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Rasmussen's "Roast."

Under the heading of "Some City," "Some Ways," the Hershey Times of this week said:

"In the special election held at our county seat yesterday to vote bonds for street paving, a city hall building in which to house their fire apparatus, also the proposition of Sunday ball, the latter was the only proposition that carried, the two former being lost by large majorities. The report comes to Hershey this morning that as a result of the voting down of the city hall bonds, the firemen resigned in a body. While we cannot vouch for the correctness of this report, it is an undisputed fact that the loyal firemen of North Platte have for years been laboring under inadequate and perverse conditions, and it would seem that they would be justified in resigning and saying, 'People of North Platte, protect yourselves.' Sure, anything of a sports nature goes in North Platte—for instance, Sunday base ball. But where does she stand on improvements? A new court house—she'll throw cold water on the proposition. A new depot, yes, they had a choice of a new depot or a new round house—they chose the latter for fear the round house would be put in at O'Fallon's, where it belonged, and as a consequence the traveling public will have to contend with the unsanitary rat-hole they will have probably for another ten years. Show us where North Platte has ever done anything for herself without outside aid. There's the railroad, the U. S. federal building, the Carnegie library, etc., etc. When anything comes up whereby they could improve their city, they vote it down, no one to put two dollars where they put in one but if of a sports nature they hop at it. That's our county seat."

Lincoln County News.

Homer Rogers, who was in from Fox Creek precinct yesterday, says corn is a complete failure in his section of the county. Not since 1894 have crop conditions been so poor. The only bright spot this year is the good yield of potatoes.

On the south side of the river between North Platte and Gothenburg many fields of corn stalks are being cut and will be siloed. Farmers who have slices are buying stalks as they stand from other farmers at two dollars per acre.

Martin Mickelson, now of Oakland, Calif., has been spending the past few days in the Hershey section transacting business and visiting friends.

W. E. Funhouser has sold his restaurant at Hershey to Amos and Chester Ellsworth, who took possession last week.

The Hershey school board will receive sealed bids up to noon of next Saturday for the transportation of school children to and from school.

Miss Darlin Purdy, of North Platte, who has been visiting in the Brady section, fell with a horse a week ago and sustained a fractured bone in one of her feet. Dr. Pether rendered the necessary medical aid.

Bert Weir, living eight miles north of Maxwell, has sold 1,000 bushels of 1913 corn to Hartman and Jergensen for fifty-five cents per bushel on the stalk. Weir will have 2,500 bushels of corn on his sand hill farm.

Editor Eames, of the Maxwell Telepost, was called to Minnesota, last week by the illness of his mother.

One Crop Pays for Land.

Every one of our readers has doubtless at one time or another heard stories of cases in which a single crop from a piece of land would pay for the land. This is not likely to occur of course, except where land is very cheap or crops extremely valuable. We have just heard of a case of this kind. E. G. Collings of the Wm. Galvin place southwest of Dickens has a potato patch of 17 acres which is yielding on a low estimate an average of 75 bushels to the acre and they are selling right on the ground at one dollar per bushel or \$1275. Pricing this quarter section at \$12 per acre the crop from 17 acres would come within \$645 of paying for the entire quarter and as Mr. Collings has a considerable acreage of pretty good corn, it is probable that the value of the crops from the place this year will equal or exceed the price of the land.—Wallace Winner.

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BOSOM FRIENDS

An Episode of the Mexican Revolution

By RYLAND BELL

On the outskirts of the City of Mexico lived two friends, Manuel Cusio and Enrique Coral.

Both Cusio and Coral were acquainted with Pepita Reyes and were making love to her at the same time. Cusio, who had no idea that his friend was favorably disposed to the girl, confided his own feelings with respect to her, but Coral did not reciprocate the confidence. The latter had an idea that he could by perseverance win Pepita from Manuel and proposed to her after he knew that she had engaged herself to his friend.

While Pepita was a girl of very deep feeling, she possessed a good understanding and plenty of solid sense—that is to say, she had both brains and tact.

"Why do you set so much store by your friend Enrique Coral?" she would say. "You are his superior in every way. You have in you the makings of a more prominent citizen. You are more trustworthy."

"You women," replied Manuel, "are influenced by your feelings. Men judge by facts. Enrique will one day be one of the most influential men in Mexico."

Pepita knew that Enrique was aware of his friend's love for her and that she had promised to be his wife, but so great was Enrique's influence over Manuel that she dare not tell her lover what Enrique had done. Should Enrique deny it Manuel would believe that she had a personal grudge against his friend and had brought a false accusation against him. Indeed, Manuel had once said to her, "Why is it that when a woman gets a lover she at once tries to separate him from all his old friends?"

On this account Pepita thought it wiser to keep the secret, realizing that if Manuel's eyes were ever opened to his friend's true character he must find it out through some one else than herself. Possibly after marriage she might venture a warning, but not now. Enrique, she believed, had it in his power to separate her from Manuel, whom she dearly loved.

When Manuel and Pepita were married Enrique was called away on business and was not present at the wedding. This cast a gloom on the festivities, for the groom was bitterly disappointed. Indeed, Enrique was to have been his "best man." His bride was tempted to tell him the reason of his friend's absence, but shrank from bringing the accusation at such a time. After the wedding she put off speaking of the matter, and when again she met Enrique he expressed his appreciation of her good sense in not having told Manuel that he had been his rival and begged that she would never break up their friendship by going so. Since he excused himself for his act by his infatuation for her and seemed to regret having spoken, she yielded to a request that she would promise him to keep the secret always.

Ten years passed. While Cusio and Coral were naturally not thrown together as much as they had been when they were both bachelors, there seemed to be no change in their intimacy. Coral had achieved prominence as an agitator. He was a fluent speaker and was always ready to show the people why they should pull down rather than why they should patiently plod on in building up. Cusio was an unambitious man and unaware of his talents. He had inherited a hacienda and was content to cultivate it, spending any time not required for the purpose in his library.

Such was the status when the uprising against President Porfirio Diaz began to show itself. Cusio was attracted with the existing conditions and remained quietly on his hacienda. Coral, while pretending to support the government, was secretly working with the supporters of Madero. The revolution was a long while developing, and during this period Cusio and Coral had frequent discussions upon the political aspects of national affairs, and when they had parted after one of them Cusio would say to his wife:

"There's a man for you. The president has no such staunch supporter as Enrique Coral. When the revolution is ended he will occupy one of the most important positions in the cabinet."

"Nevertheless, my dear," replied the wife, "remember that in politics friendship does not count. When it becomes necessary for the politician to sacrifice his friend he has no alternative, especially during these governmental changes we have in Central America. To keep your own counsel is not to distrust your friends. You don't know but that circumstances may arise which will compel him to sacrifice you."

"When Enrique sacrifices me," replied the infatuated man, "I shall consider the world too dishonorable for me to live in."

Pepita turned away, with a sigh, saying to herself: "The world is too contemptible for him to live in. He is so honorable himself that he can't realize the dishonor of others."

When the uprising was completed and President Diaz was leaving Mexico, Coral went over publicly to the side

A FIGHT IN THE DARK

It Resulted in a Narrow Escape

By CLARISSA MACKIE

The continuous thieving of merchandise from the Shanghai was one of the active investigations of the detective by the efficient young man, Philip Newton.

He had worked on the matter several weeks before he decided that Lennon, his foreman on the wharf, was in conspiracy with the captain of a handsome Chinese junk that lay in at anchor near the wharf in late falls that corresponded with the date of the robberies.

So it was that one rainy night Philip Newton made his way down to the dockson's jetty, where he found Cook, his trusted young assistant, waiting for him in the launch which belonged to the company.

Punderson's jetty overlooked Gordon's wharf, and Philip had secretly sent himself in the launch when Peter leaned cautiously toward him.

"The junk went up about a half hour ago, sir," he said. "Good! We'll go right along tonight. The Meteor sputtered out into the river and pointed her nose up stream. After her engine was fairly started and the specially patented muffler had been applied the noise died down until at last she glided in utter silence through the water."

The drizzling rain had ceased, and the harbor was jeweled with the radiance of hundreds of lights from the gathered shipping. Each tiny lamp and fishing boat bore its softly gleaming paper lantern, and as the launch threaded her way out of the anchorage she seemed to glide over waves of molten gold where the current broke the reflection into a thousand shimmering lights.

The boat was going very slowly, feeling her way, now and then avoiding a rapidly moving sampan, and but for the occasional meeting of one of these small craft their journey was without incident until suddenly, without warning, Peter brought the launch to a standstill and Philip realized that the fender chafed the side of some huge craft which was moored in the middle of the river.

There was a slight jar of impact, an almost imperceptible listing of the larger craft to starboard, and as she righted herself the launch was tossed gently away and again brought up with a slight rub against the black bulk.

There was dead silence in the launch, but all about them in the fog were the staccato murmur of Chinese voices, and the swish of water as though myriads of tiny boats might be darting between the junk and the shore, for sometimes the sounds were near, as if approaching them and then dimming.

Occasionally there was a muffled thud as though some heavy object had been transferred from one vessel to another, but the encompassing fog concealed the mysterious happenings from the eyes of the Americans in the launch.

"It is the junk," said Philip in a whisper. "I guess you're right, sir." "Put her under shore now, Peter. There should be a landing and some stone steps along here. Perhaps we can find what they are taking ashore. Gently now!"

The swift flow of the river drowned the pant of the engine, and in a few minutes they had drawn up under the high, muddy bank, just beneath the black wall of masonry.

From his seat in the bow Philip thrust one leg over the rail, groped with his foot and discovered what he was looking for—a flight of broken slimy stone steps leading from the river to the bank above.

Quite by accident Peter had brought the launch to a standstill at the foot of this flight of steps.

Philip was undetermined as to what he would do next. His object had been to gain the next landing beyond them, where he suspected the cargo boats were unloading the stolen merchandise from the junk.

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NOTICE OF SETTLEMENT. The State of Nebraska, Lincoln County, ss. In the Matter of the Estate of Clause Erickson, Deceased. To the creditors, heirs, legatees and others interested in the estate of Clause Erickson, Take notice, that the administrator, has filed in the county court, a report of his doings as administrator of said estate and it is ordered that the same stand for hearing on the 9th day of September, 1913, 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.

NOTICE OF SETTLEMENT. The State of Nebraska, Lincoln County, ss. 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 on the 9th day of September, A. D. 1913, 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.

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. Gutherie, deceased. On reading and filing the petition of Mary Gutherie, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to herself as administratrix. Ordered, That Sept. 9th, 1913, at 9 o'clock, a. m. is assigned for hearing said petition, and it is ordered that a county court be held in and for said county, and show cause why prayer of petitioner should not be granted; and that notice of the hearing 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, semi-weekly newspaper printed in said county for three successive weeks, prior to said day of hearing. Dated August 15, 1913. JOHN GRANT, County Judge.

Notice. Notice 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 business 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 each, 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 of 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, approved, probated allowed and recorded as the last will and testament of the said Catherine McGovern, 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.

SHERIFF'S SALE. By virtue of an execution on transcript issued from the District Court of Lincoln County, Nebraska, upon a judgment 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 2nd 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 (NE 1/4) section two (2) in township fifteen (15), range thirty (30), west of the 6th P. M. in Lincoln County, Nebraska.

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Notice of Incorporation. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned have associated as a corporation under the name and style, Howe & Maloney; with the principal place of transacting its business in the city of North Platte, Lincoln County, Nebraska; and for the purpose of transacting a general furniture and undertaking business; with the amount of its capital stock \$1200.00 all paid in cash; and said corporation shall commence its business on the 25th day of April, 1913, and terminate in twenty years; and its indebtedness is not at any time to exceed 9/10 of its amount of stock capital; and the business of the incorporation shall be conducted by a president and a vice-president, secretary and treasurer. Dated this 28th day of July, 1913. WILLIAM R. MALONEY, President, CHARLES A. HOWE, Vice-President, EDNA V. MALONEY, Sec'y., WILLIAM R. MALONEY, Treas.

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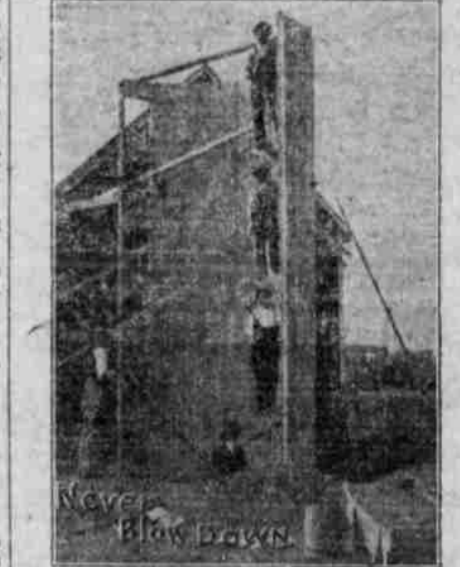
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Notice for Publication. Chris Rasmussen and E. P. Rasmussen, first and real name unknown, Defendants, will take notice that on the 14th day of May, 1913, L. C. Severns, plaintiff, herein filed his petition in the district court of Lincoln County, Nebraska, 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 Bellows, and thereafter sold, transferred 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, to-wit: All of section nine (9) except about one and one-half acres (1 1/2) in the north east quarter (NE 1/4) of the south east quarter (SE 1/4) 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, 1913. 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. 9480. DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR. United States Land Office. At North Platte, Nebraska, July 25, 1913. Notice is hereby given that Bernard A. Voss, of North Platte, Neb., who on June 25, 1910, made homestead entry, No. 64592, for E 1/2 NE 1/4, E 1/2 SW 1/4, and SE 1/4 Section 30, Township 11, N. Range 30, W. 6th Principal Meridian, 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, Amundson Kunkle, both of North Platte, Neb., Howard Simms, of Wellfleet, Neb. J. K. EVANS, Register.