

Leafless are trees; their purple branches  
Spread themselves abroad, like reefs of  
coral.  
Rising silent  
In the Red Sea of the winter sunset.

From the hundred chimneys of the vil-  
lage,  
Like the Ariet in the Arabian story,  
Smoky columns  
Tower aloft into the air of amber.

At the window winks the flickering fire-  
light.  
Here and there the lamps of evening  
glimmer,  
Social watch fires  
Answering one another through the dark-  
ness.

On the hearth the lighted logs are glow-  
ing,  
And like Ariel in the cloven pine tree  
For its freedom  
Groans and sighs the air imprisoned in  
them.

By the fireside there are peace and com-  
fort,  
Wives and children, with fair, thoughtful  
faces,  
Waiting, watching  
For a well known footstep in the pas-  
sage.

### Chance Treasure.

BY ELIZABETH CHERRY WALTZ.  
Author of "Tongue of Flame," Etc.  
(Copyright, 1901, by Daily Story Pub. Co.)  
One day Dr. Francis Hastings was in  
the wards of a New York hospital. It  
was part of his duty as one of the in-  
ternes or house physicians to take an  
early run through the surgical wards.

As he passed from bed to bed some  
one caught at his hand. It was a new  
patient, brought in the day before from  
an emergency hospital uptown. The  
doctor bent over him at the agonized  
clutch. Drops of agony stood upon the  
man's black brow.

"Suffering, are you? I will give you  
a little relief," he said kindly.

The doctor had shapely white hands.  
The patient watched them as if pleased  
as he administered a hypodermic in-  
jection.

"Are you a rich man?" he whispered  
hoarsely, "or a poor one?"

Dr. Hastings shook his head and  
smiled bitterly. The question chimed in  
well with his thoughts. His term at  
the hospital would expire in exactly  
three weeks. He had chosen no spot  
in which to settle, and he was in love  
with the daughter of a wealthy man  
who had politely asked him the day  
before, to discontinue his visits.

"I am as poor as you are," he re-  
torted after he had closed his syringe  
case.

"Say, I wish you would look after me  
a little. I'll make you rich whether I  
get well or not. Honest, I will."

The doctor smiled again. He was  
used to vagaries and delirium in pa-  
tients.

The man struggled up on his elbow.  
"You don't believe that. Before God,  
if I had not this stab in me I would  
have been at sea this morning, going  
after gold and a plenty of it."

The doctor listened a moment in  
spite of himself.

"I'll make a bargain. I ain't a living  
soul to see after me. If you will,  
I'll get the money and make you rich.  
If I die, I'll tell you where it is. I  
want you to see that I'm buried out  
of the potter's field."

His eyes glittered. Half to pacify  
him the doctor promised. From that  
time he had a master who assured him  
that he would be his lifelong benefac-  
tor.

His first order was about the old  
clothes that were on him when he was  
brought into the ward. Dr. Hastings  
found them—a filthy bundle.

"They've been sterilized," he said to  
the nurse who frowned.

"What's that?" asked the patient  
grimly.

Dr. Hastings explained. The man  
chuckled and when the nurse moved  
on he said:

"Cooked my old clothes, did you?  
Didn't know you was bilin' up half a  
million?"

He borrowed the doctor's knife,  
ripped open the lining of the coat and  
took from it an oilskin pouch.

"Throw 'em to the dogs, now," he  
said with an oath. "That's all I want."

"I see it. It is buried deep. But you  
have made a mistake. You are  
not near it."

This produced a visible excitement.  
"His island was one of three. Two  
are now submerged reefs. All vessels  
avoid them. See the scarlet buoy for  
danger! It floats in a line with the  
middle isle. 'Tis but a rock point."

"Where is it?" asked the doctor.

"To the northward. We passed it  
yesterday. The box is broken, the  
coin is scattered in the rock crevices.  
There have been shocks, earthquakes,  
what not? You will find it. Yes, I see  
you with the broken box lid."

The guests were disappointed at the  
girl's restoration.

"How real it was!" they exclaimed.  
"Positively theatrical. One would  
think there was actually buried treas-  
ure about. What a wonderful power  
of suggestion you have, Dr. Hastings!"

The yacht made a fast run to the  
hotel. The guests had a delightful  
trip.

They would have been amazed on  
the next Sunday morning could they  
have seen two wet and grimy men  
working on a rocky islet a hundred  
miles away. They brought up old gold  
coins by the bucket-full and set steam  
straight for a port where they could  
bank gold coin safely.

That night old McDonald received a  
telegram:

"A cool four hundred thousand dol-  
lars left me. Am still a suitor for Miss  
Flora McDonald. Address me at Tam-  
pa Bay Hotel at once.

"Francis Hastings."

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all, but stands in its own light.

pirate. This treasure was buried on  
the island marked red on the map.  
Dr. Hastings was a cool-headed  
young man, but his heart leaped. If  
the improbable could come true, he  
might yet aspire to the hand of Flora  
McDonald. Only yesterday he had  
spoken to her for a few brief moments.  
"We go to Florida next month," she  
said. "I wish I could see you there."

Black Caesar's treasure came into  
his mind.

"Stranger things have happened," he  
made reply to her.

Still he would not have been able to  
go had it not been for De Long Cutter.  
He met him after leaving Florida and  
heard that Cutter intended to go down  
the coast in his yacht for February and  
March.

"I wish you would take me to St.  
Augustine," he said, with a sudden re-  
solve. "I have a queer errand there."

He told Cutter of the marked island  
and of the treasure. Cutter's rather  
insipid face brightened up.

"Why, of course, I'm your man.  
You're too good a fellow to be lost to  
our clubs anyhow. I wish you'd get  
your half million. Plenty of girls to  
marry."

Dr. Hastings smiled meaningly.  
In early February the yacht was run-



"See the scarlet buoy for danger."

ning up and down the western coast  
of Florida, touching here and there at  
small islands. The hopelessness of his  
task soon dawned upon the doctor. The  
map seemed correct as to the coast  
contour, but there were three islands,  
either of which seemed to be the very  
one indicated by the red cross. Several  
guests of the yacht who did not  
know the story clamored for the Tam-  
pa Bay Hotel and its delights.

"We'll run there and land them and  
come back," said Cutter on the fourth  
day.

At the hotel Dr. Hastings found  
Flora McDonald with her mother. He  
had a long talk with her. He told her  
of the quest, showed her the map and  
his dilemma.

"It is my wild and foolish hope of  
winning you," he whispered.

After a time she asked him if it  
could be arranged that a yachting  
party would go down the coast, she to  
be chaperoned by a young married  
woman who was a distant relative of  
the Cutters.

"It may be nonsense," she said  
softly, "but we were all hypnotized last  
winter at her house, and I found a  
handkerchief that was hidden. They  
say I am a good subject."

Cutter was called in and entered into  
the conspiracy to carry a few tried and  
true souls on the cruise. Mrs. Mc-  
Donald was averse to Flora's trip, but  
finally gave her consent.

The third day found them among  
the islands. Dr. Hastings was to hypno-  
tize Flora and suggest to her a search  
for the treasure. The rest of the party  
thought it but a huge joke and jest.  
They gathered in the cabin to witness  
the test.

The young girl readily sunk into  
the hypnotic state under the doctor's  
passes.

"There is treasure buried on one of  
these islands," suggested the doctor,  
his voice trembling in spite of himself.  
"A black man, some black sailors,  
buried it. Can you find it?"

In a little time, Flora said in a faint  
voice:

"I see it. It is buried deep. But you  
have made a mistake. You are  
not near it."

This produced a visible excitement.  
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are now submerged reefs. All vessels  
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### LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS.

#### Legal Notice.

The northeast quarter of section thirteen  
(13) in township twenty-five (25) north of  
range eleven (11), west in Holt county  
Nebraska, and the heirs of William H.  
Thompson, deceased, defendants, will take  
notice that on the 23rd day of April 1901,  
Leone Skirving, plaintiff, filed his petition in  
the district court of Holt county, Nebraska,  
against the northeast quarter of section  
thirteen (13) in township twenty-five (25)  
north of range eleven (11), in Holt county,  
Nebraska, and the unknown heir of William  
H. Thompson, deceased, defendants, the  
object and prayer of which petition is to  
foreclose a tax lien, owned and held by the  
plaintiff, upon the northeast quarter of sec-  
tion thirteen (13) in township twenty-five (25)  
north of range eleven (11), in Holt county,  
Nebraska, and which land was purchased by  
plaintiff from the county treasurer of Holt  
county, Nebraska, at a private tax sale for the  
delinquent taxes due and owing thereon for the  
year 1899. The plaintiff alleges that said land  
was sold to him by the county treasurer of  
Holt county, Nebraska, in the year 1899 and it was duly  
levied thereon as follows:

In 1899, ten dollars and eighty-seven cents  
[80.87], and said taxes became delinquent  
and said land was duly advertised for sale  
for said delinquent taxes by the county  
treasurer of Holt county, Nebraska, and the  
taxes remained unpaid until paid by the  
plaintiff at said tax sale. That said sale is  
invalid as a tax sale, but under the  
provisions of the Statute of the State of  
Nebraska, the plaintiff is subrogated to the  
right of the County of Holt in the State of  
Nebraska under its lien thereon for said delinquent taxes and  
due the plaintiff upon said tax lien the sum  
of thirteen dollars and five cents [13.05], for  
which sum with interest on twelve dollars  
[12.00] at ten per cent per annum from this date. Plaintiff  
prays for a decree that defendant be re-  
quired to pay the same or that said premises  
may be sold to satisfy the amount found  
due.

You are required to answer said petition on  
or before the 30th day of June, 1901.  
Dated this 25th day of April, 1901.  
Leone Skirving, Plaintiff.

#### Legal Notice.

The east half of section twelve (12) in town-  
ship twenty-five (25) north of range eleven (11)  
west, in Holt county, Nebraska, and the un-  
known heirs of William H. Thompson, de-  
ceased, defendants, will take notice that on  
the 23rd day of April 1901, Leone Skirving,  
plaintiff, filed his petition in the district  
court of Holt county, Nebraska, against the  
east half of section twelve (12) in town-  
ship twenty-five north of range eleven (11)  
west of the Sixth principal meridian, in  
Holt county, Nebraska, and the unknown  
heirs of William H. Thompson, deceased, de-  
fendants, the object and prayer of which peti-  
tion are to foreclose a tax lien, owned and held by the  
plaintiff, upon the east half of section twelve  
(12) in township twenty-five (25) north of  
range eleven (11), west of the Sixth principal  
meridian, in Holt county, Nebraska, and  
which land was purchased by plaintiff from  
the county treasurer of Holt county, Nebraska,  
at a private tax sale, for the delinquent taxes  
due and owing thereon for the year 1899.  
The plaintiff alleges that said land was  
subject to taxation in Holt county, Nebraska,  
in the year 1899, and that the same was  
assessed for taxation in said county in said  
year and that taxes were duly levied thereon  
as follows:

In 1899, twenty-five dollars and fifty-two  
cents [25.52], and said taxes became delin-  
quent and said land was duly advertised  
for sale for said delinquent taxes by the  
county treasurer of said county. In October  
1899 and said taxes remained unpaid until  
paid by the plaintiff at said tax sale. That  
said sale is invalid as a tax sale, but under  
the provisions of the Statute of the State of  
Nebraska, the plaintiff is subrogated to the  
right of the County of Holt in the State of  
Nebraska, under its lien thereon for said delinquent  
taxes and which taxes the plaintiff paid.  
There is now due the plaintiff upon said tax  
lien the sum of twenty-eight dollars and  
forty cents [28.40], for which sum with in-  
terest on twenty-eight dollars [28.00], there-  
of at ten per cent per annum from this  
date. Plaintiff prays for a decree that de-  
fendants be required to pay the same or that  
said premises may be sold to satisfy the  
amount found due.

You are required to answer said petition on  
or before the 30th day of June, 1901.  
Dated this 25th day of April, 1901.  
Leone Skirving, Plaintiff.

#### Legal Notice.

The east half of northeast quarter and the  
southeast quarter of section two (2) in town-  
ship twenty-five (25) north of range eleven  
west, in Holt county, Nebraska, and the un-  
known heirs of William H. Thompson, de-  
ceased, defendants, will take notice that on  
the 23rd day of April 1901, Leone Skirving,  
plaintiff, filed his petition in the district  
court of Holt county, Nebraska, against the  
east half of the northeast quarter and the  
southeast quarter of section two (2) in town-  
ship twenty-five (25) north of range eleven  
(11) in Holt county, Nebraska, and the un-  
known heirs of William H. Thompson, de-  
ceased, defendants, the object and prayer  
of which petition are to foreclose a tax lien,  
owned and held by the plaintiff, upon the  
east half of the northeast quarter and the  
southeast quarter of section two (2) in town-  
ship twenty-five (25) north of range eleven  
(11), west of the Sixth principal meridian,  
in Holt county, Nebraska, and which land  
was purchased by plaintiff from the county  
treasurer of Holt county, Nebraska, at a  
private tax sale for the delinquent taxes due  
and owing thereon for the year 1899. The  
plaintiff alleges that said land was sub-  
ject to taxation in Holt county, Nebraska,  
in the year 1899, and that the same was  
assessed for taxation in said county in  
said year and that taxes were duly levied  
thereon as follows:

In 1899, fifteen dollars and twenty-six  
cents [15.26], and said taxes became delin-  
quent and said land was duly advertised  
for sale for said delinquent taxes by the  
county treasurer of said county in October  
1899 and said taxes remained unpaid until  
paid by the plaintiff at said tax sale. That  
said sale is invalid as a tax sale, but under  
the provisions of the Statute of the State of  
Nebraska, the plaintiff is subrogated to the  
right of the County of Holt in the State of  
Nebraska, under its lien thereon for said delinquent  
taxes and which taxes the plaintiff paid.  
There is now due the plaintiff upon said tax  
lien the sum of twenty-one dollars and  
sixty cents [21.60], for which sum with in-  
terest on twenty-one dollars [21.00], there-  
of at ten per cent per annum from this  
date. Plaintiff prays for a decree that de-  
fendants be required to pay the same or that  
said premises may be sold to satisfy the  
amount found due.

You are required to answer said petition on  
or before the 30th day of June, 1901.  
Dated this 25th day of April, 1901.  
Leone Skirving, Plaintiff.

#### LEGAL NOTICE.

All of section one (1) in township twenty-  
five (25) north of range eleven (11) west, in  
Holt county, Nebraska, and the unknown  
heirs of William H. Thompson, deceased,  
defendants, will take notice that on the 23rd  
day of April 1901, Leone Skirving, plaintiff,  
filed his petition in the district court of  
Holt county, Nebraska, against all of section  
one (1) in township twenty-five (25) north  
of range eleven (11) in Holt county, Nebraska,  
and the unknown heirs of William H.  
Thompson, deceased, defendants, the object  
and prayer of which petition are to foreclose  
a tax lien, owned and held by the plaintiff  
upon all of section one (1) in township  
twenty-five (25) north of range eleven (11)  
west of the Sixth principal meridian in Holt  
county, Nebraska, and which land was  
purchased by plaintiff from the county  
treasurer of Holt county, Nebraska, at  
private tax sale for the delinquent taxes due  
and owing thereon for the year 1899. The  
plaintiff alleges that said land was sub-  
ject to taxation in Holt county, Nebraska, in  
the year 1899 and that it was duly assessed for  
taxation in said county in said year and that  
taxes were duly levied thereon as follows:

In 1899, fifty dollars and eighteen cents,  
[50.18], and said taxes became delinquent  
and said land was duly advertised, for  
sale for said delinquent taxes by the county  
treasurer of said county in October, 1899 and  
said taxes remained unpaid until paid by the  
plaintiff at said tax sale. That said sale is  
invalid as a tax sale, but under the  
provisions of the Statute of the State of  
Nebraska, the plaintiff is subrogated to the  
right of the County of Holt, in the State of  
Nebraska, under its lien thereon for said delinquent  
taxes and which taxes the plaintiff paid.  
There is now due the plaintiff upon said tax  
lien the sum of fifty-seven dollars and thirty-eight  
cents [57.38], for which sum with interest on  
fifty dollars [50.00], there-of at ten per cent  
per annum from this date, the plaintiff  
prays for a decree that defendant be re-  
quired to pay the same or that said premises  
may be sold to satisfy the amount found  
due.

You are required to answer said petition  
on or before the 30th day of June, 1901.  
Dated this 25th day of April, 1901.  
Leone Skirving, Plaintiff.

### LEGAL NOTICE.

To Theodore Schläefer and Nicholas Bastgen,  
defendants: You will take notice that on the 7th day  
of May, 1901, Nicholas Schläefer filed his peti-  
tion in the district court of Holt county,  
Nebraska, against you, together with Regina  
Schläefer, administratrix of the estate of  
Phillip Schläefer, deceased, and the First  
National Bank of O'Neill, Nebraska, the  
object and prayer of which petition is to  
obtain partition of the southwest quarter  
of section three (3) in township twenty-five  
(25) north of range eleven (11), west of the  
Sixth principal meridian, in Holt county,  
Nebraska, and which land was purchased  
by plaintiff from the county treasurer of  
Holt county, Nebraska, at a private tax sale  
for the delinquent taxes due and owing  
thereon for the year 1899. The plaintiff  
alleges that said land was subject to tax-  
ation in Holt county, Nebraska, in the year  
1899, and that the same was assessed for  
taxation in said county in said year and  
that taxes were duly levied thereon as  
follows:

In 1899, fifty dollars and eighteen cents,  
[50.18], and said taxes became delinquent  
and said land was duly advertised, for  
sale for said delinquent taxes by the county  
treasurer of said county in October, 1899  
and said taxes remained unpaid until paid  
by the plaintiff at said tax sale. That said  
sale is invalid as a tax sale, but under the  
provisions of the Statute of the State of  
Nebraska, the plaintiff is subrogated to the  
right of the County of Holt, in the State of  
Nebraska, under its lien thereon for said delinquent  
taxes and which taxes the plaintiff paid.  
There is now due the plaintiff upon said tax  
lien the sum of fifty-seven dollars and thirty-eight  
cents [57.38], for which sum with interest on  
fifty dollars [50.00], there-of at ten per cent  
per annum from this date, the plaintiff  
prays for a decree that defendant be re-  
quired to pay the same or that said premises  
may be sold to satisfy the amount found  
due.

You are required to answer said petition  
on or before the 30th day of June, 1901.  
Dated this 25th day of April, 1901.  
Leone Skirving, Plaintiff.

To Theodore Schläefer and Nicholas Bastgen,  
non-resident defendants: You will take notice  
that on the 7th day of May, 1901, Nicholas  
Schläefer filed his petition in the district  
court of Holt county, Nebraska, against you,  
together with Regina Schläefer, administratrix  
of the estate of Phillip Schläefer, deceased,  
and the First National Bank of O'Neill, Ne-  
braska, the object and prayer of which are to  
obtain partition of the southwest quarter of  
section three (3) in township twenty-five  
(25) north of range eleven (11), west of the  
Sixth principal meridian, in Holt county,  
Nebraska, and which land was purchased  
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Holt county, Nebraska, at a private tax sale  
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prays for a decree that defendant be re-  
quired to pay the same or that said premises  
may be sold to satisfy the amount found  
due.

You are required to answer said petition  
on or before the 30th day of June, 1901.  
Dated this 25th day of April, 1901.  
Leone Skirving, Plaintiff.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF HOLT  
COUNTY, NEBRASKA.  
Richard H. Jenness, Plaintiff.

The unknown heirs of Richard J. Malloy, de-  
ceased, Michael Tierney, Mary Tierney,  
Dave Tierney and Eddy Tierney, the adult,  
parts of the said Malloy, deceased, in the  
city of O'Neill, Nebraska, same being 180  
feet east and west and 125 feet north and  
south, defendants.

The above-named defendants will take  
notice that on the 8th day of May, 1901,  
Richard H. Jenness, plaintiff, filed his peti-  
tion in the district court of Holt county,  
Nebraska, against the above-named de-  
fendants, and the prayer of which petition  
is to obtain partition of the southwest  
quarter of section three (3) in township  
twenty-five (25) north of range eleven (11),  
west of the Sixth principal meridian, in  
Holt county, Nebraska, and which land  
was purchased by plaintiff from the county  
treasurer of Holt county, Nebraska, at a  
private tax sale for the delinquent taxes due  
and owing thereon for the year 1899. The  
plaintiff alleges that said land was sub-  
ject to taxation in Holt county, Nebraska,  
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assessed for taxation in said county in  
said year and that taxes were duly levied  
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quired to pay the same or that said premises  
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due.

You are required to answer said petition  
on or before the 30th day of June, 1901.  
Dated this 25th day of April, 1901.  
Richard H. Jenness, Plaintiff.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.  
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.  
LAND OFFICE AT O'NEILL, NEB.  
April 29, 1901.

Notice is hereby given that the following  
named settler has filed notice of his in-  
tention to make final proof in support of his  
claim, and that said proof will be made  
before the register and receiver at O'Neill,  
Nebraska, on July 3, 1901, viz:

MYRON E. SPARKS, J. C. E. No. 6836, for  
W. S. NEELY, S. E. 1/4, Sec. 12, T. 25, N. 12 W.

He names the following witnesses to prove  
his continuous residence upon and cultiva-  
tion of said land, viz:

H. W. Shaw, Joseph Davis, Darwin J.  
Sparks, Warren J. Sparks all of O'Neill, Ne-  
braska.

43-6up S. J. WEEKES, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.  
Department of the Interior,  
Land Office at O'Neill, Neb.  
April 10, 1901.

Notice is hereby given that the following  
named settler has filed notice of his in-  
tention to make final proof in support of his  
claim, and that said proof will be made  
before the register and receiver at O'Neill,  
Neb., on May 18, 1901, viz:

LOUIS J. TOWNSEND, T. O. E. No. 6631 for  
the S. E. 1/4, sec. 29, Twp. 29, R. 10 W.

He names the following witnesses to prove  
his continuous residence upon and cultiva-  
tion of said land, viz:

M. Johnson, Elias Brown, and Elmer Reed,  
of Page and M. D. Long of O'Neill.

41-6up S. J. WEEKES, Register.

NOTICE.  
J. Dixon Avery, defendant, will take notice  
that on the 27th day of March, 1901, Edwin H.  
Bernard filed his petition in the district  
court of Holt county, Nebraska, praying  
judgment against you for the sum of \$2,977.02  
with interest and cost of suit. That there-  
of \$2,000.00 is due to the plaintiff by the  
defendant as per judgment of the clerk of  
said court directed to the sheriff of  
said county directing the said sheriff to levy  
said attachment upon any property belong-  
ing to you in said county. The said sheriff  
has returned said writ of attachment show-  
ing a levy upon the following described  
property, to-wit: the southwest quarter of  
section eighteen, township twenty-seven, range  
fifteen, Holt county, Nebraska.

You are required to answer said petition  
on or before the 27th day of May, 1901.  
Dated this 12th day of April, 1901.  
Edwin H. Bernard, Plaintiff.

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By Courtwright & Eider, attorneys.

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