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WHY WE NEED EUROPE

A report of the Department of Commerce shows a shrinkage of half a billion dollars in our trade balance with Europe for the last fiscal year as compared with 1919. There is nothing disturbing in that, but thoughtful citizens may be disconcerted by the items with individual European countries. For instance, using round numbers, our exports to Great Britain were $2,000,000,000 and our imports $500,000,000. To France our sales were 716,000,000 and purchases were $172,000,000. Italy bought goods of us to the amount of $400,000,000 and sold us $92,000,000. Belgium's account was purchases. $317,000,000, sales $29,-000,000. To Germany we solyd $202,-000,000 and bought $45,000,000.

Without further details, the totals show that our sales to Europe for the past year were $4,645,455,898, and Europe's sales to us were $1,-179,460,659. Just how long so one-sided an exchange can continue may not be asserted, but it is foolish to think it can go on indefinitely. There were high protectionist who used to think that Europe could be excluded from our market; but nobody with any economic standing accept such absurdity.

The situation today, however, is not what it was when the full dinner pail was a campaign slogan and the pauper labor of Europe the ranting orator's stock in trade. Europe has to rebuild itself physically and almost psychologically. How vitally important it is to us that Europe succeeds in revealed in government's ledgers. If Europe can't pay for the goods she buys from us, what is going to happen to American industry, or to put it directly, what is going to happen to the average American's job?

Candidate Harding may babble "America first" and the bitter-enders may denounce Europe, but American prosperity is bound up with Europe's stability, as the trade figures conclusively tell. And that is the average American's interest in the league of nations.

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THE COUNTRY BOY

It may be that future presidential candidates will be the highly specialized products that the city schools now are turning out—and good men they ought to be. But the country boy still is batting to a high average in public life, and the nominations of James M. Cox and Warren G. Harding have brought glory to the roadside Ohio hamlets in which they were born.

The old-fashioned American tradition that preferred presidents grown on farms seemed to have passed out with McKinley. Roosevelt was born in New York; Taft in Cincinnati; Wilson in Staunton, Va. The city-grown boy had come into his own at last, it appeared.

But this year both major parties again have selected as their standard-bearers boys who came from the soil; who lived through their teens in tiny villages; who toiled on the land from early morning to summer's dusk; who revive in their careers the old-fashioned tradition.

The era that produced them is passing, as the youth of the farms respond to the alluring call of the cities. They are of that old-fashioned breed whose careers inspired generations of boys to go forth likewise and hunt and seize opportunity afar when it was nowhere to be found in their own neighborhoods.

The future probably will give us a different type of presidential candidates whose careers will be less picturesque; fellows who will not be rough-hewn or self-made in the sense that Cox and Harding are products of their own making.

But when they rise to fame there will be far less inspiration in their biographies.—Omaha News.

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THE PRICE OF FREEDOM

The story of the pet canary bird whose cage surroundings grew irksome and who wandered forth only to be eaten by the neighborhood cat, is age old.

What matter if food and water were provided daily; what mater a life of ease? Without freedom of the fields these proved inadequate to satisfy the longings of "only a bird."

Human beings much resemble this pet songster of the fable.

Children today rebel at parental discipline; many wives chafe under the restraints imposed by the marital law, while husbands openly rebel against the quietitude of the American home.

And the price of freedom is equally as exacting as in the story.

Children wander from the parental roof into the world and we scarcely pause to reflect upon their downfall or ponder over their plight.

Wives and husbands search for freedom from the restraining modes of life, only to find that the longer they search the more elusive proves the happiness they seek—and without which life is empty indeed.

'Twas ever thus.

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IF EVERYBODY WAS LIKE YOU

By Dr. James I. Vance in Omaha News

What sort of a world would it be if everybody were just like you? Would you care to live in such a world? Suppose everyone treated his neighbor as you treat yours, and conducted his business as you conduct yours. Suppose all homes were like your home.

What kind of a nation would it be if every citizen treated his citizenship as you treat yours? What would be the business life of your town if your ideals and practices were adopted by the rest of the community? Would the world be better or worse if you were universalized?

Has a man any right to expect the world to be better than he is? Is there any reason why he should expect other men to treat their wives better than he treats his, or go to church oftener than he does, or to be more generous in charities than he is, or to be more public-spirited and patriotic than himself?

Come out of the fog-bank and get a clear sight of yourself, and say out land whether you want to be universalized or retired from circulation. Are you the species of the genus homo fittest to survive?

Society is made up of social units. There is no wholesale way of making a better town or a greater nation. Society cannot rise higher than the level of the people who compose society. The whole thing hinges back on the individual, and you are one of them. You cannot hide out. You are bound to be counted.

The only way a man can lift the social level is to be as decent an individual as he knows how. It is not desired that he ape his neighbors or try to be a twin to anybody. Let him be true to himself. Let him make his own life fit. His Maker would not have made him just a little different from his fellows if he had wanted him to be a duplicate of anyone else. Hence the only man fit to be universalized is the man who is intensely individualized. Therefore, "stir into a flame the gift that is in thee."

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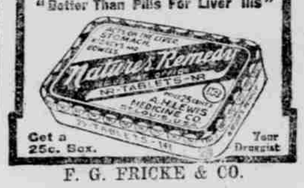

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HEREDITY

We hear a great deal of lamenting over inherited traits. Much of the blame for our bad habits is shifted to the shoulders of some forefather.

It is true we do inherit some traits of our ancestors, but it is absurd to assume that they are to assume that they are to blame for our shortcomings and that we must be a slave to heredity.

You are absolutely master of your own fate. No hereditary taint is half as strong as your own will. No hereditary taint can have any hold upon you if you decide otherwise. You don't have to be the slave of something undesirable just because someone else has been.

Stop blaming dead people for your own mistakes. Start anew with the firm resolve that you will be stronger than any inherited instinct.

Throw away old habits and desires. Form new desires—new habits. Get a new start and thing new thoughts. Listen to the warnings of the higher self.

Tomorrows will shape themselves more easily if today is well lived. Be good, and the tendency will grow until you are again the slave of a habit, for which you can thank yourself—the habit of goodness.

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METHODIST PARSONAGE NEARING COMPLETION

From Friday's Daily.

The home for the minister of the Methodist church, which has been under construction during the summer is now nearing completion and when completed will make one of the most pleasant and comfortable homes in the city.

Situated in an eminance, which affords a commodating view of the portion of the city surrounding, the parsonage and church building, it still is within easy distance of the center of the city, making it accessible to where the peoples are moving, still secluded in a sense, that making the semi-privacy a thing to be desired. Cement walks and a solid retaining wall makes the place one of neatness and with the addition of grass in the lawn space, will make the exterior one of beauty, while within nothing has been spared to make it inviting in its beauty and a model of convenience in the arrangements which have been perfected in making a real home. Messrs. Schwennecke and Henry, the carpenters are now just completin gthe last of the wood finishing and laying the hard wood floors of the interior. It is gratifying that while the Rev. A. V. Hunter, the pastor, has been so interested with the membership in the bringing to a successful completion this structure that he is to be retained as the pastor of the church at this place for the coming year.

BETTER FACILITINES FOR GRAIN

From Friday's Daily.

With the advent of the truck for hauling, there has also been found a necessity for alterations in the matter of terminals for their accommodation, as the means of transportation has always denominated the ways of handling goods. On account of the scarcity of railway cars, the handling of grain by trucks, have caused many receiving places to adapt themselves to the receiving of grain from the truck systems.

The elevator at Cedar Creek, in order to handle the grains with more celerity and which is brought to their shipping station in trucks, have been for some time remodeling their dumping facilities to meet the demand which the truck traffic has demanded. Andy Thompson and C. H. Miller have been for some time making the changes and have just about completed the alterations, which will make a dump system for the wagon and the truck and will in this way be up-to-date in the matter.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The State of Nebraska, Cass county, ss.

In the County Court.

In the matter of the estate of Joseph Pitka, 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 eleventh day of September, 1920, and on the thirteenth day of December, A. D. 1920, 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 eleventh day of September, A. D. 1920, and the time limited for payment of debts is one year from said eleventh day of September, 1920.

Witness my hand and the seal of said County Court, this eleventh day of August, 1920.

(Seal) ALLEN J. BEESON, County Judge.

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Advertising is the most effective method of "drumming up" trade.

ORDER OF HEARING
on Petition for Appointment of Administratrix.

The State of Nebraska, Cass county, ss:

In the County Court.

In the matter of the estate of Adam Kaffenberger, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Minnie Kaffenberger, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to her as Administratrix;

Ordered, That September 11th, A. D. 1920, at 10:00 o'clock a. m., is assigned for hearing said petition, when all persons interested in said matter may appear at a County Court to be held in and for said county, and show cause why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted; and that notice of the pendency of said petition and 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.

Dated August 17th, 1920.

ALLEN J. BEESON, County Judge.

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LEGAL NOTICE

To Vera McCarver, Defendant:

You are hereby notified, That on the fifth day of March, 1920, Robert McCarver, Plaintiff, filed his petition and commenced an action against you in the District Court of Cass county, Nebraska, the object and prayer of which is to obtain an absolute divorce from you on the grounds of desertion, misconduct and incompatibility, without cause or fault of the plaintiff.

You are required to answer said petition on or before the 20th day of September, A. D. 1920.

ROBERT McCARVER, Plaintiff.

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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 all persons interested in the estate of William Heil, deceased:

On reading the petition of Katherine Heil praying that the instrument filed in this court on the 10th day of August, 1920, 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 William Heil, deceased; that said instrument be admitted to probate, and the administration of said estate be granted to Katherine Heil, as executrix;

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 September, A. D. 1920, at 10 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 August, A. D. 1920.

ALLEN J. BEESON,
(Seal) a12-3w. County Judge.

NOTICE OF HEARING
on Petition for Determination of Heirship.

Estate No. ..... of Annie L. Daley-Eikenbary, deceased, in the County Court of Cass county, Nebraska.

The State of Nebraska, To all persons interested in said estate, creditors and heirs take notice, that Sallie Leonard, the owner of the hereinafter described real estate and interested in such, has filed her petition alleging that Annie L. Daley-Eikenbary died intestate in Union, Cass county, Nebraska, on or about October, 1895, being a resident and inhabitant of Union, Cass county, Nebraska, and the owner of the following described real estate, to-wit: Lot six (6) in Block thirty-nine (39) in the City of University Place, Lancaster county, Nebraska, leaving as her sole and only heirs at law the following named persons, to-wit: Mary L. Cannon, her mother, and Albert R. Eikenbary, her widower; that said decedent died intestate; that no application for administration has been made and the estate of said decedent has not been administered in the State of Nebraska, and that the Court determine who are the heirs of said deceased, their degree of kinship and the right of descent in the real property of which the deceased died seized, which has been set for hearing on the 8th day of September, A. D. 1920, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Dated at Plattsmouth, Nebraska, this 3rd day of August, A. D. 1920.

ALLEN J. BEESON,
(Seal) a5-3w County Judge.

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 all persons interested in the estate of Jacob R. Vallery, deceased:

On reading the petition of Grace Vallery praying that the instrument filed in this court on the 2nd day of August, 1920, 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 Jacob R. Vallery, deceased; that said instrument be admitted to probate, and the administration of said estate be granted to John S. Vallery and Mary Elizabeth Vallery, as executors;

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 1st day of September, A. D. 1920, 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 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 consecutive weeks prior to said day of hearing.

Witness my hand, and seal of said court, this 2nd day of August, A. D. 1920.

ALLEN J. BEESON,
(Seal) a5-3w County Judge.

NOTICE OF SUIT TO QUIET TITLE.

In the District Court of Cass county, Nebraska.

Hilliard Grassman, Plaintiff, vs. Lucinda Britton et al, Defendants.

To the Defendants: The unknown heirs, devisees, legatees, personal representatives and all other persons interested in the estate of John McConkey, deceased; Eliza McConkey; the unknown heirs, devisees, legatees, personal representatives and all other persons interested in the estate of Warren McConkey, deceased; Nora McConkey; the unknown heirs, devisees, legatees, personal representatives and all other persons interested in the estate of George McConkey, deceased; the unknown heirs, devisees, legatees, personal representatives and all other persons interested in the estate of Ella McConkey, deceased; Roy Piggott; Jessie M. Hagen (nee Piggott); Fred M. Hagen; Electa Jeffers; Charles Jeffers; John Piggott; Benjamin Piggott; Mrs. Benjamin Piggott, real name unknown; Bessie Piggott Doe, real name unknown; John Doe, real name unknown; Rose Westfall; Daniel S. Westfall; Celia Rapp; Charles L. Rapp; Milda Berger Ransmer; William S. Ransmer; and Lots two (2) and three (3) in Block three (3) in Donelan's Addition to the City of Plattsmouth, in Cass county, Nebraska; and all persons claiming any interest of any kind in said real estate or any part thereof:

You and each of you are hereby notified that on the 22nd day of July, 1920, the Plaintiff in the foregoing entitled cause filed his petition in the District Court of Cass county, Nebraska, wherein each and all of you are made parties defendant, the object, purpose and prayer of which said petition is to obtain a decree from said court removing clouds from and quieting the record title to the following described real estate in the Plaintiff, Hilliard Grassman, to-wit: Lots two (2) and three (3) in Block three (3) in Donelan's Addition to the City of Plattsmouth, in Cass county, Nebraska, as against you and each of you and to exclude and enjoin you and each and all of you from ever asserting or claiming any estate, right, title or interest therein adverse to Plaintiff by reason of Plaintiff's adverse possession of said premises by himself and his grantors for more than ten years prior to the commencement of said suit, and for such other and further relief as may be just and equitable.

You are required to answer said petition on or before the 20th day of September, 1920, or your default will be duly entered therein and a decree entered as prayed for in said petition.

Dated, July 30th, 1920.

HILLIARD GRASSMAN, Plaintiff.
By JOHN M. LEYDA, His Attorney.

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NOTICE OF SUIT TO QUIET TITLE.

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

Cash L. Wiles and Thomas Wiles, Jr., Plaintiffs, vs. Mrs. Jane A. Harper et al, Defendants.

To the defendants, Mrs. Jane A. Harper; Joseph Harper; Robert W. Donnell; Mrs. Robert W. Donnell, first real name unknown; A. M. Saxton, first real name unknown; Mrs. A. M. Saxton, first real name unknown; North & Scott, a co-partnership composed of ——— North, first real name unknown, and ——— Scott, first real name unknown; ——— North, first real name unknown; Mrs. ——— North, first real name unknown; ——— Scott, first real name unknown; Mrs. ——— Scott, first real name unknown; Martha L. Harper; ——— Harper, first real name unknown; E. H. Eaton, first real name unknown; Mrs. E. H. Eaton, first real name **unknown;** the unknown heirs, devisees, legatees, personal representatives and all other persons interested in the estates of Mrs. Jane A. Harper; Joseph Harper; Robert W. Donnell; Mrs. Robert W. Donnell, first real name unknown; A. M. Saxton, first real name unknown; Mrs. A. M. Saxton, first real name unknown; ——— North, first real name unknown; ——— North, first real name unknown; ——— Scott, first real name unknown; Mrs. ——— Scott, first real name unknown; Martha L. Harper; ——— Harper, first real name unknown; E. H. Eaton, first real name unknown and Mrs. E. H. Eaton, first real name unknown; Mary Harper and Luke Wiles, each deceased; the unknown successors, grantees and assigns of North & Scott, a co-partnership; the north half (N½) of the north half (N½) of the north half (N½) of the southeast quarter (SE¼) of Section four (4), Township twelve (12), North Range thirteen (13); and the north half (N½) of the south half (S½) of the north half (N½) of the northeast quarter (NE¼) of Section fourteen (14), Township twelve (12), North Range thirteen (13); and the south half (S½) of the north half (N½) of the northeast quarter (NE¼) of the southwest quarter (SW¼) of Section fourteen (14), Township twelve (12), North Range thirteen (13), all in the County of Cass, Nebraska; The south half (S½) of the northeast quarter (NE¼) of Section four (4), Township twelve (12), North Range thirteen (13); and the south half (S½) of the north half (N½) of the northeast quarter (NE¼) of Section four (4), Township twelve (12), North Range thirteen (13); and the south half (S½) of the southeast quarter (SE¼) of Section four (4), Township twelve (12), North Range thirteen (13); and the south half (S½) of the northeast quarter (NE¼) of the southwest quarter (SW¼) of Section fourteen (14), Township twelve (12), North Range thirteen (13); and the south half (S½) of the northeast quarter (NE¼) of the southwest quarter (SW¼) of Section fourteen (14), Township twelve (12), North Range thirteen (13), all east of the 6th P. M., in the County of Cass, Nebraska; and all persons having or claiming any interest of any kind in said real estate or any parts thereof:

You and each of you are hereby notified that Cash L. Wiles and Thomas Wiles, Jr., as plaintiffs filed a petition and commenced an action in the District Court of Cass county, Nebraska, on the 4th day of August, 1920, against you and each of you, the object, purpose and prayer of which is to obtain a decree of court, quieting title to the north half (N½) of the north half (N½) of the north half (N½) of the southeast quarter (SE¼) of Section four (4), Township twelve (12), North Range thirteen (13); and the north half (N½) of the south half (S½) of the north half (N½) of the northeast quarter (NE¼) of Section fourteen (14), Township twelve (12), North Range thirteen (13); and the north half (N½) of the southwest quarter (SW¼) of Section fourteen (14), Township twelve (12), North Range thirteen (13), all in the County of Cass, Nebraska; The south half (S½) of the northeast quarter (NE¼) of Section four (4), Township twelve (12), North Range thirteen (13); and the south half (S½) of the north half (N½) of the northeast quarter (NE¼) of Section four (4), Township twelve (12), North Range thirteen (13); and the south half (S½) of the southeast quarter (SE¼) of Section four (4), Township twelve (12), North Range thirteen (13); and the south half (S½) of the northeast quarter (NE¼) of the southwest quarter (SW¼) of Section fourteen (14), Township twelve (12), North Range thirteen (13), all east of the 6th P. M., in the County of Cass, Nebraska, as against you and each of you and for such other relief as may be just and equitable.

You and each of you are further notified that you are required to answer said petition on or before Monday the 27th day of September, 1920, or the allegations therein contained will be taken as true and a decree will be rendered in favor of the plaintiffs and against you and each of you, according to the prayer of said petition.

Dated this 4th day of August, 1920.

CASH L. WILES and THOMAS WILES, JR., Plaintiffs.
W. A. ROBERTSON, Atty. for Plfs.

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