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The stone bruise season is approaching, E. M. Lord of the Osborn Enterprise says.

Mr. Ripley finds that the Wood building in Detroit is built of brick, and the Springfield Leader says the Woodruff building in Springfield is built of smooth brick.

Chancellor Chase of New York university favors a state movie censorship, and Canon Chase is opposed. The question may have to be carried to the Chase National.

Statistics indicate that married folks in Hollywood have fewer quarrels than in any other part of the country. While it is true the divorce rate is very high, they always retain a very warm friendship for each other, observes M. A. F.

Since childhood days I have heard deacons and elders spoken of in more or less reverent terms. But one wonders just what constitutes these dignitaries' claim to fame. Is it a short cut to heaven or are they merely the boys that pass the money baskets at revival meetings?

Our calendar repeats itself every 400 years. And in each of these 400-year cycles, odd as it may seem, the thirteenth of the month comes on Friday more often than on any other day of the week.

One of Greta Garbo's press agents is greatly excited over his discovery that when Garbo was 15, she was in love with an actor. This is quite remarkable, like discovering that boys of 10 frequently fall in love with their school teachers.

It is said that the latest color for finger nails is black. What a boon for printers. The typesetters have been holding their hands under tables, chairs and sitting on them for years when in polite company. Now they can come into their own.

Men without coats or vests, girls with bare legs, everyone seemingly raking yards or stirring up the garden dirt, pussy willows almost ready to burst into leaf, the martins have arrived, dogs congregating in droves, bees buzzing around, birds building nests—it must be spring!

Bible School Lesson Study!

Sunday, April 15th By L. Neitzel, Murdock, Neb.

"Jesus Teaches Forgiveness"

One of the hardest things for a person to do is to ask forgiveness from a person he has wronged. Anything but that! Forgiveness is an eminent Christian virtue. Forgiveness, in reality, sums up our Lord's mission on earth. He came to offer the Father's forgiveness for all sin and by his atoning death to bring forgiveness within the range of divine and eternal justice.

Quarrels and misunderstandings will arise; but Jesus says get together and "talk it over." Do not hold a secret grudge. If this private conversation does not mend matters, don't give up, but take two or three brethren with you and talk it over. Maybe both sides are wrong. If the first and second plans fail, bring the matter before the church, some suitable committee, let their decision be final.

When discipline is thus sympathetically administered, the decision of the Christian brotherhood will receive the sanction of God, and will be bound in heaven. However, the church must seek guidance in prayer. "If two or three shall agree on earth touching anything, that they shall ask, it shall be done for them of my Father, who is in heaven." Here comes Peter with a question for Jesus to decide. He had been listening to this, for his mind is busy with the repeated offenses in particular against himself. (Perhaps Judas was jealous of the favors shown to the Galilean, who had been promised the revelation of his office, "I will give unto thee the keys of the kingdom," has been revenging himself upon his success behind the Master's back and Peter's patience is exhausted.) Alexander Findlay.

"Lord, how oft shall my brother sin against me and I forgive him? till seven times?"
"Seven times, said the rabbi, you must forgive the erring brother. Peter would willingly double that number, and thought himself very liberal and doubtless expected praise from the Master. But Peter was wrong. It showed how far he was from possessing the truly forgiving spirit.
"Four hundred and ninety times" and then forget to count—without number.

Here follows the parable of the unforgiving servant, one of the most forcible that Christ uttered. "The kingdom of heaven..." God's rule here on earth. This is not the final judgment. This is the time when men are aroused by preaching of the law, by setting our sins before our face, by awakening and alarming our conscience that was asleep, bringing us into adversity, by visiting us with sickness, into perils of death. Thus was David summoned before God by the word of Nathan the

prophet (II Sam. 12); thus the Ninivites by the preaching of Jonah (Jonah 3:4); thus the Jews by John the Baptist. These servants were the king's officers, rulers over provinces, tax-collectors and others that had money entrusted to them. The very first one was found "short" in his account. The enormous debt shows he must have carried this on a long time—a hundred million dollars.

"Ten thousand talents." St. Augustine thinks of the ten commandments and the breaking of each one a thousand times. This represents the sum of our sins against God. Man can never pay his debt to God—only Jesus can pay it—and has paid it.
"Neither by the blood of goats and calves, but by his own blood, he entered in once into the holy place, having obtained eternal redemption for us." (Heb. 9:12). "Jesus paid it all—all to him I owe; Sin had left a crimson stain, He washed it white as snow."

This servant begged not for forgiveness, but for time. Probably neither the king nor the servant expected payment of the great sum; still some religions seek to do it by penance, self-torture and charitable works. In his great compassion, the king orders his release and cancellation of the debt. That is God's way of doing with a penitent sinner. How some people expect to get rid of their sins and enter into fellowship with a holy God, without acknowledging and confessing them and receive the divine pardon, has never found a reasonable answer. Confession of faith won't do it, religious education cannot accomplish it. "What can wash my sins away?" Nothing but the blood of Jesus!

But this servant, whose debts were so generously forgiven, acted differently against his fellow-servant, who owed him a trifling sum of \$15—showing no compassion or mercy—a true type of men today.

The other servants who knew all about the matter, felt sorry for their fellow servant and brought the matter to the attention of the king, who in his indignation had the offender brought before him, gave him a severe reprimand and ordered him to be turned over to the tormentors—till he should pay all that was due—which would mean a never ending torment.

The sternest part of the teaching of Jesus in this matter is that in which he makes God's forgiveness of ourselves depend on our displaying a forgiving disposition toward those who sin against us.

How many can indeed pray, "And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors?" Now rehearse the story of the unforgiving servant. Do you find that the first line in this lesson is true?

Weeping Water

Miss Maxine Grubbs was poorly last Tuesday and had to take the day off from her school work.

Bill Johnson and wife and Pete Miller were over to Omaha last Sunday where they enjoyed a show for the evening.

Henry Lempeke and Bill Johnson have established a new paint shop and are looking for painting of any kind, knowing that they can please anyone.

Mrs. F. C. Wolfe, who has been here caring for her mother, Mrs. J. W. McGrady, who has been very ill, returned to her home the middle of last week.

Gust Kegley and Clarence R. Perigue were over to Omaha last Monday evening where they were looking after some business matters for a short time.

Ruth Fox and Clara Johnson have both accepted position with the C. Wally Johnson cafe, while Mrs. Esther Johnson is employed with the Art Johnson cafe and restaurant.

Operator J. W. McGrady who has been working for the Missouri Pacific at Howe for the past year has been transferred to an office of the company at West Side, Omaha.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. McCartney were guests for the day and dinner on last Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Schulke of Lincoln, they driving over Sunday in their car for the occasion.

The Lions Club of Weeping Water met on Friday of last week at the home of their fellow member, Harold Meyers where they enjoyed a splendid evening with a very fine program and a good supper.

Anton Auerwald and wife of Mantley where he is the village blacksmith, were visiting in Weeping Water on last Sunday and were while here guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Grubbs.

Mrs. George Olive who was at the hospital for some time returned home last Sunday. Mr. Olive going for the wife. She is showing some improvement, but it is feared she will have to return for further treatment.

J. J. Meier, the druggist and Chris Rasmussen, were over to Nehawka last Tuesday where they were in attendance at the funeral of the late David D. Adams of that place, and whose burial was at Johnson, Nebraska.

Mrs. Elmer Kintner has been in the hospital for some time where she underwent an operation and is showing good rallying power following the ordeal of a severe operation. The many friends are hoping she may soon be well and home again.

Mr. Joseph Habel of Manley and Miss Margaret Heebner of Weeping Water were among those who attended the Murray dance Saturday night.

Ole Olsen was a visitor in Plattsmouth on last Tuesday morning driving over to look after some business matters.

Mrs. G. S. Upton and L. R. Upton of Union, were in Weeping Water last Tuesday, coming to bring Mrs. Nancy Switzer who has been visiting in Union for the past ten days at the home of her sister, Mrs. G. S. Upton and who is coming to Weeping Water to visit for a week with her sister, Mrs. M. E. Thomas.

Ole Olsen will in a short time go to Plattsmouth where he will again reopen the stone quarry which he operated last fall and a good portion of the winter, and where he will meet with a good reception as the re-employment of the working people will be heralded with joy by the Plattsmouth business men, who are welcoming Mr. Olsen's return.

The Blazer Lumber company is supplying lumber for the construction of the service station and tourist camp south of Weeping Water on the O Street road and which is being constructed by Mr. J. F. George, where he will conduct a service station as well as a tourist camp which should be a good business enterprise, as there is no camp within many miles of Weeping Water.

Home From the South.
Mrs. Anna Hubbard and brother, Frank Hubbard and wife, the latter from Sargent, who have been spending the winter in Florida, arrived here on last Sunday and are pleased to be back in the good old town of Weeping Water. They were all visiting on last Tuesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Day.

Gets Large Contract.
The Cass County Stone Quarries with Mr. Olsen as the manager have recently signed a contract for the delivery via the Missouri Pacific road of 150 cars of stone to be used in the sugar refineries at Denver.

Teaching in the Country.
The normal training class of the Weeping Water high school are out for this week and next week teaching in the country schools, getting

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Brotherhood Has splendid Meet.

The Brotherhood of the Methodist church which consists of nearly a hundred men, all working for a better city and better condition of society and a better church attendance and co-operating in the best way possible in the work of the church, met on last Monday evening at the parlors of the church and were pleased with a concert, which was rendered by the Weeping Water orchestra under the direction of Dr. Kunkel and also enjoyed an excellent supper. On the departing of James Zook, their secretary, E. L. McCartney was elected to the position.

The Brotherhood arranged to participate in the May Musical festival which will be held on May 3, 4, 5 and 6. The initial number to be given by the Brotherhood, and to consist of a Father's and Son's banquet. At the last meeting there were over fifty present and all enjoyed two addresses, one by Troy L. Davis, mayor of Weeping Water and one by Martin Neilson.

Adding to Business Place.

The quality Cleaners, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Salsfelds, have been adding to the attractiveness and convenience of their place of business by improving the show window, building a lattice at the rear of the window, which makes the window appear as a garden with a bowl of flowers occupying the center, and also adding a coat of paint to the interior which makes the room very attractive.

The New Fire Truck.

Sure and a Model A car converted into a fire truck for the fire boys and nicely painted and decorated and furnished with fire fighting equipment is the pride of the fire fighters, and are they proud of the wagon? Sure they are.

Like Weeping Water.

All people who make their home in Weeping Water for any length of time are attracted by its natural beauty and the very fine location. Among the lovers of Weeping Water as a place in which to make a home for life is Herbert Ratnour, who now resides in the Ratnour home located north of the Methodist church which has stood there for over half a century. Mr. Herbert Ratnour, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Ed Ratnour, was born in this home on April 28, 1837, and has continuously resided there during his entire life of 47 years. He lived with the parents, then the parents with him and now he makes his home there and expects to make it his home for the remainder of his life. Well, Herb, you have selected a good place to spend your life and among many good people.

FINDS CHARGES UNFOUNDED

Des Moines.—A state investigating committee inquiring into treatment of patients at the state hospital for the insane at Clarinda, Ia., held that charges that Smith Lysinger, 28, of Lamoni, Ia., was mistreated at the hospital prior to his death March 27 were unfounded.

The committee which completed a two day hearing of the charges Wednesday recommended a number of changes in methods of handling and safeguarding the hospital's patients in its report to Governor Herring.

Lysinger, a grandson of the founder of the Mormon church, died one day after he was paroled from the hospital. The findings of the investigating committee reverse the verdict of a Decatur county coroner's jury that Lysinger died as the result of abuse by attendants and inmates acting as guards.

Bonnie Parker, woman companion of the gangster, Barrow, wants it understood she doesn't smoke cigars. Always a lady.

EXCISE TAX HITS SNAG

The proposed excise tax of 3 cents per pound on importations of foreign fats and oils is running afoul of the question of Philippine independence according to Prof. H. J. Gramlich of the college of agriculture. The Philippine independence bill, signed by the president, gives the islands the right to export annually 448 million pounds of coconut oil to the United States duty free, while the revenue bill, if passed, would place the islands in the same category as any other country exporting fats and oils to the United States.

"Senators and congressmen are highly in favor of Philippine independence," Gramlich asserted on his arrival in Lincoln after his second visit to Washington in the interests of the excise tax. "Administrative leaders are afraid, however, that the islands will refuse the offer of independence if not allowed a free market in this country for their coconut oil."

Two amendments, one calling for the exemption of inedible fats from the tax, and a second calling for an exemption of 529 million pounds of oil annually are both acceptable to American agricultural interests, Gramlich declared. He pointed out that the Philippines do not have to pay the present 2 cent tariff placed on importations of foreign fats and oils, and added that two-thirds of the coconut oil imported in this country comes from the islands.

"It is a case of the tropical farmer vs. the American farmer," Gramlich said, "and we feel that the American farmer is entitled to all the consideration."

HIT BY A ROCK AVALANCHE

West Point, N. Y.—Rattling down the face of Storm King mountain, an avalanche of rocks smashed three automobiles, killing two persons and injuring four others. A huge boulder struck the car driven by Otto Stedehimer of East Paterson, N. J., killing his wife and son, Otto, Jr., 8. Selthelmer and his daughter Geraldine, 13 months, were taken to a hospital suffering minor injuries. From the wreckage of another car were dragged Mr. and Mrs. Lambert Shackels of Brecklyn. They were taken to the county hospital at West Point where Shackels was found to have suffered a fractured skull. His wife was less seriously hurt.

Another boulder crashed into the rear seat of a third car, narrowly missing Dr. P. E. Tullman and Miss Agnes Wolf, both of Long Island. A wrecking crew worked hours to dislodge the 500 pound rock.

REVISE CODE OF CLEANERS

Iowa City, Ia.—I will not have my business taken away except by order of a United States district court judge," James E. Curl, proprietor of a cleaners' shop here, declared after his blue eagle had been ordered removed by Hugh S. Johnson. "Compliance with the NRA cleaners' code would force me into bankruptcy," Curl insisted. He claimed he paid his men twice the wages specified by the code and complied with the ruling on hours, but could not charge prices specified. "Running a cash business, I cannot expect to charge the same rate as my competitors do, who work on a credit basis," he maintained. Curl says he charges 65 cents for cleaning men's suits while the NRA rate here is 75 cents. He said he would continue the same scale unless court orders force a change.

NATIONAL INCOME IN GAIN

New York, April 6.—The national industrial conference board states that preliminary estimates for 1933 show wages and salaries paid to employees in all occupations amounted to 30,900 million dollars, or 77.5 percent of the total national income produced.

The amount available for labor, management and investment of owners of farms and other business enterprises, independent professional persons, recipients of royalties, rents and security owners, was 8,800 million dollars, the board estimated.

In 1932 wages and salaries paid to employees in all occupations amounted to 31,500 million dollars, or 82.4 per cent of the national income, while 6,800 million dollars was available for the other group.

MONEY CIRCULATION GAINS

Washington.—Money in circulation increased during March to \$42.70 for each of the 126,346,000 persons in the United States. This compared with a per capita average of \$42.40 in February and \$50.36 last March when hoarding was at a high level. Officials attributed the increase this March to greater business activity.

FIRST TEST FOR 'RADIO PEN'

New York.—The "radio pen," a device based on the principal of facsimile air transmission of the printed written or pictured word, was given its first demonstration outside of the laboratory, John V. L. Hogan, New York radio engineer, and his assistants, developed the apparatus. Operating at a speed of approximately forty words per minute, the "radio pen" was housed in a metal cabinet about the size of a typewriter. It turned out comic pictures, a bridge problem, an outline drawing for children to paint, and then in accompaniment to a sound broadcast it was used to illustrate a children's story and to send a road map for a voice description of a motor tour.

NEW PLAN DEBT SETTLING

Washington.—Citing reports that England, France and Germany are combining to avoid paying their war debts to the United States, Senator Lewis, Illinois, suggested in the senate all debtor countries be allowed to meet the obligations with bonds payable in the future and with no interest the first two years. The interest, Lewis said, would be suspended for a longer time to be agreed upon between the United States and the debtor, depending on conditions as then existing. "The United States," he said, "could then distribute these bonds to its own people who are willing to forego interest for the present and take the credit of these foreign nations on the bonds payable in the future."

FOUND DEAD IN HOTEL ROOM

Los Angeles.—Pearl Kemp, 23, a dressmaker, was found dead in her room at a hotel under circumstances which police said indicated she may have been slain. The body, clad only in a kimono, shoes and stockings, was found lying on the floor so the face was but a few inches from an open gas jet. Detectives said bed clothing covered the body, but on the bed was a blood smeared pillow case. Examination at the coroner's office disclosed the young woman's left eye was black, with bruises on the jaw and scalp.

CHESTERFIELD PROGRAMS

Saturday, April 14—8:00-8:30 P. M., C. S. H. Creste Stueckgold, Andre Kostelanetz, Orchestra and Chorus.

What has become of the old-fashioned mother who said to her naughty child: "You just wait until your papa comes home and I'll have him tend to you."

Thousands of cans of Plattsmouth packed foodstuffs are being consumed daily throughout the middle-west and south.

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION

In the County Court of Cass County, Nebraska.
To all persons interested in the estate of David C. La Rue, deceased, No. 3067.
Take notice that a petition has been filed praying for administration of said estate and appointment of Wayne C. Garrett as administrator; that said petition has been set for hearing before said Court on the 27th day of April, 1934, at ten o'clock a. m., for the purpose of examining, allowing and adjusting all claims or objections duly filed.
Dated March 28th, 1934.
A. H. DUXBURY,
County Judge.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the County Court of Cass County, Nebraska.
To the creditors of the estate of Oscar W. Zaar, deceased, No. 2991:
Take notice that the time limited for the filing and presentation of claims against said estate is July 20, 1934; that a hearing will be had at the County Court room in Plattsmouth on July 27, 1934, at ten o'clock a. m., for the purpose of examining, allowing and adjusting all claims or objections duly filed.
Dated March 23, 1934.
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 May, A. D. 1934, at 10:00 o'clock a. m. of said day at the South Front Door of the Court House in said County, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash the following real estate to-wit:

West Half of Section Nineteen, Township Twelve, North, Range nine, East of the 6th P. M., in Cass County, Nebraska; The same being levied upon and taken as the property of James E. McGinley, et al., defendants, to satisfy a judgment of the Court recovered by The First Trust Company of Lincoln, Nebraska, a corporation, plaintiff, against said defendants, Plattsmouth, Nebraska April 2nd, A. D. 1934.

H. SYLVESTER,
Sheriff Cass County,
Nebraska.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT

In the County Court of Cass County, Nebraska.
To all persons interested in the estate of Otto F. Peters, deceased, No. 2954.
Take notice that the administratrix of said estate has filed her final report and a petition for examination and allowance of her administration accounts, determination of her liability, assignment of residue of said estate and for her discharge, that said petition and report will be heard before said Court on April 27th, 1934, at ten a. m.
Dated March 30th, 1934.
A. H. DUXBURY,
County Judge.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the County Court of Cass County, Nebraska.
To the creditors of the estate of Roy E. Meisinger, deceased:
Take notice that the time limited for the filing and presentation of claims against said estate is July 20th, 1934; that a hearing will be had at the County Court room in Plattsmouth on July 27th, 1934, at ten o'clock a. m., for the purpose of examining, hearing, allowing and adjusting all claims or objections duly filed.
Dated March 26, 1934.
A. H. DUXBURY,
County Judge.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the County Court of Cass County, Nebraska.
To the creditors of the estate of Emma J. Kimerley, deceased, No. 2970:
Take notice that the time limited for the filing and presentation of claims against said estate is July 20, 1934; that a hearing will be had at the County Court room in Plattsmouth on July 27, 1934, at ten o'clock a. m., for the purpose of examining, hearing, allowing and adjusting all claims or objections duly filed.
Dated March 23, 1934.
A. H. DUXBURY,
County Judge.

LEGAL NOTICE

To The Dundee Mortgage & Trust Investment Co., Limited, of Scotland, and all persons having or claiming any interest in the Northwest Quarter of Section Sixteen (16), in Township Ten (10), North, of Range Thirteen (13), East of the Sixth Principal Meridian, in Cass County, Nebraska, real names unknown:
Notice is hereby given that Fred Heebner as plaintiff has filed in the District Court of Cass County, Nebraska, his petition against you as defendants, the purpose of which is to obtain a decree quieting title to the above described real estate in plaintiff against all claims by or under any of the defendants and cancelling and setting aside, as having been paid and barred by the Statute of Limitations of the State of Nebraska, the mortgage made by E. J. W. Pitman and wife, Anna Pitman, to the defendant, The Dundee Mortgage & Trust Investment Co., Limited, of Scotland, dated June 19, 1882, filed for record June 19, 1882, recorded in Book N, Page 63 of the records of said county, to secure the payment of \$1000.00.

You may answer said petition in said court on or before May 7, 1934, or otherwise the allegations in said petition will be taken as true and a decree entered accordingly.
FRED HEEBNER,
Plaintiff.

TYLER & PETERSON,
Attorneys,
Nebraska City, Nebr. m29-4w

NOTICE OF HEARING FOR DETERMINATION OF HEIRSHIP

Estate of Ella Elsie Jessup, deceased, No. 2993.
In the County Court of Cass County, Nebraska.

The State of Nebraska: To all persons interested in the estate, creditors and heirs take notice, that John Jessup has filed his petition alleging that Ella Elsie Jessup died intestate in Cass County, Nebraska, on or about February 22nd, 1929, being a resident and inhabitant of said County and died seized of the following described real estate, to-wit:

Lots numbered eight (8), (9), Twenty-one (21) and Twenty-three (23) in the west half of the southwest quarter of Section seven (7) in Township twelve (12) North, in Range fourteen (14) East of the 6th P. M., in the City of Plattsmouth, Nebraska, according to the published and recorded plat thereof; Also all of Block three (3) in Townsend's Addition to the said City of Plattsmouth, according to the published and recorded plat thereof; leaving as her sole and only heirs at law the following named persons, to-wit:

John Jessup, her husband; George Gardner, John Gardner, Leonard Gardner, Myrth Almon, and Jennie Sams, brothers and sisters of said deceased.
That the interest of the petitioner in the above described real estate is that of an heir and praying for a determination of the time of the death of said Ella Elsie Jessup and of her 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 on the 27th day of April, 1934, before the County Court of Cass County in the Court House at Plattsmouth, Nebraska, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m.
Dated at Plattsmouth, Nebraska, this 28th day of March, A. D. 1934.
A. H. DUXBURY,
County Judge.