

day are not the marsh, the lake and the river. They are an old-grown charter, a shambling street-car service, and the prevalent and crying nuisance of small men in big offices. Faults? Chicago has plenty of them,

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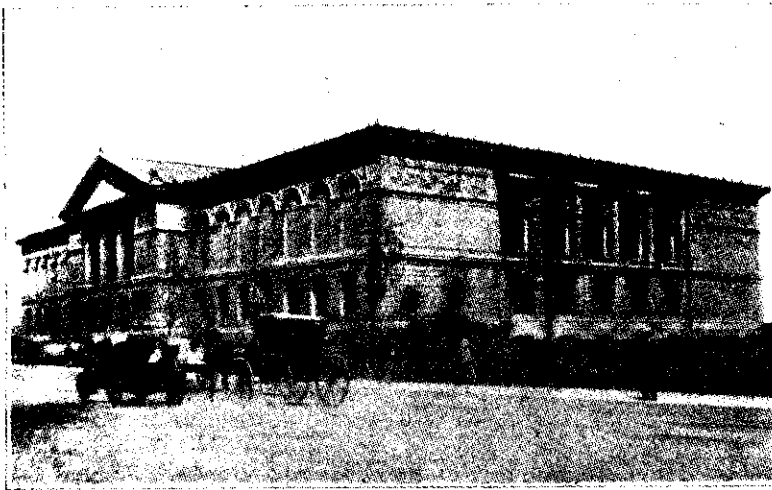
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