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Hot! And then hotter.

The Austrian cabinet has resigned, and Austrian public is.

The threshing machines are working over time these days.

A man likes to think that the weather is what makes him feel so lazy.

Among other things, Germany is now engaged in collecting a great fleet of hardships.

If a man abuses his stomach when he is young his stomach will abuse him when he is old.

The nights are not so bad.

But it is good old summer time.

No man can be anything but a patriot.

"Me und Gott" will soon dissolve partnership.

Patriotism and profiteering both begin with the same letter, but one means patriotism and the other means selfish greed.

In a majority of cases when a man refers to his wife as the "better half" it is only a polite way of acknowledging that she is the "whole thing."

The fact is that nowadays there is not seen so many queer things "Coming thro' the rye."

The German general staff thought it knew the road to Paris, but it seems to have missed the way.

There are more men who appear anxious to bury the dead than there are to help keep alive the living.

The fake headline writer should be sent to some far away island to remain till the war is over, at least.

The "seasoned German troops" are continually being peppered a little by our "raw American soldiers."

Kerensky likens the Russians nation to a "sick man." His symbolic disorder must be colic, as we know nothing which so well represents internal dissensions.

Considering how many umpires have been threatened with death and how few of them really meet it, wouldn't a work or fight order for umpires avail us some mighty serviceable soldiers?

\$350,000 worth of chewing gum—57,000,000 pieces—has been ordered of a New York firm for the use of British soldiers in France. "Chew when the dawn is breaking, chew when the shadows fall."

How can anybody have the slightest sympathy for a gang of curs who will bomb a hospital where wounded and dying soldiers are being treated.

The crown prince can console himself with the thought that clever pickpockets than he have got in a pocket and have not been able to get out.

In case there is any great need for nine sweepers in our navy, we nominate persons who throw wads of chewing gum on the sidewalks as the proper ones for those positions.

A few years ago we were marching in torchlight processions and shouting sonorous slogans, the while hot grease trickled down our necks. And, darn us we called that patriotism!

R. B. Howell will not run for governor. He has been called to a position in the navy. Mr. Howell, evidently, wants to serve where he can do the most good for his country. But how about Charley Bryan?

The door of the treasure chamber in the Arabian Nights opened to the name of the grain "Sesame." The door of Victory for the allies will open to the words "Wheat, and more wheat! American Wheat!"

Herold Crosskary is the agent for the Daily World-Herald. There has been some trouble in getting the paper by carrier regularly, but if you subscribe with Herold you can depend upon getting it every morning.

The squeakiest pair of shoes we have heard lately were worn by a piano tuner. We always had an idea a piano tuner would prefer to wear rubber heels and slip around like an undertaker.

Another woman candidate for Congress has bobbed up in Montana, with a platform demanding that there shall be an equal division of government jobs between men and women. Well, there have been some men mean enough to say that that is about the way the jobs are divided now.

We've always had food profiteering in this country—and perhaps it's expecting too much to believe that the profiteers will cease their evil practices just because the Nation happens to be engaged in a great war. It takes something more than patriotism to pound the devil out of the hearts of some men.

A "wet moon" is when one horn of the crescent of the new moon is much lower than the other, like a bowl turned up on edge and unable to hold water. The wet moon is a popular, but fallacious, sign of coming wet weather.

Umpires Baker and Crowder once called baseball out at the home plate, and then later showed a disposition to change their decision. But even with this unusual display of indecision, the players aren't baiting the arbiters as much as they used to.

Most of the editors are complaining because they have been ordered to cut off the deadheads from their mailing lists. Do you recall anybody in any other line of business who wanted to be told to cut off his free list—much less to howl about it after it was done?

Perhaps it is speaking a little too broadly to say that the death of ex-czar has caused no ripple of interest anywhere. Only a day or so ago we read the statement of a North Dakota editor that "the execution of Nicholas, in one sense, was in the nature of a crime."

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A Cincinnati doctor declares that the great American habit of spooning should be classed as nonessential until after the war and from then on. There is no information at hand concerning the age of this doctor, but it is a good bet that even if the draft were raised to men of 45, it wouldn't catch him.

FOCH, THE STRATEGIST.

When General Ferdinand Foch was placed in supreme command of the allied armies, he was hailed as Europe's greatest strategist. Halted by lack of men and equipment he was for many weeks obliged to play a simple defensive game. Allowing the enemy to advance, but at a frightful cost to German manpower, the cunning Frenchman silently played his hand. "When will the allies strike," were the impatient words heard on all sides, but Foch knew when.

When the Germans struck for the Marne, with Rheims as the apparent objective, General Foch manipulated a counter stroke which will go down as one of the most illustrious pieces of strategy in the annals of military history. First, allowing the German soldiers to advance almost to Rheims, and then pushing a spearhead down to Chateau Thierry with a vast number of troops dependent on the railway facilities at Soissons, General Foch awaited the proper moment and then he STRUCK.

Thursday morning the American and French troops went over the top on a twenty-five mile line reaching from the Aisne, near Soissons, to Chateau Thierry, on the Marne. The allied troops swept past the first day's objectives in the early hours of the morn. A maximum advance of nearly a dozen miles has been made since the offensive started. Thousands of prisoners have been taken. It has been a brilliant victory.

A defensive was suddenly turned into an offensive and the Germans were completely surprised. The communication lines between Soissons and Chateau Thierry are being subjected to the heavy fire of the allied artillery. Last night's dispatches say that the Germans are withdrawing across the Marne in the vicinity of Rheims. General Foch has won a double victory. In addition to the advance made toward Soissons, the German drive toward Rheims has been frustrated by Foch's masterful strategy. The French general has won his spurs.—Lincoln Star.

PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT

The following proposed amendment to the constitution of the State of Nebraska, as hereinafter set forth in full, is submitted to the electors of the State of Nebraska to be voted upon at the general election to be held Tuesday, November 5th, A. D. 1918:

A JOINT RESOLUTION to amend Section one (1) of Article seven (7) of the Constitution of the State of Nebraska.

Be it Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Nebraska:

Section 1. That Section One of Article Seven of the Constitution of the State of Nebraska be and the same hereby is amended by striking out the following words:

"Second. Persons of foreign birth who shall have declared their intention to become citizens conformably to the laws of the United States, on the subject of naturalization, at least thirty days prior to an election."

And inserting in the place of the words so stricken, the following words:

"Second. Persons of foreign birth who shall have become citizens of the United States by naturalization or otherwise conformably to the laws of the United States at least thirty days prior to an election."

Sec. 2. That at the general election nineteen hundred and eighteen (1918) there shall be submitted to the electors of the state for their approval or rejection the foregoing proposed amendment to the constitution relating to the right of suffrage. At such election, on the ballot of each elector voting for or against said proposed amendment, shall be written or printed the words: "For proposed amendment to the constitution relating to the right of suffrage," and "Against said proposed amendment to the constitution relating to the right of suffrage."

Sec. 3. If such amendment shall be approved by a majority of all electors voting at such election, said amendment shall constitute Section One (1) Article Seven (7) of the Constitution of the State of Nebraska.

Approved, April 9, 1918.

Attest: KEITH NEVILLE, Governor.

CHARLES W. POOL, Secretary of State.

W. A. ROBERTSON,
Lawyer.
East of Riley Hotel.
Coates Block.
Second Floor.

PASTE THIS IN YOUR HAT.

"Life" Young in Des Moines, Ia., Capital: "When the war is over unless Germany is literally crushed and the empire destroyed there will be efforts made in this country to effect peace treaties and have some bearing upon a restoration of relations between this country and Germany. American newspapers will be found saying that Germany having been crushed, must be forgiven, and that Germany, having been destroyed, must be dealt with generously. This may be the new form of German propaganda, promoted by Germany money.

"The public ought to take a hint from past experience, and apply the same to future possibilities."

RINGLING BROTHERS ANNOUNCE DATE.

Gigantic Spectacle and Thousand Arenic Sensations To Invas This Locality In Near Future.

Word comes that Ringling Brothers' mammoth circus is to exhibit afternoon and night at Omaha, Wednesday, August 7th.

Always the leaders in introducing the newest and greatest features the famous showmen this season announce the most remarkable program of their career. There is a brand new spectacle of gigantic proportions entitled "In Days of Old." Produced on the biggest stage ever built, it tells the story of the golden age of Ivanhoe, Robin Hood and King Arthur. An entire trainload of scenery is carried. The cast numbers 1,250 actors and there is an entrancing ballet of 300 dancing girls. A thousand arenic sensations follow the spectacle on the main-tenet program. There are great troupes of seals, dogs and monkeys that walk on tight ropes and ride horseback; herds of elephants in all new tricks; international athletes in feats of amazing strength; slides for life from tent-top to the ground by men suspended by the hair, and one—the great Hillary—who "jumps the gap" with skates attached to his head. The world's greatest stars, such as May Wirth, who leaps from the ground to galloping steed with baskets tied to her feet, are presented in great number. There are twice as many clowns as before, a menagerie of 1,009 splendid animals and to introduce the holiday, an all new street parade three miles long.

JUST LIKE THE TANKS.

Over there the famous "tanks" never fail to break through enemy defenses. Just so Triner's American Elixir of Bitter Wine never fails to clean the stomach. It goes irresistibly through the intestines, removes all injurious substances which made them a hotbed of morbid germs and restores appetite and digestion. It is the most reliable remedy for constipation, indigestion, headaches, nervousness, general weakness. Price \$1.10. At drug stores. It's wonderful how Triner's Lintment goes right to the seat of the pain in cases of rheumatism, neuralgia or lumbago. It helps quickly in cases of sprains, strains, swellings, sore muscles and tired feet. Price 35c and 65c at drug stores. By mail 45c and 75c. Joseph Triner Company, Mfg. Chemists, 1333-1343 S. Ashland Ave., Chicago, Ill.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

The State of Nebraska, County of Cass, In the Matter of the Estate of Margaret Mumm, deceased: In County Court. You are hereby notified that I will sit at the County Court room in Plattsmouth, in said county, on the first day of September, 1918, and on the 2d day of September, 1918, at nine o'clock a. m. of each day to receive and examine all claims against said estate, with a view to their adjustment and allowance. The time limited for the presentation of claims against said estate is three months from the first day of September, 1918, and the time limited for the payment of debts is six months from said first day of September, 1918. Witness my hand and the seal of said County Court, this 21st day of July, 1918.

From Monday's Daily. Harry Hinton was a visitor in the city this afternoon from his home near Murray.

Sol Baldwin from near Union was a visitor in Plattsmouth this morning having some business here.

Miss Alice Lister who is working in Omaha was a visiting over Sunday at her parents southwest of the city.

Albert Wurga came down from the State Farm where he is taking special training for the service and spent Sunday at home.

VISITS HERE AFTER THIRTY-SEVEN YEARS

FINDS ANOTHER CITIZENSHIP AND A MODERN CITY INSTEAD OF FORMER TOWN

From Tuesday's Daily. During the early seventies, when the Burlington were crossing the river here with a ferry having the President and the Vice President for that purpose, a man named John Petersen was a fireman on the Vice President, and with the building of the Burlington Bridge in 1880, the ferry was discontinued and when Mr. Petersen was layed off he stayed around for a short time and then drifted away, and in a short time found himself farming in Saunders county near Ceresco. Here he has lived for this more than a third of a century. The family grew and were married and the wife made homes for themselves, the wife has passed away and Mr. Petersen has moved to town, and he thought it would be nice to come to Old Plattsmouth again, and spend some three weeks fishing and seeing what of the old town remained. When he got here this morning he found like Rip Van Winkle, the town had changed and in place of the town of wooden buildings then lining Main street they have given way to large brick business blocks, and the town is changed that one would not recognize in the city today the town of that time. He looked up E. Messer and Charles Petersen and many other old timers who have disappeared from the earlier scenes. He made inquiry of Ol Butts and father but they have also gone. Mr. Petersen will spend some time here and will find after a while some people who he will know, but another citizenry almost altogether had existed at that time.

DUXBURY BOYS LIKE RADIO.

From Monday's Daily. Aubrey and Marion Duxbury arrived in the city for a short stay yesterday coming from the Great Lakes, where they are in the navy, as students in the Radio telegraph, and of which they say they like well with the mastery of the symbol and code, as well as their study in electricity much of which is needed in the occupation of wireless telegraphy.

LEGAL NOTICE.

To Pauline Oldham, as Administratrix of the estate of George J. Oldham, deceased, Richard Conway, of Lincoln; Curza J. Baker; Laenna Connally; Pauline Oldham; Fay Oldham; John J. Oldham; Jessie D. Sawyer; Elison L. Oldham; James W. Oldham; Vera H. Oldham; Polly Oldham and Mary L. Craig: You are hereby notified that on the 23rd day of May 1918, plaintiff filed a petition in the District Court of Cass County, Nebraska, praying among other things for an order to be made by the court directing the administratrix of the estate of George J. Oldham, deceased, to convey to plaintiff Lots one (1) and two (2) and all of lots three (3) and four (4) not taken by the network of Block One Hundred Sixty-four (164) City of Plattsmouth, Cass County, Nebraska, upon the purchase price in accordance with the contract entered into between the plaintiff and the said George J. Oldham, during his life, time on the 10th day of September 1917. You are further notified that there will be a hearing upon said petition at the District Court Room in the Court House at Plattsmouth, Cass County, Nebraska, on the 3rd day of September 1918, at the hour of ten o'clock A. M. to all of which the allegations of said petition, you will take due notice.

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF THE COUNTY OF CASS, NEBRASKA.

In the matter of the estate of Sarah A. Long, deceased. Now on this 10th day of July 1918, this cause came on for hearing upon the petition of Alva G. Long, Administrator among other things that Sarah A. Long, departed this life at Murray, Cass County, Nebraska, on the 23rd day of June 1918, owning real estate which was the homestead of said deceased, of the value of not more than \$2000.00, and that the same was wholly exempt from attachment, execution or other legal process, and not liable for the payment of debts of said deceased. Also giving the names of the heirs of said deceased, as Alva G. Long, Anna R. Miller, Minnie H. Stokes, and Addie E. Stokes, all of whom are of full age, and asking that administration of said estate be dispensed with in accordance with the provisions of the statutes of Nebraska, and it appearing to the court that a hearing upon said petition should be had:

IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in said estate appear before the County Court of Cass County, Nebraska, at the office of the County Judge, in Plattsmouth, Cass County, Nebraska, at ten o'clock A. M. on the 5th day of August 1918, to show cause, if any, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that this order be published in the Plattsmouth Journal, for three successive weeks prior to the date of said hearing.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand this 10th day of July 1918. By the Court, ALLEN J. BEESON, County Judge.

For Sale—Ten acres, will take other property as part payment. Five room cottage, part payment on other property. Balance monthly. R. B. Windham. 7-25-3421w

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Read the Journal Ads—It Pays

Custer County Land!

No. 54. What is known as the Broken Bow Sanitary Dairy consisting of a five acre tract located just inside the city limits. Has a two story, nine room frame residence, dairy barn complete for 34 head of cows, hay mow with 40 ton capacity, cement floor, electric milking machine, hay fork and hay carrier complete, two silos of 250 ton capacity, horse barn with hay mow and granary for eight head of horses, chicken house, two milk houses with boiler and boiler for sterilizing complete, with 170 acres lying less than 80 rods from the dairy with 70 acres under cultivation, 35 acres in alfalfa, fenced and cross fenced with well and windmill. The dairy has had this land leased for the past eight years. The dairy together with this land is priced at \$21,750, half cash and the balance on time to suit the purchaser. This is one of the best opportunities for somebody familiar with the dairy business to establish himself in one of the best towns in the west. The improvements are less than seven years old and all in first class condition. The dairy will be sold without the land, or the land will be sold without the dairy, but the two together make a splendid proposition for anybody interested in the dairy business.

No. 46. A 470 acre farm with 330 acres under cultivation, 100 acres in pasture, 30 acres in alfalfa, ten acres in timber, approximately 80 acres rough pasture land with six room frame house, frame barn, granary and corn crib, two wells and two windmills, three and one-half miles from Ansley, Neb., distance to school one mile. Price \$36,000, \$12,000 cash, balance to suit the purchaser.

No. 48. A 430 acre farm with 100 acres under cultivation, 215 acres in pasture, 90 acres hay land, 25 acres of alfalfa with a seven room frame house, frame barn, granary, chicken house, garage, all fenced and cross fenced. 18 acres fenced hog tight, good well, windmill and three cisterns. Water piped to tanks. Distance to railroad seven and one-half miles, distance to school eight rods. Price \$50.00 per acre. Encumbrance \$4500. Terms cash above mortgage.

No. 49. A 954 acre farm, 220 acres under cultivation, 700 acres in pasture, 16 acres in alfalfa, plenty of timber. Five room house, frame barn, chicken house, hog house, all fenced and two wells and two windmills, four cisterns, small orchard, four miles from railroad. Price \$45 per acre. Encumbrance \$13,000. Terms cash above the mortgage.

No. 50. A 1280 acre tract, 380 acres under cultivation, balance pasture and hay land. Six room frame house, frame barn, corn crib and hog house, all fenced. Two wells and two windmills. Six miles from Calloway, Neb., one mile from school. Price \$35 per acre, encumbrance \$30,000. Terms cash, above the mortgage.

No. 51. A 160 acre farm with 150 acres under cultivation. This is all level land. Seven miles from railroad, one-half mile to school. There are no improvements on this land. There is an encumbrance of \$4500 at 5 1/2 per cent interest due April 1, 1923. Terms cash above the mortgage.

No. 52. A 320 acre farm, 220 acres under cultivation, 100 acres hay land with small set of improvements all fenced, well and windmill. Fourteen miles to railroad. Price \$30,000, \$3,000 cash, balance March 1, 1919.

No. 56. A 160 acre tract all valley land, 130 acres under cultivation, 30 acres pasture with small improvements, fenced and cross fenced, lying 15 miles from Sargent. Priced \$125 per acre with reasonable terms.

No. 57. A 170 acre farm with 70 acres under cultivation. 35 acres in alfalfa, fenced and cross fenced with well and windmill, lying just one mile from the Public Square in Broken Bow. Price \$75.00 per acre. One-half cash and the balance on time to suit purchaser.

No. 110. A small ranch of 640 acres or all of Section 16. 110 acres under cultivation, 580 acres in pasture and 30 acres hay land. All of this land can be cultivated but about 240 acres. All fenced and cross fenced with good well, windmill and supply tanks. Six and one-half miles from Ansley and six and one-half miles from Mason City. This is all good clay land and well located. Price \$40.00 per acre. Terms \$5,000 cash, balance to suit the purchaser. There is now an encumbrance of \$11,000 at 5 per cent interest due July 1, 1937.

No. 33. A 500 acre tract with small four room frame house, frame stable, chicken house and other small out buildings, all fenced except 60

For full particulars enquire of
T. E. PARMELE,
Cass County Bank, Plattsmouth, Neb.

W. A. Taylor was a visitor in the city last evening, coming to do some trading with the merchants here.

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