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The best depression joke will be the last.

Those who are trailing 'em are authority for the fact that a dollar goes farther nowadays.

It seems that Europe can't give the United States anything but love, so it won't give anything.

If there is anyone who thinks he is not living in the land of promise, let him ask a bill collector.

Anyway, if we take all these optimistic predictions with a grain of salt, it will help the salt business.

A snail, fastened to a card three years ago in a glass case in a London museum, awoke recently and started to explore his surroundings. This would seem to indicate that nothing remains static forever, not even business interests of the snail type.

The conventions will be held in Chicago, a city that knows how to choose leaders by elimination.

World diplomats seeking a plan to prevent fighting might be able to get some good ideas from Max Schmeling's manager.

What puzzles us is the psychological side of New York City policeman who can't remember where he got \$150,000 never forgets where he put it.

Add short cuts to history, as devised by a high school boy: Alexander Hamilton was the greatest secretary of the treasury before Andrew Mellon.

They tell us that adapting ourselves to the depression is merely doing without what our grandparents never had. Well, one of the things they never had was a depression like this one.

Franklin Roosevelt is now reported as being for the dote. It will be news when somebody finds something which Mr. Roosevelt is against, between now and June.

The Japanese are said to be a decidedly successful imitative people, and what's more, we believe we have a very definite idea about whom they're imitating, too.

A noted financial expert says the people of this country will not tamper with the gold dollar. On the principle, no doubt, that you can hit 'em if you can't see 'em.

The scientists now announce that the world will last a trillion years instead of fifteen billion as previously estimated. There's plenty of cheering news in the papers if you only look for it.

For its world's fair next year Chicago is going to erect a replica of Hamlet's castle at Elsinore. The scheme is warmly backed by the unpaid school teachers, who hope the ghost will walk there.

Hollywood reports the suicide of a man "in his modest Hollywood apartment." This is the first time we ever heard of a modest Hollywood apartment, and may furnish a clue to the reasons for the suicide.

FLAMING HOOVER

Has any democratically elected statesman ever been as unpopular as Mr. Hoover? A friend of mine who pays frequent visits to the United States writes to me from New York that Hoover's name is now universally linked with the depression and that a common form of New Year's greeting is to turn out an empty pocket. It is called the "Hoover salute." "Two more years of Hoover and Gandhi will be the best dressed man in the world" is another popular saying. The Hoover-Mellon story has already come to England, but not in its correct form. The original version is: Hoover and Mellon walking in Washington.

H. H.: "Lend me a nickel, Andy; I want to call up a friend."
Mellon: "I'll lend you two nickels, and then you can call up all your 'friends.'" "Write" in New Statesman and Nation, London.

THE MINUTEMEN FIRE AGAIN

The embattled farmers of Concord and Lexington have again fired a shot, and if it is not heard around the world it may at least be heard in Washington. If so, it will be heard there with amazement and with what other mixed feelings of joy and terror will depend on the attitude of statesmen toward the threat or hope of states' rights as they may respectively see it.

But there can be no doubt about Washington's amazement, for Concord and Lexington have called out their minutemen to repel a federal appropriation proposed by Senator Walsh of Massachusetts to take over the towns' two battlegrounds and maintain them as national memorials of the War of the Revolution. So far as available records show, this is the first time a federal appropriation has been repelled by any American community, and it may be the momentous occasion marks the beginning of a new revolution for the return of the government of the states to the people thereof. In the confusion attending the opening war of this magnitude, dispatches are necessarily brief and obscure, but as nearly as we can make out, Concord and Lexington take the position that their battlegrounds are Massachusetts battlegrounds and that the federal government, which did not fight the Redcoats at the North Bridge or on Lexington Common, and indeed did not exist at that time, has nothing to do with them.

The position strikes us as sound and well calculated to make congress pause in its reckless course of showering down federal money on sovereign states even when they have their hands outstretched for it. The rude arch that spans the flood at Concord and the Common at Lexington are not national. When Paul Revere set out from Boston on his midnight ride he had not heard of the United States, and when the minutemen of Concord and Lexington sprang to their arms the only government they had heard about that was in any sense American was the government of the selectmen of their respective towns. Nor did congress furnish the arms to which they sprang.

Senator Walsh, being a Democrat, probably never has heard of the doctrine of States' rights and local self-government. But he is from Massachusetts and should have heard, we should think, of the war that Massachusetts conducted against George III for more than a year before the rest of the colonies decided to take a hand in it. He should look these matters up before proposing to congress that it nationalize the battlegrounds of that Massachusetts War. Meanwhile the minutemen of Concord and Lexington are lining the fences, finger on trigger, waiting for congress to show up down the road bringing that federal appropriation.

"AT TAIL OF FRENCH CART"

Diplomats with whom I talked in Vienna told me with the greatest freedom that the events of the last few months had detached their country from Germany and had put her, however reluctantly, at the tail of the French cart. They considered the Austro-German customs union, of course, completely dead, and the Anschluss—the union with Germany—postponed for at least a generation.

"What can we do?" they asked, and then repeated, in striking fashion, what I had heard in Berlin.

"France has all the power, and intends to use it solely for her own aggrandizement. Germany is at last defeated and hopeless. For years, she has been counting on aid from Great Britain or the United States, hoping that these countries would intervene and compel France to be reasonable. England and America have not the power, even if they had the will to help. We must take from France such terms as we can get. If they are hard terms, so much the worse for us."

When I suggested, perhaps with American optimism, that with the next election France may move to the left, and the new government may of its own accord take a more reasonable position, they shook their heads sadly and smiled.

We have been here in Central Europe for a long time, they said in effect, but we have yet to see any government, whatever its supposed political theories, which acts other than in accordance with realpolitik. A French government of the left which tried to be really friendly to Germany and Austria would find itself promptly thrown out.—Bruce Bliven in the New Republic.

How does one go about getting the federal reconstruction corporation to help him get some new piston rings for a motor that is rapidly becoming a frozen asset?

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Sunday, February 21st.
10:30 English service. The semi-annual congregational meeting will be held in connection with this service.

Women will have all the national wealth by the year 2035, says a banker. They must be saving their alimony.

PUBLIC AUCTION

I will offer for sale on the Charles Peacock farm, 7 miles west of Plattsmouth, 7 miles east of Louisville, and 4 miles south of Cullom, Nebraska, on the Plattsmouth-Louisville road, on

Thursday, Feb. 25 beginning at 10:00 o'clock a. m., with lunch served by the Woman's Club at noon, the following described property:

- Horses and Cattle**
One black mare, smooth mouth, wt. 1600 lbs.; one black mare, 10 years old, wt. 1400 lbs.; one black mare, 9 years old, wt. 1400 lbs.
One milk cow, fresh soon; three heifers; 2 Guernseys, fresh, and one black heifer.
- Stock Hogs**
Sixteen head of stock hogs.
- Farm Machinery**
Two grain wagons; one rack and wagon; one 7-foot Deering binder; one Deering corn binder; one single row lister; one Case corn planter, with 80 rods of wire; one 18-foot disc harrow; one tandem disc; two 16-in. walking plows; one Sateley New Departure cultivator; one New Century cultivator; one Jennie Lind cultivator; one Rotary Hoe; one Stover feed grinder; one 1-horse Van Brunt drill, with grass seed attachment; one broadcast seeder, with grass seed attachment; one 3-h. p. gas engine; one pump jack; two corn driers; one bob sled; two mowing machines; one hay rake; one barrell spray; one Galloway manure spreader; one 1-hole corn sheller; one forger; one 100-lb. anvil; one post drill; four feed bunks; one new 18-ft. Case harrow; one 2-row lister; one Rock Island gang plow, 12-in.; one gang plow; two sets 1 1/2-in. work harness, and many other articles too numerous to mention.

Terms of Sale
All sums of \$25.00 and under, cash in hand. If credit is desired, all sums over \$25.00, make arrangements with the clerk of sale. All property to be settled for on date of sale.

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PLATTSMOUTH STATE BANK, Clerk

A Late Valentine For You

If you are as short of money as we are long on suits, it will be to your advantage to stop in and inspect these especially good bargains in suits.

If you need a suit—it will be hard for you to pass these, for we've cut the livin' day lights from the prices.

Philip Thieroff

Dance at CEDAR CREEK

Saturday Night

February 20th
Given by the Rinky-Dink Dancing Club

'Chuck' Howard's Murray Orchestra

OLD AND POPULAR MUSIC
Everybody Invited

Senator Fess began a speech the other day by saying, "Lady and Gentleman." But, according to the Associated Press, Mrs. Caraway, who was reading, took no notice. Why is it people are nearly always busy reading when Senator Fess speaks?

FOR SALE

Red clover seed, \$8 bu., two for \$15.—Walter Engelkemier, Murray, 115-2tw

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

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

In the matter of the estate of Robert Willis, 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 11th day of March, A. D. 1932, and on the 13th day of June, A. D. 1932, 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 11th day of March, A. D. 1932, and the time limited for payment of debts is one year from said 11th day of March, 1932.

Witness my hand and the seal of said County Court this 8th day of February, 1932.

A. H. DUXBURY, County Judge.

LEGAL NOTICE

To Alexander M. Clayman, Alex M. Clayman, George Snyder, William Statler, William Stotter, and all persons claiming any interest in or to the south half (S 1/2) of the southeast quarter (SE 1/4) of Section 19, in Township 16, North of Range 14, East of the 6th P. M. in Cass county, Nebraska, real names unknown, Defendants:

Notice is hereby given that Annie R. Heafey, as plaintiff, has filed in the District Court of Cass county, Nebraska, her petition against you as defendants, praying for the decree of said court barring and excluding each and all of you from having or claiming any right, title, interest or lien in or to said described real estate, and quieting the title thereto in plaintiff in fee simple.

You may answer said petition in said court at Plattsmouth, Nebraska, on or before March 28, 1932.

ANNIE R. HEAFEY, Plaintiff.

By WM. H. PITZER, Attorney.

NOTICE OF HEARING on Petition for Determination of Heirship

Estate of Marion S. F. Wiley, deceased, in the County Court of Cass County, Nebraska.

The State of Nebraska, To all persons interested in said estate, creditors and heirs take notice, that Josephine Timblin, has filed her petition alleging that Marion S. F. Wiley died intestate in Alaska on or about the year 1921, being a resident and inhabitant of Alaska and died seised of the following described real estate, to-wit:

An undivided one-thirteenth (1/13) part of Lot seven (7) in the southeast quarter of northwest quarter (SE 1/4) of NW 1/4; northeast quarter of southwest quarter (NE 1/4) of SW 1/4; Lots three (3) and thirteen (13) in the northwest quarter of northeast quarter (SW 1/4) SE 1/4; and Lots four and eight in the southwest quarter of northeast quarter (SW 1/4) NE 1/4; all in Section nineteen (19); Township eleven (11), N. Range fourteen (14), east of the 6th P. M., in Cass County, Nebraska;

leaving as his sole and only heirs at law the following named persons, to-wit:

Josephine Timblin, Lizzie L. Jenkins, Sarah F. Smith, William G. Wiley, Rosabel N. Hesse, Charlie E. Wiley, Addie E. Park, Annette N. Ellington, Warran M. Wiley, James C. Wiley, George E. Wiley, brothers and sisters; and Helen R. Read, Rose K. Smith and Malvera W. Read, children of a deceased sister.

That the interest of the petitioner herein in the above described real estate is that of an heir and praying for a determination of the time of the death of said Marion S. F. Wiley and of his heirs, the degree of kinship and the right of descent of the real property belonging to the said deceased, in the State of Nebraska.

It is ordered that the same stand for hearing the 20th day of February, A. D. 1932, before the court at ten o'clock a. m. in the Court House in Plattsmouth, Cass County, Nebraska.

Dated at Plattsmouth, Nebraska, this 30th day of January, A. D. 1932.

A. H. DUXBURY, County Judge.

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 5th day of March, A. D. 1932, at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day at the south front door of the court house in said county, sell at public action to the highest bidder for cash the following real estate, to-wit:

Lot one (1) in Block sixty (60) in the City of Plattsmouth, Cass county, Nebraska—

The same being levied upon and taken as the property of Doris Morgan et al, Defendants, to satisfy a judgment of said Court recovered by The Plattsmouth Loan and Building Association, a Corporation, Plaintiff against said defendants.

Plattsmouth, Nebraska, February 2, A. D. 1932.

ED W. THIMGAN, Sheriff of Cass County, Nebraska.

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION

In the County Court of Cass county, Nebraska.

In the matter of the estate of William G. Rauth, 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 his 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 4th day of March, A. D. 1932, and that if they fall to appear at said court on said 4th day of March, A. D. 1932, at ten o'clock a. m. to contest the said petition, the Court may grant the same and grant administration of said estate to Theresa Rauth or some other suitable person and proceed to a settlement thereof.

A. H. DUXBURY, County Judge.

ORDER OF HEARING and Notice on Petition for Settlement of Account

In the County Court of Cass county, Nebraska.

To all persons interested in the estate of Emma C. Miller, deceased: On reading the petition of Frank A. Clodt, praying a final settlement and allowance of his account filed in this court on the 4th day of February, 1932, and for the assignment of the residue of said estate and his discharge as Administrator; and

It is hereby ordered that you, all persons interested in said matter may, and do, appear at the County Court to be held in and for said county, on the 4th day of March, A. D. 1932, at ten 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 February, A. D. 1932.

A. H. DUXBURY, County Judge.

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE

In the District Court of Cass county, Nebraska.

In the matter of the application of Peter Campbell, Administrator of the Estate of John Campbell, deceased, for License to Sell Real Estate.

Now on this 6th day of February, 1932, Peter Campbell, Administrator of the estate of John Campbell, deceased, having presented his petition under oath praying for license to sell the following described real estate of the said John Campbell, to-wit:

The northwest quarter of the northwest quarter of Section twenty (20), Township eleven (11), Range fourteen (14), in Cass county, Nebraska; and

Lots numbered twelve (12) and thirteen (13), in Block numbered four (4), in the Village of Murray, Cass county, Nebraska—

or a sufficient part thereof to bring the sum of Six Hundred Dollars (\$600), for the payments of debts filed against said estate, and for allowances, and costs of administration, for the reason that there is not a sufficient amount of personal property in the possession of said Peter Campbell, Administrator, belonging to said estate, to pay said debts, allowances, and costs.

It is therefore ordered that all persons interested in said estate appear before me at Chambers in the City of Plattsmouth, in said county, on the 24th day of March, 1932, at the hour of ten o'clock a. m., to show cause, if any there be, why a license should not be granted to said Peter Campbell, Administrator, to sell so much of the above described real estate of said decedent as shall be necessary to pay said debts and expenses. It is further ordered that a copy of this order be served upon all persons interested in said estate by causing the same to be published for four successive weeks in the Plattsmouth Journal, a semi-weekly newspaper printed and published in said County of Cass.

JAMES T. BEGLEY, Judge of the District Court of said County of Cass.

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Saturday, Feb. 20th
At 1:00 P. M. at the John Stander Farm

- These Horses consist of the Following:
- Bay team, 7 and 9 yrs, wt. 2900
 - Black team, 6 and 7 yrs, wt. 2600
 - Brown team, 8 and 9 yrs, wt. 2600
 - Black team, 7 and 8 yrs, wt. 2800
 - Black team, 6 and 7 yrs, wt. 2600
 - Black team, 4 and 9 yrs, wt. 2700
 - Gray team, 6 and 7 yrs, wt. 2800
 - One black horse, 7 yrs, wt. 1350
 - One sorrel mare, 7 yrs, wt. 1250
 - One bay horse, 6 yrs, wt. 1300
 - One black horse, 3 yrs, wt. 1200
 - One black horse, 8 yrs, wt. 1200
 - One black horse, 8 yrs, wt. 1250
 - One bay horse, smooth, wt. 1300

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One 12-foot hay rake, new; one 3-section harrow, new; one Letz 10-burr grinder; one Monarch 4-ton scale, extra good

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