

RUINS OF ST. PAUL'S.

Origin of Macaulay's Phrase in an Eighteenth Century Poem. It has long been understood that the real inventor of Macaulay's famous New Zealander was Horace Walpole...

Poems, by a young Nobleman, of Distinguished Abilities, lately deceased; particularly, The State of England, and the once flourishing City of London.

Mr. Dobell explains that, though the book is dated 1730, the poem in it on London is dated March 21, 1771.

Uncultivated regions, we advanced Towards fam'd Augusta's towers, on the Thames

How fallen from that env'y'd height; what time She rul'd the subject nations, and beheld The Spaniard crouch beneath her spear...

These were my thoughts whilst thro' a falling heap Of shapeless ruins far and wide diffus'd, Paul's great Cathedral, from her solid base...

WHOLE OR HALF TRUTHS.

Better be single in peace than married in war. The rock of success isn't located in a field of roses.

The fellow who objects to discipline needs it the most. You can inherit ability, but you've got to hustle for experience.

The optimist has an easy time of it. He smiles while others work. It doesn't cost anything to say "good morning" even if it's raining.

Some folks ought to take their consciences out once in awhile for exercise. Silence isn't always golden.

The talker with something to say is worth a dozen keep stills. The optimist who thinks that folks are civilized should yell "Fire!" to a crowded house and watch results.

From "Gumpton," by N. C. Fowler, Jr.

A Shopgirl's Fines.

It was not a very cheerful memorandum and the shopgirl's look was not very cheerful either as, on pay night, she brought it home to her mother.

It was a memorandum of the fines that had taken a good slice out of her wages, and it ran:

Standing on chair \$0.10 Leaving less than one yard on ribbon roll10 Permitting patron to depart unserved05 Lateness05 Gum chewing05 Error in addition05 Writing indistinct duplicate10 Error in address10

Total \$0.55 "There are 100 rules posted up in our little shop," said the girl bitterly, "and an infraction of any one of them is finable."—New York Press.

Good Listeners.

In conversing with one's friends nothing is so chilling as an apparent lack of attention and sympathy. It might be added that nothing is more vulgar were not the listener's indifference common to the majority of our most cultured people.

A Tough Problem. The following letter received at this office has been referred to the Lancaster Literary society: "I married a widower and went to live in the home where he had lived with his first wife.

Maledictions. Ethel—I suppose I shall have to wear this veil. It's the only one I have. It's so thick one can hardly see my face through it. Edith—Oh, wear it, by all means. Everybody says you never had on anything half so becoming.

He is an Important Official and Gets a Good Salary.

When private affairs or other matters make it impossible for our lawmakers to attend to their duties in house or senate a "pair" is made out with a member of the opposition and filed with the clerk.

In parliament there is an official to prepare these pairs and to act as "whip" for his party, the place carrying with it a salary of \$10,000 as patronage secretary.

The parliamentary whip is something more than an arranger of pairs, however, for his chief duty lies in seeing that all members of his party are present when there is likely to be a need of their vote, and for this purpose he sends out through his assistants notices in which the importance of the events to come is shown by the number of the underscored lines used.

A one line whip, wherein the subject of the debate and other information are underscored but once, is not regarded as being particularly pressing, but a two line whip commands attention, and a three line whip means that the recipient who absents himself is liable to find himself in disfavor with his party.

In parliament pairing is a matter arranged by the whips of the opposing parties and not by those who seek to escape their duties. At times there are humorous mistakes made as each seeks to pair off some one who would in any event remain away.

Owing to the low prices prevailing for flaxseed last fall there seems to be a tendency to cut it out, and in this the writer believes a mistake will be made.

The comparatively low prices at which the last crop was marketed were not due to the size of the crop itself, but to the fact that the accumulated reserves carried forward from the large crops of 1902 and 1903, which had been artificially held off the market, were released, and did more than anything else to depress the price.

The world's situation on flax is very strong, stronger than at any time since 1901, and with nothing in sight to make it weak.

Europe's principal sources of supply, Argentine and India, are both short in their crops; Argentine with a shortage of 23 per cent compared with 1905, and with barely 50 per cent of the crop of 1904; the Indian crop is just being harvested, and it is known that the drought at seeding time worked material damage to the crop.

Aside from the foreign situation, the domestic outlook, of itself, is strong enough. Consumption is increasing materially every year, and last year's crop would have been barely sufficient to supply domestic demands.

As the commissioner appointed to locate a road commencing at northwest corner of section 2, township 31, range 12, thence south on section line between section 2 and 3 and 10 and 11 the distance of two miles to the north east corner of section 11 and 14 to the north east corner of 14-31-12 and there terminate, has reported in favor of the establishment thereof, and all objections thereto or claims for damages, must be filed in the County Clerk's office on or before noon of the 3d day of September, 1906, or such road will be established without reference thereto.

A Tragic Finish. A watchman's neglect permitted a leak in the great North Sea dyke, which a child's finger could have stopped, to become a ruinous break, devastating an entire province of Holland.

A Hard Lot. To all whom it may concern: The commissioner appointed to locate a road commencing at the southeast corner of section 16 in township 31 N of range 13 W of 6th p. m., and running thence north on section line 1/2 mile, thence east on 1/2 line through section 15 and a part of section 14 to a point 9.08 chains west of 1/2 corner between section 14 and 13, thence south 71 degrees 10 min., east 57 27 chains, thence south 42 degrees 27 min., east 24.24 chains, to south line of section 13 at a point 10.60 chains west of the south east corner of said section 13-11-13 and there terminate, has reported in favor of the establishment thereof, and all objection thereto or claims for damages, must be filed in the County Clerk's office on or before noon of the 3d day of September, A. D. 1906, or such road will be established without reference thereto.

Take the Postmaster's Word for It. Mr. F. M. Hamilton, postmaster at Cherryvale, Ind., keeps also a stock of general merchandise and patent medicines. He says: "Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy is standard here in its line. It never fails to give satisfaction and we could hardly afford to be without it." For sale by Gilligan & Stout.

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First publication July 19. CONTEST NOTICE

Department of the Interior, United States Land Office, O'Neill, Nebraska, July 19th, 1906.

A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by Oliver P. Miller, contestant, against homestead entry No. 20,103, made December 10th, 1904, for the SE 1/4 section 15, township 32N., range 12W., by Jessie Gallentine, Contestee, in which it is alleged that said Jessie Gallentine has never established a residence on said tract of land and has wholly abandoned the same for more than six months last past and that said alleged absence from the said land was not due to her employment in the army, navy or marine corps of the United States as a private soldier, officer, seaman or marine during the war with Spain or during any other war in which the United States may be engaged, said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond an offer evidence touching said allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on August 23d, 1906, before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office in O'Neill, Nebraska.

The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed July 19th, 1906, set forth facts which show that after due diligence personal service of this notice can not be made it is hereby ordered and directed that this notice be given by due and proper publication.

SANFORD PARKER, Receiver.

First publication July 12. NOTICE

To Omer Sweigart, non-resident, defendant: You are hereby notified that on the 11th day of July, 1906, Blanche G. Sweigart, plaintiff, filed a petition against you in the District Court of Holt County, Nebraska, the object and prayer of which are to obtain a divorce from you on the grounds that you have willfully abandoned the plaintiff, without good cause, for the term of more than two years last past. Plaintiff further prays for the custody and control of your and her minor child.

You are required to answer said petition on or before Monday, the 20th day of August, 1906. Dated at O'Neill, Nebraska, this 11th day of July, 1906. BLANCHE G. SWEIGART, Plaintiff.

First publication July 19. NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, Land Office at O'Neill, Nebraska, July 13, 1906.

Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention 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 August 24, 1906, viz. Frank Benash of Turner, Nebraska, for the H. E. No. 16733 for SE 1/4, SE 1/4 section 10, E 1/2, NE 1/2, SE 1/2, section 15, T. 31N., R. 12W.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: John Moler, of Turner, Neb.; Jens Johnson, of O'Neill, Neb.; Otto E. Clewlish, of O'Neill, Neb.; William Sawyer, of Turner, Neb.

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S. J. WEEKES, Register.

First publication July 5. ROAD NOTICE.

To all whom it may concern: The commissioner appointed to locate a road commencing at northwest corner of section 2, township 31, range 12, thence south on section line between section 2 and 3 and 10 and 11 the distance of two miles to the north east corner of section 11 and 14 to the north east corner of 14-31-12 and there terminate, has reported in favor of the establishment thereof, and all objections thereto or claims for damages, must be filed in the County Clerk's office on or before noon of the 3d day of September, 1906, or such road will be established without reference thereto.

W. P. SIMAR, County Clerk.

First publication July 12. LEGAL NOTICE.

The Farmers Loan & Trust Company, a corporation, Pierce, Wright & Company, a corporation and Harrison Holt, defendants will take notice that on the 21st day of June, A. D. 1906, Joseph N. Miller, plaintiff, filed his petition in the District Court of Holt County, Nebraska, against said defendants, the object and prayer of which are to quiet and confirm in the plaintiff the title and right of possession to the SE 1/4 of section 23, township 30, N. range 10 west of the 6th P. M. in Holt County, Nebraska, and to remove certain apparent cloud from his said title created by various conveyances made to each of said defendants, and enjoin said defendants or any person claiming by, through or under said defendants from claiming or asserting any right or title in and to said described premises adverse to the plaintiff or interfering in any manner with the plaintiff or his grantees in the possession of said premises, and for general equitable relief.

You are required to answer said petition on or before Monday, August 20th, A. D. 1906. Dated July 7th, 1906. JOSEPH N. MILLER, Plaintiff, by FRED H. FREE, his Attorney.

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To all whom it may concern: The commissioner appointed to locate a road commencing at the southeast corner of section 16 in township 31 N of range 13 W of 6th p. m., and running thence north on section line 1/2 mile, thence east on 1/2 line through section 15 and a part of section 14 to a point 9.08 chains west of 1/2 corner between section 14 and 13, thence south 71 degrees 10 min., east 57 27 chains, thence south 42 degrees 27 min., east 24.24 chains, to south line of section 13 at a point 10.60 chains west of the south east corner of said section 13-11-13 and there terminate, has reported in favor of the establishment thereof, and all objection thereto or claims for damages, must be filed in the County Clerk's office on or before noon of the 3d day of September, A. D. 1906, or such road will be established without reference thereto.

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First publication June 28. NOTICE.

To Frank A. Parsons and wife, Mary Parsons, George A. Young and wife, Mrs. George A. Young (real name unknown) J. L. Teeters (real name unknown) the Benjamin Allen Company and Olney-Hill Company, non-resident Defendants.

You and each of you are hereby notified that W. E. Guthrie, has commenced an action in the District Court of Holt County, Nebraska, against you and each of you, the object and prayer of said action being to foreclose a certain mortgage given by the defendants Frank A. Parsons and wife to James H. Norrick on the 13th day of August, 1902, on the following described real estate situated in Holt County, Nebraska, to-wit: The southwest quarter of section 9, west half of the west half of section 14, east half of the east half of section 15, northwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section 17 and the north half of the southwest quarter and the southwest quarter of section 8, township 25, north of range 13 west of the 6th p. m., to secure their five promissory notes for the sum of \$360 each, the first one falling due December 1st, 1903, and one each year thereafter, the last one falling due December 1st, 1907.

Plaintiff alleges that he is the owner of the last four mentioned notes and that no part thereof has been paid or in any manner satisfied and by reason of the defendants' failure to pay the two notes of \$360 each which became due December 1st, 1904, and December 1st, 1905, that under the terms of said mortgage he is entitled to foreclose said mortgage for full amount secured thereby and plaintiff elects as is provided he may in said mortgage to declare the full amount secured thereby to be due and payable. Plaintiff alleges that there is now due and payable to him of and from the defendants the sum of \$1900; that in this amount is included \$82.50 paid in redemption of said land for taxes. Plaintiff prays that the defendants be required to pay the same or that said premises be sold to satisfy the amount found due and that the interest of each of the defendants be decreed to be subject to his said mortgage and that said mortgage be decreed to be a first lien on said premises, and for other equitable relief.

You are required to answer said petition on or before the 6th day of August, 1906. R. R. DICKSON, Attorney for Plaintiff.

First publication July 12. CONTEST NOTICE.

Department of the Interior, United States Land Office, O'Neill, Nebraska, July 10th, 1906.

A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by Henry A. Sparling, contestant, against homestead entry No. 19457, made July 21st, 1904, for the W 1/2 and N 1/2, NE 1/2, 21st, township 26 N, range 16 W, by William L. Paddock, contestee, in which it is alleged that said William L. Paddock has never established a residence on said tract of land and has wholly abandoned the same for more than six months, last past, and that said alleged absence from the said land was not due to his employment in the army, navy or marine corps of the United States as a private soldier, officer, seaman or marine during the war with Spain or during any other war in which the United States may be engaged, said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on August 17, 1906, before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office in O'Neill, Nebraska.

The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed July 10th, 1906, set forth facts which show that, after due diligence, personal service of this notice can not be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given by due and proper publication. SANDFORD PARKER, Receiver.

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You are required to answer said petition on or before Monday, August 20th, A. D. 1906. Dated July 7th, 1906. JOSEPH N. MILLER, Plaintiff, by FRED H. FREE, his Attorney.

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W. P. SIMAR, County Clerk.

CHICAGO & NORTHWESTERN RAILWAY. TRAINS EAST. *Passenger, No. 4, 3:00 a. m. *Passenger, No. 6, 9:40 a. m. *Freight, No. 116, 3:35 p. m. *Freight, No. 64, 12:01 p. m.

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