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LORD STRENGTHENED PAUL

The Lord stood with me and strengthened me; that by me the preaching might be fully known; and I was delivered out of the mouth of the lion.—II Timothy iv, 17.

A man bigger than you is never a liar. He is mistaken.

The hand that wields the hipstick seldom wields the broomstick.

With all the style changes, chips continue to be worn on the shoulders.

If you laugh too much your friends will think you are a bootlegger or a coal dealer.

Perhaps a man smiles when a girl pats him on the head because that is his funny bone.

"Where do liars go?" asks a preacher. Perhaps where they are often told to go.

The measles microbe has been discovered and will be found. It brot this all on itself.

Married men are the best liars. There is no excuse for a bachelor being a good liar.

The fact that we have bootleggers is proof that they don't drink the kind of stuff they sell.

The nice thing about being a farmer is you never have to leave home to go to the country.

It is only natural that politics makes strange bedfellows. Politics makes strange fellows.

While tools 2,200 old have been found in Rome they were not left there by some plumber.

Cops stopped a dance in Kansas City because the girls from Missouri showed them too much.

The great handicap about being a grand opera singer is getting bofa in some foreign country.

Eighteen are bidding for old warships. Let's hope they don't hammer them in to cafe steaks.

Other improvements are noticed. The derby hat is passing. Old ones will make nice flower pots.

"Where are we going?" is Lloyd George's new book. Well, we are going to get cold this winter.

How can Germany pay? The idea is foolish. She needs all her money to start internal trouble.

While a French aviatrix looped the loop 98 straight times we'll bet she couldn't thread a needle once.

Movie stars are going to the speaking stage. That is too bad. Many will have to learn to speak English.

A writer says divorce comes from ignorance. Sometimes, however, it is living proof of the theory that a little knowledge is a dangerous thing.

A college professor declares that the inert mass of human-kind will always defeat the efforts of the comparatively few "intellectuals," so the old world seems pretty safe after all.

There is a well-defined movement throughout the east to print all menus in English. After that reform, the only thing remaining on the card that you don't understand will be the prices.

Some Americans are very proud we own the Philippines. They point out that we have big trade advantages and possibilities in these islands. Ta Chen, able writer, finds there are 5,000 Chinese merchants in the Philippines and they control four-fifths of the commerce over there. They really own the Philippines. We just think we do.

Israel Zangwill lays the American stage because it carries no message, teaches no moral. On the law of averages, yes. But that's because our stage mirrors American life—which in many ways is a frantic, nervous rush without any destination. We think we are speeded up. So does the squirrel in the revolving cage, running in circles.

A THOUGHT FOR TODAY

An honest employed does not want a man around who is not square.

Turkeys have become a republic. All it reminds us of is Thanksgiving turkeys are democratic.

Our oil output is increasing. And since school opened the castor oil intake has increased.

A Chicago barber attacked a man with a spade. Wash your head before getting a hair cut.

Things are quite lively in Boston. A man was arrested there for claiming a razor head four aces.

Many sealskin coats are being sold for winter. Many of these coats were once worn by rabbits.

Our country is planning a foreign policy. We suggest honesty. Honesty is the best known policy.

A Georgia farmer who wondered if robbers would get \$600 out of his coffee pot found they would.

The trouble with electing the wrong man to office is you can't get your money back if not satisfied.

An Idaho man wants a divorce because his wife would cook nothing but eggs. She just egged him on.

With the persimmons becoming mellow and palatable, one may easily forget the alleged shortage of bananas.

We hope that the Legion boys will be well paid for their trouble; and that they will have a large attendance each evening.

Just because she tired of fussing with him a negress took a shotgun and blew her husband's head off. Well, that's one way of stopping a fuss.

Russia, we are told, sees a new war. In view of all that Russia has been seeing in the last few years, the sight of a new war must be a wholesome change.

There are a lot of people getting out of paying federal taxes by investing in tax free bonds; but that simply makes the other people pay the taxes; the government must have the money or it cannot go on.

The news dispatches from Germany indicate that so many kings are hanging around there with their lightning rods up that it ought to be easy for a good poker player to fill most any kind of hand over the Rhine.

There is nothing wrong with the proposition to place the burden of keeping our highways upon those who abuse them most. Ever since the monkey used the cat's paw to rake the chestnuts out of the fire people have followed his example.

And now comes a British lecturer who solemnly tells us that Cleopatra was not a vamp; that she was not even a woman of radiant beauty, had none of the tricks and wiles of a flirt, but, to the contrary, was a nice little home woman, the mother of several children, including twins. Somebody is always destroying our most cherished delusions.

Did you know that this year's crop of apples was the biggest our country ever had? The total? About two bushels for every man, woman and child. Here is over production if there ever was any such thing. If a student of economics, don't neglect to price apples. You'll learn something about the law of supply and demand—supply little, demand much.

A newspaper in Duesseldorf says Hugo Stinnes is organizing a company "to compete with Standard Oil." Its capital is to be twenty million dollars, a sum that would affect Standard Oil about as much as a paper would rock a grizzly bear. A great business man, a genius, is Hugo Stinnes. But there are a few men in these United States that can show him a trick or two.

TARIFF HITS FARMER

In order to save the farmer, republican propagandists are now quoting statistics to prove to him that his dollar is worth more than the wage worker's and that the prices of his products are greater than they were in 1913.

It appears, however, that neither the farmer's nor the wage worker's dollar is worth 100 cents as it formerly was. According to these statistics—which the propagandists are careful to describe as "official"—the farmer is trying to pay his debts and buy his necessities with a dollar that has a purchasing power of only 75 cents expressed in agricultural products with 1913. The wage worker's dollar is worth about the same as the farmer's.

The fact is that when the farmer's dollar is used to buy commodities other than agricultural products—his own crops and produce of one kind and another—its value is not above 70 cents. This is true largely because the excessive tariff on all kinds of manufactures—clothing, furniture, carpets, rugs, hardware, chemicals, drugs, building materials, and the like—is being collected from consumers of these goods, whereas the duties on purely agricultural products in the raw state cannot be added by their producers to selling prices.

Between 1913 and 1920—years of democratic control of the federal government—the purchasing power of the farmer's dollar was only twice below 100 cents. In 1916 it fell to 97 cents and in 1920 to 96 cents. In 1913 it was 100 cents; in 1914, 105 cents; in 1915, 103; in 1917, 107 cents; in 1918, 112 cents; in 1919, 112 cents. For the whole eight years of the Wilson administrations the average purchasing power of the farmer's dollar averaged 104 cents.

The value of the farmer's dollar was put at 89 cents in 1922. Meanwhile the Fordney-McCumber profiteers' tariff has been operative and the purchasing power of the farmer's dollar has dropped still lower, according to the department of agriculture.

RIDING IN THE PULLMAN

How much are the American people willing to pay for the added comfort of traveling in Pullman cars? We are not able to answer the question in dollars, but the sum would doubtless be impressive. The Pullman company has just given out some statistics as to the use of its cars which certainly suggest that comfort in riding is not one of the sacrifices which the American traveler readily makes in the interest of economy.

The daily averages of Pullman cars in service, during the year 1923 was 5,634. Each car in service averaged something over 400 miles per day, the total number of car miles for the year being 852,000,000. The average daily number of passengers riding in Pullman cars throughout the United States in 1922 was 90,000, in round numbers. By multiplying this number by the number of days in the year, the compiler of the statistics, as quoted in the New York Times, reached the conclusion that in 1922, almost one out of every three men, women and children in the United States made use of the Pullman service. This would be literally true, however, only if each individual Pullman passenger made but one trip in the year, and confined that trip within the limits of a single day. The actual number of individuals using the Pullman service was of course only a small part of one-third of the population.

The total number of "passenger-miles" traveled during the year is given as 12,500,000, which may be made a little more comprehensible to the ordinary mind by representing it as the equivalent of an army of 100,000 men going five times around the earth at the equator. George M. Pullman doubtless thought he had a good thing, when he devised the Pullman car, but he could hardly have imagined the proportions to which its use would grow.

TIMES AHEAD

The business outlook is good, according to Jesse L. Livermore, known in Wall street as the largest individual stock market operator. Livermore says:

"During the past few years the people of our country have become accustomed to living on a higher standard than heretofore, and they are not going to be satisfied to live any other way in the future. The money they spend must necessarily mean a larger purchasing power, and is bound to keep business at a good volume."

Livermore is right. Thrift—the savings instinct—is a fine thing. But spending makes prosperity. For instance, people have become accustomed to buying autos. This buying makes jobs for the army of people engaged in manufacturing the cars.

In turn, these car makers spend the money they receive, thus keeping busy the employes in other industries. The more we spend for legitimate purposes of production, the more jobs there are—and the more prosperity to be divided among all of us.

Common sense, of course, shows us that when a man makes more and spends more, he also should save more.

We can't have luxuries and necessities unless we create them. It's plain that we have to produce more if we want to have more. Larger production is the price of a higher standard of living. And the standard of living is flexible—it moves up and down, accordingly as we produce more commodities or not.

Humanity can't consume more than it produces. The ravens don't bring manna in our generation.

HOME FOR SALE

Good home for sale cheap in Weeping Water with 3 lots, garage and other buildings, good shade trees. Cash or terms, 6 per cent interest. Write A. F. Floetz, Whitewood, S. D.

SHERIFF'S SALE

State of Nebraska, County of Cass, ss. By virtue of an Order of Sale issued by James M. Robertson, Clerk of the District Court within and for Cass county, Nebraska, and to me directed, I will on the 26th day of November, A. D. 1923, at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day at the south door of the court house, in Plattsmouth, in said county, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash the following property, to-wit:

Lots 9 and 10, in Block 61, in the City of Plattsmouth, Cass county, Nebraska.

The same being levied upon and taken as the property of Frank Foreman, Swenson Brothers Company, Edwards Manufacturing Company, a corporation, Greene's Ice Cream Factory, defendants, to satisfy a judgment of said court recovered by Byron J. Buckley, plaintiff against said defendants.

Plattsmouth, Nebraska, October 24, A. D. 1923.

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

A. L. TIDD, Atty for Plaintiff.

LEGAL NOTICE

In the District Court of Cass county, Nebraska. Hattie M. Reed, plaintiff, vs. Reps Reed, defendant.

You are hereby notified that on the 19th day of February, A. D. 1923, your wife, Hattie M. Reed, filed a petition in the District Court of Cass county, Nebraska, the object and prayer of which are to obtain from you an absolute divorce and for such other, further and different relief as the Court in equity may deem her entitled to on the ground of abandonment.

You must answer said petition on or before the 24th day of December, A. D. 1923, or the allegations in said petition will be taken as true and default entered against you according to law.

HATTIE M. REED, Plaintiff.

By A. G. COLE, Her Attorney. n12-4w

NOTICE OF SALE

In the District Court of Cass county, Nebraska.

In the matter of the guardianship of Dorothy Elizabeth Trent, Minor.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an order of James T. Beeson, Judge of the District Court of Cass county, Nebraska, made on the 20th day of October, A. D. 1923, 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 26th day of November, A. D. 1923 at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, an undivided three-eighths part of the following described real estate, to-wit:

Commencing at a point 52 rods west of the northeast corner of the Northwest quarter of Section twenty-three, (23) in Township eleven (11) North, Range thirteen (13) east of the Sixth Principal Meridian in Cass county, Nebraska, running thence south one hundred sixteen rods, thence west to the east boundary line of the right of way of the Omaha and Southern Railway company, thence northeasterly along the east boundary line of said right of way to the north line of said Section twenty-three, thence east to the place of beginning, also known as Tax Lots 4, 22, 28 in the Northeast quarter of the Northwest quarter, and Tax Lot 27 in the Northwest quarter of the Northwest quarter, and Tax Lot 29 in the Southeast quarter of the Northwest quarter of said Section, Township and Range.

Said sale will remain open for one hour.

CHARLES A. TRENT, Guardian

C. A. RAWLS, Attorney. n5-3w

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The State of Nebraska, Cass county, ss.

In the County Court.

In the matter of the estate of Glenn R. Aetelson, 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 December, 1923, and on the 1st day of March, 1924, 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 1st day of December, A. D. 1923, and the time limited for payment of debts is one year from said 1st day of December, 1923.

Witness my hand and the seal of said County Court, this 29th day of October, 1923.

ALLEN J. BEESON, County Judge. (Seal) n1-4w

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The State of Nebraska, Cass county, ss.

In the County Court.

In the matter of the estate of Anton Nitka, 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 November, A. D. 1923, and on the 20th day of February, A. D. 1924, at 10 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 20th day of November, A. D. 1923, and the time limited for payment of debts is one year from said 20th day of November, 1923.

Witness my hand and the seal of said County Court, this 17th day of October, 1923.

ALLEN J. BEESON, County Judge. (Seal) o22-4w

HOME FOR SALE

Good home for sale cheap in Weeping Water with 3 lots, garage and other buildings, good shade trees. Cash or terms, 6 per cent interest. Write A. F. Floetz, Whitewood, S. D.

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In the County Court.

In the matter of the estate of William F. Krecklow, 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 December, 1923, and the 1st day of March, 1924, at 10 o'clock a. m., 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 December, A. D. 1923, and the time limited for payment of debts is one year from said 31st day of October, 1923.

Witness my hand and the seal of said County Court, this 31st day of October, 1923.

ALLEN J. BEESON, County Judge. (Seal) n5-4w

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The State of Nebraska, Cass county, ss.

In the County Court.

In the matter of the estate of Fred P. Hesse, 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 November 17th, 1923, and February 25th, 1924, at 10 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 24th day of November, A. D. 1923, and the time limited for payment of debts is one year from said 24th day of November, 1923.

Witness my hand and the seal of said County Court, this 22nd day of October, 1923.

ALLEN J. BEESON, County Judge. (Seal) o25-4w

LEGAL NOTICE

In the District Court of Cass county, Nebraska.

David Z. Mummert, plaintiff, vs. Anna Bronko; Lucius J. Buckley and wife, Mrs. Lucius J. Buckley, real name unknown; the heirs, devisees, legatees, personal representatives and all other persons interested in the respective estates of Lucius J. Buckley, deceased, and Mrs. Lucius J. Buckley, deceased, real names unknown, et al, defendants.

To the defendants Lucius J. Buckley and wife, Mrs. Lucius J. Buckley, real name unknown; the heirs, devisees, legatees, personal representatives and all other persons interested in the respective estates of Lucius J. Buckley, deceased, and Mrs. Lucius J. Buckley, deceased, real names unknown:

You and each of you are hereby notified that on the 1st day of November, 1923, the plaintiff filed his suit in the District Court of Cass county, Nebraska, the object and prayer of which is to foreclose a certain tax sale certificate, and subsequent taxes paid thereunder, owned and held by him on Lots 10, 11 and 12, in Block 1, in Stadelmann's Addition to the City of Plattsmouth, in Cass county, Nebraska, and for equitable relief. This notice is given pursuant to an order of said Court.

You are required to answer said petition on or before Monday, the 3rd day of December, 1923, or your default will be entered and judgment taken upon plaintiff's petition against you, and each of you.

DAVID Z. MUMMERT, Plaintiff.

By A. L. TIDD, His Attorney. o22-4w

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The State of Nebraska, Cass county, ss.

In the County Court.

In the matter of the estate of Mary Forsyth Wall, 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 December, A. D. 1923, and on the 5th day of March, A. D. 1924, at ten o'clock in the forenoon 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 December, A. D. 1923, and the time limited for payment of debts is one year from said 1st day of December, A. D. 1923.

Witness my hand and the seal of said County Court, this 2nd day of November, A. D. 1923.

ALLEN J. BEESON, County Judge. (Seal)

A. G. COLE, Atty. n5-4w

LEGAL NOTICE

In the District Court of Cass county, Nebraska.

Don C. York, Plaintiff, vs. Sophia N. Douglas et al, Defendants.

To the defendants Sophia N. Douglas; Charles Hendrie; S. N. Merriam; J. M. Dewis; J. N. Dewis; L. G. Gelfers; I. A. Bradrick; Isaiah Bradrick; Isaiah A. Bradrick; Isaiah Toy; Elizabeth Toy; Rebecca Toy; Anna Julia Toy; Abigail K. Toy; Ellen Jane Toy and I. B. Rankin; the heirs, devisees, legatees, personal representatives and all other persons interested in the respective estates of the above named persons, if deceased, real names unknown, and all persons having or claiming any interest in Lots 5 and 6, in Block 59, in the City of Plattsmouth, in Cass county, Nebraska, real names unknown:

You and each of you are hereby notified that on the 27th day of October, 1923, the plaintiff filed his suit in the District Court of Cass county, Nebraska, the object and prayer of which is to establish and quiet and confirm plaintiff's title in and to Lots 5 and 6, in Block 59, in the City of Plattsmouth, Cass county, Nebraska, and to enjoin each and all of you from having or claiming for you any right, title, estate, lien or interest, either legal or equitable in or to said real estate, or any part thereof, and to enjoin you and each of you from in any manner interfering with plaintiff's possession, and enjoyment of said premises, and for equitable relief. This notice is given pursuant to an order of said Court.

You are hereby required to answer said petition on or before Monday, the 10th day of December, 1923, and failing so to do, your default will be entered therein, and judgment taken upon the plaintiff's petition.

DON C. YORK, Plaintiff.