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THE WRATH OF THE LORD

Thou hast utterly rejected us; thou art very wrath against us.—Lamentations 5:22.

Sense is what gets you by when you don't know anything.

Sometimes we rest on our laurels and sometimes we just rest.

A pessimist is a real fat man wondering how hot it will be soon.

A man is known by the bill collectors he keeps knocking at his door.

The senate just naturally inclines more to a gentlemen's disagreement, anyhow.

After a man is elected, too often his worst trial is the fellow who was for him.

More people would be leading double lives if they weren't getting single salaries.

It is predicted that the farmer will receive no relief from congress at this session. Too bad.

The coming of summer will be unusually torrid because of the excessive circulation of political hot air.

Ten women of Philadelphia, heralded as church members and mothers, appeared before a committee of congress and asked for 2.75 per cent beer.

We are told that one hundred million Europeans want to come to America. And one hundred million Americans can be thankful that there are certain restrictions.

Twelve thousand people are said to have died last year from sleeping sickness. But we do not learn that any of the loafers in the lobbies of small town hotels passed away from that cause.

We may have spoken of it before, but if we did, nothing was done about it. Capital punishment for the fellow who borrows your box of matches and puts the burnt match back into the box.

While supposed to be considered a verdict, a Chicago jury played cards for twenty-three hours. They might at least have agreed to let the winner of the last round of roudies decide on the verdict.

Now that we are to have a national antelope sanctuary, it is hoped that public attention can be turned toward providing a similar refuge for lame ducks and another and much larger one for goats.

Our friend, John W. Gamble, former county superintendent of the Cass county schools and also superintendent of our city schools, but now of Omaha, is becoming quite a noted man throughout the country.

If there is any combination or promises between the president and Henry Ford regarding Muscle Shoals the people should know and Senator Norris is going to find out, if possible. High or low, let no guilty man escape.

The spirit of unfairness toward the sterner sex is always noticeable. When a real pretty boy does nothing but run around and have a good time people call him a sorry whelp, but when a real pretty girl conducts herself in the same manner people call her a peach.

Few people know there was ever a president of the United States from Missouri, but there was. He was Senator David R. Atchison, who was president pro tem for the Sunday which divided the termination of President Polk's administration and the inauguration of Zachary Taylor, who refused to take the oath of office on Sunday.

Herbert Hoover, secretary of commerce, said to the Isaac Walton League in Chicago, "There are too few fishermen in public life." Herb, as is often the case, was correct. If every member of congress wanted to go fishing they would be too busy to worry over scandals. Same is true in private life. And even though there isn't chewing tobacco for us all to go fishing, we believe more fishing would improve a long neglected world pretty quick.

THE FIGUREHEAD

A man endangers his soul when he thinks more of the front he puts on than the substance behind it. He has formed the bad habit of letting himself, or at least his name, be used as part of the window-dressing of state occasions. The intoxicating wine of an easy notoriety has mounted to his head. He loves to see his name in print; he throws out his chest in the eye of the camera; he wreathes with laurel the brow of his own pedestaled figure and does homage to it when he can get an audience. All this brings weariness to those that are not fooled.

For the truly great man, as a rule, is quiet and hires no trumpeters to proceed him with fanfare, neither does he allow his own horn to spoil the silence. He avoids dwelling on his own exploits. He does not see his own figure glory-crowned, the most conspicuous in the landscape.

The figurehead joins many committees and is embossed upon the stationery of all sorts of organizations. He is feverishly afraid of missing a trick, of failing to register his presence or be heard in movements that are fashionable and popular. Yet behind the scenes, off the stage, where the real work is done by toilers invisible, inaudible to the crowd, he is conspicuous by his absence. He has not time for activities which do not cause him to be conspicuously seen and inordinately heard.

RAILROAD PROSPERITY

One thing the radicals rail against is prosperity, of which they have very little, if any, of their own providing. Their railings are particularly incited when a railroad enjoys any degree of prosperity. They condemn and denounce those in any way responsible for railroad prosperity, and seek ways and means whereby to make such a thing impossible, forgetting that by so doing they are destroying the very props that sustain the house wherein they dwell.

What did these owners do? They provided improved facilities in order to handle, promptly and efficiently, the business offered to the railway. They invested \$50,700,000 of their earnings, or funds made available by them, purchased 165 new locomotives and 13,134 freight cars. They spent hundreds of thousands of dollars in track improvement, including sidings for the more expeditious handling of freight and of trains. In every way possible they are trying to meet the conditions imposed by greater volume of business enjoyed by their patrons, as is evident in the increase of freight and traffic.

The prosperity that these particular railroads enjoy is passed along to a considerable degree and extent, to others, to its patrons and to its employees, and to employes in manufacturing plants where are made the locomotives, the freight cars, the steel rails and other equipment required and for which, and for other things, more than fifty million dollars were paid, a considerable production, in repair shops and otherwise.

Too many people, radicals especially,

seem to forget that railroad prosperity means their prosperity. Also, they lose sight of the fact that whatever obstacles, whatever of hampering conditions they impose on the railroads, by so much they help to destroy their own prosperous conditions. They should realize, on the other hand, that whatever of prosperity they help to bring to the railroads by so much they are helping themselves. Application of this can be made wherever railroads operate. It can be carried a little farther. Destroy prosperity for the railroads and see how quickly pay envelopes will decrease in number, how impossible it will be to provide food for hungry mouths, let alone clothes and luxuries. Even the ordinary comforts of life are made impossible for those who suffer when the railroads suffer.

There is a reasonable way to regard railroad prosperity. If it is manifested, practically, it helps others than the railroads, often more than the railroads themselves. There are many people who realize this, but they are not radicals. They are reasonable, constructively inclined people.

It only takes one to start a fight and that is always the other one.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION For License to Operate a Pool and Billiard Hall

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned will on the third day of June, A. D. 1924, at 10:00 o'clock a. m., at the Court House in Plattsmouth, Cass county, Nebraska, make application to the Board of County Commissioners of said Cass county for a license to operate a pool and billiard hall in the building situated on Lot five (5), Block three (3), in the Village of Manley, Cass county, Nebraska.

Dated this 2nd day of May, A. D. 1924.

RICHARD PICKARD, m5-3w.

NOTICE OF ADMIN-ISTRATOR'S SALE

In the District Court of Cass county, Nebraska. In the matter of the application of Hans Sievers, Administrator of the estate of Helene Hilbert, deceased, for license to sell real estate to pay debts.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an order of license issued by Hon. James T. Begley, Judge of the District Court of Cass county, Nebraska, on the 12th day of April, 1924, to me, Hans Sievers, Administrator, I will, on the 10th day of May, 1924, at the hour of ten o'clock a. m., at the south door of the Court House in Plattsmouth, Cass county, Nebraska, offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, the following described real estate, to-wit:

The south 34 feet of Lot two (2) in Block sixteen (16) in Townsend's Addition to the City of Plattsmouth, and fractional Lots one (1), two (2) and three (3) in Block eighty-six (86) in the Original Town of Plattsmouth, Nebraska—subject to all liens and incumbrances. Said offer for sale will remain open for one hour for bids.

Date: April 14th, 1924.

HANS SIEVERS, Administrator of Estate of Helene Hilbert, Deceased.

JOHN M. LEYDA, Attorney. a14-4w

SHERIFF'S SALE

State of Nebraska, Cass county, ss. By virtue of an order of sale issued by James Robertson, Clerk of the District Court, with and for Cass county, Nebraska, and in pursuance of a decree of said Court in an action therein pending wherein Byron Goiding is Plaintiff, Peter A. Jacobson, Albert E. Jameson, Elizabeth Wesch, John W. Kinzer and George W. Kinzer et al are Defendants, I will at 10 o'clock a. m., on the 31st day of May, A. D. 1924, at the South door of the Court House in the City of Plattsmouth, in said county and State, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, the following described property, to-wit:

Lots 7 and 8 in Block 2, in Riverside Addition to the City of Weeping Water, in Cass county, Nebraska;

Lot 5 in Block 3, Fleming and Race Addition to the City of Weeping Water in Cass county, Nebraska;

Lots 5, 6, 7 and 8 in Block 13 in Young and Hayes Addition to the City of Plattsmouth, Cass county, Nebraska;

Lot 11 in Block 42 in the City of Plattsmouth, Cass county, Nebraska;

Lot 10 in Block 42, in the City of Plattsmouth, Cass county, Nebraska—

together with all appurtenances thereto belonging to satisfy plaintiff's judgments;

First—Against Peter A. Jacobson et al, for \$51.42, with interest at 15% and costs of said action;

Second—Against Albert E. Jameson et al, for \$88.93, with interest at 15% and costs of said action;

Third—Against Elizabeth Wesch for \$42.41, with interest at 15% and costs of said action;

Fourth—Against John W. Kinzer, for \$161.76, with interest at 15% and costs of said action;

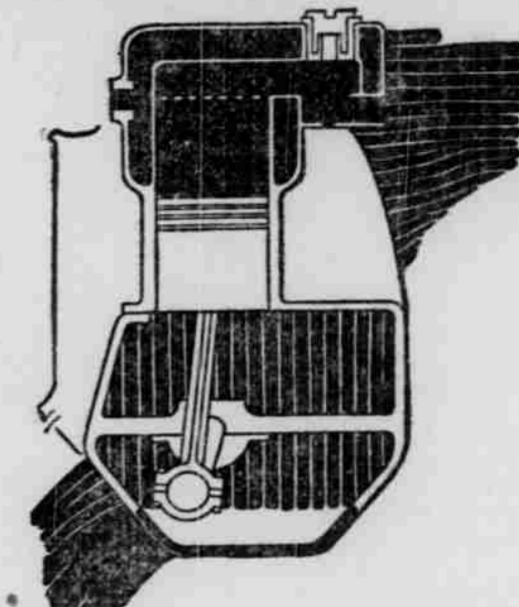
Fifth—Against George W. Kinzer et al, for \$186.98, with interest at 15% and costs of said action.

All as provided by said order and decree.

Dated at Plattsmouth, Nebraska, this 26th day of April, A. D. 1924.

C. D. QUINTON, Sheriff of Cass county, Nebraska. A. L. TIDD, Atty for Plaintiff. a28-5w

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Hiram thought the buzz was from his bee, but it turned out to be Cal's saw.

NOTICE

In the District Court of Cass county, Nebraska. Olive M. Ferguson, Plaintiff, vs. Unknown Heirs, Devisees, Legatees, Personal Representatives and all other persons interested in the estate of Charles Mertens, deceased, et al, Defendants.

To the unknown heirs, devisees, legatees, personal representatives and all other persons interested in the estate of Charles Mertens, deceased, real names unknown; the unknown heirs, devisees, legatees, personal representatives and all other persons interested in the estate of Wilhelmina Mertens, deceased, real names unknown; all persons having or claiming any interest in Lot twenty (20) in the east half of the southeast quarter (E½ SE¼) of Section twenty-nine (29), in Township twelve (12) North, Range fourteen (14) east of the Sixth Principal Meridian, in Cass county, Nebraska, real names unknown; Said Lot twenty (20) being also described by metes and bounds as follows: Commencing at Doud's northwest corner, thence north ten degrees east, six chains to an elm tree, thence with the claim line between Braud Cole's and Jean's, eighty-seven chains and seventeen links to section line on east side of Section twenty-nine, three chains and fifty links to Doud's northeast corner, thence west with Doud's north claim line, eighteen chains and ninety links to the place of beginning, containing 8.90 acres, all in Section twenty-nine, Township twelve North, Range fourteen east of the Sixth Principal Meridian, in Cass county, Nebraska;

You and each of you are hereby notified that on the 21st day of April, A. D. 1924, the plaintiff in the foregoing action filed her petition in the District Court of Cass county, Nebraska, wherein you and each of you are made parties defendant, for the purpose of obtaining a decree from said Court, quieting the title to plaintiff to the following described real estate, to-wit:

Lot number twenty (20), in the east half of the southeast quarter (E½ SE¼) of Section twenty-nine (29), Township twelve (12) North, Range fourteen (14) east of the Sixth Principal Meridian, in Cass county, Nebraska—

as against you and each of you, and by such decree to wholly exclude you and each of you from all estate, right, title, claim or interest therein, and to have the title to said real estate forever freed from the apparent claims of you and each of you, and quieted in plaintiff, and for equitable relief.

You and each of you are required to answer said petition on or before the 9th day of June, A. D. 1924, or your default will be entered in said cause and decree granted as prayed for in said petition.

OLIVE M. FERGUSON, Plaintiff. C. A. RAWLS, Attorney. a28-4w.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The State of Nebraska, Cass county, ss. In the County Court. In the matter of the estate of Abigail E. Smith, 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 20th day of May, 1924, and on the

21st day of August, 1924, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m., 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 20th day of May, A. D. 1924, and the time limited for payment of debts is one year from said 20th day of May, 1924.

Witness my hand and the seal of said County Court, this 19th day of April, 1924.

ALLEN J. BEESON, County Judge. (Seal) a21-4w.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The State of Nebraska, Cass county, ss. In the County Court. In the matter of the estate of Sena James, 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 20th day of May, 1924 and the 21st day of August, 1924, at 10 o'clock a. m. on each of said 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 three months from the 20th day of May, A. D. 1924, and the time limited for payment of debts is one year from said 20th day of May, 1924.

Witness my hand and the seal of said County Court, this 19th day of April, 1924.

ALLEN J. BEESON, County Judge. (Seal) a21-4w.

LEGAL NOTICE

In the County Court of Cass county, Nebraska. In the matter of the estate of Florence G. Chalfant, deceased.

Notice of Hearing. To all persons interested in the estate of said deceased, Creditors and Heirs at Law:

You are hereby notified that on the 12th day of April, 1924, Hazel F. Hendricks filed her petition in this Court in which she alleges: That Florence G. Chalfant, late a resident and inhabitant of Rock Bluff precinct, Cass county, Nebraska, departed this life, intestate, on or about the 8th day of May, 1909, leaving her surviving as her sole and only heirs at law: James Chalfant, her husband, Willard F. Chalfant, a son, and Hazel F. Chalfant, the petitioner, a daughter, all of legal age, and that said decedent was seized and possessed of the fee simple title to real estate in

subject to the life estate therein of Abigail E. Smith, the mother of said decedent, which life estate is now terminated; that petitioner is the owner of an undivided one-third interest in the real estate of said deceased, by virtue of the decedent laws of the State of Nebraska; that more than two years have now elapsed since the death of said decedent and that no application has been made in the State of Nebraska for the appointment of an administrator of said estate, and praying for a determination of the time of the death of said Florence G. Chalfant, the names of her heirs at law and the degree of kinship thereof and the right of descent of the real property belonging to said decedent in the State of Nebraska, and for an order barring claims against said estate, and for such other orders as may be necessary for a correct disposition of said matter.

Said matter has been set down for hearing at the County Court room in Plattsmouth, in said county, for the 15th day of May, 1924, at the hour of ten o'clock a. m., at which time all persons interested may appear and contest said petition.

Dated: April 12th, 1924. By the Court: ALLEN BEESON, County Judge. JOHN M. LEYDA, Atty for Petitioner. a14-3w.

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