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50,106. State of Nebraska, County of Douglas, ss. Dwigitt Williams, circulation manager of The Bee Publishing Company, being duly sworn, says that the average daily circulation for the month of April, 1913, was 50,106.

Why not like hot weather and be that far ahead? Evidently July has been jockeying for a start in those closing days of May.

Only a few states have overlooked naming one of their towns Mount Vernon.

While the colonel says his favorite beverage is tea, he vigorously denies that he ever teas up.

Look ahead, but keep an eye out for immediate surroundings if you would avoid the pitfalls.

And everyone is still free to believe as he pleases as to whether the Maine was blown up accidentally or on purpose.

The annihilation of that army of grasshoppers may now be looked for. It has invaded Roosevelt county, New Mexico.

Folks may laugh at his grape-juice, but it will never fall to the lot of Mr. Bryan to vindicate his sobriety in court.

St. Paul city bonds are being sold over the counter of a department store, but not, we take it, at bargain-counter prices.

"Moosers of Nebraska are to go it alone," announces the local democratic organ. My, how the wish is father to the thought!

President Wilson is charged with wearing Mona Lisa's smile. But who has possession of Mona, herself—that is the question.

St. Louis is all worked up over a statue of "Naked Truth," by which it is shocked and shamed. Do they run across it so seldom as that?

"Women and Children Victims of Horror," says a headline over the Long Beach pier disaster. Victims of deadly greed, it might have said.

Wonder what would happen if the president discovered that those bad lobbyists were lobbying for instead of against the bill. Would they then be inquisitors?

Had Editor Newett been brought up on Kentucky blue grass he would never have violated the amenities of good society by inquiring into a gentleman's biclivity.

Not only to keep pace with other progressive cities, but for more practical reasons, the new Omaha charter will have to include the public comfort station clause.

The Brooklyn Board of Education is to be called upon to decide whether getting married on the part of a school teacher is "neglect of duty." Well, that depends.

If "money without limit is being spent to sustain this lobby" that is fighting the Underwood tariff bill at Washington, as the president charges, it is fair to ask on whom is the money being spent.

The Gettysburg Epic. At the dedication of the Gettysburg cemetery on November 19, 1863, Edward Everett Hale was the orator of the day, and he thrilled an immense audience with his impassioned eloquence. He spoke for two hours, and tremendous applause is said to have followed the address.

Dare They Do It? And now it is proposed as part of the program for the return to Jeffersonian simplicity, which is supposed to stamp the new administration, that the women in highest official life at Washington bring the dress display at social functions down again to a democratic level.

Our Philippine Policy. The reported contemplated appointment of Richard L. Metcalfe to a place on the Philippine commission is heralded in certain quarters as indicating the Philippine policy of the new administration.

The West Leads in Education. The mayors of Philadelphia and Atlantic City and other municipal officers of the two cities recently spent several days at the University of Wisconsin, studying the magnitude and methods of its work.

Here is what Mr. Metcalfe had in mind ten years ago, and in all probability reflects the preconceived notions he will carry with him if he goes to the Philippines in an official capacity.

forced that the Philippine policy of the McKinley, Roosevelt and Taft administrations was and is not only the correct policy, but the only policy that can be honorably and consistently pursued by the United States. Denver and Omaha—A Contrast. A decision handed down a week ago by the United States supreme court in the Denver water works litigation, which is hailed as a clean-cut victory for the people of that city, affords a striking contrast with the horrible bungle made by Omaha in purchasing our water works.

Prize Ring Slaughter. "Why should the death of Luther McCarty stir up all the talk about abolishing prize fighting?" asks the St. Louis Republic. "Evidence that prize fighting is occasionally fatal has been available ever since there were prize fights."

Great Year for the Bible. One of the interesting facts about the Bible is that it never gained extensive circulation until it was translated out of its original tongue. Since then it has been published in 450 languages and vernaculars.

High Prices and the Tariff. Democrats drive their trick for lowering the tariff "in order to reduce prices," just as if they really believed that the high cost of living was caused solely by the protective tariff.

Nevertheless and notwithstanding, many union veterans cannot help but believe that a more appropriate memorial could be made to deliver a Memorial day address on behalf of the men who wore the gray than a southern fire-eating congressman whose chief fame rests on an unprovoked pistol play upon a negro in a Washington street car.

Over across the river a grand jury has been summoned to investigate the recent mob outbreak—which reminds us that not even a whisper of a grand jury in this balliwic has been heard for a mighty long time.

teach the east something about the methods of education and that the east at last recognizes this. Thirty Years Ago— A bad wind storm came up early (N.E. morning, doing considerable damage. The plateglass windows on the Farnam street side of Saxe's drug store in the opera house were smashed and also the windows in the residence of N. J. Burnham.

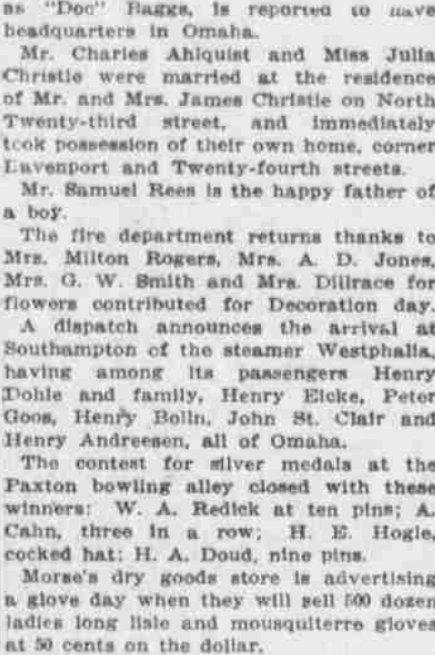
Twenty Years Ago— The news of the death at Lincoln of State Senator Charles H. Clarke, fourth son of Henry T. Clarke, was a profound shock to all his hosts of friends.

People and Events. Mrs. Marshall's record of forty-five calls in ninety minutes in Washington shows the vast possibilities of intensive social farming.

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Looking Backward This Day in Omaha. COMPILED FROM BEE FILES. JUNE 1. Thirty Years Ago— A bad wind storm came up early (N.E. morning, doing considerable damage. The plateglass windows on the Farnam street side of Saxe's drug store in the opera house were smashed and also the windows in the residence of N. J. Burnham.



Mr. Charles Ahlquist and Miss Julia Christie were married at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. James Christie on North Twenty-third street, and immediately took possession of their own home, corner Lavenport and Twenty-fourth streets. Mr. Samuel Rees is the happy father of a boy.

Another Platt river canal project was launched by Charles J. Jones of buffalo fame, who filed a document in the county clerk's office showing he laid claim to a portion of the water that flows through the channel of the Platt river.

Charles C. George returned from Chicago, where he spent one week taking in the world's fair.

Mrs. May Vanous died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Walter Brande, 688 Pierce street, at the age of 71. She had resided for more than thirty years in Omaha.

SECULAR SHOTS AT PULPIT. Washington Post: Prof. Taft accounts for his religious belief by the fact that his parents and grandparents held the same faith. A similarly frank confession would put most of us in the stand-pat class.

MUSINGS OF A CYNIC. Many a prodigal son isn't worth his veil. You can't be popular and tell your troubles, too. The school of experience grants mighty few holidays.

The man who is willing to take things as they come generally finds that some one else has headed them off.

MUFFLED KNOCKS. A pretty girl doesn't have to get tangled up with fly paper to get stuck on herself. It isn't the gasoline that is sold in garages that causes all the blow-ups on joy rides.

SUNDAY SMILES. "Were you a bull or a bear the last time you were in the market?" asked the cheerful citizen. "Neither," replied the man who makes things go his way. "I was the animal trainer."—Baltimore American.

THE BRAVEST BATTLE. Joaquin Miller. The bravest battle that ever was fought; Shall I tell you where and when? On the maps of the world you will find it not; It was fought by the mothers of men.

Packard MOTOR CARS AND TRUCKS. ORR MOTOR SALES COMPANY. TWENTY-FOURTH AND FARNAM STREETS.

The Business Man AND THE Baltimore Convention. The wonderful strides made by American business men during the past few years are without a parallel in industrial and commercial history. Not only has business become more thoroughly systematized, more efficient and more productive—it has invaded new fields, conquered obstacles which were heretofore considered insurmountable and given to the word "Business" a new, wider and more lofty significance.

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