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WHAT DOES THIS MEAN

Does it mean anything to you to know that your American Red Cross: Is supporting 50,000 French children?

Sends supplies to 3,423 French military hospitals?

Provides 2,000 French hospitals with surgical dressings?

Is operating thirty canteen at the front line?

one part of the war zone, and in anoth- night.

kets, etc., all the way from the sea-board to the Swiss Border?

Has warehouse capacity of 100,000 Has 400 motor cars and operates

seven garages, making all repairs? two weeks after it began operating in

Started a thousand different activities in Italy at the time that nation day morning at Washington, and was in a most critical condition? Has established five hospitals in England and operates a workshop for

hospital supplies employing 2,000 wo-And that 120,000 cases of supplies

have been received at the Paris headquarters from the United States? That's where your money is going.

Think it over "NOTHING TO WORRY ABOUT."

(A French Soldier's Litany.) (Roy Cochran, now in France sends

friend.) not you have nothing to worry about. "If you are you have two alterna-

nothing to worry about two alternatives, either you are on re- The immediate practical necessity is serve, or you are on the fighting line, that, without delay, increases in rates

If you are in reserve you have nothing to worry about. "If you are on the fighting line, you bractically half of the year 1918 must have two alternatives, either you scrap can be made effective altho increases or you don't. If you don't you have can be made effective altho increases in operating expenses have advanced

ing to worry about.

either you recover or you don't. If smaller crew and thus release men for you recover you have nothing to worry about. If you don't and have followed Kearney Hub. my advise clear through, you have done with werry forever."

Finland's New Flag.

The Russian revolution will probably result in lengthening the list of the world's flags by several additions. Finland, which, since March, has ceased to be a grand duchy and has declared her independence and status as a republic, has now decided on her national rolors. She will have three different standards: the national flag, the flag of the merchant service, and that of the pilot and customs services. The national colors are those which were acclaimed at the time of the revolution, the yellow lion of Finland surrounded by nine white roses on a red ground. The flag of the merchant service will have a yellow perpendicuiar cross on a red ground and in the top right-hand corner, nine white roses set symmetrically in three rows. The pilot and customs services flag will be the same, except that it will carry the yellow of Finland instead of the white

Fought With Owl.

roses.

An employee of the Helena Land and Lumber company near Perkins, a short distance north of Escanaba, Mich., had a desperate encounter with a huge owl while walking through the woods late at night.

His first warning of the attack was when he was struck on the head and his for cap pulled off. The great claws of the bird next were fastened to his skull and his face.

After a desperate fight in the dark the man succeeded in securing a good hold on the owl and killed it by dashing its head against a tree. The owl is on exhibition at the camp and is said to be the largest ever killed in that vicinity.

\$500,000 for Muskrat Skins. The annual January fur auction closed at St. Louis with sales totaling

aproximately \$8,850,000. A lot of 710,000 muskrats brought \$500,000. Many of the skins brought \$1.50 each, an average price for good pelts being 75 cents. A few years ago muskrat skins sold on the market at low as five cents each. A collection of beaver brought \$25 per skin and the small lot of martin from Alaska set s record price of \$57 each.

Extraordinarily high prices paid this year were said to be due to the high quality of the furs,

More than \$50 buyers from all parts of the world attended the sale.

FUEL SHORTAGE FOR NEXT WINTER IS PREDICTION NOW.

The fuel administration "does not make any concealment of the prospect that there will be a coal shortage dur- Koch, and county clerk. One Year by Mail in Advance ... \$1.25 ing the present coal year," says a One Year by Carrier in Advance \$1.50 statement in which the public again statement in which the public again county poor, \$23.00. was urged to order its coal for next

> The requirements for the year for bituminous coal as ascertained by the administration experts," says the statement, "indicate that the production will fall considerably short of the necessary amount. The national ad-TO YOU, OUR READER. ministration is devoting its efforts toward removing, so far as possible, the deliveries of coal for domestic purposes and essential war puroses from the freight congestions on the railroads, that are sure to come with the winter season.

ARE YOU SURE.

OF A GOOD small grain crop this Year? YOU ARE IF THE HAIL DON'T Is operating six other canteens at GET IT, OLD LINE COMPANIES will French railway junctions serving 30,- protect you FOR 100 CENTS ON THE 000 French soldiers daily?

DOLLAR. Cash and note rates the protect you FOR 100 CENTS ON THE Geo. C. White trees for Sutherland DOLLAR. Cash and note rates the bridge allowed for \$30 and disallowed Operates a movable hospital in four same, will take your note due Sept. for \$120. units, accommodating 1,000 men? Ist. TO SAVE MONEY GET OUR Bond Is operating a children's refuge in RATES FIRST, at your service day or

er a medical center and traveling dispensary, both capable of handling more than 2,000 children?

Has opened a long chain of warehouses stocked with hospital supplies, food, soldlers' comforts, tobacco, blanders, and all the way from the sea-

Boost Raffroad Rates.

On and after June 10, 1918, all passenger fares on railroads operating in Nebraska will be increased to 3 cents a Has shipped 46 freight carloads of mile, with corresponding increases in supplies to Italy from France within charges for baggage. On and after June 25, 1918, all freight rates, intrastate and interstate will be increased 25 per cent. The order was issued Moncopies of the new tariffs are now on file with the state rallway commission.

In a statement issued to the public Monday morning, Secretary McAdoo says that these increases are neces-sary in view of the fact that the increased wage scale and the additional costs attached to operation, such as coal and oil and material and supplies which will increase operating expense: his year over 1917 by from 830 to 860 millions. In part the secretary says:

"While these increased operating costs will be subject to readjustments following to a North Platte and may be somewhat diminished yet on the other hand because of the ab-"You have two alternatives, either normal methods by which business you are mobilized or you are not. If must be conducted to serve the needs of the war they may be substantially increased. It seems clear that the ralltives, either you are in camp or at the roads should be made self-sustaining front. If you are in camp you have and that sufficient revenues should be provided to prevent them from becom-"If you are at the front, you have ing a burden on the reactical necessity is should be made to provide for these increased costs of operation. At best "If you do not you have nothing to worry about.

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"If you do, you have two siternatives, June 4. Burlington trains will leave the Taft gave the old man a 50-cent piece. either you get slightly hurt or you get Union Pacific station, the Burlington Mr. Bohler, afterward hearing of the adly hurt. If slightly, you have noth, depot being closed. This is done as a war measure, so that the business of If badly, you have two alternatives, both stations may be handled with a service on other parts of the line .-

When an energetic hard-working nan feels unduly tired, half. sick, blue" and discouraged he thinks he s getting lazy. It isn't laziness, the the 50 cents. rouble is in the stomach and bowels; hey are disordered. To restore en- swered the old negro. "I got in a tight rgy, vim and activity the right remedy is Prickly Ash Bitters. It is a powerful system regulator.—Price \$1.25 per bottle.—Gummere-Dent Drug

COMMISSIONERS' PROCEEDINGS.

Board met porsuant to adjournment

H. J. Willy, bridge work, \$124.50. Joseph Spies, road work, \$42.95. O. M. Clement, road work, \$10,00 W. J. Cuff, road work, \$7.50 Cart Long, road work, \$20.00. Frank Purdy, road work, \$6.00

Jess Long, road work, \$45.00. A. J. Clopp, ditch work. \$55.00, E. M. Leach, haying roads, \$35.75 P. Zauler, appointed road overees Dist. 9 and bond approved, W. R. Weakley appointed read overeer Dist. 24 and bond approved.

Chas. Leypoldt, road dragging, \$33 Geo. C. White, damages road 390,

Carl Fletcher, road work, \$27.25. Asron Bothwell, road work, \$6.00. John Baty, road work, \$3.80. John Discoe, road work, \$25.00. John Biehl, road work, \$19.00. Archie Discoe, road work, \$15.00. Everett Sawyer, road work, \$15.00. E. W. Wayman, road work, \$10.00. Carl Fletcher, road work, \$21.30. John Discoe, road work, \$15.00. Archie Discoe, road work, \$9.00. Oren Robinson, road work, \$22.50 D. F. Dameron, road work, \$16.50.

Sundry persons, ditch work at Brady

WOULD HANG ON TO QUARTER

Negro Was Determined to Have Something by Which He Could Remember President's Gift.

It occurred when Mr. Taft was presldent. He was in Augusta, Ga., and a barbecue was to be given in his honor at Mr. C. S. Bohler's country place.

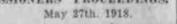
Mr. Taft was expected to be on hand at a certain hour. The roads were misleading, and fearing to be late he bade the chauffeur stop and inquire directions of an old negro man who trudged along. "Can you tell me where Mr. Bohler's place is?" asked the

"Yes, sir, I kin, cayse I works dar myself." The way as pointed out was somewhat vague, so Mr. Taft told the old man to jump in by the side of the chauffeur and act as guide. Upon arriving at Mr. Bohler's home, Mr.

incident, called the recipient, saying: "Uncle Tom, I hear the president gave you fifty cents. You ought to prize that and keep it always as a souvenir.

replied.

"I tell you how it was, boss," anplace and I had to git dat money changed. I spent one quarter, but I'm a gwine to keep dat udder quarter sho



present Springer, Herminghausen and Claim of Nelson & Co., mdse, for Joe Spies, dragging roads and haul-

ing gravel, \$23,40. John Ware, dragging roads. \$7.00,

Bond of Dick Rannie, as deputy grveyor, approved. Sam Fackler, road work, \$23.00.

.H E. Graham, road work, \$12.50 Frank Bothwell, road work, \$25.00 Lloyd Kniseley, road work, \$10.00 Frank Boethwell, road work, \$9.00

Thos. Gass, estimate No. 1 Osgood state aid bridge, \$7,107,50.

Sundry persons, survey road No. 289 \$82.15

Adjourned to June 3, 1918.
A. S. ALLEN, County Clerk.

"I sho will do dat," the old negro

A few weeks later Mr. Bohler inquired of Uncle Tom if he still had



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Warship Repairs.

Over and above the great activity of the British yards in building new warships, particularly destroyers, and the construction of merchant ships, an has to be devoted to repairs. In a recent speech Sir Eric Geddes said "During one month the number of war Artifical Ice. vessels which needed repairs was nearly 1,000-that is, in addition to the 1,100 merchant ships-and that was by no means an abnormal month. Since the beginning of the war 31,000 was vessels, including patrol craft and mine sweepers, have been docked or placed on the ways, and these figures do not include repair work done to the vessels of our allies."

Add to this the arming of the vast fleet of British merchant vessels, and we have some conception of the enormous task of shipbuilding, equipping and repairing carried on by the British edmiralty.

Tractors for Cultivation of Rice. The French government of Cochin China has become interested in the employment of caterpillar tractors for the cultivation of rice. On September 29, 1917, a 45 horse power track machine valued at more than \$5,900 United States currency, was purchased tele graphically. If the experiment is successful, larger orders will follow. Everything depends upon whether the tractor can operate in the soft rice-paddy fields of Cochin China.

Tokyo Grows in Importance. The prosperity of Greater Tokyo city is shown by the increased taxes over last year, the average being 37 per cent. In the eight tax-collection districts the total exceeds 99,000,000 yen (\$49,500,000); the rates of increase vary from 91/2 per cent in the Yotsuya district to 50 per cent in the Ryogoku and 72 per cent in the Yeltal districts, where the offices and residences of the narikin are located.

Why He Was Short. "This man says you owe him money,

Sam," said the judge. "Dat's right, judge, I does." "Well, why don't you pay him?"

"Why. I hain't got nothin' t' pay him wiv, judge." "Well, why haven't you?" "To tell de hones' truf, judge, spects my wife has felled down on de

No Wonder.

"I called Smith a hard name just "He doesn't seem to be displeased."

"Why should he be? I told him he was a brick."

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Notice to Creditors Estate No. 1559 of Marie L. Cohn, deceased in the county court of Lincoln

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 Sept 28th, 1918, and for settlement of said second hand machines. Estate is May 24th, 1919; that I will sit at the county court room in said county on June 28, 1918 at 9 o'clock a. m. and on Sept. 28, 1918, at 9 o'clock a. m., to receive, examine, hear, or adjust all claims and objections duly filed. Wm. H. C. WOODHURST, Co. Judge.

Notice of Petition. Estate No. 1564 of Thomas Simants, deceased in the county court of Lin-

coln 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 the will of Thomas Simants deceased and for the appointment of Mary A. Simants as executrix of said estate, which has been set for hearing herein on June 21, 1918, at 9 o'clock

Dated May 27, 1918. WOODGATE & ABERNATHY, Wm. H. C. WOODHURST, Co. Judge Corner 7th and Locust, North Patte.

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Notice to Creditors. Estate No. 1555 of Henry C. Bretzer, leceased in the County Court of Lin-

oln County, Nebraska. The State of Nebraska, ss: Creditors of said estate will take notice that the time limited for presentation and filing of claims aganst said Estate is December 7, 1918, and for settlement of said Estate is May 3, 1919; that I will sit at the county court room in said county. Farmers this is the year and the on June 7, 1918, at 9 o'clock a. m., and

> Wm H C. WOODHURST, m7-4wks. County Judge.

Legal Notice.

William A. Hayes, defendant Will take notice that on the 27th day of March, 1918, Coates Lumber & Coal Co. plaintiff herein, filed its petition and affidavit for attachment in the county court of Lincoln county, Nebraska, against William A. Hayes, the object and prayer of which is to collect from defendant the sum of \$1,000.00 for goods, wares and mer-chandise sold defendant by plaintiff on an account stated. That the following property of defendant has been attached in such action to-wit: One Elcar Automobile, and money of the defendant in the First National Bank of North Platte, has been attached

by garnishee process. Plaintiff prays for an order that such attached property and money be applied to the satisfaction of the amount found to be due the plaintiff. You are required to answer said petition on or before June 10th, 1918. COATES LUMBER & COAL COM-

PANY, Plaintiff, By Hoagland & Hoagland, its Attys.

Notice to Creditors. Estate No.....of Frederick Hein. deceased in the County Court of Lin-

coln 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 September 14th, 1918, and for settle-ment of said estate is May 10th, 1919; that I will sit at the county court room in said county, on June 14th, 1918, at 10 o'clock a. m., and on September 14th, 1918, at 10 o'clock a. m., to receive, examine, hear, allow

Sheriff's Sale. By virtue of an order of sale issued from the District Court of Lincoln county, Nebraska, upon a decree of foreclosure rendered in said Court wherein James A. Fike, is plaintiff, Res. Black 1020 and Will Outtrim is defendant, and to me directed, I will on the 8th day of June, 1918, at 2 o'clock p. m., at the east front door of the Court House in North Platte, Lincoln county, Nebraska, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, to satisfy said decree, interest and costs, the tollowing described property to-wit: Northwest one-fourth (NW14) of section twenty-nine (29) in township sixteen (16) north of range thirty-two

Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of my Artisan's lien and my lien for storage, I will on the 15th day of June, 1918, at 2 P. M. at my garage at 505 North Dewey street, sell for the purpose of satisfying the amount due thereon, one Chalmers Six Automobile known as "Old Bechan Car on which been placed another body, the present owner of which is one Fletcher; the amount due for storage on said car is \$55'00 and the amount due for work, labor and material placed upon said car is \$91.50 making a total of \$146.50 now due as a lien upon said car and necessary to satisfy the lein thereon; said storage and labor being due against said car for the period beginning about July 1, 1917 and ending May 23, 1918

Notice of Birdwood Irrigation District. Notice is hereby given that the assessor in and for the Birdwood Irriga. ion Disfict, Lincoln county, Ne-braska, has completed his assessment book and has delivered the same to the secretary and the board of directors are hereby called to meet at the office of the secretary at the residence of Mrs. W. B. McNeel on SE% of Sec. 36, township 15 north, range 32 west of the 6th principal Meridian, Tuesday June 4th, 1918, at 2 p. m. to sit as a board of equalization and to hear and receive objections to the assessment and to remain in session as long as necessary not to exceed ten days, during which time all objections to the assessment and valuation will be heard and determined

MARY C. McNEEL, Sec'y.

(32) west of the sixth P. M. Lincoln county, Nebraska. Dated North Platte, Neb., May 6th, A. J. SALISBURY, Sheriff. NOTICE

Omaha, Nebraska. m24-3 ROY BUSKIRK

Dated this 20th day of May, 1918.

or adjust all claims and objections duly filed Wm. H. C. WOODHURST, m14-4wks County Judge.