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The Bee's Platform

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

Anti-Trust Laws and the Farmer.

Senator Brandegee's expressed apprehension that the farmers may unite into an oppressive food trust or monopoly may safely be regarded as set up for argument's sake.

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papers were made out and filed. Such mistakes will affect the standing of the victim under the bonus law.

War-Time Spirit Needed.

The National Victory Memorial that is to be erected in Washington will bear 1,628 gold stars for Nebraskaans who died in the World War.

What America needs today is less bickering and more harmony and accord; less jockeying for political advantage and more of a frank and honest effort to ascertain facts and willingness to be guided by them.

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Work of Extra Session

Originally we were opposed to the special session of the legislature, but as it promises now to cut down the biennial appropriations more than \$2,000,000, we lift our hats.

How to Keep Well

Questions concerning hygiene, sanitation and prevention of disease, submitted to Dr. Evans by readers of the Bee will be answered personally.

MELTING POT MAGIC.

Raymond Pearl, a professor at Johns Hopkins university, makes a novel proposal relative to immigration.

Scottsbluff News.

George Grimes: Defeat of the gasoline tax is ample demonstration that the people want not a shifting of the tax burden but a real reduction.

Fremont Tribune.

Frank Hammond: The unprecedented act of assembling the legislature to reduce appropriations to be reflected in reduced tax levies of this year should be commended.

Wahoo Wasp.

T. J. Fickett: Notwithstanding the defeat of the gasoline tax bill, the special session was a good job and Governor McKelvie can be congratulated on the result.

Beatrice Express.

Clark Perkins: "Much cry and little wool" expresses my opinion of the special session.

Aurora Republican.

It will be like getting blood out of a turnip for the democrats to get any credit out of the failure of the gasoline tax.

Norfolk News.

Gene Huse: The special session was worth all it cost. The legislature has lopped some \$2,000,000 from the tax list.

Havelock Post.

Will C. Israel: The result of the special session fully justified its calling and redounds to the credit of Governor McKelvie.

Chadron Journal.

George C. Snow: Cutting appropriations over \$2,000,000 justifies the special session.

Fairbury Journal.

W. F. Cramb: The special session manufactured some campaign thunder for the republican party of Nebraska.

Nemaha County Republican (Auburn).

W. R. Dutton: The work of the special session is highly commendable and must be very satisfactory to the people.

Albion News.

Glen Cramers: That the legislature reduced appropriations more than \$2,000,000 redounds to the credit of the legislature and Governor McKelvie.

Falls City Journal.

It is the consensus of opinion around Falls City that the special session will have the most favorable results.

Hiram Johnson's Big Fee.

For \$25,000 New York City has had the services of Senator Hiram Johnson since January 1, 1922, as special counsel in the traction cases.

Democracy's Empty Talk.

A democratic congressman from Tennessee says the republican administration has not accomplished anything.

In the Farmer's Hands.

Just the same, the farmer's salvation is in his own hands. He may put his trust in congress, but he had better keep his co-operative powder dry.

The Bee's Letter Box

The Bee offers its columns freely to its readers. It is not necessary to pay for the use of its columns.

MOMENTS OF BIRTH.

"How long were you in the world?" "I don't know, but I was born on a rainy day."

Word for Movie People.

Omaha, Feb. 5.—To the Editor of The Bee: I do not personally know Paul Greer, your correspondent, but I do know what he is doing.

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Advertisement for Woodward's Billet Doux CHOCOLATES. Includes text: "Woodward's Billet Doux CHOCOLATES. INNER-CIRCLE CANDIES."

Advertisement for The Conservative Savings & Loan Association. Includes text: "The Conservative Savings & Loan Association. 1614 Harney OFFICERS: PAUL W. KUHN, Pres. J. A. LYONS, Sec. E. A. BAIRD, Vice Pres. J. H. McMILLAN, Treas."

Advertisement for H. K. BURKET & SON FUNERAL DIRECTORS. Includes text: "H. K. BURKET & SON FUNERAL DIRECTORS. Established 1876. ADVERTISEMENT. QUIT MEAT WHEN KIDNEYS BOTHER. Take a Glass of Salts if Your Back hurts or Bladder troubles you."

Advertisement for The GULBRANSEN PLAYER PIANO. Includes text: "The GULBRANSEN PLAYER PIANO will be a real pleasure to every member of the family all the time. A piano which is easy for even the youngsters to play. Doesn't require a musical education to enjoy."

Advertisement for Nicholas Oil Corporation. Includes text: "Where the Customer is Boss. Nicholas Filling Stations at: 17th and Howard, 20th and Farnam, 38th Ave. and Farnam, 29th and Leavenworth, 12th and Harney, 30th and Farnam, 17th and Davenport, 24th and H (South Side), 49th Ave. and Dodge, 60th and Military Ave., Corner of Main and Military (Fremont)."