CZAR'S DAUGHTER FLEES SIBERIA TO COME TO THE U. S.

FORMER RUSSIAN GRAND DUCHESS ESCAPES PRISON BY MEANS OF RUSE.

Fictitious Marriage Turns the Trick and Now the Lady is on Her Way to the U. S.

New York, Nov. 25.—Miss Tatiana Nicolaevna Romanoff, second daughter of Nicholas Romanoff, deposed emperor of Russia, has escaped from Siberia through a fictitious marriage to a son of a former chamberlain of the czar and is now on her way to the United States, chaperoned by an Englishwoman, according to information made public here tonight by persons connected with the Russian civilian relief.

The former grand duchess, who is 20 years old, made her escape from Tobolsk, the present home of the exiled emperor, to Harbin, in Manchuria, and thence to Japan, where passage was taken on a steamship for the Pacific coast.

The New York officials of the Russian civilian relief, including Daniel Frohman, Ivan Narodny and Dr. Thomas Darlington, have been informed the young woman will arrive in New York some time in December to play a prominent part in the work of the recently formed organization.

According to an announcement tonight by the news bureau of the Russian postoffice department, Miss Romanoff intends to remain one year in this country and while in New York her guardian and companion will be Mrs. Margaret Barret Cerver of Denver, who left this city on last Friday for the Pacific coast.

Secretly Leaves Tobolsk.

Mr. Frohman is a temporary member of the board of governors of the Russian civilian relief.

Ivan Narodny, who is connected with the Russian-American Asiatic corporation, told tonight how Miss Romanoff succeeded in leaving Russia. He said news of her escape was sent to him by the emperor's former second chamberlain named Frederick, an old friend, and that the young woman's flight had been well known to a close circle of friends.

Narodny explained that the daughters of the former emperor were permitted to leave Tobolsk and to visit relatives elsewhere, but that they were forbidden to leave Russian territory. The plan was then conceived of having her "marry" a son of Frederick, as this would give the former grand duchess greater freedom of movement about Russia.

"Miss Tatiana Romanoff does not care," a statement issued said, "as to whether her father or the Romanoff dynasty ever regain the throne, but she is very much concerned about a strong democratic government, or rather a United States of Russia. She will try to explain to the American people that they had not ought to desert Russia and leave her to the socialistic adventurers and the Germans, but help to get united and work for the allies."

The purpose of the Russian civil relief, it was stated, is to "promote and foster mutual understanding friendly relations and the spirit of brotherly love between the Russian and American peoples; to raise funds solicit volunteers to aid so far as possible in alleviating the suffering of the masses affected by the war or revolution, and to make a propaganda for the establishment of an immediate stable democratic government and counteract the socialistic adventurers."

The Grand Dutchess Tatiana was born in Peterhof in 1897. In August, 1913, it was reported that she would marry Prince Charles of Roumania, and her betrothal to the prince of Wales also was reported in October of the same year, but later denied.

WOMAN'S COMMITTEE NEBR. STATE COUNCIL OF DEFENSE

From Tuesday's Daily.

Why the Women Need Money.

Lincoln, Neb., Nov. 20, 1917.

The Woman's Committee of the Nebraska State Council of Defense needs funds. BIG DRIVE ON DECEMBER 15TH.

What is the Woman's Committee of the Council of National Defense for the purpose of so coordinating the activities and the results of the organized and the unorganized women of the country that their power can be immediately utilized in time of need. It supplies a new and direct channel of co-operation between women and governmental departments.

How is the Woman's Committee coordinating the Woman's power? By the organization of state divisions. In Nebraska the state devision in turn organized the county units of all woman's organizations and societies without regard to creed, purpose or color. Its memebrship is always open to women not belonging to any organized societies. Any woman who believes in American principles and American institutions is entitled to membership.

What are the departments of work in the Woman's Committee?

1. Registration for Service.
2. Food Production.
3. Food Conservation.
4. Home Economics.
5. Women in Industry.
6. Child Welfare.
7. Maintaining Existing Social Service Agencies.
8. Creating Moral and Spiritual Forces (Health & Recreation.
9. Educational Propaganda.
10. Americanization Naturalization of Foreigners.
11. Liberty Loan.
12. Red Cross and Allied Relief.

What has the Woman's Committee of the Nebraska State Council done to merit support from the public?

1. It has registered the woman power of state, necessitating an expense of over $2,000 for registration cards, summary lists, express and postage charges. It has supplied through its registration service woman employes for industries that were short of help. It has put to work for the government and for patriotic service, thousands of women who had not done anything before this registration was taken.

2. It has assisted very materially in two food pledge card campaigns under the direction of the food administraior at Washington. The first food conservation campaign necessitated the expenditure of a considerable sum for food pledge cards, express, etc. Some of this was borne locally, but in most cases it came out of individual subscriptions, by the women themselves. In the second food pledge campaign the women gave great assistance to Mr. Wattles' work.

The Child Welfare Committee is voluntarily guarding the youth of our state.

The Americanization Department has, by persistent and zealous work among the foreign element, brought about the naturalization of hundreds of foreign born women, and through them has influenced the men so that they, too, have taken out their papers and become bona fide citizens of this country.

The Educational Division is seeing to it that every school public and parochial, conducts patriotic programs. That it expels from its books all undemocratic articles, and that an American flag waves over each school building in the state.

The Department of Health and Recreation has given careful attention to the safeguarding of the moral and spiritual forces of the soldiers in the permanent and temporary camps in the state. This Division provided the boys with many comforts and actual necessities with which they were not at first supplied by the government. All this came out of the funds of the earnest women who serve on this Committee.

The Department looking after the Maintenace of Existing Social Service Agencies is seeing to it that the standard of work in all home charities in Nebraska is maintained.

The Liberty Loan Committee through its women assistants throughout the state, has raised approximately $1,900,000 for the second Liberty Loan campaign.

The establishment of a Speakers' Bureau to fill the frequent calls for addresses to explain problems connected with the war and woman's part in it, is one of the projects the Council of National Defense rightfully asks our Woman's Committee to effect.

In addition to above, what has the Woman's Committee done?

It has organized practically every county in the state for Woman's work. In each county, organizations of women are co-operating with the County Council to push lal patriotic and war relief work.

The Red Cross work is almost entirely in the hands of the women of our state. There are about 200,000 members of the Red Cross in our state alone; whereas, two years ago there were only 200,000 members of the American Red Cross in the United States.

How is the Woman's Committee supported?

The Nebraska State Council of Defense provides headquarters. It paid $500.00 of the expense incurred by registration. The Woman's Committee members have individually financed hundreds of dollars worth of work at their own expense; but the Committee is many hundreds of dollars in arrears at the present time, despite the capable individual support. The Chairman of the Executive Board of the Woman's Committee, Miss Sarka B. Hrbkova, and all her co-workers, are giving time and strength to the Defense labors, wholly without compensation of any sort.

How is the Woman's Committee to be enabled to continue its activities?

Only by the support of the public at large. The appropriation by the legislature has been so small that a public appeal has been necessary. The Woman's Committee appeals to the public in Nebraska to give support to this necessary coordinating work which is the backbone of all the war relief work among women. An especial day, the 15th of December, has been set aside for the campaign to raise funds for the Nebraska State Division of Woman's Work of the Council of National Defense.

Will you help?

BOX SUPPER.

The teacher and pupils of Lewiston School District No. 7 will give a program and box supper, Saturday evening Dec. 1st, at the school. Everybody is invited. Program to start at 7:30.

MATILDA MABELLE DONAT,
11-26-2td2tw.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION —OF— The Bank of Cass County

of Plattsmouth, Nebraska.
Charter No. 642.

Incorporated in the state of Nebraska, at the close of business, November 20, 1917

RESOURCES

Loans and discounts	$556,305 61
Overdrafts	4,363 76
Bonds, Securities, judgments etc	19,500 00
Banking house furniture and fixtures	9,300 00
Other real estate	10,018 77
Current expenses, taxes and interest paid	20,568 54
Cash items	327 31
Due from national and state banks	130,487 12
Checks and items of exchange	1,141 50
Currency	9,521 00
Gold coin	5,107 50
Silver, nickels and cents	3,223 21
Total	$769 893 12

LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in	$ 50,000 00
Surplus fund	30,000 00
Undivided profits	32,849 20
Individual deposits subject to check	267,389 20
Time certificates of deposit	348,632 77
Cashier's checks outstanding	4,141 47
Due to national and state banks	31,586 58
Depositors' guaranty fund	5,304 20
Total	$769 893 12

STATE OF NEBRASKA, } ss
COUNTY OF CASS }

I, R. F. Patterson, Cashier of the above named bank do hereby swear that the above statement is a correct and true copy of the report made to the State Banking Board.

R. F. PATTERSON, Cashier.

Attest: CHAS. C. PARMELE, Director, FRED G. EGENBERGER, Director.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24th day of November, 1917. ANNE C. HASS, Notary Public. (Seal)

My commission expires Sept. 22, 1920.

NETS $65.00 FOR DISTRICT.

From Tuesday's Daily.

Miss Helen Foster, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Foster of this city, Mr. Foster being one of the operators at the Missouri Pacific station here, who is the teacher of District 36 of Otoe county and which is near Cook, held a box social at her school house at which she cleared over sixty-five dollars which goes to the district for the purpose of things needed at the school, such as maps, gramaphones, and books for reference and etc. Miss Foster is just now home with her parents for Thanksgiving vacation, and will return to her school at the end of this week.

WILL SPEND THANKSGIVING AT FUNSTON

From Tuesday's Daily.

This morning the three Misses Holly, Elizabeth, Bess and Alma departed on the Burlington for Omaha, where they took the Rock Island for Junction City, Kansas, and where they will go to Camp Funston to spend the holiday with their brother Roy Holly.

They go to have a good time with their brother which is a fine thing. Miss Elizabeth who is teaching at Creighton is home for the week, having come in last Saturday, and the three girls with baskets provided with the good things which mother cooks, will make this a bright spot in the army experience of their brother.

There might be such a thing that a friend or two of Roy's in the service might help enjoy the occasion. The girls will return in time for Elizabeth to return for the opening of her school at Creighton next Monday.

A lazy liver leads to chronic dyspepsia and constipation—weakens the whole system. Doan's Regulets (30c per box) act mildly on the liver and bowels. At all drug stores.

In Sanitarium Three Weeks

Splendid results in kidney and bladder troubles are achieved by Foley Kidney Pills. Mrs. Effie E Kleppe, Averill, Minn., writes: "I was at Fargo sanitarium three weeks for rheumatism and kidney trouble but got no relief. I began using Foley Kidney Pills and found immediate relief. A bottle completed the cure." Sold everywhere.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The State of Nebraska, Cass County, ss:

In the County Court

In the matter of the Estate of Julia A. Thomas, 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 24th day of December, 1917, and the 24th day of March, 1918, at ten o'clock a. m. 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 three months from the 24th day of December, A. D., 1917, and the time limited for payment of debts is one year from said 24th day of December, 1917.

Witness my hand and the seal of said County Court, this 22nd day of November, 1917.

ALLEN J. BEESON, (Seal) County Judge.
R. R. Windham, Attorney.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The State of Nebraska, Cass County, ss:

In the County Court

In the matter of the Estate of Mary C. Edgerton, 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 18th day of December, 1917, and the 18th day of March, 1918, at 10 o'clock a. m. 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 three months from the 18th day of December, A. D., 1917, and the time limited for payment of debts is one year from said 18th day of December, 1917.

Witness my hand and the seal of said County Court, this 13th day of November, 1917.

ALLEN J. BEESON, County Judge.
n19-sw4w.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The State of Nebraska, Cass County, ss:

In the County Court

In the matter of the Estate of Nancy Elizabeth Wiles, 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 18th day of December, 1917, and the 19th day of March, 1918, at ten o'clock a. m. of each day to receive and examine all claims against said Estate, with a view to their adjustment and allowance. The time limited for presentation of claims against said Estate is three months from the 18th day of December, A. D., 1917, and the time limited for payment of debts is one year from said 18th day of December, 1917.

Witness my hand and the seal of said County Court, this 13th day of November, 1917.

ALLEN J. BEESON, County Judge.
n19-sw4w.

NOTICE OF SALE

In the District Court of the County of Cass, Nebraska.

In the master of the Estate of Henry W. Eaton, Deceased:

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an order of James T. Begley of the District Court of Cass county, Nebraska, made on the 18th day of October, 1917, for the sale of the real estate hereinafter described, there will be sold at the south front door of the Court House in Plattsmouth, Cass county, Nebraska, on the 10th day of December, 1917, at ten o'clock a. m. at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash the following described real estate, to-wit:

Lots two hundred eleven (211) and two hundred twelve (212) in the village of Greenwood, Cass county, Nebraska.

Said sale to remain open one hour.

DOROTHY M. LANCH, Administratrix of Estate of Henry W. Eaton, Deceased.
J. A. RAWLS, Attorney. n8-sw3wd

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The State of Nebraska) Cass County) ss:

In the County Court.

In the matter of the Estate of Blanche Marsh, 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 3rd day of December, 1917, and on the 3rd day of March, 1918, 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 three months from the first day of December, 1917, and the time limited for payment of debts is eight months from said first day of December, 1917.

Witness my hand and the seal of said County Court, this 3rd day of November, 1917.

ALLEN J. BEESON, (Seal)—n8-sw4w. County Judge.

LEGAL NOTICE.

Notice to nonresident Defendants, Sally Dedrick, Devisee, heir at law, Personal Representatives, and all persons interested in their estate.

To S. T. W. Throp, first real name unknown, if living, if deceased, the unknown heirs, devisees, legatees, personal representatives and all persons interested in the estate of Mrs. S. T. W. Throp, deceased; Pioneer Savings and Loan Company, successor and owner of all rights, property and assets of National Investment Loan and Protective Union; National Building Loan and Protective Union; J. V. Hardy, first real name unknown, if living, if deceased, the unknown heirs, devisees, legatees, personal representatives and all persons interested in the estate of J. V. Hardy, deceased; Abijah Harris, if living, if deceased, the unknown heirs, devisees, legatees, personal representatives and all persons interested in the estate of Abijah Harris, deceased; Mrs. Abijah Harris, wife of Abijah Harris, first real name unknown, if living, if deceased, the unknown heirs, devisees, legatees, personal representatives and all persons interested in the estate of Mrs. Abijah Harris, deceased; A. E. Alexander, first real name unknown, if living, if deceased, the unknown heirs, devisees, legatees, personal representatives and all persons interested in the estate of A. E. Alexander, deceased; Mr. A. E. Alexander, husband of A. E. Alexander, first real name unknown, if living, if deceased, the unknown heirs, devisees, legatees, personal representatives and all persons interested in the estate of Mr. A. E. Alexander, deceased; A. H. Townsend, first real name unknown, if living, if deceased, the unknown heirs, devisees, legatees personal representatives and all persons interested in the estate of A. H. Townsend, deceased; Mrs. A. H. Townsend, wife of A. H. Townsend, first real name unknown, if living, if deceased, the unknown heirs, devisees, legatees, personal representatives and all persons interested in the estate of Mrs. A. H. Townsend, deceased; Alfred D. Jones, if living, if deceased, the unknown heirs, devisees, legatees, personal representatives and all persons interested in the estate of Alfred D. Jones, deceased; Sophronia Jones, wife of Alfred D. Jones, if living, if deceased, the unknown heirs, devisees, legatees, personal representatives and all persons interested in the estate of Sophronia Jones, deceased:

You and each of you are hereby notified that George J. Oldham as plaintiff, on the 9th day of November, 1917, filed his petition in the District Court of Cass county, Nebraska, wherein you and all of you are defendants; the object and prayer of which petition is that the claim, interest, right, title and estate of each and every one of you in and to

Lots one (1) and two (2) and that part of lots three (3) and four (4) not occupied by Chicago Avenue, in Block one hundred sixty-four (164) of the City of Plattsmouth, Cass county, Nebraska.

That the title of said plaintiff in and to said real estate, and every part thereof be quieted as against you and each and every one of you, as against any and all claims of any person through or by you, and that it be adjudged and decreed that each and all of you whose names are above set forth, if living, and if deceased, the heirs, devisees, legatees, personal representatives and all other persons interested in the estate of each and every one of you, have no right, title, claim or interest in and to said real estate or any part thereof, and that each and all of said defendants, those named, and those whose names are unknown and not stated, be forever barred from claiming or asserting any right, title, interest or estate in and to said real estate, or any part thereof, and for such other and further relief as to the court may seem just and equitable.

You and each of you are further notified that you are required to answer said petition on or before Monday, the 7th day of January, 1918.

GEORGE J. OLDHAM, Plaintiff.
C. A. RAWLS, Attorney.
n12-sw3wd.

NOTICE OF REFEREE'S SALE

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to an Order of Sale issued to me by the District Court of Cass county, Nebraska, on the 2nd day of November, A. D., 1917, in an action pending in said court in which James Delos Dernier, as guardian of Ernest R. Elliott, Harry Elliott and Walter Elliott, all minors, Richard Delos Dernier, Laura Delos Dernier, Martha Ann Ingerson, Albert N. Jorgerson, Norman C. Leola Dernier, Emma Delos Dernier, James Delos Dernier, Ruth Delos Dernier, Lester M. Elliott, Alice Elliott, Arthur Elliott, Andrew Elliott and Linnie Delos Dernier are plaintiffs and John C. Delos Dernier, is defendant I will on Saturday, the 8th day of December, A. D., 1917, at one o'clock in the afternoon on said day, at the front door of the Nebraska Bank, Nehawka, Cass county, Nebraska, offer for sale at public vendue to the highest bidder, the following described real estate, situated in the County of Cass, and State of Nebraska, to-wit:

The south half of the northwest quarter (S½ NW¼) of Section Twenty-four (24), and the northeast quarter (NE¼) of Section Twenty-three (23), all in Township Ten (10) North of Range Twelve (12) East of the 6th Principal Meridian, Cass county, Nebraska.

the terms of sale being one-tenth cash on the day of sale and the balance of the purchase price on the day sale is confirmed by the District Court of Cass county, Nebraska.

Said sale will remain open for one hour.

WILLIAM DELES DERNIER, Referee.
n5-sw4w.

LEGAL NOTICE

To George W. Norton, Geo. W. Norton (first real name unknown), Geo. D. Maddson (first real name unknown), John Fountain, Henry Fountain, George E. Harding; the heirs, devisees, legatees, personal representatives and all other persons interested in the estates of the following named persons, to-wit: George W. Norton, Geo. W. Norton (first real name unknown), Geo. D. Mattison (first real name unknown), John Fountain, Henry Fountain, and George E. Harding, whose names and residences are unknown; William H. Price, William M. Price and Albert Kelly, Executors of the last will and testament and estate of George E. Harding, deceased; and the unknown owners and the unknown claimants of the following described real estate, to-wit: The East half of the Southeast quarter (E½SE¼) of Section Twenty-three (23), the Southwest quarter (SW¼) of Section Twenty-four (24), the North half of the North half of the Northwest quarter (N½N½NW¼) of Section Twenty-five (25) and the North half of the North half of the Northeast quarter (N½N½NE¼) of Section Twenty-six (26), all in Township Twelve (12), North of Range Ten (10), East of the Sixth (6th) P. M., in Cass county, Nebraska:

You and each of you are hereby notified, that on the 24th day of October, 1917, Nancy J. Hill, Franklin D. Hill, Eunice E. Kline, Jesse J. Hill, Charles F. Hill, Violet E. Thorp, Ruth Thorp and Florence Thorp by her Guardian and next friend, Reginald H. Thorp, as plaintiffs filed their petition in the District court in and for Cass county, Nebraska, and that you and each of you are parties defendant, the object and prayer of said petition being to obtain a decree, adjudging and decreeing that said plaintiffs are the owners in fee simple and seized of the following described real estate, to-wit:

The East half of the Southeast quarter (E½ SE¼) of Section Twenty-three (23), the Southwest quarter (SW¼) of Section Twenty-four (24), the North half of the North half of the Northwest quarter (N½ N½ NW¼) of Section Twenty-five (25) and the North half of the North half of the Northeast quarter (N½ N½ NE¼) of Section Twenty-six (26), all in Township Twelve (12), North of Range Ten (10), East of the 6th P. M., in Cass county, Nebraska.

and that said plaintiffs are entitled to the absolute and uninterrupted possession of said premises; that you, the defendants, and each of you, have no title to, claim or lien upon or interest in said real estate; that the title to said real estate be quieted in plaintiffs; that the clouds created by the claims set forth in petition of plaintiffs be removed; and that the plaintiffs have such other and further relief in the premises as they may be entitled to and to the Court may seem meet.

You and each of you are required to answer said petition on or before the 17th day of December, 1917.

Nancy J. Hill, Franklin D. Hill, Eunice E. Kline, Jesse J. Hill, Charles F. Hill, Violet E. Thorp, Ruth Thorp, Florence Thorp by her Guardian and next friend, Reginald H. Thorp.
By: D. W. MORROW,
n26-sw4w. Their Attorney.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

The State of Nebraska) Cass County) ss:

In the County Court.

In the matter of the Estate of Elizabeth F. Edmunds, Deceased:

Notice is hereby given to the creditors of said deceased that hearings will be had upon claims filed against said estate, before me, County Judge of Cass county, Nebraska, at the county Court room in Plattsmouth, in said county, on the first day of December, 1917, and on the 2nd day of March, 1918, at 10 o'clock a. m., each day, for examination, adjustment and allowance.

All claims must be filed in said court on or before said last hour of hearing.

Witness my hand and seal of said County Court, at Plattsmouth, Nebraska, this 31st day of October, 1917.

ALLEN J. BEESON, (Seal) County Judge.

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