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SECOND DRAFT CALL IS EXPECTED IN MAY.

The draft of the second increment of 600,000 men to the national army will be initiated about May, according to an order awaiting the signature of Secretary of War Baker.

Unusual significance attaches to the fact that the administration has decided to begin drafting the second increment of the national army in May.

As soon as Secretary Baker gives the order his approval it will be transmitted to Provost Marshal General Crowder, who will superintend the second draft.

Directions for assembling, concentrating and forwarding the men of the second draft to the army camps will be forwarded to the 4,500 local selective service boards in the United States no later than April 15, it is reported.

To Aid American Prisoners.

A license to trade with the enemy has been granted to the American Red Cross, it was announced tonight.

This constitutes "trading with the enemy" and it was necessary to obtain the sanction of the war trade board.

Next Bonds May Bear 4 1/2%

Washington.—The third Liberty Loan will not be floated until about April 1, it was announced Wednesday and may possibly be set for an even later date.

What is in You?

The average man contains enough oxygen, hydrogen, and nitrogen to make \$2.45 worth of illuminating gas; and yet he may not be bright enough to throw light on any subject.

He contains enough phosphorus to make 800,000 matches, and yet he may be a poor match and therefore a very poor match for any girl.

He contains about sixty jumps of sugar, and yet he may be sour-tempered. He contains enough iron to make a spike that will hold his own weight, and yet he may be a man of putty.

He contains a lot of starch, and yet he may have no starch in him.

What is in a man? From the scientific viewpoint, about the same amount of chemical elements for every man. From the spiritual viewpoint, elements of endless diversity and of infinitely varied degrees of power.

And you cannot do much toward changing the chemical composition of your body, but you can change the make-up of your spirit at your will.

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He Saw the Black Hole.

The first thing I wanted to see in India was the "Black Hole" of Calcutta. I could hardly wait to see the famous prison in which, in 1756, 133 people were suffocated in a single night.

Without waiting to unpack my trunk I hurried to the spot. But I was sadly disappointed, for all there was there was a monument with a chain around it. I felt cheated. In America we would have given the visitor something for his money.

Strap Hangers in Tokyo. After one has ridden for a few weeks on Tokyo trams he realizes that more than 2,000,000 people, living within a radius of three miles of the imperial palace, require many trams to carry them.

There are five or six stations from which trains depart for different parts of the empire, but these stations are only joined by city trams, so that if one wants to go from Tokyo station, the terminus of the Shimonoseki line to Europe, to Ueno station, whence trains depart for Nikko, Karuzawa, Sendai and Hokkaido, he must take a riksha, a taxicab or a street car or else circle the city for more than twenty miles in more than an hour to reach a station that is only a mile and a half away as the crow flies.

The Broken Broker.

The late Judge Pennypacker of Philadelphia was an advocate of the enfranchisement of woman, but he also advocated justice in the relationship between the sexes for man.

"Woman," he said whimsically one day at the Pennsylvania Historical society, "mustn't play it both ways. She mustn't get the vote and the equal wage through man's sense of equity and then get all kinds of unfair privileges through his sense of gallantry."

"There's a lot of truth in the story of the young broker who after his failure was thrown over by a pretty girl. 'Why was the engagement broken off?' a banker asked the ruined broker. 'Well,' he answered, 'after I'd given her a string of pearls, an opera box and a birthday gift of a twelve cylinder limousine I went to smash, and her people accused me of amusing myself at her expense.'"

What You Can Do.

You don't know what you can do. At any rate you don't know until you're up against it and have to try. Some day you're going to bump against a whopping bit of work. It will look impossible to you. You'll want to quit. You'll say to yourself that it simply can't be done.

George Ade was talking about the intricacies of the English language. "There's that word 'smart,' for instance," he said. "The word may mean fashionable, chic or elegant."

"A man wanted to present me to a lady the other day. 'She's very, very smart,' he said. 'But I asked cautiously: 'Smart—humph. Highbrow or low neck type?'—Exchange.

A Retaining Fee.

"A retaining fee, my son, is the money people pay to us lawyers before we can do any work."

"Oh, I see! It's like those slot chocolate machines. The people have to put in their pennies before they get any chocolate."

A Form of Preparedness.

"I'm afraid I'm going to lose my temper when I make this speech," said Senator Sorghum.

"Deliberately?" "Yes. Some of the remarks I want to make will never be excused unless it can be claimed they were said in the heat of debate."—Washington Star.

The Modern Child.

"Father, does a lamb gambol?" "At times, my son."

"Then if you grabbed a lamb by the leg you would be pinching a gambolling joint, wouldn't you?" (Exeunt father, child and slipper)—Cornell Widow.

Base Ingratitude.

Father (to his son, a doctor)—If this isn't the limit! I pay all that money for you to study medicine and the first thing you do is to cut me off my drink!—Fliegende Blaetter.

It is always safe to learn even from our enemies, never safe to instruct even our friends.—Colton.

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Notice of Final Report. Estate No. ... of Abbie L. Robinson, deceased, in the County Court of Lincoln County, Nebraska.

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Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of an alias order of sale issued from the District Court of Lincoln County, Nebraska, upon a decree of foreclosure in said Court, wherein Anna V. Metcalf is plaintiff and Will Outtrim et al are defendants, and to me directed, I will on the 18th day of March, 1918, at two o'clock p. m., at the east front door of the court house in North Platte, Lincoln County, Neb., sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, to satisfy said decree, interest and cost, the following described property, to-wit:

The West One-half of Section Twenty-one, in Township Sixteen, North of Range Thirty-two, West of the Sixth P. M., and the South half of the Southeast Quarter of Section Nineteen, in Township Sixteen, North of Range Thirty-two, West of the Sixth P. M., in Lincoln County, Nebraska. Dated North Platte, Neb., Feb. 9, 1918.

Notice of Petition. Estate No. 1540 of Herman Koester, deceased in the county court of Lincoln County, Nebraska.

The State of Nebraska, to all persons interested in said Estate take notice that a petition has been filed for the appointment of George J. Taylor as administrator with will annexed of said Estate, which has been set for hearing herein on March 1, 1918, at 9 o'clock a. m.

Notice of Petition. Estate No. 1544 of Robert D. Thomson, deceased in the county court of Lincoln County, Nebraska.

The State of Nebraska, to all persons interested in said Estate take notice that a petition has been filed for the probate of an instrument purporting to be the last Will and Testament of said Robert D. Thomson and for appointment of Amanda M. Thomson as executrix of said Will, which has been set for hearing herein on March 8th, 1918, at 9 o'clock a. m.

Notice of Petition. Estate No. 1524 of Caroline Franzen, deceased in the county court of Lincoln County, Nebraska.

The State of Nebraska, to all persons interested in said Estate take notice that the time limited for presentation and filing of claims against said Estate is June 15, 1918, and for settlement of said Estate is February 6, 1919; that I will sit at the county court room in said county, on March 15, 1918, at 9 o'clock a. m., and on June 15, 1918, at 9 o'clock a. m. to receive, examine, hear, allow or adjust all claims and objections duly filed.

Notice to Creditors. Estate No. 1529 of Benjamin A. Dikeman, deceased in the county court of Lincoln County, Nebraska.

The State of Nebraska, to all persons interested in said Estate take notice that the time limited for presentation and filing of claims against said Estate is Sept. 15, 1918, and for settlement of said estate is February 8, 1919, that I will sit at the county court room in said county, on March 15, 1918, at 9 o'clock a. m., and on September 15, 1918 at 9 o'clock a. m. to receive, examine, hear, allow, or adjust all claims and objections duly filed.

Notice to Contractors. Call for bids on State Aid Bridge at North Platte, Lincoln County, Nebraska.

Sealed bids will be received until 9 o'clock A. M., Wednesday, Feb. 27th, 1918, at the office of the County Clerk in Lincoln County, North Platte, Nebraska, for the construction of a concrete bridge across the South Platte river located approximately one mile south of the City of North Platte. Bids will be received for the construction of:

One reinforced concrete arch bridge composed of 10-50 feet concrete arches with concrete piers and abutments, resting on wood piling as per plans and specifications. Bids will be received on the yardage basis for making fills in approaches and surfacing. All bids must be sealed and accompanied with a cash deposit or certified check made payable to the county treasurer, Lincoln County, for the sum of \$5,000.00. All checks must be certified by a bank in Nebraska. Bids will be publicly opened at the office of the county clerk, North Platte, Nebraska, at 9 o'clock A. M. Feb. 27th, 1918. A copy of the plans and specifications are on file in the office of the county clerk and the state engineer, and may be had upon application and payment of \$5.00 at the office of the state engineer. The state and county reserve the right to reject any and all bids. GEO. E. JOHNSON, State Engineer. A. S. ALLEN, County Clerk. J25-126.

Those wanting sale dates let me know soon, as I have dates made for March.

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Notice of Petition. Estate No. 1536 of Francis E. Snyder, deceased in the County court of Lincoln County, Nebraska.

The State of Nebraska, to all persons interested in said Estate take notice that a petition has been filed for the appointment of Charles M. Sullivan as administrator of said Estate, which has been set for hearing on February 22, 1918, at 9 o'clock a. m.

Notice to Creditors. Estate No. 1525 of Henry F. Doobke, deceased in the County court of Lincoln County, Nebraska.

The State of Nebraska, ss. Creditors of said estate will take notice that the time limited for presentation and filing of claims against said Estate is June 1st, 1918, and for settlement of said Estate is January 28, 1919; that I will sit at the county court room in said county, on March 1, 1918, at 9 o'clock a. m., and on June 1, 1918, at 9 o'clock a. m. to receive, examine, hear, allow, or adjust all claims and objections duly filed.

Notice to Creditors. And for hearing on Petition for Widow's Allowance. Estate No. ... of William M. Hay, deceased in the County court of Lincoln County, Nebraska.

The State of Nebraska, ss. Creditors of said estate will take notice that the time limited for presentation and filing of claims against said estate is June 8th, 1918, and for settlement of said Estate is January 28th, 1919; that I will sit at the county court room in said county, on March 8th, 1918, at 9 o'clock a. m., and on June 8th, 1918, at 10 o'clock a. m., to receive, examine, hear, allow, or adjust all claims and objections duly filed, and for hearing upon the Petition for Widow's Allowance filed herein.

Notice of Decree of Heirship. Estate No. 1543 of Emmeline F. Vaughn, deceased, in the County Court of Lincoln County, Nebraska.

The heirs, creditors and all persons interested in said Estate, will take notice that on the 7th day of February, 1918, J. A. Vaughn, a heir of said decedent, filed his petition herein, alleging that said Emmeline F. Vaughn died intestate on or about April 14, 1914, a resident of Victor County, Kansas, and that at the time of her death she was the owner of, or had an Estate of inheritance in SE 1/4 of Section 5, Township 10, North of Range 31, West of the 6th P. M., in said Lincoln County, Nebraska, and that no application has been made in the said State for the appointment of an administrator. That she left surviving her J. A. Vaughn, a husband, of age, residing at Dorchester, Neb.; Arthur Vaughn, a son, of age, residing at Lohigh, Utah; Melissa Deromitsch, a daughter, of age, residing at Chester, Neb.; Susie Clark, a daughter, of age, residing at Beloit, Kans.; Ethel Allen, a daughter, of age, residing at Savanna, Mo.; Bessie Kirby, a daughter, of age, residing at Parks, Kans.; James Vaughn, a son, of age, residing at Savanna, Mo., and Milo Vaughn, a son, age 19, residing at Lineville, Ia.

And praying that regular administration be waived, and a decree be entered barring creditors and fixing the date of her death and the degree of kinship of her heirs and the right of descent to said real estate. Said petition will be heard March 15, 1918, at 9 o'clock a. m. at the office of the County Judge in said county.

Notice to Creditors. Estate No. 1529 of Benjamin A. Dikeman, deceased in the county court of Lincoln County, Nebraska.

The State of Nebraska, to all persons interested in said Estate take notice that the time limited for presentation and filing of claims against said estate is Sept. 15, 1918, and for settlement of said estate is February 8, 1919, that I will sit at the county court room in said county, on March 15, 1918, at 9 o'clock a. m., and on September 15, 1918 at 9 o'clock a. m. to receive, examine, hear, allow, or adjust all claims and objections duly filed.

Notice of Final Report. Estate No. 1469 of Henry J. Cohagen, deceased in the county court of Lincoln County, Nebraska.

The state of Nebraska, to all persons interested in said Estate take notice that the administrator has filed a final account and report of his administration and a petition for final settlement and discharge as such, which have been set for hearing before said court on March 8, 1918 at 9 o'clock a. m. when you may appear and contest the same.

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Estimate of Expense. Notice is hereby given that on the 16th day of January, 1918, the county commissioners of Lincoln County, Nebraska, proceeded to make and did make the following estimate of expenses for the year 1918.

Table with 2 columns: Item, Amount. Includes General fund, Bridge fund, Road fund, County Agent, Special Building, Precinct and Bridge Districts, Osgood Precinct bridge bond, and interest, Birdwood bond and interest, S. P. H. bond and interest, Platte bond and interest, 1500.00, Hardsy bond and interest, 500.00, East Platte Precinct bond and interest, 2,000.00.

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No. 3 Precinct and Bridge Districts. Osgood Precinct bridge bond and interest, 750.00, Birdwood bond and interest, 1,500.00, S. P. H. bond and interest, 1,500.00, Platte bond and interest, 1,500.00, Hardsy bond and interest, 500.00, East Platte Precinct bond and interest, 2,000.00.

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