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The Bee's Platform

- 1. New Union Passenger Station. 2. Continued improvement of the Nebraska Highways...

OMAHA'S CITY CHARTER.

Omaha city commissioners are going to the legislators at Lincoln today with a proposed revision of the Omaha city charter...

The only danger now is that the beans may be spilled en route from the kitchen to the dining room table.

Various changes in the charter are being proposed from within and without the city hall.

Entangling alliances, in this as in other things, are dangerous.

Millions starve in Europe and millions more in China, while in the corn belt of the United States are great stores of yellow grain...

Alfalfa Hay and Freight Rates. Anyone who heard the "Tadpole" chorus lift its tuneful voice in harmonious rendition of "Alfalfa Hay" out at Ak-Sar-Ben's Den...

Herbert Hoover is reported to favor shipping corn to China, but not to Europe, believing that rice and condensed milk are more suitable for the children who will be his care.

Corn probably is a native of America, but its cultivation has spread over the world. It was introduced into Spain by returned explorers in the 15th century...

The farmers in many cases are not able to give money to these good causes, but undoubtedly stand willing to divide with the famine-stricken people their super-abundance of food.

Value Received from Taxes. At times of scares such as recently brought heavy police guards to the homes of J. P. Morgan, John D. Rockefeller and other wealthy or prominent citizens of New York...

When citizens contribute to the income of the government, they are paying fundamentally for the upholding of their right to life, liberty and

the pursuit of happiness. The concessions man makes to organized government are less than the benefits he receives.

Sell School Bonds in Omaha.

While the Board of Education is considering a method to secure the funds needed for the erection of the High School of Commerce building, it might adopt a plan in line with the suggestion already made by The Bee...

Prayers That Made History.

At the age of 72 years the blind chaplain of the house of representatives, Rev. Henry Noble Couden has retired on a pension.

Almighty God, our heavenly father, we know not how or why, but we are here, and we believe enough the promptings of infinite love.

Then, with the signing of the armistice, he prayed for wisdom's descent on the victors, that wars should forever end, saying in part:

Hostility has ceased. Democracy is spreading its wings over the earth. Autocracy, military imperialism and all the evils connected with them shall cease to be.

Now, "landmen all," the moral's plain: Our navy still is arming. And if you'd plough the well known main, You'd best begin by farming.

MARY GARDEN is to head the opera, but she will not be a figurehead, and that is passing strange, you see, because she has the figure and she has the head.

ADD EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES. (From the Francesville Tribune.) Unincumbered, educated widow, wishes position as housekeeper in well-to-do bachelor or widower's home.

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A Line O' Type or Two

How to the Line, let the quips fall where they may.

SHOULD caprice again motivate us to change the motto of this column, we could hardly improve on a warning which we lately observed affixed to a building in process of construction: "Look out! Men working over your head!"

AS you gathered from a recent ad, the holiday season in Mexico City was gay. A writer for the English section of Excelsior, attempting to quote Bryant, was uncommonly inspired, as follows:

"RATHER than commit suicide, go to a hospital and ask the doctors to make experiments on you. But to kill yourself is to be a quitter.—The American.

"MILLIONS of dollars have been spent on the naval station," says Capt. Moffett, who, being a mere naval man, does not understand the workings of the administrative mind.

WHAT'S THE MATTER? WHAT'S THE MATTER? (From the Daily Town.) Some 100 persons, who were enjoying the pleasures of ice-skating on the Iowa river last night, were suddenly minded by the cry of "Help! Help! Help!"

TAKE KEER O' YOURSELF. Sir: As soon as I can buy a derby coming down to my ears and can be photographed wearing it and holding a cigar, I shall show the pictures to the booking agents and get three years vaudeville time.

It was a gallant farmer lad Enlisted in the navy. "Give me," said he, "the deep blue sea. The ocean wide and wavy!"

A sailor's uniform he'd don, And never would he doff it. He asked who the woman was on His way to Captain Moffett.

He labored for the nation, A member of the salty crew That worked the Naval Station. He soon became the best of tars, A seaman more than able.

Week-end he took a trolley car, And to the city hied him. Alongside of another he was riding, Who offered for to guide him.

The train rolled o'er a trestle high, The river ran below him. "Well, I'll be blamed!" our tar exclaimed, And grabbed his pal to show him.

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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.

RURAL SANITATION. In New Hampshire they have made use of a type of small septic tank for nearly 12 years.

The details of the New Hampshire type are these: The septic tank should be at least 4x3x4 1/2 feet, with a capacity of 94 cubic feet.

It would be wasteful to build a tank smaller than this one, and this one is capable of serving 20 people.

One of Life's Little Thrills. It must be a proud moment in the life of a traveling salesman when he registers at a Marion hotel and is taken for a presidential adviser.

WHEN MEALS DON'T FIT "Pape's Diapepsin" is the quickest indigestion and Stomach Relief

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JOURNALISTIC JABS.

A Greek prince is to marry a Rumanian princess and a Rumanian prince is to marry a Greek princess.

Another pathetic little feature of everyday life is the way the good loser really feels inside.—Columbus Ohio State Journal.

General Crowder has been sent to Cuba. The draft expert may try some new draughts.—Little Rock Arkansas Gazette.

The danger in kissing lies not so much in the possibility of spreading disease as in the probability of contracting a lawsuit.—St. Louis City Tribune.

A "reform" bill introduced in the Tennessee legislature provides for the prohibition of all passengers and freight train service on Sundays.

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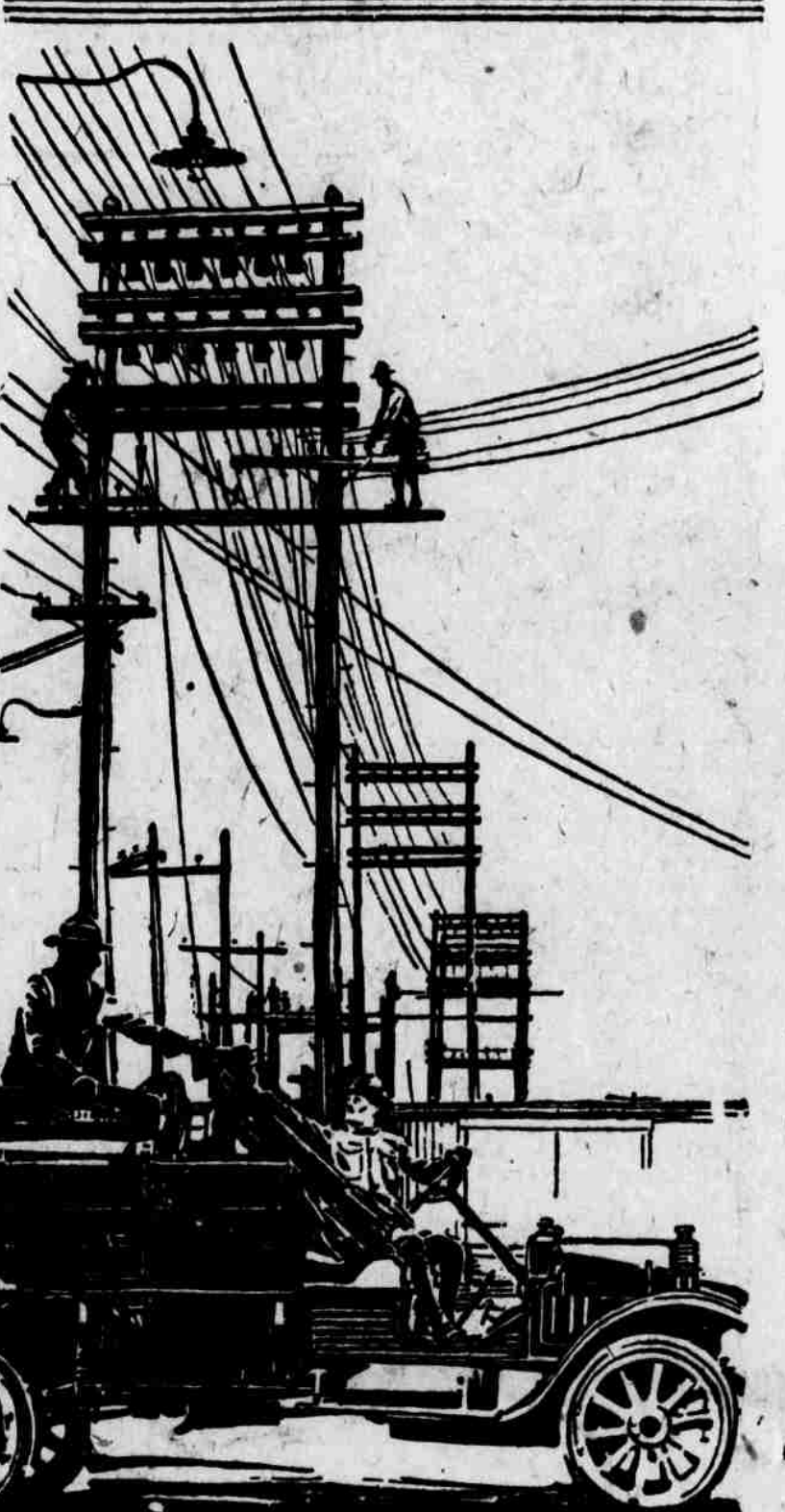
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