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PASSES 75TH BIRTHDAY.

Colonel M. A. Bates, of the Journal was 75 years of age last Saturday, June 2, and in honor of the event, we were the recipient of many useful and valuable tokens from our friends at home and some from friends abroad, and congratulation letters from friends of former years, among whom were Hon. Champ Clark, speaker of the house of representatives; Hon. A. M. Dockeny, third assistant postmaster general; Hon. E. S. Garver and Hon. John C. Dawson of Grant City, Mo. Mr. Dawson is president of the Citizens' bank, and Mr. Garver has represented his county in the Missouri legislature for several years, and in the earlier days was well known over Missouri as a prominent politician. We also received letters from Attorney General Willis Reed, Ex-Governor John H. Morehead, Lieutenant Governor Edgar Howard, and last but not least, by any means, our good friend, Senator G. M. Hitchcock, who has so ably represented Nebraska in the upper house of congress. We also desire to return our most sincere and grateful thanks to home friends who so liberally remembered us on this auspicious occasion, with the hope that we may be able to remember them in a like event. It was really one of the greatest pleasures of our life to be thus remembered, the memory of which will be with us to our dying day. Again we return our sincere gratitude, and may your shadows never grow less.

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More work for the road drag.

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The Young American is no coward.

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All who register don't have to go now.

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Nothing more charming that the June brides.

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Keep it before the people—buy a Liberty bond.

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Too much is enough of anything—rain included.

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"Business as Usual" should be strictly adhered to.

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It is the fellow who opposes conscription that is the coward.

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If we could only turn back the calendar, everybody would be doing it.

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In the language of Hamlet, there is something rotten in the Omaha police gang.

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Bachelors make very poor soldiers, because they are not used to fighting—at home.

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We tax the poor man's necessaries, and now we seem afraid to tax the rich man's luxuries.

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Omaha is the fourth city in enlistments for the navy. Good for the Nebraska metropolis.

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It seems that most of the business men are favorable to holding the carnival on Main street.

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We saw two men wearing straw hats Sunday. They looked funny and too bold for any use.

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The Omaha bunch of officers are in a dilapidated condition, and it looks like some of them will have to "step down and out" before peace is restored.

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There is nothing in the world that a young girl needs more than a mother, but it is a sad fact that there is many a child whose maternal parent is not even a good imitation mother.

DRAFTING THE COAL INDUSTRY

In its plea for government regulation of the coal industry, including price-fixing, the Federal Trade commission testifies to conditions of confusion which have operated severely against consumers and in favor of unscrupulous producers and dealers. Although shipments of bituminous coal last year increased from 443,000,000 to 509,000,000 tons, nearly 15 per cent, they fell short of the demand and stocks in storage were depleted. The inequitable distribution of cars, delays in delivery, added to the greed of mine owners, who are "demanding prices from 50 per cent to several hundred per cent over the cost of their output," resulted in great profits to certain operators and hardship to consumers, industrial and domestic. The commission also complains of the "intolerable abuses that marked the activities of certain elements of the anthracite trade during recent months," to which it had previously directed a pointed warning.

This situation cannot be permitted to continue if the nation is to prosecute the war with vigor and efficiency. Coal mining is a basic industry which must be conducted in such a way as to contribute to the use of the nation's full streigth. There must be complete co-operation between the coal operators and the railroads, and if it cannot be secured by voluntary action on both sides, the government, in furtherance of the policy of national defense, must intervene and assume control.

To maintain coal prices at reasonable level and to put a stop to extortionate practices of producers and distributors should be just as much a part of the government's function as a war power as to insure industrial and military activity in other directions.—New York World.

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West Virginia legislators have just incubated a new law requiring every able-bodied citizen of that state between 16 and 60 to work at least thirty-six hours a week. Was this aimed at the ball players, the summer boarders, the idle rich, or the three classes named and more? Presumably "work" is not restricted to manual employment, for the activities of lawmakers would naturally be recognized. If this extraordinary invasion of personal rights should be upheld by the courts, West Virginia joy-riders will be prompt to seek pastures new.

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The Irish have their opportunity now that they will be allowed to choose their own brand of home rule. But the prospect of agreement among themselves is far from promising, and that the leading agitators are ready to lose their occupations by consenting to a lasting settlement is still more doubtful. Let us hope, however, that the Irish people will get together and act wisely in spite of some of their leaders.

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Strange as it may seem, President Wilson has been asked by a native American why we are at war with Germany. He has pointedly replied that it is because of the "long and overwhelming" list of wrongs "perpetrated against the rights, the commerce and the citizens of the United States," wrongs that "no nation which respected itself or the rights of humanity could have borne any longer."

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Dr. Van Dyke's "Homeward Bound" poem aptly describes a passage across the Atlantic as "a game of hide and seek with murderers in the dark," for the submarine plays the role, not of the fair fighter in the open, but of the creeping assassin who stabs in the back.

"HARD TIMES SLACKERS."

The sooner a lot of business men and others cease the cry that the war has demoralized business the better it will be for everybody. If these same people will give the time thus spent to further the interests of the community they will be surprised to find that nobody has been hurt. The plain truth is that the great central west has not felt the war at all, and will not, unless it be extended over a long period of time. The only way in which the war has been felt in communities like this through the tremendous advance in prices of the common necessities, which has created a burden for the man of moderate and fixed income; and this is very largely due to artificial causes and manipulaion of markets. The central west now has the greatest natural resources and productiveness in its history and an incalculably greater amount of actual cash than ever before. Values, rot alone of land but of all its products are now on the average immensely greater than ever before and there is almost unlimited demand far labor of every kind from the untrained boy for farm work, to the most skilled mechanic.

All of this noise about demoralized business is upon the tongues of those who talk it and not borne out by the facts in any essential. The panic of 1907 hit this country with ten-fold more force and financial disaster than would one or two or three years of the present condition bring about. Let us get this all out of our system and for the common good keep things moving as they must move. A set of "hard times slackers" in the community can do more damage than all the rest combined.—Aurora Sun.

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LIFE AND DEATH.

An editorial in a prominent newspaper on "Life and Death," inspired by the fact that hundreds of thousands of young Americans are to risk their lives on the battle front, is chiefly remarkable for its lack of any mention of a future life. One might suppose that the writer had never heard of any such thing and that the general public addressed is equally uninformed on a vital subject. Perhaps it will be different months hence when we as a nation shall have really looked on death and our thoughts shall have turned a little more toward eternity. Already it is different among the battling nations of Europe, whence again and again have come reports of "revivals of religion" among both soldiers and civilians. According to the accounts, there is a deep stirring even on the higher levels of education and intelligence. H. G. Wells, the socialist and materialistic novelist, for example, has just written a book in order to proclaim that he has "found God."

Undoubtedly a quickening of mankind on the spiritual side is a part of the good to come out of the evil of the great war, and such quickening is needed, for, absorbed in earthly pursuits, too many of us become like miles under ground, with little time or taste or capacity for lifting our eyes to the stars shining in the heavens. Yet we may well believe that the great heart of humanity has never ceases to beat in rhythm with the unseen forces of a spiritual realm none the less real because invisible to gross mortal sight. The men who have gone down to the sea in ships, the men who have faced death in the shock of battle, the men who have slept under the stars and witnessed the miracle of dawn, the men and women who have followed duty into strife and pain with brave and hopeful hearts, the men and women who have performed their daily tasks faithfully more for the sake of others than for self, they who have not worshipped themselves only and have striven to do justice and love mercy—surely these have not ceased to be conscious of a great beyond, the real dwelling-place of the soul for a time only adjoined to its mortal tenement.

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Those engaged in spading gardens say there are many worms in the ground, and they also say that this is a sign there are plenty of fish in the streams. Alright, now go after them, boys.

LEGAL NOTICE.

John McCormick, Joel M. Johnson, Eben F. Colby, Charles Balduff, G. W. Betts (whose first name is unknown, Sarah A. Willison, Edmond A. Deslonde and William H. Taylor and the unknown heirs, devisees, legatees, personal representatives, and all other persons interested in the estates of John McCormick, Joel M. Johnson, Eben F. Colby, Charles Balduff, G. W. Betts, Sarah A. Willison, Edmond A. Deslonde, and William H. Taylor, deceased, respectively, will take notice that on the —— day of ——, 1917, Annie Stevenson, a widow, Olla Stevenson, Thomas B. Stevenson, John Stevenson and Annie Stevenson filed their petition in the District Court of Cass County, Nebraska, the object and purpose of which was to exclude you, and each of you, from the East half (½) of the West half (½) of Section Thirty-four (34) Township Ten (10) Range Twelve (12) and from the West half (½) of the West half (½) of the East half (½) of said section, the last tract being also known as Lots One (1), Two (2), Three (3) and Four (4) of said section, and exclude you, and each of you, from any interset in, lien on, or claim to said land or any part thereof, and to quiet the title to said land in themselves, as against you and all other persons claiming under, through or by you and also to satisfy and cancel of record a certain mortgage upon part of said land given by Solon M. Johnson, to the above named defendant, John McCormick, the said mortgage was filed on the 6th day of May, 1857, and recorded in Book "A" of the Deed Records of Cass County, Nebraska, at page 304 thereof.

And also to satisfy and cancel of record a certain mortgage covering a part of the above described tract of land from Solon M. Johnson to defendant, Joel M. Johnson, dated on the 3rd day of October, 1859, and recorded in Book "A" of the Mortgage Records of Cass County, Nebraska, at page 372 thereof, on October 3rd, 1859.

And also to cancel of record and hold void a certain deed for a part of the above described land given by Solon M. Johnson and wife, E. Janet Johnson, to defendant, Eben F. Colby, which deed was dated March 10, 1870, and filed for record on the 9th day of January, 1879, and recorded in book "T" of the Deed Records of Cass County, Nebraska, at page 538 thereof.

You are required to answer said petition in the above entitled court and cause on or before the 2nd day of July, 1917, or a decree will be entered therein as prayed in said petition.

Dated this 15th day of May, 1917.

ANNIE STEVENSON,
A Widow;
OLLA STEVENSON,
THOMAS B. STEVENSON,
JOHN STEVENSON
and ANNIE STEVENSON,
Plaintiffs.

PAUL R. JESSEN,
Attorney for Plaintiffs.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF CASS COUNTY, NEBRASKA.

David Z. Mummert, Plaintiff,
vs.
Frank L. Tague et al., Defendants.

NOTICE to Fred O. Tague, defendant.

You are hereby notified that the plaintiff has commenced an action against you in the District Court of Cass County, Nebraska, for the purpose of foreclosing the lien of a tax sale certificate on Lots 3, 4 and 5 in Block 7, in South Park Addition to the City of Plattsmouth, Cass County, Nebraska, and for equitable relief.

You are required to answer said petion on or before the 25th day of June, 1917, and in failing so to do, your default will be duly entered therein and judgment taken as prayed for in plaintiff's petition.

DAVID Z. MUMMERT,
Plaintiff.
By A. L. TIDD,
His Attorney.
5-14-4wks

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

The State of Nebraska,) Cass County,) ss.
IN THE COUNTY COURT.

In the Matter of the Estate of Henry C. Miller, Deceased, to the Creditors of said estate:

You are hereby notified that I will sit at the County Court Room in Plattsmouth in said County, on the 8th day of June, 1917, and on the 8th day of December, 1917, at 9:00 o'clock in the forenoon of each day, to receive and examine all claims against said Estate, with a view to their adjustment and allowance. The time limited for the presentation of claims against said Estate is six months from the 8th day of June, A. D. 1917, and the time limited for payment of debts is One Year from said 8th day of June, 1917.

Witness my hand and the seal of said County Court, this 8th day of May, 1917.

(Seal) ALLEN J. BEESON,
4wks County Judge.

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF THE COUNTY OF CASS, NEBRASKA.

In the Matter of the Estate of Dora Oldham Moore, deceased:

This cause came on for hearing upon the application of George J. Oldham, executor of the last will and testament of Dora Oldham Moore, deceased, praying for a license to sell Lots nine (9) and ten (10) in Block eleven (11) South Park Addition to the City of Plattsmouth, Cass County, Nebraska, or a sufficient amount of the same to bring the sum of $1,460.00 for the payment of debts allowed against said estate, and the cost for the payment of debts and legacies and the cost of administration, there not being sufficient personal property to pay said debts, legacies and expenses.

It is therefore ordered that all persons interested in said estate appear before me at the District Court in the Court House at Plattsmouth, Cass County, Nebraska, on the 18th day of June, 1917, at 10 o'clock A. M., to show cause why a license should not be granted to said administrator to sell so much of said above described real estate of said deceased, as shall be necessary to pay said debts and legacies and expenses. Notice to be given by publishing this order in the Plattsmouth Journal for four successive weeks before the date of hearing.

Dated this 5th day of May, 1917.

JAMES T. BEGLEY,
4wks Judge District Court.

ORDER OR HEARING AND NOTICE OF PROBATE OF WILL.

In the County Court of Cass County, Nebraska:

State of Nebraska,
County of Cass, ss.:

To all persons interested in the estate of Priscilla A. Noyes, deceased:

On reading the petition of Charles E. Noyes, praying that the instrument filed in this court on the 19th day of May, 1917, and purporting to be the last will and testament of the said deceased, may be proved and allowed, and recorded as the last will and testament of Priscilla A. Noyes, deceased; that said instrument be admitted to probate, and the administration of said estate be granted to Charles E. Noyes, as executor.

It is hereby ordered that you, and all persons interested in said matter, may and do, appear at the County Court to be held in and for said county, on the 4th day of June, A. D. 1917, at ten o'clock A. M., to show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted, and that notice of the pendency of said petition and that the hearing thereof be given to all persons interested in said matter by publishing a copy of this Order in the Plattsmouth Journal, a semi-weekly newspaper printed in said county, for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing.

Witness my hand and seal of said court, this 10th day of May, A. D. 1917.

ALLEN J. BEESON,
(Seal) County Judge.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF CASS COUNTY, NEBRASKA.

David Z. Mummert, Plaintiff,
vs.
Joseph A. G. Strickland et al., Defendants.

NOICE TO Joseph A. G. Strickland and Mrs. Joseph Strickalnd, his wife, first and real name unknown, the unknown heirs, devisees, legatees, personal representatives, and all other persons interested in the estate of Joseph A. G. Strickland, deceased, and the unknown heirs and devisees, legatees, personal representatives and all other persons interested in the estate of Mrs. Joseph Strickland, deceased, and Lots 20, 21 and 22, Block 1, in the Village of Alvo in Cass County, Nebraska; and

John F. J. Siegmund and Mrs. John Siegmund, his wife, first and real name unknown, and the unknown heirs, devisees, legatees, personal representatives and all persons interested in the estate of John F. J. Siegmund, deceased,, and the unknown heirs, devisees, legatees, personal representatives and all persons interested in the estate of Mrs. John Siegmund, deceased, and lots 155, 156 and 157 in the Village of Louisville, in Cass County, Nebraska.

You and each of you are hereby notified that the plaintiff has filed an action against you in the District Court of Cass County, Nebraska, in the First Cause of Action for the purpose of foreclosing the lien of a tax sale certificate on Lots 20, 21 and 22, in Block 1, in the Village of Alvo, in Cass County, Nebraska, and for equitable relief.

And in the Second Cause of Action to foreclose the lien of a tax sale certificate on Lots 155, 156 and 157 in the Village of Louisville, in Cass County, Nebraska, and for equitable relief.

You and each of you are required to answer said petition on or before the 25th day of June, 1917, and in failing so to do your default will be duly entered therein and judgment taken as prayed for in Plaintiff's petition.

DAVID Z. MUMMERT,
Plaintiff.
By A. L. TIDD,
5-14-4wks His Attorney.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE COUNTY OF CASS, NEBRASKA.

D. B. Porter, Plaintiff,
vs.
Robert R. Latta, et al., Defendants.

Notice of Suit to Quiet Title.

To the defendants, Robert R. Latta; Mary A. Latta; the unknown heirs, devisees, legatees, personal representatives and all other persons interested in the estate of Robert R. Latta, deceased; the unknown heirs, devisees, legatees, personal representatives and all other persons interested in the estate of Mary A. Latta, deceased; Andrew Morrow; Mrs. Andrew Morrow, first real name unknown; the unknown heirs, devisees, legatees, personal representatives and all other persons interested in the estate of Andrew Morrow, deceased; the unknown heirs, devisees, legatees, personal representatives and all other persons interested in the estate of Mrs. Andrew Morrow, first real name unknown, deceased; George W. Colvin; Mrs. George W. Colvin, first real name unknown; the unknown heirs, devisees, legatees, personal representatives and all other persons interested in the estate of Mrs. George W. Colvin, deceased; the unknown heirs, devisees, legatees, personal representatives and all other persons interested in the estate of Mrs. George W. Colvin, first real name unknown, deceased; The Union Mutual Life Insurance Company of Maine; the unknown successors and assigns of The Union Mutual Life Insurance Company of Maine; Elijah Woolsey; Mrs. Elijah Woolsey, first real name unknown; the unknown heirs, devisees, legatees, personal reps, representatives and all other persons interested in the estate of Elijah Woolsey, deceased; the unknown heirs, devisees, legatees, personal representatives and all other persons interested in the estate of Mrs. Elijah Woolsey, first real name unknown, deceased; the unknown owners and the unknown claimants of the northeast quarter (NE ¼) of the northwest quarter (NW ¼) of section thirty-two (32), township eleven (11), north range thirteen (13), east of the 6th P. M. in the County of Cass, Nebraska.

You are hereby notified that on the 19th day of May, A. D. 1917, plaintiff filed his suit in the District Court of the County of Cass, Nebraska, to quiet plaintiff's title to the following described lands, to-wit:

The northeast quarter (NE ¼) of the northwest quarter (NW ¼) of section thirty-two (32), township eleven (11), north range thirteen (13), east of the 6th P. M., in the County of Cass, Nebraska because of his adverse possession by himself and his grantors for more than ten years prior to the commencement of said suit and to enjoin each and all of you from having or claiming any right, title, lien or interest, either legal or equitable, in or to said lands, or any part thereof; to require you to set forth your right, title, claim, lien or interest therein, if any, either legal or equitable, and to have the same adjudged inferior to the title of plaintiff and for general equitable relief.

This notice is made pursuant to the order of the court.

You are required to answer said petition on or before Monday, July 2, A. D. 1917, or your default will be duly entered therein.

D. B. PORTER,
Plaintiff.
W. A. ROBERTSON,
Attorney.
4wks sw-May 21

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the County Court.

The State of Nebraska,
Cass County, ss.:

In the Matter of the Estate of Clarence Eugene Babbitt, Deceased.

To the Creditors of Said Estate:

You are hereby notified that I will sit at the County Court room in Plattsmouth, in said County, on June 16th, 1917, and December 17th, 1917, at 10 o'clock A. M. of each days to receive and examine all claims against said estate, with a view to their adjustment and allowance. The time limited for the presentation of claims against said estate is six months from the 16th day of June, A. D. 1917, and the time limited for payment of debts is One Year from said 16th day of June, 1917.

Witness my hand and the seal of said County Court, this 15th day of May, 1917.

(Seal) ALLEN J. BEESON,
4wks County Judge.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF CASS COUNTY, NEBRASKA.

The First National Bank of Plattsmouth, Nebraska, Plaintiff,
vs.
Perry Marsh, Defendant.

Notice to Perry Marsh, Defendant.

You are hereby notified that the plaintiff has commenced an action against you in the District Court of Cass County, Nebraska, for the purpose of foreclosing a Mortgage for $210.00 and interest from January 1, 1916, at the rate of ten per cent per annum, on the following described real estate, to-wit:

A strip of land out of the NE corner of the NW ¼ of the NW ¼ of Sec. 19, Twp. 12, Rge. 14, E. of 6th P. M., about 22 by 207 7-10 feet in size, immediately adjoining lot eleven on the South, and being all the land between said lot and Patterson Avenue. Commencing at the NW corner of NE ¼ of NW ¼ of Sec. 19, Twp. 12, North Rge. 14, E. of 6th P. M., thence running South 154 feet to the point of beginning, thence running south to Patterson avenue, thence East to the road known as Lincoln Avenue, thence Northeasterly along said Lincoln Avenue to a point due East of the point of beginning, thence West to the point of beginning. Sixty-eight (68) feet off of the South side of Lot 11 in Sec. 19, Twp. 12, Rge. 14, East of 6th P. M., in Cass County, Nebraska, and for equitable relief.

You are required to answer said petition on or before the 9th day of July, 1917, and in failing so to do your default will be duly entered therein and judgment taken as prayed for in plaintiff's petition.

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF PLATTSMOUTH,
Plaintiff.
By A. L. TIDD, Its Attorney.
May 28—4w

Just received, a fine new line of flags, stickers, etc., at the Journal office.

First Security Bank

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Sound, Conservative and Progressive

THE BANK OF THE PEOPLE
THE BANK BY THE PEOPLE
THE BANK FOR THE PEOPLE

We are anxious to assist the farmer in feeding and handling his live stock for market

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WM. SCHNEIDER, President
W. H. LOHNES, Vice-President T. J. SHANAHAN, Vice-President
J. F. FOREMAN, Cashier

ORDER OF HEARING AND NOTICE OF PROBATE OF WILL.

In the County Court of Cass County, Nebraska.

State of Nebraska,)
County of Cass,) ss.:

To John Edwin Barwick, Helen Crossland Julyan, Thomas N. Julyan, Hilda Coffman, Perry W. Coffman, Norah Allbee, William P. Allbee, and to all persons interested in the estate of Selina Barwick, deceased:

On reading the petition of Hilda Coffman praying that the instrument filed in this court on the 29th day of May, 1917, and purporting to be the last will and testament of the said deceased, may be proved and allowed, and recorded as the last will and testament of Selina Barwick, deceased; that said instrument be admitted to probate, and the administration of said estate be granted to John Edwin Barwick as executor. It is hereby ordered that you, and all persons interested in said matter, may, and do, appear at the County Court to be held in and for said county, on the 25th day of June, A. D. 1917, at 9 o'clock A. M., to show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted, and that notice of the pendency of said petition and that the hearing thereof be given to all persons interested in said matter by publishing a copy of this Order in the Plattsmouth Journal, a semi-weekly newspaper, printed in said county, for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing.

Witness my hand and seal of said court, this 29th day of May, A. D. 1917.

ALLEN J. BEESON,
(Seal) County Judge.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

The State of Nebraska,)
Cass County,) ss.:
IN THE COUNTY COURT.

In the Matter of the Estate of Johann G. Stark, Deceased. To the Creditors of said estate:

You are hereby notified that I will sit at the County Court room in Plattsmouth, in said County, on the 30th day of June, 1917, and on the 30th day of December, 1917, at 10:00 o'clock A. M. on each day, to receive and examine all claims against said Estate, with a view to their adjustment and allowance. The time limited for the presentation of claims against said Estate is six months from the 30th day of June, A. D. 1917, and the time limited for payments of debts is One Year from said 30th day of June, 1917.

Witness my hand and seal of said County Court, this 19th day of May, 1917.

(Seal) ALLEN J. BEESON,
May 28—4wks County Judge.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF CASS COUNTY, NEBRASKA.

David Z. Mummert, Plaintiff,
vs.
Axel Abel et al., Defendants.

NOTICE to Axel Abel and Mrs. Axel Abel, his wife, first and real name unknown, and Francis M. Rood, and Lot 9, in Block 2, in Ritchie Place Addition to the City of Plattsmouth, Cass County, Nebraska.

You and each of you are hereby notified that the plaintiff has commenced an action against you in the District Court of Cass County, Nebraska, for the purpose of foreclosing the lien of a tax sale on Lot 9 in Block 2 in Ritchie Place Addition to the City of Plattsmouth, Cass County, Nebraska, and for equitable relief.

You and each of you are required to answer said petition on or before the 25th day of June, 1917, and in failing so to do your default will be duly entered therein and judgment taken as prayed for in plaintiff's petition.

DAVID Z. MUMMERT,
Plaintiff.
By A. L. TIDD,
5-14-4wks His Attorney.

The fiftieth anniversary of Nebraska will be celebrated in Lincoln next week.

ITALIAN WAR COMMISSION.

The pilgrimage of the Italian war commission to Mount Vernon was scarcely less impressive than that of the French and English. "The bronze wreath," said the Prince of Udine, "which we have come to lay upon the tomb of your great national hero, and which we have brought from Rome, is such as used to be offered to Roman heroes, it represents the homage of the Italian nation to the man who symbolizes the purest traditions and the most noble aspirations of the American spirit." Standing on hallowed ground, the commission did not stop at this tribute to Washington, but solemnly pledged the fortunes and the men of Italy to the common cause, the prince adding in the name of the people of his nation: "I wish solemnly to declare, in this place sacred to the American nation, that we shall never lay down our arms until our liberty, and the liberties of the peoples who are suffering with us, shall be rendered safe against all surprise and all insolence." Washington, who himself entered into a war-league with a nation of Europe in the name of liberty, could not have asked more than this.

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The young American doctors and Red Cross assistants who are going or have gone to Europe are brave men. There was a time when to fire on the Red Cross was supposed to be a shameful, almost unbelievable, outrage, but the Germans have put an end to that so far as they are concerned. "Frightfulness" desires every wounded enemy to be left to die and the German sharpshooters regularly pick off red-crossed samaritans on their errands of mercy. The members of the British and French medical corps have been slaughtered like sheep, and hence the great cry for American aid in this line. The unbelievable day has come when Red Cross work is more hazardous even than the life in the trenches.

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Did you register yesterday?

Attention Auto Buyer

with present conditions at the various factories existing and the scarcity of freight cars in which to transfer autos, it is a cold fact that a great many buyers will be disappointed at the inability of agents to secure cars with which to fill orders already sold. We anticipated this condition early and bought a supply of cars of both "Studebaker" and "Maxwell" autos and can make immediate delivery to you. Think this matter over carefully and call on us or write and we will be pleased to give you a demonstration of either make.

There is a raise in price of both makes which we can avoid if you will act quickly. Subject to stock on hand

Studebaker 6-50, f. o. b. Detroit.....$1,250.00
Maxwell 4-40, f . o. b. Detroit..... 940.00
Maxwell 4-30, f. o. b. Detroit..... 635.00

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