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The Bee's Platform
1. New Union Passenger Station.
2. Continued improvement of the Nebraska Highways...

THANK GOD FOR THE DRAMA LEAGUE. The American stage, so far as the serious purpose of the drama is concerned, is now in a parlous state.

Turn where you will, the darkness of indifference and neglect surrounds the drama, with only one ray of light penetrating the gloom.

On the artistic side America has not been developed so fully as might be wished. Appreciation of the beautiful by beauty's sake only is so scant that comparatively few would break into the routine of everyday life for a visit to a gallery filled with the most splendid pictures...

Art for Life's Sake. The price in American money of an ounce of gold is determined by the number of dollars that can be made from an ounce.

Master Minds and Crime. Much is heard in stories of spectacular crimes of a "Master Mind," a genius of the underworld, cleverer than ordinary men, and immensely superior to the officers of the law.

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reader, man or woman, does not feel that he could have done the deed more cleverly than his actual perpetrators.

Mail pouches were strewn about the countryside and tossed into a lake; thousands of dollars' worth of securities were burned in a kitchen stove, with charred fragments and metal clips left to tell the tale.

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TO IRIS. Muse of the Yellow Rose, Mistress of Verse and Prose, How do you get that way? Off I've endeavored to write.

YOUNG GRIMES tells us that he would like to share in the advantages of Better Speech weeks, but does not know where to get it.

THE POWER OF SUGGESTION. Sir: A certain railroad announced on its dining car menu that all drinking water served was from a celebrated spring, and added that it was particularly efficacious in the treatment of rheumatism and gout.

THE CHEERY MORTICIAN. (From the Harveyville, Kan., Monitor.) The atmosphere of sympathy on the part of a funeral director does much to allay the pain which the breaking of the cord of life brings.

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A Line O' Type or two

New to the line, let the copies fall where they may. WOOD-SPRITES. Old books reveal that the deep woods near Treves

Along the Chinese rivers travelers tell How the wind-worn, time-wetted trees are spared, Since in their branches ancient spirits dwell;

He Also Edits the Herald-Review. (From the Lone Rock, Wis., Herald-Review.) Having been appointed Marshall of Lone Rock I want to warn all that all laws

"THE prohibition lid is on for good," chorics Wayne B. Wheeler. But I want to paraphrase the U. S. captain's remarks to his aide, We want from you, Mr. Wheeler, is prohibition, and damned little of that.

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Summary of the SCORE CARD. This is merely to give an idea of some of the items included among those on the Marmon Score Card.

1. Ease of Riding. a. 20 to 40 M. P. H. b. Any speed on rough road. 2. Acceleration. a. 10 to 30 M. P. H. b. 50 to 60 M. P. H. 3. Deceleration. a. 50 M. P. H. to dead stop b. 40 M. P. H. to dead stop c. 20 M. P. H. to dead stop

10. Smoothness of Motor Operation. 11. Rigidity. 12. Roadability.

How to Keep Well

By DR. W. A. EVANS. Questions concerning hygiene, sanitation and prevention of disease, submitted to Dr. Evans by readers of The Bee, will be answered personally, subject to proper limitation, where a stamped, addressed envelope is enclosed.

SIGNS OF HEART DISEASE. Consumption has fallen from first to third place among fatal diseases. Heart disease has assumed the leadership.

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Mumps and Trachoma. J. B. R. writes: "I was interested in reading your article on mumps. You seem to suggest that nothing very serious happens from it."

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Shortness of breath is a sign that the layman can recognize. So is swelling of the ankles. He may have tenderness over the liver. While everyone knows what tenderness means, some do not know where the liver is.

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ODDS AND ENDS.

A novel railroad grade crossing signal reflects sunlight in the daytime and automobile headlights at night.

Showing Consideration. A slight rate increase from time to time is regarded as desirable, on the principle that it is always best to break the news as gently as possible.

All Have Noticed It. Strangely disproportionate—the number of those who claim credit for bringing prices down compared to the number who acknowledge credit for sending them up—Kansas City Star.

"Delivered" Nothing. With all due respect to both it may be said that Mrs. Carrie Catt was just about as much of a success at delivering the women's vote as Mr. Samuel Comper was at delivering the vote of labor.

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