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Trifles make perfection, but perfection is no trifle.

The people are getting farther in Spain than they are in Illinois.

Increasingly difficult becomes the problem of idleness in prisons.

The smile on the face of the Tammany tiger is not quite so broad.

No, Dorothy, a hoax is not a garden tool used for chopping purposes.

Let them raise the taxes. It won't make any difference to some of us.

At last the furnace is beginning to get its medicine in homeopathic doses.

Now is the time when you'd better not get far from shelter without an umbrella.

"This one's on the house," said the prohibition officer as he put the padlock on the speakery.

In 1922 the Italian monarchy faced the same sort of crisis that confronted the monarchy of Spain.

The stock exchange annex will rise to the height of 400 feet. Well, at least something is going up.

His majesty, Alfonso, lately of Spain, is said to have an eye on the motor car business in America.

Blubber is now believed to be the equipment that enables whales to withstand the pressure of great sea depths.

There is always room for one more, but no desire therefore, when a boy and girl occupy the front seat of an automobile.

Now if another announcement is made that Secretary Mellon is going to resign things will begin to look normal again.

The day of miracles is not dead. For instance, Bill McAdoo has been living at Los Angeles for ten years and is still dry.

A Montreal professor says if you shiver you can't be cold. Heck! Doc, we could tell a better one than that and not half try.

Jailing an Arkansas widow who makes liquor to feed her hungry children; granting immunity to a Chicago Italian who sells hooch to millions.

Here's hoping Gandhi will not make us sorry we have been pulling for him by coming over here to ask for liberty. We can't spare the few liberties we have left.

If the great American crime wave isn't stopped we may find ourselves changing the lines in our national anthem to read: "And the rackets' red glare, the bombs bursting in air."

Sumatra's population has had a growth of 33 per cent in the last few years.

With silver around 20 cents, it might be a good time to relime a few clouds.

Probably that gentleman that ran off with Explorer Byrd's overcoat merely wanted a souvenir.

There are more opportunities in a great city, but you have to lick more men in order to get at them.

Flowers are being exported from the Netherlands to distant countries packed in carbonic-dioxide ice.

Spain has astonished the world by the smooth and peaceable transition it has made from monarchy to republic.

Padlock makers must smile at the cheering news from Philadelphia that an attempt will be made to lock up 450 speakeries.

If John J. Raskob may not speak for the Democratic Party, who does have the right? He puts up the money, doesn't he?

Of the 56,717 men who applied to join the British army last year 53.1 per cent were rejected on physical or medical grounds.

We can't see why anyone should take up counterfeiting of money when there's so much to be made in the counterfeiting of liquors.

Former Secretary Fall is convicted of taking the bribe that Dooney was acquitted of giving. You'll have to figure it out for yourself.

And now that the income taxes are paid there is nothing to do but set out the "welcome" mat for the city and county collectors.

The Quakers have lifted the ban on frills and laces. It also is understood they have decided to let the sun shine whenever it wants to, too!

Those low means come from the noble five hundred of us who had incomes of a million or more last year and have just figured our income tax.

A cover has been invented for outward motor boat propellers that reduces the speed of a boat when a fisherman wishes to move slowly enough to troll.

Thomas Edison is said to be getting up a new questionnaire. We presume he is doing this because all the old questions have been answered by Senator Borah.

"To pledge a million total abstainers a year to uphold the eighteenth amendment." Late census reports make it evident that by the year 2053 we will all be signed up—if there is rigid birth control.

SENATOR COUZENS' WARNING

Senator Couzens of Michigan, who for several years has been urging the leaders of industry to readjust business so that employment may be stabilized and workers able and willing to work may be assured of living wages throughout the year, has issued a warning to business. He tells the business men that if they do not take up and solve the question of unemployment, Congress will be forced to take measures for the regulation of business by pressure from the people. How far the regulation will be carried, although Senator Couzens predicts unemployment insurance and old age pensions quickly, no one can foresee.

The Senator's warning is addressed to the meeting of the United States Chamber of Commerce at Atlantic City, April 28 to May 1. He has gone to headquarters with his urgent call to action. He says that Congress will not act unless there is great need and pressure, but makes the point that industry itself has supplied the need, and prevailing conditions will supply the pressure from the people. He says the American people have exhibited great patience in giving industry the opportunity to take care of unemployment and the unequal adjustment of industrial operation, but he does not think they will wait much longer.

Senator Couzens, like many other intelligent Americans, sees the signs of popular action in the prevailing conditions which have been much intensified of late. He knows there are vast quantities of necessary commodities and food on hand, and at the same time over 6,000,000 men and women able and willing to work are without work and on the edge of starvation. He knows these conditions cannot be continued or recur without an irresistible popular demand for some kind of legislation, and the adjustment will be taken out of their hands.

The Post-Dispatch has pointed out that the failures and evils of capitalism have been caused by the masters of capitalism who control the capitalist system. It is they who have exercised the power which has brought the disastrous results from which we suffer. They ought to exercise their power to readjust industry and business to remedy these evils. They, as Senator Couzens declares, have created the need for readjustment and regulation. They should meet that need voluntarily, or they will be compelled to do it by legal compulsion. Senator Couzens is a wealthy man and was for many years a successful manufacturer. He wants to save our economic system and avoid doubtful or more disastrous experiments. He wants leaders of industry not only to demonstrate their ability to lead the world in production and profits, accumulating vast wealth, but to take the leadership in the readjustment of production and profitable operation so that all the human factors contributing to them will reap an equitable share that will assure to all the means of living.

Fortunately, some American business men are seeing the light and are readjusting their business and stabilizing employment; others are awakening to the necessity of it. The United States Chamber of Commerce, to which Senator Couzens addresses his warning, has appointed a committee to investigate the subject and suggest remedies. There is need, however, for speed, and not only surface remedies but basic readjustment which will give permanent relief.

The captains of capital and industry have been thoroughly warned. It will be their own fault if they do not themselves solve the problem, and find the Government taking over the solution and regulating business by law, with unknown consequences.—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

AN ECHO OF HUCKLEBERRY FINN
This trip of Big Bill Thompson's seems to be making a great hit with the river towns. According to a special dispatch from Commerce, Mo., when the former Mayor's boat and party put in there Sunday night to provide the populace with a free show and entertainment, the people were so delighted that "church was dismissed so the congregation could enjoy the show." Somehow the jaunt and its nightly shows remind us of another trip down the river chronicled years ago by Mark Twain in the best part of "The Adventures of Huckleberry Finn." We refer to the water-front theatrical activities of the Duke of Bilgewater and the long-lost Dauphin.

The Democrats, the Republicans and the Independents have started the bating of the political tom toms and from now on preparations will go on apace for the staging of the greatest show in the world—the election of a president of the United States.

GERMAN COMES BACK

War leaves many ruins to be rebuilt and many cancers growing in our society to be overcome. Not only were unnumbered cities and great areas of countryside laid waste, not only were millions of men killed, other millions wounded, but the economic progress of a dynamic world was overstimulated, and let fall with calamitous loss which still is being felt in every country. In addition to this, less tangible, there thrived a multitude of prejudices and hatreds and inhibitions—the heritage of years of propaganda.

Half-truths and lies, widely disseminated, are just as necessary in modern warfare as tanks and airplanes and giant guns. It is idle to deplore the prejudice that goes with international conflict. But at least every effort can be made to rehabilitate our thinking as nations, just as we are rehabilitating war-torn cities and wounded men.

An important step along this line is the re-establishing of the German language in the schools of the country. Thirteen years after the titanic struggle, men have begun to think and feel something as they used. They are able to see problems of education and cultural attained in just proportion. It is a significant gain. The wide popularity of German novels and motion pictures in late years indicates public acceptance of the end of prejudice. The larger number of American tourists in Germany fortifies this view. It is a cheering measure of the rapidity with which we are bringing our minds, as well as our industries, back to a normal tenor.

THE SCREEN AND CRIME

Police Commissioner Mulrooney, of New York, touches the nerve center of America's most difficult problem when he insists that movie pictures, tabloid publications and parental neglect of duty are responsible for the crime situation in the United States—more responsible than anything else.

Society spends millions in seeking methods for the prevention of crime, whose activities annually cost the country billions more. All these impressive sums practically are wasted and lost so long as the screen proclaims its scene of vice and crime and flaunt the tales of evil and wrong constantly before the eyes of the young—directly or indirectly exploiting that which is criminal and vicious through presentations which make heroes of the criminal who works under the glamour of adventurous conditions.

A person of criminal tendency is a copyist. And how are we to tell who among our young are not possessed of these tendencies. The young "follow suit." If they are living without the barriers of parental and moral restraint, they become easy victims of a lure that is as false and fatal as hell itself.

Commissioner Mulrooney is right—fundamentally is right. Without proper control and influence of the youth of the Nation, police and Courts of Law and sober investigating committees are useless.

The farmers did not make any money the past year, but they have one advantage over us town folks. They don't have to buy any red ink for their bookkeeping. They can make it out of pokeberries.

LEGAL NOTICE

In the District Court of Cass County, Nebraska
Carl S. Foster, Receiver of the First National Bank of Plattsmouth, Nebraska, Plaintiff, vs. William C. West and Emily S. West, Defendants

To the Defendants, William C. West and Emily S. West: You and each of you are hereby notified that on the 3rd day of March, 1931, the plaintiff filed his suit in the District Court of Cass County, Nebraska, the object and prayer of which was to recover on two promissory notes aggregating \$3,359.83 with interest at the rate of 8% from May 20, 1926 to August 1, 1926, and 10% interest thereafter, and costs of suit. That affidavits were filed for attachment and garnishment, and on the 4th day of March, 1931, service of attachment and garnishment was served upon Henry A. Schneider and the Plattsmouth State Bank, of Plattsmouth, Nebraska, to recover funds in the possession of said Schneider and said bank belonging to you.

You are hereby required to answer said petition on or before Monday, the 18th day of May, 1931, and failing so to do, your default will be entered and judgment will be taken upon the plaintiff's petition. This notice is given pursuant to an order of this Court.

CARL S. FOSTER, Receiver of the First National Bank of Plattsmouth, Nebraska, Plaintiff.
By A. L. TIDD, His Attorney. a6-4w

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION

In the County Court of Cass County, Nebraska.

In the matter of the estate of Katharine Karvanek, 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 deceased died leaving no last will and testament and praying for administration upon her 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 8th day of May, A. D. 1931, and if they fail to appear at said Court on said 8th day of May, 1931, at ten o'clock a. m., to contest the said petition, the Court may grant the same and grant administration of said estate to Seal S. Davis or some other suitable person and proceed to a settlement thereof.

A. H. DUXBURY, County Judge. (Seal) a13-3w

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION

In the County Court of Cass County, Nebraska.

In the matter of the estate of Etta Perry Barker, 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 deceased died leaving no last will and testament and praying for administration upon her 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 8th day of May, A. D. 1931, and if they fail to appear at said Court on said 8th day of May, 1931, at ten o'clock a. m., to contest the said petition, the Court may grant the same and grant administration of said estate to Seal S. Davis or some other suitable person to proceed to a settlement thereof.

A. H. DUXBURY, County Judge. (Seal) a13-3w

LEGAL NOTICE

In the District Court of Cass County, Nebraska

Daniel G. Golding, Plaintiff vs. Sarah Catherine Higley, et al., Defendants

To the Defendants: Sarah Catherine Higley, widow; Mattie Campbell and name unknown, real names unknown; James W. Higley; Helen Higley, Gladys Harris and Estelle Harris, non-residents: You are hereby notified that on the 20th day of February, 1931, the plaintiff filed his petition in the District Court of Cass County, Nebraska, the object and purpose of which is to foreclose lien of a tax sale certificate on the north 140 feet of Lot 11, in the northwest quarter of the northwest quarter of Section 18, Township 12, Range 14, East of the 6th P. M., in the City of Plattsmouth, in Cass County, Nebraska, and for equitable relief.

You are hereby required to answer said petition on or before Monday, May 11, 1931, and failing so to do, your default will be entered and judgment taken upon plaintiff's petition. This notice is given pursuant to an order of this Court.

DANIEL G. GOLDING, Plaintiff.
By A. L. TIDD, His Attorney. m30-4w

NOTICE OF SUIT IN FORECLOSURE OF TAX LIEN

In the District Court of Cass County, Nebraska

J. M. Robertson, Plaintiff vs. Maud Berghahn et al., Defendants

To the Defendants: The unknown heirs, devisees, legatees, personal representatives and all other persons interested in the estate of Viola G. Smith, deceased, real names unknown: You are hereby notified that J. M. Robertson, plaintiff, filed a petition and commenced an action in the District Court of Cass County, Nebraska, on the 6th day of April, 1931, against you and others, the object, purpose and prayer of which is to foreclose a tax lien upon Lots 10, 11 and 12 in Block 20, in the City of Plattsmouth, in Cass County, Nebraska, as evidenced by Tax Sale Certificate No. 6617, dated November 7th, 1927, and issued by John E. Turner, County Treasurer of said county, to plaintiff, J. M. Robertson, for the sale of said premises for the delinquent taxes of the year 1926, and also for subsequent taxes paid by purchaser for the years 1927, 1928 and 1929, on said lots.

Plaintiff asks for the foreclosure of said tax lien and the sale of said premises, together with attorneys' fees allowed by law, and for equitable relief and for costs expended.

You are further notified that you are required to answer said petition on or before the 25th day of May, 1931, or the relief asked by plaintiff will be granted and a decree of foreclosure entered in said cause in favor of plaintiff as prayed for in his petition. Date: April 9th, 1931.

J. M. ROBERTSON, Plaintiff.
By W. A. ROBERTSON and J. M. LEYDA, Attorneys for Plaintiff. a13-4w

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The State of Nebraska Cass County, ss.

In the County Court.

In the matter of the estate of W. D. Wheeler, 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 1st day of May, A. D. 1931, on the 7th day of August, A. D. 1931, 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 1st day of May, A. D. 1931 and the time limited for payment of debts is one year from the 1st day of May, A. D. 1931.

Witness my hand and the seal of said County Court this 3rd day of April, 1931.

A. H. DUXBURY, County Judge. (Seal) a6-3w

SHERIFF'S SALE

State of Nebraska, County of Cass, ss.

By virtue of an Order of Sale, issued by C. E. Ledgway, Clerk of the District Court within and for Cass County, Nebraska, and to me directed, I will on the 11th day of May, 1931, at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, at the south 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:

Lot one (1) in Block one-hundred thirty-four (134) in the City of Plattsmouth, in Cass County, Nebraska.

The same being levied upon and taken as the property of Joseph Carl Wurga et al, defendants, to satisfy a judgment and decree of the District Court of said county, in favor of The Standard Savings and Loan Association of Omaha, Nebraska, plaintiff, entered on the 14th day of March, 1931, and a decree and judgment of said court in favor of L. F. Hoferty, Intervenor, entered on February 28th, 1931, against said defendants.

Plattsmouth, Nebraska, April 4th, 1931.

BERT REED, Sheriff Cass County, Nebraska. a6-5w

ORDER OF HEARING and Notice of Petition for Settlement of Account.

In the County Court of Cass County, Nebraska.

To all persons interested in the estate of Robert R. Nickles, deceased: On reading the petition of Bertha Nickles praying a final settlement and allowance of her account filed in this Court on the 4th day of April, 1931, and for her discharge as said executrix;

It is hereby ordered that you and all persons interested in said matter, and do, appear at the County Court to be held in and for said County, on the 1st day of May, A. D. 1931, 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 successive weeks prior to said day of hearing.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and the Seal of said Court, this 4th day of April, A. D. 1931.

A. H. DUXBURY, County Judge. (Seal) CHAS. E. MARTIN, Atty. a6-3w

NOTICE OF SUIT TO QUIET TITLE

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

Phillip A. Hild, Plaintiff, vs. John Scott, et al., Defendants.

To the defendants John Scott, Mrs. John Scott, real names unknown, Isaac Coe, Otho Scott, Mrs. Otho Scott, real name unknown, Josephine Scott, Frank Schlichtemier, Ella Schlichtemier, the heirs, devisees, legatees, personal representatives and all other persons interested in the estates of John Scott, Mrs. John Scott, real name unknown, John Scott, Jr., Otho Scott, Mrs. Otho Scott, real name unknown, Josephine Scott, Isaac Coe, and Otto Scott, each deceased, real names unknown; and all persons having or claiming an interest in and to the southwest quarter of section one (1), township eleven (11), range twelve (12), east of the 6th P. M., in Cass County, Nebraska, real names unknown.

You and each of you are hereby notified that Phillip A. Hild as plaintiff, filed a petition and commenced an action in the District Court of the County of Cass Nebraska, on the 4th day of April, 1931, against you and each of you, the object, purpose and prayer of which is to obtain a decree of the Court quieting the title to the southwest quarter of section one (1), township eleven (11), range twelve (12), east of the 6th P. M. in Cass County, Nebraska, in the plaintiff, as against you and each of you, and for such other relief as may be just and equitable in the premises.

You and each of you are further notified that you are required to answer said petition on or before Monday, the 18th day of May, 1931, or the allegations therein contained will be taken as true and a decree will be rendered in favor of the plaintiff, Phillip A. Hild, as against you and each of you according to the prayer in said petition.

PHILLIP A. HILD, Plaintiff.
W. A. ROBERTSON, J. M. LEYDA, Attorneys for Plaintiff. a6-4w

NOTICE OF REFEREE'S SALE

Dora Raney, Plaintiff vs. Ina M. Gidley et al., Defendants

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Notice is hereby given that by virtue of an Order entered on March 25th, 1931, in the District Court of Cass County, Nebraska, in the foregoing entitled cause, I, the undersigned, C. A. Rawls, Referee, appointed by order of said Court, will, on the 4th day of May, 1931, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the south door of the court house, in Plattsmouth, Cass County, Nebraska, offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash, the following described real estate:

Lots one (1) and two (2), Block ten (10), in Carter's Addition to Wagon Water, Cass County, Nebraska.

Said offer of sale will remain open for bids for one hour.

Date: March 26th, 1931.

C. A. RAWLS, Referee. J. M. LEYDA, Attorney.

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION

In the County Court of Cass County, Nebraska.

In the matter of the estate of Fred G. Coryell, 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 deceased died leaving no last will and testament and praying for administration upon her 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 8th day of May, A. D. 1931, and that if they fail to appear at said Court on said 8th day of May, A. D. 1931, at ten o'clock a. m., to contest the said petition, the Court may grant the same and grant administration of said estate to Laura Coryell or some other suitable person and proceed to a settlement thereof.

A. H. DUXBURY, County Judge. (Seal) a13-3w

LEGAL NOTICE

In the District Court of Cass County, Nebraska

Daniel G. Golding, Plaintiff vs. Cornelius Mahoney et al., Defendants

To the defendants: Cornelius Mahoney and wife Mary Mahoney; the heirs, devisees, legatees, personal representatives and all other persons having an interest in the estate of Cornelius Mahoney, deceased, real names unknown; John Doe, real name unknown, and wife Mary Doe, real name unknown, and all persons having or claiming an interest in Lot 3, in Block 50, in the City of Plattsmouth, Nebraska, real names unknown.

You are hereby notified that on the 20th day of February, 1931, the plaintiff filed his suit in the District Court of Cass County, Nebraska, the object and purpose of which is to foreclose lien of a tax sale certificate on Lot 3, in Block 50, in the City of Plattsmouth, Cass County, Nebraska, and equitable relief.

You are hereby required to answer said petition on or before Monday, May 11, 1931, and failing so to do, your default will be entered and judgment taken upon plaintiff's petition. This notice is given pursuant to an order of this Court.

DANIEL G. GOLDING, Plaintiff.
By A. L. TIDD, His Attorney. m30-4w

LEGAL NOTICE

In the District Court of Cass County, Nebraska

Daniel G. Golding, Plaintiff vs. Mrs. B. R. Gwinn, real name unknown, et al., Defendants

To the defendants: Mrs. B. R. Gwinn, real name unknown; Mrs. B. R. Gwinn, real name unknown; the heirs, devisees, legatees, personal representatives and all other persons having an interest in the estate of Mrs. B. Gwinn, deceased, real name unknown, real names unknown; John Doe, real name unknown, and wife Mary Doe, real name unknown, and all persons having or claiming an interest in the east half of Lot 10, Block 15, in the Village of Elmwood, Nebraska, real names unknown.

You are hereby notified that on the 20th day of February, 1931, the plaintiff filed his petition in the District Court of Cass County, Nebraska, the object and purpose of which is to foreclose lien of a tax sale certificate on the east half of Lot 10, Block 15, in the Village of Elmwood, Cass County, Nebraska, and for equitable relief.

You are hereby required to answer said petition on or before Monday, May 11, 1931, and failing so to do, your default will be entered and judgment taken upon plaintiff's petition. This notice is given pursuant to an order of this Court.

DANIEL G. GOLDING, Plaintiff.
By A. L. TIDD, His Attorney. m30-4w

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AN IMPROVED
135-Acre Sarpy County Farm Sale
AT AUCTION!
Sale will be held in Springfield Opera House at 2:00 P. M.
Saturday, April 25, 1931

This farm is located 2 miles south and 4 miles west of Springfield and about 20 miles southwest of South Omaha and is legally described as: The north part of the NW 1/4 of Sec. 5, Twp. 12, Range 12, in Sarpy county, Nebraska.

The improvements are adequate and in good condition. The soil is a rich Marshall silt loam with clay subsoil. A good producing farm. 125 acres in cultivation, balance in pasture. The land lies level to rolling. A good farm well located in a fine community.

Positively sells to the highest bidder on easy terms. Inspect it before the sale, then come prepared to buy.

For Further Information Write the Sales Agents or Auctioneers
Julia H. and Wm. Lorsch
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