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The inevitable: A lazy man's alibi.

How would you like to be the coal man?

You usually can find most anything but pork in pork sausage.

When a girl marries a title, the title is marrying a bank account.

A \$15 pair of slippers should be good for three months or four dances.

Intuition is what makes a woman know she is right in spite of foolish logic.

See that a music store in Kansas City advertises electric ice boxes for sale.

A Chicago paper will not print crime news. Crime is still news in some other places.

It may be that the mills of the gods grind slowly because they get paid for overtime.

Puzzle: Is that Denver yegg who rifed 11 safes and got a dollar in loot a bull or a bear?

Looks like Old Dame Democracy will have all the family back for Thanksgiving this year.

Another good test of will power, for a woman, is to take five dollars and enter a 10-cent store.

When we were young, even a week after Halloween neighbors were still looking for their front gates.

We are an idealistic people and conscience urges us to free the Filipino and boost the price of sugar.

What has become of the old-fashioned fellow, who for a dollar, would vote five or six times on election day.

Seven Alabama dairymen have herds that produced an average of 300 pounds or more of butterfat last year.

Habit gets a fellow. Many a father who worked his way through college is now working his boy's way through.



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The old Mississippi is much like a rich social leader. A lot of little rivers must contribute the material to make the big one swell.

Former King George of Greece expects to get his old job back, but he might as well be reconciled to become just another of the Hellenic antiquities.

Only four of ten judges running for re-election in the Chicago municipal courts are pronounced qualified. Please, may be inquire whether this is a fair average?

This country is full of fool laws, but on the other mitt, there are some that just drip with wisdom. Iowa has one that just drips, prohibiting the sale of near beer.

Among the valuable services recently rendered by the Department of Agriculture is the distribution of a pamphlet telling how to keep grape juice from fermenting.

Scientists at the University of California are at work on the problem of obtaining energy from the atom. If they succeed we should each get an atom and put it to work.

How can a man earn enough money to support a wife and pay alimony to a former one at the same time, is a question that gives many an average man brain-storms trying to answer.

Mrs. Keith Miller, Australian aviatrix, made an airplane flight from Los Angeles to New York in 21 hours and 47 minutes. She should have made it in much less time, but probably stopped at several cities en route to match some dress goods samples.

Another of the old prejudices or superstitions concerning disease and its cure stands repudiated in the public health service bulletin announcing the scientific conclusion that it is nearly always unnecessary for a sufferer to go far from home for a cure for tuberculosis.

LABOR'S STAND IN BRITAIN

It is most gratifying to hear a public officer unequivocally declare his opinion. Whether some of us agree with him or not, all are bound to respect him for his sincerity and fearlessness. Great Britain is fortunate, indeed, in having such a man in Philip Snowden, chancellor of the exchequer.

Mr. Snowden in an address to a non-partisan free trade group at Manchester explained with striking positiveness his personal and official views on the subject of free trade. He vehemently denounced the protective tariff and said that "no government, while I am in charge of national finances, will give serious consideration to such a proposal."

Now, this was an extraordinary assertion. By it Mr. Snowden committed the Laborite government. Substantially, he gave warning that the Laborite government, if it did take up the subject, would have to get another chancellor. An officer could scarcely be more clear or direct. There can be no misunderstanding as to Mr. Snowden's opinions.

Every government needs unselfish, plainspoken officials. Too many statesmen have been compromising with small political indications, and sacrificing honest conviction in order to please certain voters or interests. Whether you believe in a protective tariff or free trade, you cannot fail to admire Mr. Snowden.

CRIMINAL NEGLIGENCE

Sometimes it does seem as if people never will learn. The old "didn't know it was loaded" business has taken many a human life, but it would be supposed that by this time every one in a nation where there are so many firearms would know better than to fall victim to it. Many do not.

The old army rule still holds good: Never point a gun, loaded or unloaded, at any one—never, unless you intend to kill. But the news of the day of almost every day shows how little the rule is observed. "The gun that isn't loaded is always the one that goes off" approaches the axiomatic.

The gunning season is here, with a consequent market rise in the number of accidental deaths from firearms. But by far the larger number of deaths are not from stray bullets and mistaking human beings for game, but from the careless and reckless handling of loaded guns. Wire fences and twigs pull many a trigger with deadly results. And the victim is often the most experienced hunter.

To shoot another in mistake for game, to kill another through the accidental discharge of a firearm and to fatally wound another with a weapon thought to be unloaded amount to manslaughter. They are inexcusable and criminal.

BAD DAY FOR THE POWER TRUST

The results of Tuesday's election showed a series of devastating reverses for the Power Trust on a widely scattered front.

George W. Norris, implacable foe of the power interests, was re-elected Senator from Nebraska despite a bitter campaign and the amazing effort to defeat him in the primary by inducing a grocer's clerk of the same name to file his candidacy.

Gifford Pinchot was elected Governor of Pennsylvania after Gen. Atterbury, Cyrus H. K. Curtis and the powerful Vare machine of Philadelphia had thrown their strength to his opponent. Like Norris, Pinchot is an arch-enemy of the Power Trust.

Gov. Roosevelt, one of whose main concerns during the two years of his governorship has been to curb the greed of the Power Trust, was re-elected by an unprecedented majority.

Senator Walsh, author of the resolution to make a Federal investigation of the Power Trust, was re-elected in Montana against the opposition of the Montana Power Co.

One of the most spirited and closely defined Power Trust fights was in Colorado, where Edward P. Costigan, outstanding liberal and former member of the Tariff Commission under President Wilson, opposed George Shaw, the general counsel of the Henry L. Doherty public utility interests in Colorado. Costigan was elected.

In Oregon Julius L. Meier was elected Governor. Meier ran as an independent on a platform favoring development of water power by the public, as opposed to private interests. The defeated Republican candidate took the other side of the debate.

Frank L. Smith of Illinois was defeated in his race for Congress. Smith was elected to the Senate in 1926 after certain Illinois public utility operators, including Samuel Insull, had contributed \$203,000 to his campaign fund while Smith was still sitting as chairman of the Illinois Commerce Commission. The Senate refused to seat this Power Trust candidate and now the people have balked at his attempted comeback.

Another most interesting development was the defeat, in Tennessee, of B. Carroll Reece, regular Republican, for re-election to Congress. Reece was one of the leaders in the congressional fight against Senator Norris' proposal for Government operation of Muscle Shoals. In the primary Reece had the unusual advantage of a letter from President Hoover endorsing his Muscle Shoals policy. The result of this election is a most significant commentary on the 10-year-old fight to put this great Government property to work.

Dr. Wilbur L. Cross, dean emeritus of the Yale graduate school, was elected Governor of the rock-ribbed Republican State of Connecticut. Cross ran as a wet Democrat, on a platform of opposition to the Bingham-Roraback machine. He said in his campaign that Connecticut has suffered too long from domination by this machine and its allies, the public utilities and the State Manufacturers' Association.

In Wisconsin, of course, Philip La Follette won an easy victory. It is hardly necessary to add that La Follette is on the people's side of the power controversy.

It is evident that the Power Trust issue is rapidly assuming commanding proportions, and if the trend indicated Tuesday is followed in future elections the huge electrical industry, like the railroads, will be compelled to submit to proper regulation and control.

A BOY ON THE MONITOR

When the Monitor went out to meet the Merrimac in Hampton Roads on the morning of March 9, 1861, William Taylor Lougee, an assistant engineer aboard the cheese-box on a raft, who died the other day, was a boy barely 16 years old. But a corporal's guard was at the guns in the curious revolving turret, a smaller crew being one of Capt. Ericsson's aims in building his ironclad vessel. The likelihood is that Engineer Lougee was the last of its crew, for judging by the ratio of Civil War veterans still live to the number which took up arms, the Monitor crew should have been withdrawn long ago. As for results the battle did not amount to much. Neither vessel was able seriously to injure the other, and there was virtually no casualties. The chief effect was the neutralization of the Merrimac, whose conquests over Federal gunboats had alarmed Lincoln's Government at Washington. The greater importance of the encounter lay in the opening of a new era in naval warfare. Third Assistant Engineer Lougee, boy that he was, stood by as the era of armored warships dawned.



WHEN you start at sudden noises, worry over trifles, can't bear the noise that children make, feel irritable and blue—ten to one it's your nerves.

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Dr. Miles' Nerve is now made in two forms—Liquid and Effervescent Tablet. Both are the same therapeutically.



WHAT DOES IT PROVE?

In its national aspect, the election was above all else a Democratic victory. Partly a reflection of the dissatisfaction of voters with the economic condition of the country, the results are also an emphatic protest against the G. O. P. leadership of recent years.

Respecting the dominant issues, two results are clear. Wets gained tremendous ground over Drys. The victories of Marcus Coolidge in Massachusetts, Buckley in Ohio, Lewis in Illinois, are examples of this trend, supported by apparent anti-prohibition decisions in three states, Rhode Island, Massachusetts and Illinois, on wet-dry referenda. A second issue of importance was the liberal cause of more rigid control of public utilities demanded by Governor Roosevelt and Former Governor Pinchot.

Four figures loom large in the result of the poll, while many others fall into the limbo of forgotten statesmen. Roosevelt's record-breaking plurality in New York makes him the outstanding contender for the Democratic Presidential nomination. Bulkeley romes into the national scene again with an extraordinary prestige. Pinchot returns to public life with a victory against heavy odds, a crusader who won out against the conservative elements of his own party. Dwight Morrow goes to the Senate assured of a position of leadership.

Although the cause of prohibition, the Republican tariff and the Hoover Administration in general received severe setbacks Tuesday, it seems that the primary significance of the election will lie in the personalities it has projected into the foreground, rather than its negative influence in censuring established persons or policies. More than any specific complaint against the tactics or policies of the last few years, the American people appear to have demanded a new leadership and a restatement of policy on broad lines.

The British ambassador at Washington complains that the very swanky new embassy residence recently completed on Massachusetts avenue is too small. Probably he had only in mind the congestion around the punch bowl when an ambassadorial reception is in progress.

A modern symphonic composition, entitled "The Ring," was inspired by a prizefight. Very likely there is a slow movement with much fiddling, to say nothing of the long pauses.

NOTICE to Stockholders, Directors, Depositors and Claimants of Bank of Cass County, Plattsmouth, Nebraska.

You and each of you are hereby notified that the receiver of the above named bank has filed his final report as receiver and has made application to be discharged as receiver; that you are further notified that a hearing on said application for discharge of said receiver will be had in the court house at Plattsmouth, Nebraska, on the 24th day of November, 1930, at 10 o'clock a. m., or as soon thereafter as said cause may be heard.

Objections to the discharge of said receiver must be filed with the Clerk of the District Court on or before the time of hearing above named.

E. J. DEMPSTER,
Receiver, Bank of Cass County, Plattsmouth, Nebraska.

FOR SALE

Just a few well grown high quality Chester White boars for sale. Farmers prices. Cholera immune.—P. G. Lepert. n6-4tw.

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION

In the County Court of Cass county, Nebraska.

In the matter of the estate of John Quinton, deceased.

Notice of Administration. All persons interested in said estate are hereby notified that a petition has been filed in said Court, alleging that said decedent, died leaving no last will and testament and praying for administration upon said estate and for such other and further orders and proceedings in the premises as may be required by the statutes in such cases made and provided to the end that said estate and all things pertaining thereto may be finally settled and determined, and that a hearing will be had on said petition before said Court, on the 21st day of November, A. D. 1930, and that if they fail to appear at said Court on said 21st day of November, 1930, at 9 o'clock a. m., to contest the said petition, the Court may grant the same and grant administration of said estate to C. D. Quinton, or some other suitable person and proceed to a settlement thereof.

A. H. DUXBURY, County Judge.
(Seal) o27-3w

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 Adam Wolf, deceased:

On reading the petition of H. A. Seizing, Administrator, praying for a final settlement and allowance of his account filed in this Court on the 27th day of October, 1930, and for final settlement of said estate and for his discharge as said 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 28th day of November, A. D. 1930, 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 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.

In witness whereof, I have hereto set my hand and the seal of said Court, this 27th day of October, A. D. 1930.

A. H. DUXBURY, County Judge.
(Seal) n3-3w

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 Bertha Lancaster, deceased:

On reading the petition of Glen Boedeker, Administrator, praying a final settlement and allowance of his account filed in this Court on the 21st day of October, 1930, and for final settlement of said estate and his discharge as said 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 21st day of November, A. D. 1930, 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 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.

In witness whereof, I have hereto set my hand and the seal of said Court, this 21st day of October, A. D. 1930.

A. H. DUXBURY, County Judge.
(Seal) o27-3w

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 Robert R. Nickles, deceased.

On reading the petition of Mettie Ray and A. F. Nickles, praying that the instrument filed in this Court on the 17th day of October, 1930, 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 Robert R. Nickles, deceased; that said instrument be admitted to probate and the administration of said estate be granted to Mary A. Nickles and Bertha M. Nickles 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 21st day of November, A. D. 1930, at ten o'clock a. m., to show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the 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.

In witness my hand, and the seal of said court, this 23rd day of October, A. D. 1930.

A. H. DUXBURY, County Judge.
(Seal) o27-3w

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The State of Nebraska, Cass county, ss. In the County Court.

In the matter of the estate of Gertrude L. Morgan, 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 November, 1930, and the 22nd day of February, 1931, at 10 o'clock a. m., of each day, to receive and examine all claims against said estate, with a view of their adjustment and allowance. The time limited for the presentation of claims against said estate is three months from the 21st day of November, A. D. 1930 and the time limited for payment of debts is one year from said 21st day of November, 1930.

Witness my hand and the seal of said County Court this 24th day of October, 1930.

A. H. DUXBURY, County Judge.
(Seal) o27-3w

SHERIFF'S SALE

State of Nebraska, County of Cass, ss.

By virtue of an Order of Sale issued by Golda Noble Beal, Clerk of the District Court within and for Cass county, Nebraska, and to me directed, I will on the 15th day of November, A. D. 1930, at 10 o'clock a. m., of said day, at the south front door of the court house in the City of Plattsmouth, Nebr., in said county, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash the following real estate, to-wit:

West half of Lot 8 and 9, and the south half of the west half of Lot 10, and the west 24 feet of the east half of Lots 8, 9 and 10, all in Block 31, in the City of Plattsmouth, Cass county, Nebraska—

the same being levied upon and taken as the property of Sybil Brantner, Edward Brantner and Oscar Wilson, defendants, to satisfy a judgment of said court recovered by Paul H. Gillan, substituted for Silas Y. Gillan, plaintiffs against said defendants.

Plattsmouth, Nebraska, October 11, A. D. 1930.

BERT REED, Sheriff Cass County, Nebraska.

By REX YOUNG, Deputy Sheriff.

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 Fred Hanni, deceased:

On reading the petition of Herman Rieke, praying a final settlement and allowance of his account filed in this Court on the 24th day of October, 1930, and for pro-rating payment of claims, assignment of property and discharge of the 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 21st day of November, A. D. 1930, 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 three weeks prior to said day of hearing.

In witness whereof I have hereto set my hand and the seal of said Court this 24th day of October, A. D. 1930.

A. H. DUXBURY, County Judge.
(Seal) o27-3w

NOTICE OF SUIT TO QUIET TITLE

In the District Court of the County of Cass, Nebraska

George K. Petring, Plaintiff

vs. The County of Cass, Nebraska et al, Defendants.

To the Defendants, Herman Neitzel, and all persons having or claiming any interest in and to Lots five (5) and six (6), in Block fifty-four (54), in the City of Plattsmouth, Cass county, Nebraska, excepting that part of Lot 6 lying within 40 feet of the center of Chicago Avenue in said city, real names unknown: You and each of you are hereby notified that George K. Petring, as plaintiff, filed a petition and commenced an action in the District Court of Cass county, Nebraska, on the 1st day of November, 1930, against you and each of you and others; the object, purpose and prayer of which is to obtain a decree of the Court quieting title to Lots five (5) and six (6), in Block fifty-four (54), in the City of Plattsmouth, Cass county, Nebraska, excepting that part of Lot 6 lying within 40 feet of the center of Chicago Avenue in said city, in plaintiff as against you and each of you and all persons claiming by, through or under said defendants, to enjoy all of said defendants in said suit from having or claiming any interest in said real estate and for such other relief as may be just and equitable in said premises.

You and each of you are further notified that you are required to answer said petition on or before Monday, the 15th day of December, 1930, or the allegations therein contained will be taken as true and a decree rendered in favor of the plaintiff, George K. Petring, as against you and each of you according to the prayer of said petition.

GEORGE K. PETRING, Plaintiff.
W. A. ROBERTSON, Attorney for Plaintiff.
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