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in America. It is the great national game. More young men and boys take part in it than in any other, because it offers something no other game seems to possess. "Organized" base ball used to mean exclusively the professional brand. Amateur ball is now organized, substantially on a basis with the professional, differing chiefly in the amount of money involved and the quality of discipline enforced. Therefore, what affects the one touches the other, and all base ball is challenged by the Johnson accusations.

"BATTLING BOB'S" VARYING ROLL CALL. Arthur Gilbert Hay is one of the most active contributors to the light fiction of the day. His is the job of furnishing an eager world with bulletins from La Follette headquarters in New York. Recent output from his headquarters justifies the suspicion that he only counts what comes in, paying no attention to whatever may go out.

in ANY EVENT VOTE. Quite naturally, the democrats are displeased with the showing made by the Literary Digest's poll. Any showing that puts John W. Davis third in the race will not suit a democrat. However true it may be, and none of them doubt it, still they do not like it. This leads to an important discovery made by an Omaha democrat. He explains: Republican postmasters throughout the land have entered into the most gigantic conspiracy ever unearthed. Instead of delivering the ballots to the persons addressed, they are marking them in the postoffice and sending them back to the magazine.

Homespun Verse -By Omaha's Own Poet- Robert Worthington Davis "LOOK AT YOUR CLOTHES." "Look at your clothes!"—I heard her say— Mother of one, with much disgust. The little tad came in from play Wearing the hue of dirt and dust.

If You Vote for a Change of Government Look Out You Don't Get a Change for the Worse



IN ENGLAND THEY HAVE AN ABLE LABOR GOVERNMENT AND A MILLION UNEMPLOYED



IN GERMANY THEY HAVE GOVERNMENT OWNERSHIP OF RAILROADS, SOCIALISM, 90 CENTS A DAY AND POVERTY



IN RUSSIA THEY HAVE COMMUNISM, A 10-HOUR DAY AND VERY INGENIOUS HARNESSES TO CARRY LOADS ON THEIR BACKS



THE GOVERNMENT IS RESPONSIBLE FOR YOUR DOWN-TRODDEN CONDITION

Letters From Our Readers

Adam McMullen and the Firemen. Omaha.—To the Editor of The Omaha Bee: Kindly allow me a little space to say a few words in behalf of Adam McMullen, our candidate for governor of the state of Nebraska. I served with him in the 1907 session of the legislature and found him to always be a man of his word. He supported all of the progressive measures, and also my two-platoon bill, which gave the firemen equal rights with other bread winners.



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SUNNY SIDE UP Take comfort, nor forget, That Sunrise never failed us yet. Celia Thaxter.

The fate of the Dunn recall petition shows how easy it is to get people to sign petitions. Also how often petitions are not signed by the people whose names appear thereon. The petitions for the submission of an amendment prohibiting partisan designations on the ballots were not signed as such. They were alleged to be petitions to remove the party circle. And it is doubtful if 50 per cent of the signers knew what they were signing, anyhow. We will wager \$100 in real money that in 24 hours we can get 250 signers to a petition asking congress to enact a law requiring the Missouri river to flow the other way, and do it by telling those approached that it is a petition for something agreed upon by ourself and the party who accepts the wager.

When in Omaha Hotel Conant 250 Rooms—250 Baths—Rates \$2 to \$3 NET AVERAGE PAID CIRCULATION for Sept., 1924, of THE OMAHA BEE Daily 73,340 Sunday 73,865 THIS OFFICE WILL OBSERVE Monday, October 13, Columbus Day, As a Legal Holiday The Conservative Savings & Loan Ass'n. 1614 Harney St.

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