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First publication Feb 11

### Order of Hearing on Probate of Foreign Will.

State of Nebraska, Holt county, ss. In the Probate Court of said county. In the matter of the estate of John E. Jones, deceased.

On this 10th day of February, A. D. 1909, Ann E. Jones filed her petition in this court and presented an authenticated copy of the last will and testament of John E. Jones, deceased, late of Wakarusa, Wakarusa county, Wisconsin, the prayer of said petition being that a day be fixed by this court for the purpose of approving and allowing said last will and testament, and causing the same to be filed and recorded in this office.

It is, therefore, hereby ordered that Saturday, the 27th day of February, A. D. 1909, at 10 o'clock a. m., be fixed for hearing said petition, when all persons interested in said matter may appear and show cause why the prayer of said petition should not be granted; and that notice of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof be given to all persons interested in said matter by publishing a copy of this order in The Frontier, a weekly newspaper printed in said county, for three weeks prior to said day of hearing. 34-3 (Seal) C. J. MALONE, County Judge.

First publication Feb 10

### In the District Court of Holt County, Nebraska.

In the Matter of the Estate and Guardianship of Martin Barrett, an Incompetent Person.

NOTICE OF SALE. Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an order of J. J. Harrington, one of the judges of the district court, made on the 10th day of February, 1909, for the sale of the interest of Martin Barrett in and to the real estate hereinafter described, there will be sold at the front door of the court-house in the city of O'Neill, Holt county, Nebraska, on the 1st day of March, 1909, at ten o'clock a. m., at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, all the right, title, claim and interest of the said Martin Barrett in and to the following described real estate, situated in Holt county, Nebraska, to-wit: The northwest quarter of section twenty (20) and the southwest quarter of section seventeen (17) and the north half of section nineteen (19) and the south half of the southeast quarter and the northeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section eighteen (18), all in township thirty-three (33) north, of range fifteen (15), west of the Sixth P. M., containing 760 acres more or less. Said sale will remain open one hour.

Dated this 11th day of February, 1909. R. R. DICKSON, Guardian of the Estate and Person of Martin Barrett. 34-3

### In the County Court of Holt County, Nebraska.

In the Matter of the Estate and Guardianship of Martin Barrett, an incompetent person.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION TO SELL PERSONAL PROPERTY. Now on this 16th day of February, 1909, this cause came on for hearing on the application of R. R. Dickson, guardian of Martin Barrett, an incompetent person, for license to sell the personal property belonging to said estate. On consideration whereof it is ordered that his said application be heard at my office in the court house in the city of O'Neill, Holt county, Nebraska, on the 23rd day of February, 1909, at 10 o'clock a. m., at which time all persons interested in said estate may appear and show cause if any they have why said license should not be granted.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be published in the O'Neill Frontier in its regular issue of February 18, 1909.

Given under my hand and the seal of the county court affixed this 15th day of February, 1909. (Seal) C. J. MALONE, County Judge.

[First publication Feb. 18.]

### Order of Hearing on Probate of Foreign Will.

State of Nebraska, Holt county, ss. In the probate court of said county. In the matter of the estate of Gustave A. Peterson, deceased.

On this 15th day of February, A. D. 1909, Carl E. Peterson and John E. Peterson filed their petition in this court, and presented an authenticated copy of the last will and testament of Gustave A. Peterson, deceased, late of Lyman county, state of South Dakota, the prayer of said petitioner being that a day be fixed by this court for the purpose of approving and allowing said last will and testament, and causing the same to be filed and recorded in this office. It is therefore hereby ordered, That Tuesday, the 9th day of March, A. D. 1909, at 10 o'clock a. m. be fixed for hearing said petition, when all persons interested in said matter may appear and show cause why the prayer of said petition should not be granted; and that notice of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, be given to all persons interested in said matter by publishing a copy of this order in The Frontier, a weekly newspaper printed in said county, for three weeks prior to said day of hearing. (Seal) C. J. MALONE, County Judge.

[First publication Feb. 18.]

### Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of an order of sale, directed to me from the clerk of the district court of Holt county, Nebraska, on a judgment obtained before the Judge of the district court of Holt county, Nebraska, on the 4th day of March, 1907, in favor of Alfred A. Nixon and Cassius W. Spargur, partners doing business as the Iowa Commission company, as plaintiffs, and against Daniel J. Cronin, as defendant, for the sum of Five hundred twelve and no one-hundredth dollars (\$512.00) and the costs taxed at \$29.45 and accruing costs, I have levied upon the following real estate taken as the property of said defendant, to satisfy said order of sale, to-wit:

The south one-half of section seven (7), and the south half of the northwest quarter of section seven (7), and the northwest quarter of section eighteen (18), township thirty (30) range eleven (11), west of the 6th P. M. in Holt county, Nebraska. Also the south one-half of section twelve (12), and the southeast quarter of section thirteen (13), township thirty (30) range twelve (12), west of the 6th P. M. in Holt county, Nebraska. And will offer the same for sale to the highest bidder for cash, in hand, on the 22nd day of March, A. D. 1909, in front of the court house in O'Neill, Holt county, Nebraska, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, when and where due attendance will be given by the undersigned. Dated at O'Neill Holt county, this 15th day of February, 1909. 35-5 C. E. HALL, Sheriff of Holt County.

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The south half of section seven (7), and the south half of the northwest quarter of section seven (7), and the northwest quarter of section eighteen (18), township thirty (30) range eleven (11), west of the 6th P. M. in Holt county, Nebraska. Also the south one-half of section twelve (12), and the southeast quarter of section thirteen (13), township thirty (30) range twelve (12), west of the 6th P. M. in Holt county, Nebraska.

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### REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

## O'Neill National Bank

of O'Neill, Neb., Charter No. 5770

At the close of business, Feb. 5, 1909.

| RESOURCES   |              |
|---|--------------|
| Loans and discounts   | \$155,207 76 |
| Overdrafts, secured and unsecured   | 651 17       |
| U. S. bonds to secure circulation   | 50,000 00    |
| Premium on U. S. bonds  | 26,850 79    |
| Banking house furniture & fixtures  | 5,000 00     |
| Due from national banks (not reserve agents)                                    | 3,862 31     |
| Due from state and private banks and bankers, trust companies and savings banks | 359 93       |
| Due from approved reserve agents  | 26,850 79    |
| Notes of other national banks   | 190 00       |
| Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents                                    | 7 81         |
| Legal money reserve in bank, viz: Specie  | \$4,589 10   |
| Legal tender notes  | 2,576 00     |
| Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)                | 2,500 00     |
| Total   | \$233,174 87 |

### LIABILITIES

|  |              |
|--|--------------|
| Capital stock paid in                          | \$50,000 00  |
| Surplus fund                                   | 8,000 00     |
| Undivided profits less expenses and taxes paid | 582 76       |
| National bank notes outstanding                | 50,000 00    |
| Due to other national banks                    | 5,498 80     |
| Due to state and private banks and bankers     | 15,401 81    |
| Individual deposits subject to check           | 74,933 64    |
| Time certificates of deposit                   | 49,627 96    |
| Total  | \$233,174 87 |

State of Nebraska, County of Holt, ss. S. J. WEEKES, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. S. J. WEEKES, Cashier.

Correct—Attest: O. O. Snyder, H. P. Dowling, J. P. Gilligan, Directors. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of February, 1909. R. R. Dickson, Notary Public. My Com. expires Sept. 26, 1914

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The chronicles of Venice tell that in the earlier part of the seventeenth century a certain stranger, a man of dark and sinister aspect, arrived in the city. His name was Tebaldo. He appears to have been a man of unruly passions, of great intellectual power, but one whose talents found their chief outlet in crime.

One day he observed a beautiful girl leaving church, attended in a manner which showed she belonged to a family of high degree. She was, in fact, the daughter of an ancient and noble house. He fell violently in love with her. Though far removed from him in station, his blind passion took no count of this fact, and he determined to sue for her hand.

There proved to be, however, a more insuperable obstacle to his suit. The girl was already betrothed to another, a young nobleman of almost equal rank and fortune. The knowledge did not deter Tebaldo, who boldly presented himself before the girl's parents in the capacity of a suitor for her hand. As might have been expected, he met with a curt and unceremonious rebuff.

The repulse rankled in his mind. Enraged beyond measure, he shut himself up in his own house and there secretly studied a means of revenge. Profoundly skilled in the mechanical arts, he allowed himself no rest until he had invented a most formidable and death dealing weapon. This was a large key, the handle of which was so constructed that it could be turned at will.

When it was thus turned a secret spring was disclosed, which, on being pressed, launched from the key head a fine needle or lancet. The latter was of such delicate construction that it penetrated the body of the victim and buried itself deep in the flesh without leaving any external trace.

The marriage of the betrothed couple was fixed to take place in the principal church in Venice on a certain day. Before the ceremony Tebaldo, cunningly disguised, stationed himself at the church door armed with his diabolical weapon. As the bridegroom was about to enter the building the concealed watcher pressed the spring and sent the deadly steel lancet into the breast of his victim. The young nobleman had no suspicion of injury at the moment. In the midst of the ceremony, however, he was seized with a sharp spasm of pain and sank fainting on the steps of the altar. He was hurriedly conveyed to his home, where the leading Venice physicians were summoned to attend him. In spite of their unremitting efforts he sank and died, nor were they able to discover the nature of the mysterious and fatal seizure.

With the removal of his rival, Tebaldo once more presented himself before the girl's parents and renewed his request for her hand. Their refusal to listen to him sealed their doom. In what manner he accomplished it is not known, but within a few days both had been done to death in the same sudden and mysterious fashion.

The exalted rank of the victims created a profound sensation, and when, on examination of the bodies, a fine steel instrument was found in the flesh terror became universal. The citizens feared for their lives. The utmost vigilance was exercised on the part of the authorities, but as yet no suspicion fell upon Tebaldo.

The bereaved girl retired to a convent, where she passed the first months of mourning in sorrowful seclusion. Tebaldo, however, sought her out in her retreat and begged to speak to her through the grating.

His dark, evil face had always been displeasing to her, but since the death of her betrothed and parents it had become repulsive. When, therefore, in the course of the interview he pressed her to fly with him he met with an instant and indignant refusal. Her scorn stung him to the quick. Beside himself with rage, he brought his deadly weapon once more into play and succeeded in wounding the girl through the grating, the obscurity of the place preventing his action from being observed.

On her return to her room the girl felt a sharp pain in her breast. Examination of the spot showed that it was dotted with a single drop of blood. Physicians were hastily summoned. Taught by past experience, they wasted no time in vain conjecture, but cut into the flesh and extracted the slender steel, thus saving the girl's life.

The dastardly attempt occasioned a public outcry. The visit of Tebaldo to the convent became known and caused suspicion to turn upon him. The emissaries of the law descended suddenly upon him, his house was searched, and there the abominable invention was discovered. Swift justice followed, and he ended his days upon the scaffold.

The key is still preserved in the arsenal at Venice.—Chambers' Journal.

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