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THE GLAD AWAKENING

As for me I will behold thy face in righteousness; I shall be satisfied, when I awake, with thy likeness.—Psalms xvii, 15.

"Let us have peace" at all hazard.

Holiday trinkets are getting the right of way now.

Everybody should be peaceful and as happy as possible.

The party snowed under by a land slide, always has a peculiar sense of slipping.

A horse thief has been arrested in Connecticut. Why, the old fashioned sun of a gun!

Why don't the sultan's ex-wives now organize a society? There are enough of them.

One week from today is Thanksgiving. Hustle up the turkey, boys. They are as good as gold.

How much liberty parents should give a daughter sometimes depends on how much sense God gave her.

Happy Thanksgiving thought: We can all be thankful this Thanksgiving that moths don't eat as much as alligators.

There have been a number of days this fall that looked ideal for duck shooting; the only thing lacking being the ducks.

It is really laughable to see some people who think they are the whole cheese, when really they are not entitled to even a slice.

Having been decisively defeated for parliament, H. G. Wells probably is confirmed in his view that civilization is going to smash.

No, don't think for one moment that Howell will take sides with the conservative element of the United States senate. He ain't built that way.

Men have various desultory ambitions, but the distinction for which they really yearn is that of knowing an actress or two and a couple of head waiters.

An Ohio girl broke a broom over the head of a man who swore at her. The community ought to raise a popular subscription fund and buy that girl a new broom.

Revolutionists in China received a large shipment of arms and ammunition in boxes labelled "Soap." Well, soap and firearms are both necessary in cleaning up things.

Of course, fashion makers are not going to leave the decision up to us, but if it were in our power we would decree a short time for the long skirt and a long time for the short skirt.

Judging by the daily press we must conclude that the available supply of suckers is increasing so rapidly that the present supply of crooks can hardly take care of the business.

Will Howell still continue drawing two salaries, or will he drop the \$10,000 per year for the \$7,500 per year as senator? He certainly will not have the audacity to draw both.

A Lausanne dispatch refers casually to the "decisions" of the conference there. We had not understood that it was a part of a European conference's business to decide anything.

Italy's new premier is a newspaper man, and California elected a country editor for governor last week. The revolt in Kansas against "press control" has yet to be felt in some parts of the world.

"Tranquility" is the slogan of the new British premier, Bonar Law. The only place in the world where tranquility can be found nowadays is in the dictionary. Sir Bonar has certainly pulled a boner.

If folks who write copy for newspapers could have just one month's experience in a print shop they would understand why one should never, no never, not even hardly ever, write on both sides of a piece of copy paper. It's hard to tell the reasons why it should not be done, but it shouldn't.

THE GUN AND JOHNNY

Johnny got a little gun; Its voice was loud and strong; It went off very suddenly, And Johnny went along.

Wonder if the ship of state will come in on subsidy.

Most of America's beauty spots originate in drug stores.

Concrete suggestions are not necessarily made by boneheads.

Home, in some cases we know of, is where the coal shortage is.

How in the world can any man be grouchy in the mince and pumpkin pie season?

Nothing makes a defeated madder than to see his picture in a window a week later.

The five men who will select the twelve greatest American women had better be bachelors.

Give a boy everything he wants and some day he will be wanting a pardon from the governor.

The country will have to make profiteering a crime before the consumers get what is coming to them.

Crooks who are always on the lookout for easy marks might buy some of the German ones, at 5,000 for a dollar.

One trouble with the ship subsidy program is that a good many Americans confuse it with the war time shipping board.

The Chinese finance minister is accused of accepting a bribe of \$352,000. Good heavens, do politicians come that high in China?

Everything will be finished up on Main street by Thanksgiving. The people of Plattsmouth will certainly have something to be thankful for.

Col. Connor says an overcoat will feel comfortable all this week. The possession of an overcoat has been a comfortable feeling for several weeks.

Speakers at the Lausanne conference predicted that peace will result from its deliberations. Do they mean peace in Europe or in the conference?

Lausanne conference is to be under rules of secret diplomacy, which were the Greeks and Turks fought their war.

Another objection to the bachelor is that his theory about personal laundry is never to put off anything today that can possibly be worn until tomorrow.

One authority now says Europe can be free of debt in sixty-six years, but that probably is based on the assumption that it won't fight again in the meantime.

Governor McKelvie has at last sent out his Thanksgiving proclamation. Better late than never, governor, especially when you have so little to be thankful for this year.

The grand old lady of Georgia takes her seat in the United States senate amid greatest of applause as the first lady that ever sat in that body, an honor that Mrs. Felton justly deserves.

The main problem of education in the United States centers about the rural school. The country boy and girl, in Nebraska and in other states must be given a fair chance with better educational facilities.

It would be all right to allow Germany a moratorium were it not for the fact that a large portion of Germany's population does not recognize the fact that all indemnity and reparation claims must eventually be paid.

Thanksgiving day is, alright even if we do not celebrate it in the same kind of spirit as in years gone by. Thanksgiving forty or fifty years ago everybody had a turkey, but not one family in a hundred can afford the expensive old bird now. And the profiteer is the fellow who made them so—and not the scarcity of the birds.

GLAND FAKIRS

Beware of patent medicine fakirs who, cashing in on the public's interest in monkey glands, are flooding the markets with pills and liquid dopes heralded as marvelous glandular "cures."

The arrival of these parasites was to be expected.

Every new discovery is trailed by a mob of unscrupulous fakirs who fatten on public credulity.

Thirty-years ago the original gland doctor, Grown Squard, was ridiculed when he came forth with his theories about restoring lost youth and stimulating mentality through the use of endocrine glands.

Today legitimate scientists admit that Brown Squard was on the right trail. Wonderful possibilities are opened up.

But the public should remember that tinkering with the body's endocrine glands is in its infancy and that the treatment is extremely dangerous unless administered by a medical man skilled in this line.

A great deal is already definitely known about the thyroid gland in the neck—its partial control of the intellect and its effect on the general health particularly heart, hair and nerves.

But thyroid treatment is dangerous except in the hands of a skilled physician. For instance, calming down an over active thyroid is apt to leave the heart weak.

Of the other glands, much less is known. Their general functions have been defined. But there are few—even among experienced doctors—who can stimulate or calm these other glands without definite perils to the patient.

In the hands of a quack the endocrine glands are apt to become doers leading to physical breakdown, nervous collapse or downright insanity.

AUTOS AND LEGS

A well known citizen has a complaint against his wife and voices it thusly:

"Nearly every morning I have an argument with my wife as to which of us will have the automobile for the day, and we always compromise by letting her have it. I suppose it is all right, but compromises that always end the same way are rather monotonous, especially when they mean that I must walk to town."

That's all right, old chap. You're lucky and don't know it.

Twenty years hence you will still be hale and hearty, unless somebody's automobile runs you down, or some other disaster befalls you, and your wife will be so fat that she can't wobble. And then you'll have the laugh on her.

Of course, you may not have the courage to laugh at her out in the open, but you can at least snicker in your sleeve.

We are relying too much on the automobile. Why, there are young chaps right here in Plattsmouth so confounded poor that they don't know where the next gallon of gasoline is coming from, and they can't go four blocks without riding.

A noted scientist said the other day that unless we walk more our legs will become useless, and there is probably much truth in the prediction.

The number of men and women in our city who are willing to use their pedicles for the purpose of annihilating distance has become but a remnant of the population.

In fact, we have hundreds of folks some of them undeniably beautiful, who use their lower limbs only to put stockings on.

This distaste for walking threatens to make our women a class of fatty sedentates not more admirable than the cushing Turk ladies.

There are few people who seem to realize what a pleasure a good pair of legs are.

When we say good legs we do not mean shapely ones. That's another question. We are not speaking in terms of the musical comedy ballet or the bathing beach.

Good legs are legs that will take you where you want to go and carry you back again. Legs that will walk you ten miles without giving you the idea that hardships are your inheritance, legs that will hold up in a crowd, legs that will support you in your old days—these to be indispensable to the equipment of any complete gentleman. We would say any complete lady were it not that our most squeamish readers might object to the reference or the inference. To have such legs it is necessary to train them, practice them, give them work. This can be done by walking several miles every day.

Let your wife have the automobile and use the method of locomotion that the Lord provided you with. Besides, she is going to have it, any way, and you can save yourself a lot of useless argument.

STEINMETZ INVENTS

Up in the state of New York there is a little stooped man with a forest of beard who makes his own lighting program for his own amusement and invents things to pay expenses. Recently Mr. Steinmetz—for that is his name—invented a new kind of automobile, propelled by electricity. To be sure, the electrically driven motor car is by no means new. There are any number of excellent ones on the market. But the points of difference which distinguish the Steinmetz car are that it can go 200 miles before the storage batteries have to be recharged, can make a speed of 35 to 40 miles an hour and weighs only 2,000 pounds.

There's much to be said for the electric type of automobile. It's clean. The power is flexible. Control is extremely simple. If Steinmetz can make a 200 mile battery within the weight limits which he is said to have observed, the importance of the announcement cannot be ignored. Gasoline engines have gone thru a marvelous development within the last ten years. That period of time could be put to the last five years, and still the statement would be true. Engines of today are using a grade of fuel which would have been impotent in motors of a decade ago. Even the heavier cars are beginning to turn off a mileage per gallon of fuel which the lightest cars used to make their boasting point. But with all their improvements, the day will ultimately come when science must give us a cheap and readily available synthetic fuel for the explosion motor or else a substitute for the motor itself. No doubt science will give us both. The invention of Steinmetz indicates that the storage battery has by no means held back in the steady onward way of development in locomotion. That is an indication of great promise.

FAILURES

A check up shows that 1,600 business firms failed during October. Liabilities or debts exceeded assets by a trifle less than \$18,000,000, or about 17 cents for every American. That's not worth worrying about, considering the big scale on which money is handled in America.

Last January had 2,722 failures. Times are much better now. Unless speculating with money or goods, look for steady improvement—at least until next spring, probably longer.

Interviewed on the subject of prohibiting Premier Mussolini expresses the opinion that the liquor problem can be solved by teaching people to drink less. In politics, however, it is to be observed that the leader of the Fascisti goes in for direct action.

The modern woman, eager and proud in the possession of new prerogatives she always has held. A Kansas City woman is suing her husband for divorce because he has a habit of doing all the family dish-breaking himself.

A MOURNFUL REVERIE

They were standing on the street corner, not gazers or lounge lizards, but plain every day men—all married. A pretty woman passed wearing a long dress. All dropped their heads as if in deep study. They looked inquiringly into each other's eyes. Not a smile, not a word was uttered for some moments. Finally one broke the silence with:

"I don't know whether you fellows like these long skirts or not, but they don't suit me. I had as soon be on an island in mid ocean. Sign boards and gander-legged men are monotonous. The prettiest automobile, a hat, a shoe, even a pretty rose have lost their attraction when left to bloom alone. The sun shines as under a cloud, the stars do not twinkle in the same beauty; the face of the man in the moon appears contracted and hard, the movie music sounds like the squawk of geese going south; the church bell has a weird sound; even the voices you hear are harsh. You long for a circus to come along that you may see the lady bareback rider or an act on the trapeze. Confound it, I don't like these long dresses—they are a nuisance. Nature never intended that they be worn. I almost wish there had never been a fig tree. Just why we are allowed to live, anyway, I don't understand."

And the crowd disbanded, each going to his place of business with a mournful expression on his face, adjusting his hat to the east wind, the same that brought the plague of Egypt.

A news dispatch depicting the terrors of a Wyoming snowstorm, declared that there was nothing better than the marooned people and starvation except a lot of beans and potatoes—like saying there was nothing between a ship and its harbor except deep water.

It is almost time to think of preparing your Christmas packages. Get your boxes, seals and tags at the Journal office.

Legal Notice

We recently found abandoned a Dodge Brothers touring car which we brought to our garage in Union and are holding the same here for the coming and demand of the owner. This car will be held for thirty days and if not then called for and proved to be the property of the one demanding same, will be sold according to law for the purpose of paying the storage, advertising and other expenses which may be incurred in its care and disposal.

DOWLER BROTHERS,
n2-41w Union, Neb.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The State of Nebraska, Cass county, ss.

In the County Court.

In the matter of the estate of Jane A. Dovey, 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 26th day of December, 1922, and on the 26th day of March, A. D. 1923, 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 26th day of December, A. D. 1922, and the time limited for payment of debts is one year from said 26th day of December, 1922.

Witness my hand and the seal of said County Court this 23rd day of November, 1922.

ALLEN J. BEESON,
(Seal) n2-7-4w County Judge.

SHERIFF'S SALE

State of Nebraska, County of Cass, ss.

By virtue of an order of sale issued by James Robertson, clerk of the district court within and for Cass county, Nebraska, and to be directed, I will on the 4th day of December, A. D. 1922, at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day at the south door of the court house in said county, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash the following real estate, to-wit:

The east half (E½) of Lot ten (10) and all of Lots eleven (11) and twelve (12), in Block three (3), in the City of Plattsmouth, Cass county, Nebraska—The same being levied upon and taken as the property of William O. Bent et al. defendants, to satisfy a judgment of said court recovered by Plattsmouth State bank, a corporation, plaintiff against said defendants.

Plattsmouth, Nebraska, October 2, A. D. 1922.

C. D. QUINTON,
Sheriff of Cass County, Nebraska.

W. A. ROBERTSON,
Attorney for Plaintiff.

NOTICE OF REFEREE'S SALE

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

Luke L. Wiles and Mattie S. Wiles, Plaintiff, vs. Mary W. Deam, and husband Benjamin B. Deam, Ursula W. Errett and husband David Errett, E. Marshall Wiles and wife Ruth Wiles, Jessie W. Hall and husband Joseph H. Hall and Grace W. Hall, widow, Defendants.

Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of a decree of the District Court of Cass county, Nebraska, entered in the above entitled cause on the 31st day of October, 1922, and an order of sale entered by said Court on the 31st day of October, 1922, the undersigned referee will on the 11th day of December, 1922, at 10 o'clock a. m., at the south front door of the court house in the city of Plattsmouth, Cass county, Nebraska, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, the following described real estate, to-wit: The southeast quarter (SE¼) of the southwest quarter (SW¼) of Section thirteen (13), and Lot twenty-one (21), in the northeast quarter (NE¼) of the southwest quarter (SW¼) of Section thirteen (13), and also the following described tract of land to-wit: Commencing at a point where the easterly line of the right of way of the Omaha Southern Railway company intersects the east line of the west half of the southwest quarter of Section thirteen (13), thence south twenty rods, thence west twelve rods, thence north to the right of way of the Omaha Southern Railway company, thence easterly along said right of way to the place of beginning, all being in Township twelve (12), north Range thirteen (13), east of the 6th P. M., in the County of Cass, Nebraska. Said sale will be held open for one hour.

Dated this 4th day of November, 1922.

R. B. WINDHAM,
Referee.

W. A. ROBERTSON,
Attorney for Plaintiffs, n6-5w

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 John F. Clugey, deceased.

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

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The State of Nebraska, Cass county, ss.

In the County Court.

In the matter of the estate of Nancy M. Grimes, 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 5th day of December, 1922, and on the 5th day of March, 1923, 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 5th day of December, A. D. 1922, and the time limited for payment of debts is one year from said 5th day of December, 1922.

Witness my hand and the seal of said County Court, this 30th day of October, 1922.

ALLEN J. BEESON,
(Seal) n2-4w County Judge.

MANLEY NEWS ITEMS

Walter Moeckenhaupt and son Arthur were spending a few days in Omaha last week.

Arnold and Alice Harms were guests last Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Kautz.

Charles Gerlach of Omaha was visiting and looking after some business in Manley last Monday.

Omar Coon and Joseph Wolpert were attending the sale near Murdock last Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. J. C. Lohnes was a visitor for a short time one day last week at the home of Mrs. Thomas Keckler.

Edward Kelly was a visitor in Plattsmouth last Thursday where he attended a play at the Farmers theater.

Miss Teresa Tighe was a visitor for a few days during the past week at the home of her sister, Mrs. Charles Murphy.

Mr. and Mrs. August Stander were visiting in Lincoln last Saturday and they looking after some business matters as well.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Rader and Mrs. Lambear were visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Humble last Saturday.

Ralph Keckler and wife from near Weeping Water were visiting and looking after some business matters in Manley last week.

Miss Irene Weeping Water was a visitor in Manley last Thursday and was looking after some business matters for the time.

Mrs. N. E. Wiles of Weeping Water was a visitor for the day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Humble one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. David Tighe and A. E. Schuchman were at the home of Charles Murphy last Sunday, where all enjoyed a most pleasant day.

A. Steinhamp was kept at home during the week on account of some stomach trouble which kept him lying down a good portion of the time.

Wm. Sheehan, Wm. Hoebner, V. Berg and August Stander were attending the sale given by the Gakendy's near Murdock last Thursday.

Wm. Otto and family were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Murphy last Sunday, where the two families enjoyed a most pleasant visit.

A. F. Kautz and family were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. August Stander and family last Sunday, where they all had a most enjoyable time.

Uncle George Schafer has been assisting in the construction of the hog hotel at the home of Mr. M. M. Shipman and is getting along with it very nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Melsinger, of near Murray, were visiting in the neighborhood of Manley last Friday, being guests at the home of John Murphy and wife.

Edward O'Brien was a week-end visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Melsinger at their home east of Murray last week, where he enjoyed a most pleasant day.

Oscar York and family, who have made their home in Manley for the past two years moved to Plattsmouth last week and Mr. York and son Glen are picking corn in Iowa.

Mrs. J. C. Kautz and daughter, Miss Anna were spending the afternoon last Thursday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Stander and also visited the new baby.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Humble were visiting at the home of friends in Weeping Water last Thursday evening where they also attended the moving picture show as well.

John Moeckenhaupt and wife, accompanied by Miss Marie Mahler and little Charles White, were visiting with relatives and friends in and near Greenwood last Sunday.

D. Brant was a visitor in Omaha for a few days during the past week, where he was attending the meeting of the Farmers Union, returning home last Thursday afternoon.

Sam Goodman was a visitor in Plattsmouth last Wednesday, and on his return visited over night at the home of his brother, B. E. Goodman, returning home to Manley Thursday morning.

Mrs. Wm. Sheehan and daughter, Miss Margaret, with Miss Nellie Kelly, were in Omaha last Friday, where they both were visiting with friends and also looking after some shopping as well.

Uncle George Corvey and son Clarence of Alvo, were visitors in Manley last Thursday afternoon, where they were here and to visit with Mr. John Crane and also to look after some business matters as well.

Father Higgins was in attendance at the council of Otse and Cass counties of the Catholic church of this diocese where he met with most of the clergy of that denomination, and where all had a very worth while meeting.

Theodore Harms and wife were visiting at Lincoln last Sunday, where they were guests at the home of relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Birken, parents of Mrs. Harms, and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ware, Mrs. Ware being a daughter of Mr. Theo Harms.

Joseph Murphy, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Murphy, who has been making his home in Omaha for some time is visiting at home at this time and assisting in caring for his father, taking him down town most every day. Mr. J. J. Murphy enjoys being down town and meeting with the boys in a friendly game of cards.

Arnold Schliefert while working on the county bridges suffered an accident by having a bridge timber fall on his foot, crushing it badly, which put him out of the running for some time. Mr. Schliefert has been compelled to get around on crutches since, but is getting some better, and his many friends are hoping that he will soon be well again.

The Boy Brings Much Joy

Last Monday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Stander the clerk made his appearance and left with them for their very own a fine young American weighing just nine pounds which with the mother are doing nicely, and the father, he hardly knows just what to do, and he is so much work in the firms and that is little fellow at home who has a right to demand some attention and he gets it too. However, there is much joy in the home just now.

Everybody Enjoyed the Bazaar

Last Monday the people of Manley and vicinity had an opportunity to enjoy themselves in a meeting at the Manley hall, when they had their bazaar, dance and feed, which surely was enjoyed by all who had the privilege of being present. This was given under the auspices of the Royal Neighbors of America and was well attended. The bazaar was a success and brought returns to the society of \$22.50, which goes into the treasury for the work which they are carrying on. One of the features which provoked much mirth and was productive of a handsome profit to the society was "Fish Pond." Those who were lucky fishing were enjoying the occasion, while those who had no luck were not in to any great extent. However, all present had more than their money's worth, and much merriment prevailed. The Ruby orchestra provided the music for the occasion, which was one of the enjoyable features of the bazaar.

DEMOCRATS SEARCH FOR SENATE LEADER

Choice Thought to Lie Between Simmons and Robinson—Harrison Eliminates Self.

Washington, Nov. 23.—Consideration by senate democrats of a leader to succeed Senator Underwood of Alabama in the next session was begun seriously today at several private conferences, from which it appeared that a choice probably would lie between Senator Simmons, North Carolina, and Senator Robinson of Arkansas. Senator Underwood, who returned here today, announced recently that, because of ill health, he would not be a candidate for the leadership when the sixty-eighth congress assembled and would retire March 3.

Senator Harrison, Mississippi, who has been mentioned in connection with the party leadership, today definitely eliminated himself as a candidate.

Senator Walsh of Massachusetts, chairman of the democratic senatorial campaign committee in the last election, who also has been mentioned as a possible candidate for the leadership, is understood to have informed friends that he could not be considered.

How Not to Take a Cold

Some persons are subject to frequent colds, while others seldom, if ever, have a cold. You will find that the latter take good care of themselves. They take a shower of cold sponge water every day in a warm room, avoid over heated rooms, sleep with a window open or partly open, avoid excess, over eating, becoming overheated and then chilled and getting the feet wet. Then when they feel the first indentation of a cold, they take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy without delay and it is soon over. Weyrich & Habraba.

GET YOUR THANKSGIVING CARDS AT JOURNAL OFFICE

The Journal book and stationery shop has the new Thanksgiving greeting cards now on hand and which are ready for your inspection. Call in and look them over. Also all manner of Thanksgiving decorations and favors for the holiday season.

Pull blooded Barred Rock cocks, \$1.50; pullets \$1.00.—Mrs. Will Coppel, Alvo, Neb. 015-88w

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