An Ideal City

A city, sanitary, convenient, substantial;

Where the houses of the rich and the poor are alike comfortable and beautiful;

Where the streets are clean and the sky line is clear as country air; Where the architectural excellence of its buildings adds beauty and dignity to its streets;

Where parks and playgrounds are within reach of every child;

Where living is pleasant, toil honorable and recreation plentiful;

Where capital is respected, but not worshiped;

Where commerce in goods is great, but no greater than the interchange of ideas;

Where industry thrives and brings prosperity alike to employer and employed;

Where education and art have a place in every home;

Where worth and not wealth give standing to men;

Where the power of character lifts men to leadership;

Where interest in public affairs is a test of citizenship and devotion to the public weal is a badge of honor;

Where government is always honest and efficient and the principles of democracy find their fullest and truest expression;

Where the people of all the earth can come and be blended into one community life, and where each generation will vie with the past to transmit to the next city greater, better and more beautiful than the last.

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