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The Bee's Platform

1. New Union Passenger Station.

- 2. Continued improvement of the Nebraska Highways, including the pavement of Main Thoroughfares leading into Omaha with a Brick Surface.
- 3. A short, low-rate Waterway from the Corn Belt to the Atlantic Ocean.

Home Rule Charter for Omaha, with City Manager form of Government.

WHEN THE LEAGUE MEETS.

On Monday of next week will begin the first really important session of the League of Na-, tions. Judging from accounts coming through stom Geneva, it will have a full attendance of delegates and such, a cloud of supernumeraries as will make any former assemblage of national conferees seem small. ... The real interest for Americans will flow from the action of the body with reference to the changes that may be made in the framework of the covenant. Advance annonnements that changes are to be made in the agenda for the session, and amendments to the covenant are to be considered warrants the assumption that the result of the "great and solemn referendum" in the United States is se riously accepted by members of the league.

A year ago Lloyd George and Clemenceau, after intimate conference, caused it to be made known in Washington that they were not averse to accepting the Lødge reservations; very recently Leon Bourgeois, the president of the league, stated plainly that he did not consider Article X at all vital to the institution; Golotti of Italy does not look on that provision as paramount, and from the first France has made more of the suspended tri-partite agreement between that nation, England and America than of the League of Nations. As a matter of common sense, France is far more secure under pledge of immediate assistance from the United States than it could be through the processes of the league.

All of these signs point in but one directionthat of an approach to the United States by the other powers of the world, and a readiness on their part to accept such form of association as . will be agreeable to this country. The result of the election is properly interpreted to mean that Americans are in no mood to surrendet their independence to a supergovernment, but are ready to join in a serious undertaking look-

been in possession of that port as a bone of contention. Serbia now has what Austria long denied her, "a window on the Adriatic," and with the group of little kingdoms and principalities that make up the Jugo-Slav combination, may pursue its business undisturbed by the feeling that the world is shut off from any access to Serbian markets, other than as permitted by an unfriendly power. If this knowledge will have any tranquilizing effect on the Balkans, the work of D'Annunzio will not have been altogether

farcical. All in all, the settlement is a fine example of what may be done through counsel by the interested parties without outside interference.

Nellie Magee: A Helpful Woman.

It would be a bold but thoughtless person who would undertake to measure the good that flowed out into a sordid world from the old City Mission, down on Tenth street. Only the Recording Angel could give the sum total. But there are hundreds, maybe thousands, of young men and women alive today who will recall that they got aid and comfort when they needed it most at that humble institution. As children of the poorer homes they found there help and sympathy. They got warm clothes and serviceable shoes, and they got other things that mean even more in a child's life-the Christmas or other entertainment in the winter, the picnic, with ice cream, a street car ride or some other such frolic in the summer, and many an hour of recreation.

That was in the beginning of things, before Omaha had any public playgrounds, or organized effort to care for these neglected ones. Nor was it only the children who went to the mission for help. Many a man and many a woman, who found the load pressing too heavily on them, whose strength was failing in the struggle, found there the help needed to give the courage and strength necessary to going on. Many a sorrow was healed, many a trouble smoothed out there. It was a beacon whose light streamed for many years into what was then "darkest Onfaha," and it was Nellie Magee who trimmed the lamps and kept them burning. - Hers was the unfailing patience, the tender-

ness that intuitively grasped the problem and knew just what would cure the sore the quickest. . It was her motherly instinct and sisterly sympathy that won the hearts of the little ones, cheered the souls of their elders, and made the old City Mission a real fountain of help. And now Nellie Magee has ended her useful life. Most of Omaha knew her only as a name, but those to whom she gave that service which can not be measured by earthly standards will sincerely sorrow that she is no more, but will rejoice to think she has at least entered the rest she so richly earned.

"Bridal Suites" to Be Lower.

Hotel men in New York urge one another to reduce the schedule charges for bridal suites. This, of course, will be reckoned as a concession to the demand for lower prices. It is said to be in the way of "encouraging matrimony," but we can think of several ways that would be unore effective. A "bridal suite" is not an absolute necessity, but "room and bath" is, and the average young couple, sojourning in a great city on the trip they only take once will be far better pleased at the prospect of being able to secure a comfortable room with the adjuncts and conveniences comporting with modern ways of living than they will at having the gorgeous grandeur of the bridal suite, marked down from \$225 to \$200 a day. If the landlords really want to encourage matrimony, let them begin to let down the figures on the right-hand side of the bill of fare, for example, so that the customer will not have to follow the Near East practice of reading from right to left in determining what he is going to eat.

THE BEE: OMAHA, FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 12, 1920.

A Line O'Type or Two Hew to the Line, let the quips fall where they may.

"WHAT," asks a f. c., "is the use continually nveighing against the younger generation? There is no use, lady. The younger generation s the younger generation. They seem to us as topelessly inane as we seemed to our elders. Where it is possible to compare the sexes, as at a college, the girls today are more inane than the boys; but perhaps they always were. The boys are more restless than they were before the war, but they are settling down, and justifying Arnold Bennett's perhaps superfluous contention that men are intellectually superior to women.

A CITIZEN of Lawrenceburg, Ind., had a black cat. In attempting to kick it he fell off the porch and broke his neck. The cat, con-cludes the story, was uninjured. If you have read Poe's "Black Cat" recently you will recall "What is pulmonary tuberculosis?"

points of resemblance. ANOTHER GOOD LOSER.

(From the Fredonk, Kan., Herald.)

To my friends, who so nobly assisted me, I want to say. "Thank you;" to my enemies, who so maliciously and slanderously assaulted me, I want to say, "I forgive you." I ask God to forgive you now. I pass back into oblivion. In a short time I shall be laid to rest beside my wife in the Buffalo cemetery to be forgotten. The good work I below its different in the Buffalo I helped to start in Wilson county will live on forever. A. J. Orendorff.

THE allies quarreled among themselves during the war, and have been quarreling ever since. on the board of the Tuberculosis in-A world war and a world peace are much too stitute for=20 years. While serving big jobs for any set of human heads.

ACADEMY NOTES.

Sir: If there is a school of expression con-nected with the Academy I nominate for head of it Elizabeth Letzkuss, principal of the Greene school, Chicago. CALCITROSUS. Sir: It will be positively incredulous to you (as a friend of mine puts it), but the fact re-mains that the Reverend G. D. Pius is minister of the Second Baptist Church, Columbus, Ohio. NICKIE.

"WHAT the Republican party needs now, for its own good, is an intelligent opposition. But where is it to come from?"-The valued Post.

From California and Idaho. Or don't you consider the gentlemen intelligent? Well, Rare and Medium.

Sir: Wonder what the Front Porch thinks gent woman, who apparently does about?

Evanston's interpretation of the Bible: "Check your little children to come into me." Aff Oklahoma woman cafteria owner steps forth and cops a seat in Congress. She doesn't believe in waiting.

A former Chicago street car conductor wins the Nobel prize for literature. The pendis lightly.

"So we've decided . . . to get 5,000 Royal Tailored suits and overcoats in actual cir-culation on the backs of Manhattan men."— Tribad Back-sliders, so to say, Q.A.R. THOSE 25,000 bolsheyist missionaries which

THOSE 25,000 bolsheyist missionaries which Lenin is reported to be sending to the United should not be sealed to keep it out States would have a more cordial welcome in likewise has been told over and over the Cannibal Islands. again

- MODERATED DETACHMENT.

Sir: The Dean has just suggested that per haps you never heard of the Superior who, at the work of education must not be Retreat, cut short his conference on "Detach-stopped. This was just what Kenment from the World" in order to catch the last train into Dublin for the horse races. wood found to be true of Great Brit-ain when in 1915 he got a chance to look behind the scenes. KENT.

IF a ruling by the Supreme Court may be disregarded by a state, why contend that the proper form is "the United States is," instead of the United States are?"

THE RIVALS. In that Golden Age of the mystic past When the gods were young and the world was new, And the laughing glances the dryads cast

As they danced in the glades with Pan and his crew



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IT SEEMED AS IF ALL KNEW | it was good for one until yesterday, when I was told it made one Recently a woman wrote from Calanaemic." ifornia that her husband had been REPLY.

told by a physician that he had pultendency to scurvy i do not get enough vegetables of fruit, lemon not envy the wealth of Potters need monary tuberculosis. The husband made light of it, saying he had a heavy cold and that was what the doctor meant by pulmonary tuber-culosis. She had her doubts. While Juice before breakfast will help you, otherwise not. It will not harm you. Anger as Pep Provider.

"What is pulmonary tuberculosis?" she inquired. She inquired about night sweats. She also asked whethcharcoal - acacia charcoal from Italy, and prepared-by electricity. er pulmonary tuberculosis was harm-

"1. What is your opinion of it, and where could it be purchased? It appeared that she is a Chicago woman in California for the winter "2. I have a blood pressure of \$\$; should it be 125 at my age. How and planning to return with her hus-band to her Chicago home next can I bring it to normal?" spring. The letter indicates that she

is intelligent. The spelling is per-1. Sounds fishy. 2. The remedy for low blood fect and the composition indicates that the author went through the grammar school at least.

pressure is training. Get in a busi-ness and become interested in it. I have served as president of the Yry to make it go with all the en-Illinois Tuberculosis society and been thusiasm you can cultivate. Take up some competitive sport, such as base ball or tennis. Play it hard Try to as health commissioner of Chicago we conducted a referendum cam-When you lose get mad about win. it When you win get "all het up" over your victory. Indulge in emo-tional outbursts. Cultivate the Polpaign for a municipal tuberculosis sanitarium in which both the great political parties had their candidates lyanna cure. If you can carry out for aldermen talking uberculosis as a part of the campaign speech. The Chicago health department this program you will find yourself

cured and each of the agencies enumerated. THIS CRIMSON FLOWER. including the .nunicipal sanitaria and dispensaries, have prided them-

selves on their educational work. The Chicago health deparement is

This crimson flower shall ever tell Of those who triumphed as they fell, Who sleep at peace all dreamlessly; This flower shall fit memento be For those whose days were ended wel incorporated as an educational in-stitution. Tons of paper and barrels of ink have been used to tell the

people about consumption. I know because it has been my hobby. To lowly mansions where they dwell Love brings the rose and immortalle, But bears away o'er land and sea This crimson flower. Yet here, 20 years after a continuous campaign of education was be-

REPLY.

The Poppy.

The cheers of victors overswell The martial dirge and tolling bell, While blows their flower, who kept u not know that pulmonary tubercu-This crimson flower: C. G. GALBREATH. losis is the same as consumption. Her husband tells her it is the same

Columbus, O.

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tain on the court house grounds to . Omaha, Nov. 8.—To the Editor of The Bee; It is conservatively esti-if the memory of Governor Cuming, if the taxpayers are to parily pay mated that over a million people consult the outia board nowadays. Omaha, Nov. 8 .- To the Editor of consult the ouita board nowadays. Isn't it rather disappointing to think that not one out board predicted that New York would go one million majority in favor of the republican

ferent controls to make themselves

the notable pioneers of Nebraska, and not select just one. Only a few years will see us in need of an addition to our court house, then what will become of the memorial? An outdoor fountain in this coun-

Opposed to Fountain.

not envy the wealth of Rockefeller. Think of the bets a thousand to try can only be used about seven months in the year and always will one that could have been placed on be a roost for the sparrows. A TAXPAYER. such an unbellevable message! What a lost opportunity for the dif-

.

Easy Money Scarce. It isn't an economy wave that so

V. R. G. writes: "I have been and their devotees famous. It is reading a book by a London doctor enough to shake any one's helief in regarding the curing of disease with the ouija board. If the ouija board charcoal — acacia charcoal from cannot foretell the future, what good enough to shake any one's belief in many lines of business complain at People are spending all they get as is, it? We know all about the past usual; th and the present. A jew more such much or breaks and the ouija board controls ton Post. usual; they're just not getting so much or working so much .-- Hous-

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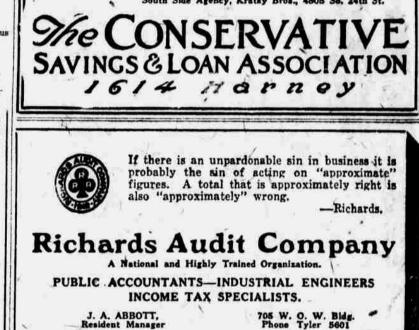
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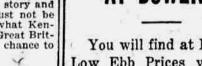
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thing as a heavy cold. Either he does not know differently or else he is disposed to hold consumption The refusal of people to meet their consumption situations frankly and honestly and the danger from such refusal has been told in educational matter thousands and thousands of

All of this means that there still are a great many people who have not been reached with the story and

Mormons strongly condemn drinking and cigaret smoking, but when

Latter Day Saints. A Mormon writes: "That in Mor-mon schools all pupils are vaccinated every seven years. The Mormons strongly advocate athletics and teach personal hygiene to young children



ing to the abolishment of war, if such an end can be achieved. To this the republican party stands pledged.

Expressions from Argentine and Brazil with reference to the Monroe Doctrine will not seriously affect the attitude of this country in the assertion of its established policy. Argentine was and is adversely, influenced towards the United States by a considerable element of European population; Brazil has something of the same sort to contend with, yet has never assumed an attitude of distinct unfriendliness such as has on several occasions marked expressions from Buenos Aires. One thing in favor of the Monroe Dostrine is that under it our government has found many opportunities to be of help to the weaker nations of America, and without putting any into leading strings or under tutelage. Where it has directly interfered with the course of political affairs in any of these countries, it has been to their advantage. European schemers will very likely continue to foment jealousy of the United States among the people of South America, but it is not probable that such efforts will greatly modify the course of history.

With our national character firmly established, the United States is in the better cituation today, and can watch with equanimity the course of the assemblage at Geneva during the next few weeks. Maybe from there will come something that can be accepted over here.

Rights of the child Paramount.

In passing on two cases, each involving right of a father to the custody of the child, the supreme court of Nebraska has laid down the rule that at times the right of the child is paramount to that of the parent. This is supported by the logical conclusion that the natural right of the parent carries with it an equal responsibility, and only when the father is able to and willing to give his offspring the care and attention necessary to the proper upbringing of a child, is he entitled to its control and custody. Nothing of the doctrine of substituting state for parental control is involved in the decisions; merely the proper intervention of the court to safeguard the future of an infant. When all parents are brought to realize that their duties exceed their privileges in the matter of children, and that they owe deep responsibility to the lives they have brought into being, much of trouble and misery will be removed. Parenthood entails definite obligations, and these must be fully acknowledged and carried out to the best of the parent's ability before his natural rights can be pleaded in support of a claim for custody.

Fiume a Fine Example.

Italy and Jugo-Slavia have come to agreement with regard to the Adriatic. That important bit of water does not become effectively a closed sea, but as long as there is understanding between the parties to the convention about to We concluded, outsiders will enter by permission and not altogether by right. However, this is not so much in point as is the fact that the settlement has been reached by composition and accommodation between sovereign states, without regard to the lines drawn on the map at Paris by our president, or taking into consideration of any of the proceedings there had. In the main the settlement is on the basis of the convention of London, a distinct victory for the Italian government, although in having Fiume. as an independent free city the Jugo-Slavs are substantially better off than they would have

America in the past has practiced shirt-sleeve diplomacy, but there is no precedent for the premier of Poland who goes down to the office without a collar, and the Polish relief agency may find it necessary to spend 25 cents in order to eliminate this disturbing note in European politics, as this point is not covered in Article X

Kansas City should spruce up some of its downtown alleys and throw them open to pedestrians, in the opinion of a city planner, who suggests that they could be canopied and well lighted. This would have been a great idea if the need for back entrances had not been abolished by the prohibition amendment.

Every once in a while some nation pays a sincere compliment to America by discussing a change to the republican form of government. Holland is the latest, and no doubt the royal family considers this only a kind of bolshevism.

Those three wild burros that came to gaze at Harding on the Mexican border undoubtedly were democratic mascots, and everyone knows what made them wild.

Governor McKelvie apparently does not please the democrats-what few there are-any better after election than he did before-

Ten thousand corn huskers can find work in Nebraska, and earn \$6 a day and board if they are hustlers.

Josephus Daniels having got that list of medals out of his system, may now retire in peace.

Just try to think what life would be without telephone at all.

Sugar bids fair to beat all back to normalcy.

THE BEAUTIFUL CITY.

When I have come to a golden town where little

faces glow And over the highways up and down the feet of children go;

When I have come to a steeple and stoop where dearest childhood dwells. That is the Beautiful City, dear, and me for its wonder-spells!

It lies where laughter and romping are and

music of many things That are glad for the gladness of babyhood till

their very gladness sings; And always the spirit of tenderness and love and pity and cheer Is part of the soul of its loveliness, haunting

and hovering near.

Little ones leaping in sunshine streets with light on flossy hair, Cheeks with red of the legal rose-the Beautiful

City's there! The Beautiful City of Little Child, that fairy

and elfin Town, Where Love is the spirit of happiness goes dancing up and down. _Baltimore Sup

and the second second second second

Rivalled the gleam of the dawn on the dew And the piper played with a will;

In the fragrant shade of a flowering vine. Neath an arbor that led to the tavern door Love and Death sat them down to their wine To exchange the news and to learn the lore Which each could impart from his ample store And the piper played with a wifl.

As they warmed to their wine and constraint gave way And discovered the thoughts of each inmost

soul, With a subtle abandon they both gave play To the parsions that governed each intimate role And each from the other some arrows stole And the piper played with a will.

So from that day down to the present time The bitter decrees which the Fates allot Have summoned the young and the strong in

their prime, Have ordained Senile Age to linger! They gloat In condemning old satyrs to dodder and dote! And the piper plays with a will. W.C.F. THE first sign of "crumbling" on the part of the British empire that we have observed is the welcome extended to the "quick lunch." That may get 'em.

SMALL TOWN HI-JINKS. (From the Columbia City, Ind., Post.)

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ehmer Weeds, Wednesday evening, a party of friends of the above named com-pletely surprised the couple after they had gone to bed. The back door being left open by their son who was informed of the event. The party marched into their sleep-ing apartment. The Mrs. hearing some disturbance made her escape behind a dresser but was soon located and dragged from her hiding place with her heart in her mouth. She said she was only embarrassed a little because her gown was too short to hide her toes. Mr. Weeds was somewhat unfortunate by getting his pants legs twisted, thus delaying him a little in getting them

"CALIFORIA now has passed another anti-Jap law."-Viscount Kaneko.

We supposed the Japanese objected to th contraction "Jap," but apparently we were min informed.

PERILS OF THE S. N. B. (From the Mannomen, Minh., Pioneer.)

(From the Mahnomen, Minfi., Pioneer.) A Mahnomen miss had an experience this week that should be a warning to oth-ers. While taking her Saturday night bath she reached from the tub and took hold of the wire which furnished a small electric heater, to pull it closer to the tub. As soon as she took hold of the wire a circuit was formed and she could not let go. She screamed for her mother, who, luckily, was near, and was released from her uncom-fortable predicament before any damage fortable predicament before any damage was done

Journal.

Whereupon the editor cabled an explanation. "ALL YOU CAN DRINK FOR FIVE."

Sir: Sign in Danville: "The Best and Largest Cup of Coffee In Town, 5 cents." Where have I seen a somewhat similar sign? Where HAVE I seen it? SIM NIC.

PRICES are "plunging," but a concern in Scottsbluff, Neb., advertises: "These prices to continue until replacement warrants a change either o a higher or lower basis."

IN Tokyo the Bosui-Ro Hotel frankly bills it as "Chestnut Pudding." DO YOU MEAN SHE DUG HERSELF IN?

(South Bend item.)

With Miss Menken again in the hole which she Created, the company coming to South Bend contains the entire original cast. THE only hotel that is frank enough to admit it is the Mock hotel in Thomasville, N. C WE fear that Indian summer is ausgespielt. B. L. T.

Same With Some Self-Made Men.

It isn't the rooster's early rising that makes him unpopular-it's his talking about it.-Wal-nut Ridge Blade.

A Humane Mississippi Secretary. Secretary Little has called a meeting of the Fat Men's club for the first cool night in this month.—Prentiss County Advocate,

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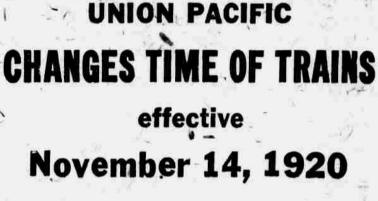
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