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**MIRACLES BY PAUL**  
 And God wrought special miracles by the hands of Paul; so that from his body were brought unto the sick handkerchiefs or aprons, and the disease departed from them.  
 —Acts 19:11-12.  
 Nebraska leads fight on tax bill.  
 It looks like a hard winter for the ice man.  
 About all a rolling stone gathers is more speed.  
 Love and poetry are seldom hampered by facts.  
 It's a long rain that has no turning in snow.  
 Do your income tax worrying early and avoid the rush.  
 When you break silence the least said is the easiest mended.  
 Sympathy is great stuff, unless it makes you want more of it.  
 "The River Route" has the backing of the president, so they say.  
 One way to convince a girl that men are not angels is to let her marry one.  
 The Rising Young Business Woman rolls down her stockings and goes to work.  
 Chief Justice Morrissey will be a candidate to succeed himself next election.  
 Nothing tickles a girl more than having a date with a man who has a mustache.  
 The first time a girl is engaged she imagines that she is as important as the heroine in a novel.  
 You can't blame a spinster for being particular; if she hadn't been particular she wouldn't be one.  
 "Kermit Roosevelt Kills Ixob with 36-Inch Horns" says a newspaper headline. His father used a big stick.  
 Many of those who complain of the high prices don't stop to think this is the country they are raised in.  
 The principal danger just now of printing so much about Red Grange and Irving Berlin and others who make so much money is that congress is in session again and may vote itself another salary increase.

**At Christmas**  
 no other remembrance approaches a Photograph  
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**DR. E. R. TARRY SANATORIUM, 340 Potters Trust Bldg., Omaha, Nebr.**

**PUBLIC INDIFFERENCE**  
 There is no more striking example of public indifference to needed law revision than the majority of the country's building codes.  
 The inconsistency and obsolescence of these would be humorous if the result were not so serious.  
 The buildings consumed by fire last year would line both sides of a street more than a thousand miles long. The cost of last year's fires in this country was more than \$54,000,000—every man, woman and child in this country is contributing to this total for the meager and unsatisfactory "protection" that it affords.  
 In addition to the cold dollars represented by the millions paid out in insurance, we have the added millions of loss not covered by insurance, so it is safe to say fire in this country is costing us more than a billion dollars a year.  
 Much of this sheer waste could have been prevented if our building codes were up to date. There are codes that compel fireproof construction for places of detention, yet permit fire-trap school buildings, theatres, hotels and other structures housing large numbers of people and who can say that fireproof homes are not just as necessary as fireproof schools? Such construction is not necessary for the safety of the individual, but for the safety of the community. And in this case, the community is the nation.  
 We are interested in a good building code for our own city, and are equally interested in a good code for every other city, because no matter where the fire, we pay our share of the loss.  
 We may not be able immediately to legislate firetraps out of existence, but if the test of other communities stands we can, through a modern building code, legislate into existence buildings that won't burn.

**HOPEFUL REAL ESTATE**  
 Over and over as one goes from city to city or state to state, or merely rambles about the edge of his own home town one is impressed afresh with the magnitude of the American real estate game. There is such a tremendous amount of real estate for sale. So many allotments laid out. So many new ones being opened. So many building lots offered, not to mention larger tracts.  
 It isn't merely in Florida, that is only the most conspicuous example. There is a real estate boom nearly everywhere. And while it waxes or wanes in particular localities, on the whole it keeps growing. Building lots continue to multiply.  
 Surely there are staked out already enough urban and suburban lots in this country to provide building and living sites for two or three times the present population of the United States. When will it end?  
 Nobody has to answer that question. Few want to answer it. The real estate game, though visibly overdone in many places, on the whole is a good thing.  
 Most of the properties offered for sale represent actual values which the American public has been slow in appreciating. When prices and sales are merely speculative there is still this to say for the real estate industry—that it always rests on substantial ground.  
 If one must speculate, better speculate in land, however dubious its value, than in "blue sky." For the land is what it professes to be, "real estate," "realty." It will always be there. It is something, the owner can see, feel, stand on, come back to. It is a place where the owners family tree may strike root and grow.  
 There is something to be said, too, even for the over-development of real estate. It is a sign of health, of life, of growth. It expresses faith in the town, the state, the country, in civilization. The town not fringed with subdivisions is dead.

**THE GALLOPING GHOST**  
 For the sum of \$40,000 Red Grange has given his name for advertising purpose to numerous articles of commerce. These articles are now to be poured like an avalanche upon the ultimate consumer. That poor, be-nighted soul is to live every day in an orgy of Red Grangeism, from the time he swallows his Red Grange Porridge in the morning until he dons his Red Grange Pajamas at night. As a consequence some goggling psychiatrist will soon discover a new disease—Red Grange psychosis. And in the next presidential race there is sure to be a Red Grange plank in the platform of each party. The red-head has begun to haunt our waking and sleeping hours. Galloping ghost? We'll say so!  
 Buy your Christmas goods as early as you can and you will better yourself in goods and quality, than if you wait until the day before Christmas.

**W. REX YOUNG**  
 PLATTSMOUTH, NEBRASKA  
 General Auctioneering  
 Also Pure Bred Sales  
 At present I have the following sales listed and more yet to come but not ready to be advertised. Those that do not have the exact date set, will be dated later and appear in ad when dated. Several of these sales are Pure Bred.  
**JANUARY**  
 5—Mr. Greennade, Dunbar  
 6—Chas. Mutz, Murray  
 27—Claude Overton, Mead.  
**FEBRUARY**  
 17—M. Berkey, Grant, Neb.  
 20—E. T. Sherlock, Wray, Colorado.  
 Shafer Bros. Pure Bred Sow sale, Nehawka; W. R. Supernaw, Otoe; John Peterson, Davey; Delbert Mumm, Weeping Water; Pete Olson, Mead; M. B. Chamberlain, Cedar Creek; Cliff Greer, Madrid; W. R. Smith, Nebr. City; Mrs. Mary Shriner, Nebr. City; Luther Mead, Union; E. H. Miller, Murdock; Frank Blotzer, Myrard; Clyde Fair, Grant; Elmer Kent, Imperial; Chas. McCartney, Nehawka; Harry Abker, Syracuse; M. B. Thompson, Imperial; Phillip Born, Plattsmouth; Harry Nelson, Murray; Lee Nickles, Murray.  
 Am selling for some of the best breeders. Call at my expense. Satisfaction guaranteed. Telephone No. 314.

**SOUTH BEND**  
 Jeannette McNamara, Eunice Towle and Glenn Weaver drove to Lincoln Sunday evening.  
 Mr. and Mrs. John Kittrell and son, Clyde, were visiting relatives at Syracuse over the week end.  
 Conrad Reinke was delivering wheat to the Weaver elevator this week.  
 Mr. Perry Kuhn returned to his home in South Bend after spending the summer at the farm of his uncle near Albion, Neb., where he assisted with the farm work.  
 Mr. Fred Weaver and son, Judd, drove to Omaha Wednesday.  
 Mr. Joe Knecht drove to Omaha Wednesday returning Thursday afternoon.  
 Jason Straight, W. G. Carnicle Myrtle Connor and Iva Fidler comprise a party that attended Brandy theatre in Omaha Sunday evening.  
 When it comes to real fishing Carl Hoffmeister, of Arickaree, Colorado, of South Bend, can put them all on skids. Carl is spending a few days at the home of his mother Mrs. Anna Hoffmeister, here in South Bend, renewing old acquaintances and visiting scenes of his boyhood days and while out strolling along the river bank Monday afternoon he found a large cat fish that had been stranded in shallow water, by a sudden drop in the river. After quite a tussle he succeeded in dragging the monster fish out on land, later taking it up to E. Sturzenegger's store where it was officially weighed, topping the scales at exactly 35 1-2 pounds. This is the largest fish taken out of the river here in a number of years, and is proof that there is still a number of the large ones left. It was of bluish color and officially known as the great Mississippi cat fish.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Heneger and family and Mrs. Alex Mitchell, of near Weeping Water, spent Sunday at the Ed Rau home.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Robert Long and sons, Jack and Sam, and Willard Sturzenegger spent Sunday at the Ernest Sturzenegger home near Greta.  
 Mrs. Henry Stander and Mrs. B. O. Mooney were in Omaha Wednesday to do some Christmas shopping and to see Mrs. Stander's doctor.  
 Mrs. Alex Mitchell is spending this week with her sister, Mrs. John Campbell.  
 Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Roebor and sons, Kenneth and Leonard, were Wednesday evening visitors at the Henry Stander home.  
 Mrs. Dale Cox is laid up with a lame arm and is suffering considerably from it.—Ashland-Gazette.

**Truck and Transfer**  
 L-I-N-E  
 Call Phone 342-W  
 or see me at the Vallery Sales Pavilion, Plattsmouth  
**Wade Porter**  
 Live Stock Hauling a Specialty.

**OFFICIALLY DRY**  
 Lincoln C. Andrews has just explained what prohibition meant to him before he was appointed Assistant Secretary of the Treasury and charged with the task of enforcing the dry laws.  
 "I would go into the club," he says, "and tell Paul, the attendant, to get a bottle of scotch. I did not then realize, as I do now, that I was fattening the organized bootleg industry."  
 In plain words, prohibition meant nothing to Gen. Andrews until he was made our dry generalissimo. His personal habits were the same after prohibition as before. When he wanted a drink he got it. And that is what 95 out of every 100 men in the country in Gen. Andrews' circumstances have done and are doing. Prohibition has imposed no denial or hardship on them. It has simply raised the price of drink and lowered the quality.  
 The 95 will go on doing that very thing, like Gen. Andrews, they had no notion before Andrews was made dry chief that they were violating any law that they ought to respect, or committing any crime, or doing anything unbecoming good citizens. And they don't now. And neither would Gen. Andrews except for his job. He sees the whole situation now from the standpoint of an official charged with the enforcement of a law that as a citizen he believed to be wrongful and nonenforceable.  
 We always have a lot of respect for a man's knowledge and wisdom until he begins to talk.  
 Heavy, impure blood makes a muddy, pimply complexion, headaches, nausea, indigestion. Thin blood makes you weak, pale and sickly. For pure blood, sound digestion, use Burdock Blood Purifiers, \$1.25 at all stores.

**LEGAL NOTICE**  
 In the District Court of Cass county, Nebraska.  
 August G. Bach, Plaintiff, vs. Michael Preis and Louisa Preis, Defendants.  
 To the defendants Michael Preis and Louisa Preis:  
 You and each of you are hereby notified that August G. Bach, the plaintiff, filed his petition in the District Court of Cass county, Nebraska, on the 25th day of November, 1925, against you, the said Michael Preis and Louisa Preis, defendants, setting forth therein, that the plaintiff sold and delivered to said defendants certain goods, wares and merchandise, all of which merchandise were necessary of life for the support and maintenance of said defendants and their family, and there is now due plaintiff from defendants for said merchandise the sum of \$184.10, and interest thereon at 7 per cent per annum from November 7th, 1922, and in order to collect the same, plaintiff has commenced a suit in attachment and levied upon your real estate in the City of Plattsmouth, Nebraska.  
 You are hereby notified to appear and answer said petition on or before the 18th day of January, 1926, according to law and the rules of said court, or judgment will be entered against you by default, and your real estate sold to satisfy the same.  
 AUGUST G. BACH, Plaintiff.  
 By—ALLEN J. BEESON, His Attorney.  
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**NOTICE OF SALE**  
 In the District Court of Cass county, Nebraska.  
 In the matter of the guardianship of John Wurga, mentally incompetent.  
 Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an order of James T. Begley, Judge of the District Court of Cass county, Nebraska, made on the 8th day of December, A. D. 1925, 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 4th day of January, A. D. 1926, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, the following described real estate, to-wit:  
 Commencing at a point thirty rods north of the center of Section thirteen (13), in Township twelve (12) North, Range thirteen (13), east of the Sixth Principal Meridian, in Cass county, Nebraska, running thence west along the south line of Lot thirteen (13) five chains and fifteen links, thence south three chains and eighty-seven links, or to the north line of Pearl street, thence east along the line of said street five chains and fifteen links to the west line of Maiden Lane, thence north three chains and ninety links to the place of beginning, except the right-of-way of the Missouri Pacific Railway Company across the northwest corner thereof; also Lot one (1), in the southeast quarter (SE 1/4) of the northwest quarter (NW 1/4) of Section thirteen (13), Township twelve (12), North, Range thirteen (13), east of the Sixth Principal Meridian, in Cass county, Nebraska.  
 Said sale will remain open ONE HOUR.  
 Dated this 14th day of December, A. D. 1925.  
 JAMES WURGA, Guardian of John Wurga, Mentally Incompetent.  
 C. A. RAWLS, Attorney.  
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With Kindest Thoughts and all Good Wishes for Christmas and the New Year  
  
**25 Christmas Cards for \$1.00**  
 All Boxed and Ready for Mailing or Sale!  
 These cards are taken from our regular high-grade line and prepared for the mailing to out-of-town customers and the early buyers  
 Send in your order now, enclosing your Check or money order, or call at the  
**Bates Book and Stationery Store**  
 The Big Gift Shop, where you will find the big Christmas Line of Gift Goods!

**ORDER OF HEARING**  
 and Notice on Petition for Settlement of Account.  
 In the County Court of Cass county, Nebraska.  
 State of Nebraska, Cass county, ss. To all persons interested in the estate of Kenny Goodman, deceased:  
 On reading the petition of George W. Goodman, Administrator, praying a final settlement and allowance of his account filed in this Court on the 14th day of December, 1925, and for his discharge as such administrator; 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 29th day of December, A. D. 1925, at 9 o'clock a. m., to show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted, and that notice of the pendency of said petition and 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 one week prior to said day of hearing.  
 In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and the seal of said Court, this 14th day of December, A. D. 1925.  
 A. H. DUXBURY, County Judge.  
 (Seal) d14-1w

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS**  
 The State of Nebraska, Cass county, ss.  
 In the County Court.  
 In the matter of the estate of Thomas Walling, 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 January 11, 1926, and April 12, 1926, at 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 11th day of January, A. D. 1926, and the time limited for payment of debts is one year from said 11th day of January, 1926.  
 Witness my hand and the seal of said County Court, this 7th day of December, 1925.  
 A. H. DUXBURY, County Judge.  
 (Seal) d14-4w

**ORDER OF HEARING**  
 on Petition for Appointment of Administrator.  
 The State of Nebraska, Cass county, ss.  
 In the County Court.  
 In the matter of the estate of Christina Barr, deceased.  
 On reading and filing the petition of Earl V. Barr, Mary Etta Long and George M. Barr praying that administration of said estate may be granted to John Long as Administrator;  
 Ordered, that Monday, January 4th, A. D. 1926, at 10 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 petitioners 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 December 10, 1925.  
 A. H. DUXBURY, County Judge.  
 (Seal) d14-3w  
 For baby's croup, Willie's daily cuts and bruises, mother's sore throat, Grandma's lameness—Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil—the household remedy. 30c and 60c.

**NOTICE OF SUIT**  
 In the District Court of Cass County, Nebraska  
 Fred H. Vincent, Plaintiff vs. Alfred Thompson et al Defendants  
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 To the Defendants: Alfred Thompson; Joseph McCreary; Doris Amyx; Fred Amyx; Raleigh Amyx; Cora Barnett; Cecil Barnett; Myrtle Carter; John Carter; Blanche Stevenson; Bert Stevenson; Mary Ann Watson; John A. Horning; Anna Britt; the Unknown Heirs, Devisees, Legatees, Personal Representatives and all other Persons interested in the several estates of Jonathan Adams, deceased; Mary Ann S. Britten, formerly Mary Ann S. Adams, deceased; Eveline Swindell, deceased; Susan E. Brookhart, deceased; Susan E. Shopp, deceased; Robert R. Livingston, deceased; Alfred Thompson, deceased, and Joseph McCreary, deceased, real names unknown; and all other persons having or claiming any interest in or to Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 11, 12, 13 and 14, in Block 2 in Thompson's Addition to the City of Plattsmouth, in Cass county, Nebraska, real names unknown:  
 You and each of you are hereby notified that on the 23rd day of November, 1925, the plaintiff in the foregoing entitled cause filed his petition in the District Court of Cass county, Nebraska, wherein you and others are made parties defendant, for the purpose of obtaining a decree from said Court, quieting the record title in plaintiff to the following described real estate, to-wit:  
 Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 11, 12, 13 and 14, in Block two (2), in Thompson's Addition to Plattsmouth, in Cass county, Nebraska—  
 as against you and each of you and others and by such decree to wholly exclude you and each of you from all estate, right, title, claim or interest therein or to any part thereof, and to have a certain mortgage covering said premises given by one Oran S. Thompson and wife to the defendant, Joseph McCreary, decreed to have been paid and satisfied and the record title to said premises forever freed from the claims of said defendants and forever quieted in Plaintiff.  
 You are required to answer said petition on or before the 18th day of January, 1926, or your default will be entered in said cause and a Decree granted as prayed for in Plaintiff's petition.  
 Dated: December 2nd, 1925.  
 FRED H. VINCENT, Plaintiff.  
 JOHN M. LEYDA, His Attorney.  
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**NOTICE TO CREDITORS**  
 The State of Nebraska, Cass county, ss.  
 In the County Court.  
 In the matter of the estate of Fritz Heinrich, 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 21st day of December, A. D. 1925, and the 23rd day of March, A. D. 1926, at the hour of 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 21st day of December, A. D. 1925, and the time limited for payment of debts is one year from said 21st day of December, 1925.  
 Witness my hand and the seal of said County Court, this 19th day of November, 1925.  
 A. H. DUXBURY, County Judge.  
 (Seal) n23-4w