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Writings of the Late Mr. Bratt.

Not many of our people knew that the late John Bratt had literary tastes, but such was true, and during his later years he not only wrote his autobiography, but was the author of many poems.

Two of Mr. Bratt's poems were read at his funeral, and they are of so much merit that we re-produce them:

GROWING OLD.

(By John Bratt.)

A little more tired at the close of day, A little less anxious to have my way, A little less ready to scold and blame,

A little more care for a brother's name;

And so I am nearing my journey's end Where Time and Eternity meet and blend.

A little less care for bonds and gold, A little more zest in the days of old, A broader view and a saner mind, And a little more love for all mankind;

A little more careful of what I say, And thus I am traveling down the way.

A little more love for the friends of youth,

A little less zeal for established truth, A little more charity in my views, A little less thirst for the daily news;

And so I am folding my tent away And passing in silence at close of day.

A little more time to sit and dream, A little more real are the things unseen.

A little bit nearer to those ahead, With visions of those long loved and dead;

And so I am going where all must go To a place the living may never know.

A little more laughter, a few more tears,

And I will have told my increasing years,

The book will be closed and the prayers be said,

And I will be one of the countless dead;

Thrice happy, then, if some soul can say

I lived because he has passed this way.

SATURDAY NIGHT.

(By John Bratt.)

When the toil of the week days are over And rest comes to muscle and brain, There's a feeling of peace and thanksgiving

For respite from wearisome strain, Then the tasks and the cares are forgotten, The hearts that were heavy grow light,

For the weary are then realizing The blessings of Saturday night.

Time of rest, by the millions awaited, How gladly its coming they greet, For it takes them from the din of the workshop

The strife of the mart and the street, Like the vessels long tossed by the ocean

That gladly some friendly port seek, They rejoice as they enter the haven That's found at the end of the week.

Then the brain that is wearied of thinking, The hand that is stiffened by toil, Find a season of sweet relaxation

That's free from all care and turmoil, Then the smiles come again to the faces

And laughter floats out on the air, The complaints and the sorrows are banished

And all in the gayety share.

There's a whole day of rest still before them, But swiftly its moments will fly, So the tasks and the cares are forgotten,

And the hearts that were heavy grow light, When earth's weary millions thus welcome

The coming of Saturday night.

"A Modern Musketeer." The next time you go to the Grand Canyon in Arizona, take along the family clothes line and when you get there tie it from one precipice to another

deftly and back to a high escarpment again, and then proceed to climb it up and down. If possible, secure the services of a pretty, sixteen-year-old girl with blond curls

and a haphazard smile, and save her from the Hopi Indians by "carrying her on your back as you go hand over hand several hundred feet on your rope, while the canyon yawns beneath you.

In case you don't care for this form of winter exercise, the next best thing you can do is to sequester enough fitness to take you to the Keith Theatre where "A Modern Musketeer" will show Monday and Tuesday. That's the name of Doug Fairbanks' newest Arctarct film piece.

Doing is obtained through pre-natal influence—whatever that is—to be so chivalrous and heroic that he saves fair maidens right and left, to the distress of most of them and the high amusement of those who are privileged to see him do it on the screen.

In the doing Mr. Fairbanks gets away with ten or a dozen hairbreadth stunts such as the mind of normal man never conceived. And does he win the sixteen-year-old blond pippin in the end? Well, if you were the girl, what would you say?

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SOLDIER LIFE ISN'T BAD SAYS HARRY LANNIN.

Harry Lannin, late an employe of The Tribune, who left with sixteen others last Saturday for the training school at the state university writes: "Well we got here after a slow trip

on a dirt train and then they marched us about a mile down the street in a hot sun and when we arrived at the university we were sure tired.

The last four days we have been learning how to drill. Our measures have been taken and I presume we will soon have our uniforms. If you don't weaken, the soldier life isn't bad, not nearly so irksome as I thought it would be before getting into it.

The officers are sure good fellows. We get plenty to eat at every meal and the food is good enough for anybody."

Do any of our readers know Verne Jenkins? If so please inform him that his R. O. T. C. coat awaits him at this office, having been picked up on the road west of town.

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The Ogallala Round Up.

The Third annual Round Up at Ogallala, Neb., July 3, 4 and 5 is one of the big attractions of the state which attracts people from all over the union.

Ogallala was the end of the old Texas Trail and the Round Up is given to perpetuate the memory of the old days.

Big purses are given for twelve events including Cow boys bucking horse contests, Steer bull dogging, Steer roping and Cow girls bucking horse riding.

The Round Up is given under the auspices of the Keith County Community Club which has made an enviable reputation by giving a big show at moderate prices.

Notice is hereby given that any party caught or known to be swimming, with out regulation bathing suits, in the river near the south river bridge or in the irrigation ditch near the west cemetery, will be arrested and fined to the full extent of the law. Remember this notice and act accordingly.

A. J. SALISBURY, Sheriff

Christian Science service Sunday at 11 a. m., Sunday school 12 noon. Wednesday evening meetings 8 p. m., Building and Loan building, Room 25

COMMISSIONERS' PROCEEDINGS.

June 17, 1918. Board met pursuant to adjournment, present Herminghausen, Koch and County Clerk.

Claims were allowed as follows: Clarf of A. H. Stack, for bridge plank or District 10, \$19.35.

A. H. Stack, labor putting plank in bridge, \$7.00.

O. L. Johnson, dragging roads, Com. Dist. 2, \$10.50.

John Mathread, dragging roads, Dist. 1, \$7.50.

Vesper McCormick, hauling gravel, Dist. 1 \$87.00; disallowed for \$3.00.

Sundry persons, hauling gravel, Dist. 1, \$150.00

Joe Spies, hauling gravel, Dist. 1, \$26.40.

S. B. Marr, house rent county poor, \$9.00.

John Frazer, bridge inspector, month of May, \$125.00.

North Platte Genl. Hospital, services county poor, \$46.70.

Chas. Klein, hauling and constructing bridge in Districts 42 and 21. Adjourned until June 24, 1918.

A. S. ALLEN, County Clerk.

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THE IMPORTED PERCHERON STALLION "NABOB"

No. 97352 Will make the season of 1918 as follows: Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays at the Mogensen Feed and Sale Barn, North Platte, Neb., beginning April 9th.

Balance of the week, except Sunday, at my farm six miles west of North Platte and three-fourths of a mile southeast of Birdwood switch.

NABOB was foaled May 24, 1913, and imported with this mother by North & Robinson, of Grand Island, in July, 1913. Was bred by M. Despres, Department of Orne, in France. This horse weighs 1780, is clean and sound in every particular, and is as good as you will find anywhere.

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War News.

Secretary Baker has withdrawn his opposition of the draft age limit from 18 to 45. Early reports on the reclassification of men by local boards indicate that 250,000 men taken from other classes will be placed in class one.

A plan is under way for training troops of the South American republic in the United States and fitting them for service in France.

War between the United States and Turkey now looms as a result of the sacking of the American hospital at Tabriz, Persia, by invading Turkish troops and the seizure of the American and British consulates.

Fierce attacks are being made by the Austrians to overcome the Italian resistance along the Piave but the defensive line still holds. Apparently the enemy sees his only hope of success in enlarging his gains across the Piave, having been given a disastrous check in the mountains from west of Asiago to the Piave.

Standing firmly before the war-stricken city of Rheims, the French have checked a new German drive launched Wednesday night five days after the offensive on the Montdidier-Noyon line came to a halt. In the fighting the active battle front has been extended to a point five miles southeast of the Cathedral city. The front over which the new attack was launched is approximately 14 miles in length.

The entire estate in this country of Mrs. Lily Busch, widow of Adolphus Busch, late millionaire brewer of St. Louis, Mo., has been taken over by the government under the alien property law, and Allen Property Custodian Palmer is planning to offer it for sale.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Stuart announce the marriage of their daughter Irene to Henry E. Jacobs, of Denver, which took place Wednesday. The young couple will reside in Denver.

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Notice of Final Report.

Estate No. 1528 of William M. Hay, deceased in the county court of Lincoln county, Nebraska.

The state of Nebraska, to all persons interested in said Estate take notice that the administratrix has filed a final account and report of her administration and a petition for final settlement and discharge as such administratrix and for final decree of distributing which have been set for hearing before said court on July 5th, 1918 at 10 o'clock a. m. when you may appear and contest the same.

Dated June 8th, 1918. WM. H. C. WOODHURST, County Judge.

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, and Will Outtrim is defendant, and to me directed, I will on the 13th day of July, 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 following described property to-wit:

Northwest one-fourth (NW 1/4) of section twenty-nine (29) in township sixteen (16) north of range thirty-two (32) west of the sixth P. M. Lincoln County, Nebraska.

Dated North Platte, Neb., June 10th, 1918.

A. J. SALISBURY, Sheriff.

Notice of Final Report.

Estate No. 1525 of Henry F. Doebeke, deceased in the county court of Lincoln county, Nebraska.

The State of Nebraska, to all persons interested in said Estate take notice that the administratrix has filed a final account and report of her administration and a petition for final settlement and discharge as such administratrix, which have been set for hearing before said court on July 5th, 1918 at 9 o'clock a. m., when you may appear and contest the same.

Dated June 10th, 1918. WM. H. C. WOODHURST, County Judge.

Notice of Petition.

Estate No. 1565 of Caroline Teltz, 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 the last will and testament of Caroline Teltz and the appointment of Oscar J. Sandall as Executor of said will of Caroline Teltz which has been set for hearing herein on June 28, 1918, at 9 o'clock a. m. in the County Court Room in said county.

Dated May 29, 1918. Wm. H. C. WOODHURST, County Judge.

Notice to Creditors.

Estate No. 1559 of Marie L. Cohn, deceased in the county court of Lincoln county, Nebraska.

The State of Nebraska, as: 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 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. 23, 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 Final Report.

Estate No. 1478 of Joseph M. Wilson, deceased in the county court of Lincoln county, Nebraska.

The State of Nebraska, to all persons interested in said estate take notice that the Executrix has filed a final account and report of her administration and a petition for final settlement and discharge as such, which have been set for hearing before said court on July 12th, 1918, at 9 o'clock a. m. when you may appear and contest the same.

Dated June 15, 1918. Wm. H. C. WOODHURST, County Judge.

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