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A BILLION-DOLLAR SECRETARY.
A glance at the business reviews of last week (and a squint at the market reports of this week confirms them) encourages the belief that things are looking up.

The golden flood that has for so long been inundated in the Federal Reserve banks is at last being released, says Theodore H. Price in his weekly review letter, and

What has brought about this change? One immediate cause was the announcement from the Treasury department that the interest rate would be reduced by the government on its certificates.

And who is responsible for this change in which all Americans are to share? Just Uncle Andrew Mellon, whose splendid management of the Treasury department, aided by the work of Charles W. Dawes on the budget, has brought about a condition that permits the relaxation of the last of the war pressure.

Many years ago the democrats raised a dreadful howl because the then republican congress had expended a billion dollars. Thomas Brackett Reed retorted, "This is a billion-dollar country!"

SOMETHING EASILY POSSIBLE.
Dr. Ernest Chipman of San Francisco recently told the American Medical association that "it is impossible for a woman of 40 to acquire the complexion and facial characteristics of a girl of 16."

But it will be noted by the wise and observant that Dr. Chipman did not say it was impossible for a woman of 40 to have the heart and spirit of a girl of 16.

ANNIHILATING DISTANCE.
An early breakfast within sight and sound of New York, and supper with the old folks at home in Columbus, Neb.

When Major Hensley accomplished that remarkable feat it was not with any desire to break records, but solely with a desire to meet and greet his parents and friends in the old home town.

resulted in a man traveling through the air from New York to Columbus, Neb., between breakfast and supper time.
While the world at large was sneering and declaring that it simply could not be done, men hidden away in obscure corners were doing it.

"AND THE VILLAIN STILL PURSUED HER."
The announcement of the death of Milton Nobles, appearing in the daily newspapers a few days ago, meant little or nothing to the present generation of theatergoers.

Those were the days when actors depended more upon their histrionic ability than they did upon scenic effects and electric lighting. They paid little attention to the critics, and less to the dress-suited and evening-gowned people in parquet and dress circle, and worked hard for the approval of the "gods" perched high in the galleries overhead.

It may be that the stage has advanced since the old days when Milton Nobles as "Joe Phoenix" won the vociferous approval of the gods of the gallery as he exclaimed, "And the villain still pursued her," but there are men and women who still patronize the theater who would gladly pay a premium for gallery seats if they knew they were to see one of those old-time thrillers and enjoy it as they did while munching peanuts, hissing the villain and cheering the virtuous heroine when she spurned the gold of the scheming scoundrel and informed him with hand raised high to heaven that "rags are costly raiment when worn for virtue's sake."

Milton Nobles died at the age of 80, after long years of retirement from the stage which he adored. Scattered over the country are men and women who will whisper a prayer for the repose of his soul.

BETTER LOSE A MINUTE!
Better lose a minute here than spend a sudden eternity over there. Of course you can take a chance if you want to, but why take it? The minute you gain may be lost a great many times over in the hospital.

Why turn the corner on two wheels? All four were made to be on the road at the same time. Better go around slowly than hurry around and kill someone. No minute of time gained by speeding the car is worth a human life.

Wait a minute! Better a lost minute now than a lost limb or a lost life. Most of the time you gain by hurrying is lost later by slowing up to catch your breath or to make repairs on the car. Better get there a little later, but all in one piece.

That it is easy to operate railroads and manage them is evidenced by the fact that 180 senators and congressmen introduced bills and resolutions showing just how it ought to be done.

The Lutheran synod has abolished the word "Hell" in apostles' creed and substituted "Hades." But what sort of a campaign slogan would "Hades Maria" make?

It must be admitted that the Cleveland convention permitted a number of estimable gentlemen to see their names listed on the front pages as vice presidential possibilities.

One of the jokes of the present campaign is the appointment of a committee to notify Coolidge of his nomination. The votes of the people did that long ago.

Charley Dawes is quoted as telling his fellow townsmen that "I will do my best." That is doubtless what he meant, but undoubtedly not just what he said.

It seems that the Japanese in Tokio have not forgotten how the late lamented Dennis Kearney was wont to act on the sand lots of San Francisco.

Billy Sunday vociferates that "the world is going to hell." Of course it is not. But if Billy admitted the truth he wouldn't be such a drawing card.

Doubtless some democrats who approvingly quote Andrew Jackson's "By the Eternal," will be greatly shocked at Mr. Dawes "Hell Maria."

Charley Dawes has large property interests in Lincoln, Neb., not including, however the gas works at the state house.

Presumably any dry plank adopted at New York will be adopted with a preponderance of mental reservations.

The La Follette bluff was called before Bob could even make his discard.

Homespun Verse
By Omaha's Own Poet—
Robert Worthington Davie
RETIREMENT.
Just got eighty acres now.
Sold the old McKenzie place,
Can't do much but chafe an' plow—
Work around the house with Grace.

There Are Those Who Think It Will Be Better When It's "Bobbed," Anyway



Letters From Our Readers
All letters must be signed, but names will be withheld upon request. Communications of 250 words and less will be given preference.

Farmer Asks Information.
Yuma, Colo.—To the Editor of The Omaha Bee: Just a little information about our last congress. You stated in your paper of June 12 that the democratic vote on the McNary-Haugen bill was 52 for and 122 against the bill and their votes defeated the measure, as well as all farm relief measures.

Nebraska Federation Year Book.
Omaha.—To the Editor of The Omaha Bee: The Mid-West News of last Friday, June 13, contains a front page attack on the Nebraska State Federation of Labor in connection with the issuance of the Federation Year Book for 1924.

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Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of June, 1924.
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Notary Public

SUNNY SIDE UP
Take Comfort, nor forget
That sunrise never failed us yet
Celia Thaxter

THE KICKER.
He moaned about conditions, which he said were awful rotten. And feared the old republic was straight headed for the rocks. He said that honest effort for the public was forgotten.

We have tried hard to find a job as private secretary to some democrat who is going to the New York convention and thinks he will need assistance. So far our efforts have been vain. We have seen some mighty big scraps in our time, from featherweights up to the heavies, but we feel it in our bones that for a genuine knock-down and drag-out the New York mill is going to make 'em all look like Sunday school picnics.

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