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The City Election

Omaha's first election under the new commission plan of city government has resulted in a decisive victory for Mayor Dahlman and all the candidates associated with him in the fight.

Our Butter Bill

Nebraska produces 50,000,000 pounds of butter a year and sells it for \$12,000,000, or an average of 24 cents per pound, which is just 1 cent below the average price of 1,430,000,000 pounds of butter produced in the United States in one year.

Looking Backward This Day in Omaha

Thirty Years Ago—The mayor and city council at last got together with confirmation of John D. Howe for city attorney, and these eight policemen: H. Jacobson, E. Gorman, John O'Donoghue, Owen Buckley, Frank Kasper, James O'Boyle, Alexander Black.

Long Step for Labor

Washington Letter in Boston Transcript. In addition to the provisions of the employers' and workmen's compensation bill, as heretofore summarized in this column, the measure provides that in default of agreement or settlement by the arbitration committee, either party may institute proceedings before the adjuster for the settlement of the claim by petition, setting forth in ordinary language the facts to which petition the defendant may answer, including in such answer all questions of law and fact.

GRINS AND GROANS

"Are those people as good as the acorn of the mountains as they pretend to be?" "I suppose so. From the way they are laughing on to the society folks here, one can see they are born climbers."

SWAT AT THE FLIES

Joe Cane in New York Sun. Whether you are black or white, sweat the flies. Whether you are stout or slight, sweat the flies. Whether you are young or old, sweat the flies.

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 April, 1912, was 50,109.

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Peace and Arbitration

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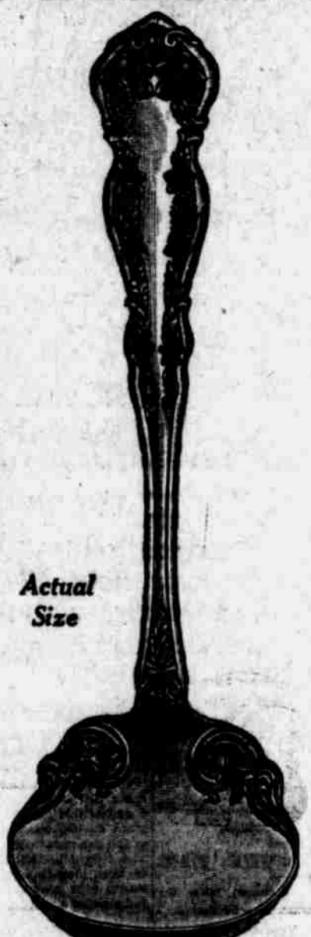
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You can have this Gravy Ladle without cost

and dozens of other pieces to match it—all guaranteed by Wm. Rogers & Son, Meriden, Conn.

The BEE will tell you how

Advertisement for 'Our Hair's Health' featuring a woman's portrait and text describing a hair restorer. The text says: 'THE color of one's hair is an indication of the health of the scalp. Thick, glossy hair—with its natural color and sheen is the result of using Q-Ban Hair Restorer.' It also mentions 'HESSIG-ELLIS DRUG CO. Meriden, Conn.'