by setting up railroads, coal readers in this revelation of the klan, which shot mines, saw mills and blast furnaces of his own, be across the midnight sky like a flery rocket, and induced to buy or bore a few oil wells of his own, which now seems to have fallen, burned out and and from them send forth such a flow of "gas" as spent. will make the octopus tremble, and trembling loosen its hold upon the public. Even if Mr. Ford restricted the privilege of purchasing his brand of fuel to for law and order and entertain a higher opinion of those who drive his make of car, it would be a boon, the police force if the warring factions in the city Was she who knew the white man for more of the precious fuel is used to make fliv- hall would patch up a truce. vers rattle than for any other known purpose.

It would be a spectacle to invite attention even from Olympus, which has not noted another such ling of the whistle to declare off school for one day struggle since the Titans were put down. Let billion meet billion in the open field, the test being service to mankind in the way of lowering the cost of two great household necessities (gas buggies and the gas to drive them), and the guerdon the approval of their fellow men. It will be worth while, if only it can be properly staged.

## LORD CURZON'S TURN NOW.

Charles Evans Hughes has done a very graceful thing, the one wholly in keeping with the traditions of "shirt sleeve" diplomacy. He found he had wrongly charged Great Britain with a breach of the naval compact. Convinced that he was wrong, our secretary of state publicly and frankly admits his error and officially apologizes to the British govern-

This is not usual, but it is decent. No pride is humbled, no humiliation is felt, and a probable cause for irritation is removed, because the American secretary of state follows what is characteristic of the foreign relations of our country and squarely admits a mistake. His course is in distinct contrast with that pursued by Lord Curzon, at this time for-

eign secretary in the Bonar Law cabinet. On representations from British vessel owners, And you hated-you detested to be told to hit the hay. the British foreign office some months ago withdrew official recognition of the American consul and vice consul at Newcastle. Secretary Hughes found Things at other times prosaic brought unparalleled dethe charges to be without substance, and ordered the consular offices at Newcastle to be closed. Lord Curzon, although apprised of the truth in the matter, stubbornly persists in his course, and British

shippers are greatly inconvenienced thereby. Mr. Hughes has set an example which Lord Curzon may well follow. If the friendly relations of such long standing as between the United States and | But tonight your children hear it. You are in your the British empire are to be maintained, it will be only through absolute frankness and fairness in all official dealiers 1 1 4 21

## WHEN A RACE COMES OF AGE.

A good thing for Americans to think about now and then is the question of what shall be done with the Philippines. Without doubt the meshes of trade and commerce are binding the business interests of the islands and this continent closer together each year. There is, however, no similarity of race or nature between Americans and the people of the Asian possession. It is to be expected that they will some day call for the redemption of the pledge first made by President McKinley and ask definitely for independence.

From a Nebraska farm a schoolboy writes for information on this question, which has arisen in a class debate. It is easy enough to find books and articles by American observers who believe that the of jangling voices, chaffering to win of fat dog stewing, Fink, with mourn-did not, for any of us can see by their willing for his people, for instance, to Why not? Where should a poet time has not yet come, and some who doubt if it ever will come, for the freeing of this dependency. As dies the dissonance of brawling of The other side is presented in a speech of Jaime C. Veyra, resident commissioner from the Philippine In writing of the Iowa, once proud vessel of the islands to the United States. It was delivered in United States navy, it might be permitted to quote congress last month, and is available as a governand paraphrase a line from Stevenson's own epitaph: ment document. Others than schoolboys may find

interest in this expression of opinion. Commissioner Veyra asserts that the Filipino group of warships at which a haughty European people consider that the holding of a constitutional monarch sneered when the war with Spain broke convention is the next logical step to be taken in No answer; yet we know that she was out. What the European experts failed to count advance of their promised complete independence. upon was the soul that was as much part of the ships He expresses gratitude for the benefits conferred as of the men who rode them. When the Maine by American educators, doctors and administrators went down in Havana harbora a thrill went through and declares his belief that the people are fitted for

set and the curtain up on the action of their own.

If Cuba was to be relieved, then it was essential that Cervera make his way across the Atlantic and cugage the fleet under Sampson. The Battle of the Captains took place on July 3, 1898, and it was here the Iowa won distinction that never will be forgotten. Into the thickest of the flight and found the hottest betther of all. To the Robley D. Evans, intrepid and found the hottest betther of all. To the end the Iowa carried the scars of that engagement. But the Iowa kan found the hottest betther of all. To the end the Iowa carried the scars of that engagement. But the Iowa kan found the hottest betther of all. To the end the Iowa carried the scars of that engagement. But the Iowa kan do made no spectacular race with that order, the stage was fully set and tend the curtain up on the action of the dead of higher the moment, falled At Aulis? What the image that looked to the think and the four winds falled At Aulis? What the image that looked to the one more dains in creasingly friendly luman contact concernshing threat the four winds falled At Aulis? What the image that looked the function of their own.

HENCE THE TERM, "PIGEON WING."

Is there no limit to the machinations of the liquor of the deak of a liner far a story of a pigeon which fell upon the deak of a liner far out at sea. The steared a man who takes one more dains are the four winds falled At Aulis? What the image that looked the four winds falled At Aulis? What the image that looked the four winds falled At Aulis? What the image that looked the four winds falled At Aulis? What the image that looked the four winds falled At Aulis? What the image that looked the four winds falled At Aulis? What the image that looked the four winds falled At Aulis? What the image that looked the four winds falled At Aulis? What the image that looked the four winds falled At Aulis? What the image that looked the four winds falled At Aulis? What the image that looked the four winds falled At Aulis? What the image that loo But the Iowa had made no spectacular race by the steward-with whisky, the vessel being still !

We protest-and we trust the Anti-Saloon league water harbor, in which to shelter the gallant craft. and the Pigeon Fanciers' association will join us-Within six years the Iowa was out of the first line. we protest against this attempted glorification of When the Nebraska went into commission, less than Uquor at the expense of the reputation of one of

So the Iowa has sunk in the waters where she to think. We are expecting any day to see dis- some blowsy Ariadne pined for Mike. did her greatest service, a test for the destructive patches stating that large flocks of pigeons are "It is me rule to love capacity of the present day boats. It was meet and waiting, just outside the three-mile limit, ready to

'Tain't right, friends, 'tain't right

and-let-live" principles of democracy, the exterior Against the knowing reticence of of the Ku Klux Klan has no attraction. How To echo laughter in the time of tears. Jesus Christ, Thy Son, our Savior. Let us be equal much worse it is on the interior may be judged by Haw gusts of mocking merriment that Amen the inside story, "The Ku Klux Bubble," which is being published serially in The Omaha Evening Bee.

Great movements invariably have great men at Inscrutably confutes us! their head. An intimate view of the leaders of the quarters in Atlanta, this peep behind the scenes This, we take it, will include automobiles. Speed | shows them to have been lacking utterly in vision and apostles of nothing but prejudice.

The danger in this was that isolated units of the hooded order descended to violence in enforcing on their way scattered and grew into actual of-Suppose Mr. Ford, who has just dehorned the fenses which, instead of building up Americanism,

And again the people might have more respect

is at least entitled to recognition for his enterprise.

What some enthusiastic supporters of an alliance with Europe find difficulty in explaining is how prosperity returns without the "foreign market."

One thing is missing in connection with the Piute uprising: None of the ranchers out there have any hay to sell to the cavalry.

No, dear, an ice jam is nothing like strawberry

# Homespun Verse

By Robert Worthington Davie

TIME TO GO TO BED.

Can you vividly remember when at twillight father said. "It is time for little folks to be a hikin' off to bed." You obeyed your dad's instructions with repulsiveness

and dread. For of all the hours the sweetest seemed to be at close of When you really were enchanted by the revelry of play,

Gloom of morn and noon was rapture in the quietness of night.

light:--You believed your dad was making you the bondsman of his spite.

All but joyful you responded to the call your father gave; Up the stair you sulked in anger as you could and yet An abused and solemn youngster-in your own belief a

father's stead.

And perhaps they feel as you felt when your wise old "It is time for little folks to be a hikin' off to bed."

The Son's of Three Friends
A Prize Winnin's Poem & Western Life by John G. Neihardt

Defore reaching the Musselshell the party were driven to shore by a torm, and when the storm had passed the river was frozen solid as the land. Omaha Bee: It begins to look like yet he has not put his finger on a Neihardt, Nebraska's poet laureate, backs, reached the village of the Bloods after two days' journey through the So the trappers cached half their goods, and, carrying the rest upon their snow, and the net was cast, for

To wear that mask of sorrow he as-

Kind Words for Lama Ducks.

riotic as ever.

There was a woman What enchantment falls Upon that far off revel! How the din

world What rose-breatht wind of ghostly In language more expressive than things Governor Bryan wants. The welfare last. music creeps:

And was she fair-this woman? If truly comes the tale by many a That one of Red Hair's party fathered

In some unearthly valley where the They shall prosper that love Thee.-Ps. Gmaha golden fruitage perilously

Then shall the world turn wonderful and strange

To Fink at last? For he was not of for the sake of Christ Thou wouldst of such and the sake of Christ Thou wouldst of such and the sake of Christ Thou wouldst of such cities. Almost every large forgive us and help us to so live that city in Europe has one, and the averaged and the such as the sake of Christ Thou wouldst of such cities. Almost every large forgive us and help us to so live that city in Europe has one, and the averaged and the such as the sake of Christ Thou wouldst of such cities. Almost every large forgive us and help us to so live that city in Europe has one, and the averaged and the such as the sake of Christ Thou wouldst of such cities. Almost every large forgive us and help us to so live that city in Europe has one, and the average and the such as the sake of Christ Thou wouldst of such cities. Almost every large forgive us and help us to so live that city in Europe has one, and the average and the such as the sake of Christ Thou wouldst of such cities. Almost every large forgive us and help us to so live that city in Europe has one, and the average and the sake of Christ Thou wouldst of such cities. Almost every large forgive us and help us to so live that city in Europe has one, and the average and the sake of Christ Thou wouldst of such cities. Almost every large forgive us and help us to so live that city in Europe has one, and the average and the sake of Christ Thou wouldst of such cities. And legend has it that, from Pittsburg and the life of the Master with us. style and more pen than the down Grant that we may have that purity eigner, probably not the dr How far the liquor interests will go we tremble To Baron Rouge, in many a river of heart by which we may be always schooling.

Some logic in the seeming ruck of

Now had come be rum.
But witchwine sweet with peril. It beful In this wise, insofar as tongue may tell And tongues repeat the little eyes may guess of what may happen in that wilder ness. The human heart. There dwelt a mighty man Among the Eloods, a leader of his clan. Around whose life were centered many lives. For many sons had he of many wives. And also he was rich in pony herds.

Wherefore they say, men searched the little eyes may ways conducted lightly though it is a serious matter. The people like the men they elect to office or they would not elect them, but they treat the political good or bad fortune of their leaders lightly, and a man may still be a leader even though he is termed in the flippant language of the paragraphers a 'lame duck.' There is little difference between the temporary popularity of a candidate who is elected by a small majority and one who is defeated by a narrow margin, but the successful one is classed as repudiated.

Wherefore they say, men searched d also he was rich in pony herds. Wherefore, they say, men searched ated.

To shape aright the stubborn stuff of Among the women that he had to of Red Hair made such marvel in the The Fremont youngster who caused the sound- She being younger then and little

But in that she was pleasing to the And kept her fingers busy for her and bore a silent tongue, the great Upon the woman, called her to his fire And gave the Long Knife's girl a So that her maidenhood was never But like a pasture that is ever green Because it feels a mountain's sunny

Now in the season when the pale sun Far southward. like another kind of And dawns were laggard and the dark ft pleased the great man's whim to Twas five days after Carpenter went With eight stout ponies and a band of To life the cache: a fact that well Sly father to the great man's festive A wistfully prospective gratitude, Anticipating charity!

That while the women sang and the young men danced It chanced

NET AVERAGE CIRCULATION for FEBRUARY, 1923, of THE OMAHA BEE

B. BREWER, Gen. Mgr. V. A. BRIDGE, Cir. Mgr. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of March, 1923. W. H. QUIVEY, Notary Public

# "The People's Voice"

From a Bryan Supporter.

And ever 'twixt the songs arose the taxes. fooling around and get behind Gov-ernor Bryan and put through his prosumed In comic mood, thenceforward to the payers in the state besides those in For even as he joked, the net was ties.

rooftree down?
What face was hers who made the timeless town
A baleful torch forever? Hers who wailed
Upon the altar when the four winds falled
At Aulis? What the image that looked

To make America a musical nation, through a few facts to give the move after wards!

To make America a musical nation, through a few facts to give the move through a few facts to give the move and story or chestra, an energetic salute? In think it is of utmost necessity to the delate over partisan quarrels think there may be a cease.

To make America a musical nation, through a few facts to give the move and story or chestra, an energetic salute? In this plan, through its variety and tall.

There wasn't any drama; that was all, but when she left, the wit had died to the four winds and the through a few facts to give the move.

To make America a musical nation, through a few facts to give the move.

To make America a musical nation, through a few facts to give the move.

To make America a musical nation, through a few facts to give the move.

To make America a musical nation, through a few facts to give the move.

To make America a musical nation, through a few facts to give the move.

To make America a musical nation.

To make America a musical nation, through a few facts to give the move.

To make America a musical nation.

To make America a mus

Our Heavenly Father, we would spoke after having heard me With golden fruitage perilously fraught
Still stands—that image of God's after-thought.
Then shall the world turn wonderful thank Thee for Thy manifold mercies chestra, now growing. It is not in-and continued love and care to us, so conceivable that we Americans can Who knows hom came the miracle of unworthy of any of Thy blessings have an orchestra in every larger city we confess our sins, and pray that over 100,000 people, and we have 65 pined for Mike. May we see our opportunities every musical meadow. We need more day, and help us to use them that we warmth, by it artificial. Cities like He often said, with slow, omniscient may best minister to our fellow men. Syracuse, Grand Rapids, Sloux City, and bring glory to Thy great and holy Los Angeles, San Francisco, Kansas Shure, now, they're all wan liquer to accept Jesus as Savior and Lord, creations and moods ever written for while Thy believing followers may the any combination by nation wide LIKE A SKYROCKET.

whin they're poured!

Aye, rum is rum, my b'y!"

Alas the tongue!

Alas the tongue!

Alas the tongue!

How glibly are its casy guesses flung

While Thy believing tollowers may the any combination by fluid and the faith. Be gracious to all in sadness and difficulty. Help them to fully trust in Culty. Help them to fully trust in Wagner, Rimsky-Korsakow. Tehairment of the country of the count We ask this all in the name of Grieg, Debussy and Richard Strauss

There is room for a city symplony in Omaha. The Universal Concert bureau's business way of doing is their symphony concert.

the Minneapolis people, was gol The "lame duck" discussion is always conducted lightly though it is a season. It is their first concert this season. The Omaha symphony is go

courage, ambition and Men who are recognized as among She took up the study of piano. One his lightest words

For hidden things, since anyone might see

That none had stronger medicine than he

To shape aright the stubbern stuff of capable after defeat as before—as pasess in her a remarkable specimen

Steger

Peerless

419 S. 16th,

Omaha

10 USED PIANOS

will be sold at the Oakford Music Store at give-

away prices, and they will be snapped up

Here They Are

Wellington

Hackley Singer Hospe Player

and Kurtzmann Player

Prices \$95 \$135 \$165 \$185 Etc.

Now is the time for the wise buyer to act.

THE OMAHA BEE

DICTIONARY COUPON

3 Coupons 98c

secures this NEW, authentic Dictionary bound in black seal grain,

Present or mail to this paper three Coupons with ninety-eight cents cents to cover cost of handling, packing, clerk hire, etc.

22 DICTIONARIES IN ONE

All Dictionaries Published Previous to This One Are Out of Date

MAIL ORDERS WILL BE FILLED-Add for postage: Up to 180 miles, 7c up to 300 miles, 10c. For greater distances, ask Postmaster rate for 3 pounds

illustrated with full pages in color.

Sterling

quickly by shrewd buyers.

J. & C. Fischer

Cable

## "From State and Nation" -Editorials from Other Newspapers-

What Is a Dictator? From The Nebraska City Press.

Governor Eryan has preached

against the "special interests" until Geneva, Neb.-To the Editor of The it has become an obsession with him, From the Scottsbluff News. publicans in the house are right when the unsuspecting people of his state. ty of a comparatively insignificant About the drummers, and the pipe they say that they did not promise anything, in the compagn last fall if went round, and ever 'twixt the songs arose the taxes.

The governor hates distators, oppression of the governor hates distators, oppression of the song and open and opposite they say that they did not promise anything, in the compagn last fall if sors and open, yet, on occasion, he has been widely voiced throughout seems to employ the methods he promise they say that they did not promise anything, in the compagn last fall if sors and open, yet, on occasion, he seems to employ the methods he promise they say that they did not promise anything, in the compagn last fall if sors and open, yet, on occasion, he seems to employ the methods he promise they say that they did not promise anything, in the compagn last fall if sors and open, yet, on occasion, he seems to employ the methods he promise they are the same than the promise anything. Perhaps it is just as well that they fesses to so much despise. He is un- braska secure him. The lesser values, hushes at the words.
As dies the dissonance of brawling birds
Upon a calm before the storm is hurled!

Lo, down the age-long reaches of the

Interest of the lesser values, hushes at the words.

As dies the dissonance of brawling birds
Upon a calm before the storm is hurled!

Lo, down the age-long reaches of the Discussed the many wives the old man the next election to get what they of his crusades; that he is a self-seekthe next election to get what they of his crusades; that he is a self-seekthe next election to get what they of his crusades; that he is a self-seekthe next election to get what they of his crusades; that he is a self-seekthe next election to get what they of his crusades; that he is a self-seekthe next election to get what they of his crusades; that he is a self-seekthe next election to get what they of his crusades; that he is a self-seekthe next election to get what they of his crusades; that he is a self-seekthe next election to get what they of his crusades; that he is a self-seekthe next election to get what they of his crusades; that he is a self-seekthe next election to get what they of his crusades; that he is a self-seekthe next election to get what they of his crusades; that he is a self-seekthe next election to get what they of his crusades; that he is a self-seekthe next election to get what they of his crusades; that he is a self-seekthe next election to get what they of his crusades; that he is a self-seekthe next election to get what they of his crusades; the next election to get what they of his crusades; the next election to get what they of his crusades; the next election to get what they are the next election to get what they of his crusades; the next election to get what they are the next election to get what they ar polite.

So, last of all his merry nights, that night when high they speak, and in 1924 they will speak. So loud that a few men in the legislation was doomed.

It is they speak, and in 1924 they will speak. Nebraska to realize that they have a placing him among the ever ture now will know (if they don't quit a man who would alolish the legislations of those whose rhymes give promise of placing him among the ever ture now will know (if they don't quit a man who would alolish the legislations). And we wonder just

of womanhood, and not the little generation?

fice boy a satellite or a votary of the executive and every citizen truckle to the big \*stick?

A Place for Neihardt.

university, so that he may give some of the fire of his genius to the younger

peevish and acnemic looking daughter of before. This lady is now ambitious, ready to do things and be somebody. I was told by a teacher after having



# GRAND PIANO



a grand piano they mean much.

The Apollo has earned its place among the great pianos of the day not only through the painstaking attention to detail in manufacture where not even the slightest compromise is made with quality, but also because the most advanced scientific principles of piano manufacture are used.

In point of beauty in finish and design, the Apollo leaves

Come In -let us play the Apollo Grand for you and explain its many points of superiority - without obligation of course.

The Apollo Grand is made in three sizes: Parlor Grand; Buby Grand; and Miniature Grand (4 ft. 8 in long)

We will take your old piano in exchange. Extended bayments arranged

1513-15 Douglas Street