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The Reason Why.

In answer to a criticism, The Tribune man reiterates that he did not favor municipal ownership of the waterworks and that he voted against the proposition. A big majority of the voters differed from him, the bonds were voted and the plant purchased. He ac- and the books he sought were such as cepted the will of the big majority without fault-finding and has since then given the water plant and the officers connected therewith his loyal support, which is no more than the duty of every good citizen. He realized an unfinished letter written in a wothat to make the plant a success it man's band. The words "Dear Joe" it must have the good-will of every caught his eye, and since his name consumer; he knows that it cannot be successful if part of the people insist at the date, he saw that ten years had that the business shall be conducted in one way and the other part say it shall be conducted in a manner directly opposite. A house divided had been placed in it. A girl was writagainst itself must fall, and if this di- ing to a man. Some one entered the vision of metre or no metre continues, the people will have a white elephant on their hands in the shape of a nonpaying water plant. And for this reason The Tribune man obeyed the ordinance directing him to place a volume with the letter in it had found metre, and he is satisfied that his water its way into the library, where it may will not cost him any more under the not have been opened up to the presmetre than it did under the flat rate ent time.

No man should object to paying for what he actually receives, and that is the condition under the metre 'system.

Consolidation of Land Districts.

Press dispatches from Washington tell of the intended consolidation of the Valentine and O'Neil land districts and of the fight between those two towns as to which shall retain the land office. the handwriting. He was then enter-The Tribune pointed out last year that ing upon his first, and thus far his the land districts in Nebraska would be only, love. How delightful that gradconsolidated within a year or two on uni fusing of two young hearts! Lovaccount of the decrease in business, ing was as natural as breathing. Then that the North Platte district would be came the serious part. He was about amoung the first effected, and suggested to go away to fight on the world's batthat the commercial club be ready to fortune. He had spoken his love, get into the fight in order to have North which was returned, but the girl must latte remain as the site of the land bave time to think about it. She was office. The consolidation of the north- farseeing and thought it unwise to ern districts will no doubt soon be fol- engage berself to one who had not yet lowed by the consolidation of the even made a start. She would let him Broken Bow, North Platte and Alliance know before he went away. But he districts, and of course there will be a did not bear from ber. fight between three towns as to which shall retain the office. The land office without knowing that he was reading. brings many strangers to town who The writer evidently was giving to a otherwise would never come;" for the lover an answer such as he had hoped past two months the average has been to receive. more than a dozen daily, these coming Leaving the volume on the shelf, he from all parts of the state and some took the letter to a window, where he from other states, and of course each one could get a clearer view of the handspends more or less money in town, writing. It looked more familiar than These do not include those who come to the office to make final proof. When the to bim. He remembered the date that be much larger.

The Cattle Situation.

Only a few years ago we were accustomed to talk about the greatness of our western ranges, and to boast that we not only consumed more meat per capita than any other civilized nation but that we had a surplus big enough to satisfy the demands of Europe. We had some excuse for boasting, for in 1901 we exported 495,000 cattle and 352,-000,000 pounds of fresh beef. By 1908 our exports had fallen to 350,000 head her. She looked at it in wonder, recof cattle and 201,000,000 pounds of fresh | ognizing it, but evidently being dazed beef while in 1912 we exported? only 105,000 cattle and 15,000,000 pounds of fresh beef. Our dairy exports amounted to \$9,500,000 in 1901 and less than half that amount in 1912. The indications are that this year's exports of beef will be less than last.

During the years that our beef exports have decreased our imports have increased from 95,000 head of cattle in 1908 to 318,000 in 1912. The value of the dairy products imported during the same period increased from \$2,700,000 to more than \$10,000,000.

In 1909 there were over 71,000,000 cattle in the United States. At the present time there are 56,500,000. It is a story of decreasing herds and decreas

ing exports, of increasing imports and increasing population ..

The agriculturalists of the University of Nebraska are firmly convinced that tifying her. I was but seventeen and in the face of the above figures no Nebraska farmer should sacrifice his breeding cattle because of the present shortage of forage. The cattle market is high now, but we have every reason to believe that it will continue to be high, and that the farmer who sells his breeding stock now will not only lose his natural incaease but will have to pay as much or more for similar stock when said, "I being absent, made up your

feed becomes more plentiful. In practically all parts of the state there is sufficient feed for the winter if it is properly conserved. Much of the injured corn can be cut for fodder and the sile is a means of saving feed which otherwise is an almost total loss.

A Decade In Transit

By ALICE T. BURGE

What a receptacle for miscellaneous articles are books! When one closes a book he or she-most probably shewill take up almost anything to mark the place. Then, too, things that may be well preserved find their way between the leaves of volumes. Flowers, photographs, old letters, bits of paper of all kinds, may be shaken out

of books. One day one Joseph Werner, a man of thirty, strolled into a library to nose about among the volumes on the shelves. He was a scholarly fellow, few persons cared for. Passing a shelf marked "History," be took down a copy of "Josephus," an eminent Jewish historian, who wrote during the first century of the Christian era. Turning over the leaves, he came upon was Joe he was interested. Glancing passed since the letter had been writ-

He pictured in his mind the history of the volume from the day the letter room whom she did not wish to see the letter, "Josephus" was lying open on a table. She placed the letter in the book and closed it. Either she had forgotten it or had been called away and never saw it again. The

While Werner was dreaming about the letter ne was looking at the chirography. It reminded him of writing that he had seen long ago. It was all very vague, but there was something inexpressibly tender connected with it. He glanced down to see who was the writer, but since it was unfinished there was no signature.

His mind drifted back to a period about the time the letter was written. Perhaps it was an association with

While thus reverting to the past his eyes were fixed on the letter. He read

before. Gradually a belief came to him that the letter had been written consolidation occurs the number will be had left home, and that on the lefnaturally be much greater than at pre- ter was the day before his going. As sent, as the territory of the district will be looked and continued to look the old familiar band came back to him. There was no mistaking it. The letter had been written-not finished-to him. But it had never been sent.

Why? Ah! There was the mystery The letter went into Werner's pocket instead of the volume in which it had been inclosed. He knew where the writer lived, though he had not seen her since he parted with her a decade ago. He determined to go to her for

an explanation. They stood face to face. Each recognized the other. He drew the letter from his pocket and handed it to at holding it in her hands.

"How did you come by this?" she He related to her the strange hap-

pening by which he and the letter had drifted to the library and met there. Her memory seemed to be confused in part, though as to writing the letter it was clear.

"I wrote this," she said, "the day before you left us. Mother suspected that something was between us and had advised that we remain each free until you were able to marry. Nevertheless I resolved to answer you in the affirmative. While I was writing I heard mother coming. A book-I don't remember what book-lay open on the table near me. I put the unfinished

letter in it and closed it. "Mother asked me what I was going to do about you, and I gave her an evasive answer. She drew a promise from me to take no action without nouncertain what to do; therefore I did nothing. The letter remained in the book, where I had placed it. When we gave up housekeeping, leaving our home, we sold all our books to a dealer. How it came into the library where you found it I can't imagine down the street last night when a big

"Your mother, who was present," he mind for you then: it behooves me, who am now present, to make it up for you now. Let us consider this letter finished, signed, sealed and sent. Nothing remains but to make up for

lost time." And they did Only Fair For Faither.

In a train the other day, says a Glesgow News correspondent, I overheard two schooltenchers dwell with a certain fondness on the pranks of a boy whom they called Jimmie. I could gather that this lad was full of sweet simplicity and a deep rooted objection to education. Despite his dilatoriness. however, he was a general to write,

One of the dominies in whose class Jimmie now idles his time sampked that on a recent morning the hog had handed in an exercise in arithmetiwhich, by its nearness and freedon from errom, slandy howled "Patiner, Jimmle was in a simmer of excitomer. to see what mark he would get.

In order to surprise blin into saying something the teacher and seribble on the complook "Falt" instead at "Excellent," as it should have been murmur of dismay was expected the the boy, but instead to chu Ried will giee and remarked; "Oh. I'm gind! Faither's only got "fair" efter at his bouncin'."

London's Ugly Man. Frank Duff in his reminiscences tells a story of an exceptionally ugly manwell known in London society, whose name he suppresses. He had it from Lord Lytton, who had it from Lord Beaconsfield.

"I saw him once," said Benconsfield "It was when we were living at Grevenor Gate. When his card was brought up 1 was extremely busy, and I said to Lady Beaconsfield, 'My dear. you must receive this gentleman for me.' I ought to tell you that Lady Beaconsfield was very fond of seein remarkable people, and I said to her, 'My dear, I know he is a remarkable man; I cannot tell you for what reason be is remarkable, but you may take it from me that he is remarkable.' Lady Beaconsfield tripped downstairs, and was turning to my work when I heard a fall and a scream. I rushed down; Lady Beaconsfield had fainted. She thought she had seen Mokanna, the veiled prophet, without his veil!"

Methodist Stamps.

Sepator X.'s daughter, who is beautiful, religious and unsophisticated. went into a Washington drug store recently to purchase some stamps. "Ten cents' worth of stamps, please,"

she said timidly. The drug clerk, who had an eye for feminine beauty, was struck with her appearance, so he gave her an engaging smile and urbanely asked: "What denomination?"

Disconcerted by his open admiration. she looked at him in astonishment. then, remembering the Scriptural fujunction to be "prepared to give a reason for the faith that is within you," she replied, "Methodist." There was a moment's pause; then her face became suffused with angry blushes. and she continued. "But I do not see what that has to do with my stamps." -Lippincott's.

Story of the Vote In Fiji.

The Indian merchants in Fiji in municipal elections vote solid for the wealthy storekeeper and landowner. who, says Raif Stock in "Confessions of a Tenderfoot," represent vested interests and owe them money

On one occasion that is fresh in the mind of every one in Suva, these Indian merchants were rounded up and driven to the polls like sheep, weil primed beforehand to vote for-we shall say Johnson and Jacobson. These instructions had been so impressed upon them that their vocabulary for days consisted of nothing but "Johnson and Jacobson." "Move up there," said the clerk of a polling booth on the great day to a line of apprehensive Indians. "D'your hear? Move up!" "Johnson and Jacobson," answered the latter as one man.

Curious English Dialects.

Our English dialegts are probably as diverse as any. Put a Cornish miner and a Northumberland miner together for the first time and each would only have a faint gilmmering of the meaning of the other's speech. What would the Cornishman think of "What mak" o' yan is sha?" He would express the same meaning in "What be her like, then?" 'The ordinary English, of course, is, "What's she like?" I have known a Londoner, fresh to the fine Dorset dialect, completely bewildered by farm laborer's talk. He could only get a glint of meaning here and there .-London Chronicle.

Room For the Doctor.

Landlady (to applicant for rooms;-Beg pardon, sir, but what business du you follow? Appllcant-1 am a doctor of music. Landlady-Ob, then, we shall be glad to have you with us, and I'm sure you'll do well here, for there's lots of music in this locality that needs doctoring .- London Tit-Bits.

Effecting a Cure.

"I tell you, Blithers, this habit of yours of borrowing all the time is growing on you," said Jimpson. "You ought to do something to check it." "All right, Jimp," said Blitbers, "Just let me have the check and I'll do my best."-Harper's Weekly

Dogs That Fly.

Little Grace-Papa, has a dog goo wings? Papa-Certainly not, my deac. Little Grace-Then the nurse told a big story. She said she was walking unless the library bought it from the dog flew out at her. - Chicago News.

> Proof. "They say that unions raise the price of labor."

"Quite right! Two of my clerks got married last week and struck me for more salary."-Boston Transcript.

On the choice of friends our good or evil name depends, -Gray.

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Baptist parsonage, 1009 west 4th St., for sale or exchange for property nearer the business section of the city. Inquire of Rev. J. L. Barton or phone Black 384.

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NOTICE OF SETTLEMENT.

The State of Nebraska, Lincoin County. sa In the County Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Clause Erickson Deceased.

To the creditors, heirs legaters and others interested in the estate of Clause Erickson, Take notice, that the administrator, has fied in the county court, a report of his doings as administrator of said estate and it is ordered that the same stand for bearing the 9th, day of September, A. D. 193, before the court at the hour of 9 o clock, a. m. at which time any person interested may appear and except to and contest the same.

same.

Notice of this proceeding and the hearing thereof is ordered given to all persons in Notice of this proceeding and the hearing thereof is ordered given to all persons interested in said matter by publishing a gopy of this order in the North Platte Tribune, a legal semi-weekly newspaper printed in said county for three consecutive weeks prior to said date of hearing.

Dated August 19th, 1913. (Seal)
a 19-3 JOHN GRAST, County Judge.

NOTICE OF SETTLEMET.

The State of Nebraska, Lincoln county, sa
In the County Court.
In the matter of the estate of Dennis
Kelly, deceased.

To the creditors, heirs, legatees, and others interested in the estate of Dennis Kelly.

Take notice, that Elizabeth Kelly has filed in the county court a report of her doings as administratrix of said estate, and it is ordered that the same stand for hearing the 9th day of September, A. D., 1915, before the court at the hour of 9 o'clock, a. m., at which time any person interested may appear and except to and contest the same.

person interested may appear and except to and contest the same.

Notice of this proceeding and the hearing thereof is ordered given to all persons interested in acid matter by publishing a copy of the order in the North Platte Tribune, a semi-weeldy newspaper, printed in said county for three successive weeks prior to the said date of hearing. Dated August 11th, 1918.

8 19-3 JOHN GRANT, County Judge

ORDER OF HEARING ON PETITION FOR APPOINTMENT OF ADMINISTRATRIX.
The State of Nebraska, Lincoln County, ss.
In the County Court.
In the matter of the estate of John H.
Gutherless, deceased.
On reading and filing the petition of Mary
Gutherless, praying that administration of said
estate may be granted to herself as administrative.

Ordered, That Sept. 9th, 1913, at 9 o'clock a. m Ordered, That Sept. 9th, 1912, at 9 o'clock a. m. is assigned for hearing said petition, when all persons interested in said matter may appear at a county court to be held in and for said county, and show cause why prayer of 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 North Platte Tribune a semi-weekly news-paper printed in said county for three successive weeks, prior to said day of hearing. Dated August 16, 1913. a19-3 JOHN GRANT, County Judge. news- | North Platte.

Notice.

Notice is is hereby given that on the 5th day of July, 1913, a corporation was formed in Lincoln county, Nebraska, the name of said corporation being Lierk-Sandall Company. The principal place of transacting the bus-iness of said company shall be in the city of North Platte, Lincoln county, Nebraska.

The general nature of the business to be transacted shall be the buying and selling of groceries, queensware, hardware, and other articles of merchandise at wholesale and retail. The amount of the capital stock authorized is \$10,000.00 divided into one hundred shares of \$100.00 eighty-five Shares of which shall be subscribed and fully paid up at the time of the organization of the company. The date of the commencement of said corporation shall be on the 7th day of July, 1913, and its termination on the 7th day of July, 1923. The highest amount of indebtedness to which the corporation shall at any time subject itself shall not exceed two-thirds its paid up capital stock. The affairs of the corporation are to be managed by a board of three directors together with the president and secretary and treasurer, together with such other clerks and servants as said officers may appoint and hire.

Signed this 5th day of July, 1913. LIERK-SANDALL COMPANY.

ORDER OF HEARING ON ORIGINAL PROBATE OF WILL.

In the County Court, August 2, 1913.
In the Matter of the Estate of Catherine McGovern, deceased.
On reading and filing the petition of Thomas McGovern praying that the instrument filed on the 2nd day of August, 1913, and purporting to be the last will and testament of the said deceased, may be proved and may be proved, approved, probated allowed and recorded as the last will and testament of the saidCatherineMcGovern decoaned, and that the execution of said instrument may be committed and the administration of said estate may be granted to Thomas McGovern and Peter McGovern as executors.

cutors.

Ordered, That Aug. 26th, 1913, at 9 o'clock n.
Ordered, That Aug. 26th, 1913, at 9 o'clock n. Ordered, That Aug. 26th, 1918, at Vo'clock a. m. is assigned for hearing said petition when all persons interested in said matter may appear at a county court to be held in and for said county and show cause why the prayer of petitioner should not be granted. A copy of this order to be published in the North Platte Tribune, a legal semi-weekly newspaper of said county published in said county for three successive weeks prior to June 10, 1918.

JOHN GRANT.

JOHN GRANT, County Judge

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of an execution on transcript issued from the District Court of Lincoln county. Nebras-ka, upon a decree of foreclosure rendered in said court wherein Knox and Walters a corporation partnership is plaintiff, and E. Rima, is defendant. and to me directed, I will on the Brd day of August, 1913, at two o'clock, p. m., at the east front door of the court house of said county, in the city of North Platte, Nebraska, sell at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, to satisfy said decree, interest and costs, the following described property, to-wit:

Northeast quarter (neb) section two (2) in township fifteen (15), range thirty (30), west of the 6th P. M. in Lincoln county, Nebraska.

Dated at North Platte, Neb., July 14, 1913.

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A. J. Salisbury, Sheriff SHERIFF'S SALE.

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Dated this 28th day of July, 1913. WILLIAM R. MALONEY, President, CHARLES A. HOWE, Vice-President, ERMA V. MALONEY, Sect., WILLIAM R. MALONEY, Treas.

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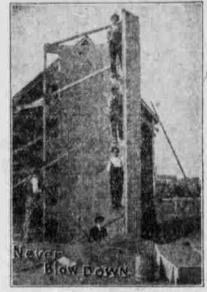
Notice for Publication. Chris Rasmussen and E. P. Rasmus-

sen, first and real name unknown, Defendants, will take notice that on the 14th day of May, 1913, L. C. Severns, plaintiff, herein filed his petition in the district court of Lincoln County, brasks, against the said defendants, and each of them, the object and prayer of which are to recover the sum of \$363.52, together with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent per annum from the 14th day of May, 1913, which said sum is due and payable to the plaintiff from the defendants, and each of them, upon a certain promissory note executed and delivered by the defendants on May 20th, 1912, to one William Bellew, and thereafter sold, trans-ferred and delivered to the plaintiff herein for a valuable consideration. That at the same time plaintiff filed an affidavit in attachment in said action and caused an order of attachment to be issued and property belonging to the defendants, and each of them, towit: All of section nine (9) except about one and one-half acres (1) in the north east quarter (NE) of the south east quarter (SE4) in said section, township ten (10), range twenty-eight (28) West of the sixth P. M., Lincoln County, Nebraska, has been attached under said order. Plaintiff prays for judgment against the said defendants, and each of them, in the sum of \$363.52, together with interest from the 14th day of May,

You, and each of you, are required to answer said petition on or before the 25th day of August, 1913. Dated this 15th day of July, 1913. L. C. SEVERNS,

By MULDOON & GIBBS, His Attorneys.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
Serial No. 04809
DEFARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.
United States Land Office
At North Platte, Nebraska, July 25, 1913.
Notice is hereby given that Herbard A. Vors., of North Platte, Neb., who on June 28, 1910, made homestead entry. No. 04809, for Ets NE's., Ets, SW's., and SE's Section 30, Township 11, N. Range 30, W. 6th Principal Meridan, has filed notice of intention to make three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before the register and receiver at North Platte. Nebraska, on the 19th day of September, 1913.
Claimant names as witnesses: George Miller of Somerset, Neb., William Hunter, Amandus Kunkle, both of North Platte, Neb., Howard Simms, of Wellfleet, Nebr.

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D. E. Evans. Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
Serial No. 01051,
Department of the Interior.
U. S. Land Office at North Platte, Neb.

U. S. Land Office at North Platte, Neb.
June 19, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given that James Bechan
Jr., of North Platte, Neb., who, on May 1, 1907,
made H. E. No. 22365, Serial No. 01051, for
W%, and W% of E%, Section 20,
Township 15, North, Range 31, West of the 6th
Principal Meridan, has filed notice of intention
to make final five year proof, to establish
claim to the land above described, before the
register and receiver, at North Platte, Neb., on
the 20th day of August, 1913.
Claimant names as witnesses: D. B. McNeel,
William Siebold, W. W. Groves, Arthur Toops, al
of North Platte, Neb.
J. E EVANS, Register.