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Cloudy weather.
Roads are not good.
The legislature is doing nobly.
The trusts miss their call in the legislature.
He is a beastly wretch who would rather be feared than to be loved, even by a dog.
Fashions, we are told are becoming more sensible. But we wish to add the hobble skirt as Exhibit A.
Speaking of unnecessary luxuries, is that local option election to be held in Chicago April 1 to go untaxed?
Rag-chewing is popular with some of our would-be statesmen. Anyway to get your name before the people.
The more careful a woman is about her complexion, the more careless she usually is about her housework.
A Plattsmouth kid allows that the reason motor busses are called busses is that the windows in them are all busted.
From the way things are going nowadays we might as well begin buying the little boys dolls to play with, and then go about patting the little girls on the head and asking them what they're going to be when they grow up.
The French girls seem very much pleased with the Yank soldiers, and are marrying them up at a steady rate. The Yanks are new to them. There was never much of a craze among the French girls to marry up the American tourists of pre-war days.
This department's long campaign advocating a pure safety match law seems to have accomplished at least one result. A new box at hand contains matches of the usual asbestos grade but printed on the box is this candid statement: "War Quality."
If President Wilson were a republican Borah and his gang would be supporting the League of Nations proposition. Not one of the gang has offered any reasonable excuse for opposing the proposition, only that President Wilson is at the head of it. Out upon such dirty politics.
The port of Archangel is frozen up, and the American troops there can't get out, unless they skate out, and re-enforcements cannot get in, unless they skate in. The fact that Archangel is frozen up, however, should not be blamed on the War Department. Archangel freezes up every winter.
Under the new Revenue Bill, the District of Columbia will be bone dry—all except the forty foreign embassies. One who is seen visiting a German ambassador frequently after peace is signed probably may not be suspected of treason, but may be suspected of taking a drink—which some folks will say is just as bad.

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President Wilson is a busy man these days.
The bootleggers are still getting in their work.
Why do so many people preach the gospel of despair?
The legislature can't even raise the suit case above suspicion.
John Barleycorn seems to be in the last stages of consumption.
Yes, William Hohenzollern is still getting his three meals a day, with plenty to drink.
It is delightful to know that now he's dead, Colonel Roosevelt has't an enemy among the living.
The supreme test of temperance is expecting a 4-minute prohibition speaker to quit in four minutes.
You have also doubtless observed that when some people "speak their minds" they don't say very much.
We talk glibly of common justice. But it is the most uncommon thing in the world—except common sense.
There are said to be over a million people in New York City that cannot read, and all of them are foreigners.
While it may be true, that all men are born, once in a while one of us gets into the United States senate or the penitentiary.
If the women want the right to vote in this country they will have to quit hen-pecking the men and committing other criminal acts.
Your income tax returns and the first installment of the tax itself must be in the collector's office by March 15. Beware the Ides of March!
It looks as though we were standing on the verge of the 20-cent movie show. Chaplin, Fairbanks and the other stars must live, you know.
What are the life insurance examiners going to ask us, when prohibition puts away that old question, "Do you drink intoxicating liquors and how much?"
We are under obligations to Hon. R. B. Windham for public documents. As representative of Cass County, Mr. Windham is filling the bill most remarkably well.
Of course, every mother hopes her boy will grow up and be President, but she does wish the suffs would get through annoying presidents before her boy gets to that position.
With almost half of our feature movie films given over to "explanatory introductions, facetious reports, telegrams and personal letters, it is becoming mighty hard for an illiterate man to be much of a movie fan.
When war tax bills were new, it used to seem funny to watch the pains with which the law writers explained that luxury taxes would be "paid by the consumer." It also is highly humorous to read that such and such a luxury tax "will be paid by the manufacturer."
Another reason many in our acquaintance have put us down as a dangerous radical is that we do not share the general grief over the prospect of a great overproduction of food products this year. On the contrary, there have been occasions when we openly and shamelessly said we were glad of it.

THE SIMPLIFIED CALENDAR.

Some people are interesting themselves in getting a "simplified calendar," and they have succeeded in getting a bill introduced in congress accordingly.
It does not signify much that the bill is introduced in congress. Lots of bills get introduced in congress that are not treated very well there and never have the privilege of an introduction anywhere else.
Simplifying the calendar is not so simple as it looks. Indeed, it is such a troublesome matter that the world has not tried it save only twice in two thousand years, and even now the world is not agreed on the calendar. It is not any easier than simplifying spelling, and the simplified spelling advocates in this country are having a long and wonderful discipline in patience. Even when language reaches the stiff mould of a printed form it nevertheless changes considerably, but it insists on changing in its own way, throws away some forms with the utmost nonchalance and clings to others with the most stubborn steadfastness. We have had a world of debate about turning the clock an hour back so as to save daylight. Some of us have lost lots of sleep over it. Lately the controversy has been renewed in anticipation of a purpose to maintain the daylight saving arrangement on the return of spring, but notwithstanding this, an effort is now made to effect a radical change in the whole calendar.
France tried that once, and couldn't make it go longer than a few years, but the simplified calendar people of this day, just as if the world were not too busy seeking to get readjusted and reconstructed after the war, have all the zeal and hope of any other reformers. These people are in horror over the fact that our months do not have a uniform number of days and that the days of the week do not, in turn and order, fall on the same days of the month. A year of thirteen months is what they want, and a month of twenty-eight days. How could our years ever be lucky with such a number of months as that? The new month to be called Solstice. Think of that! And to be sandwiched in between June and July. How would you like to be mopping the sweat from your brow in a month called Solstice? And will we give up celebrating the Fourth of July? It would no longer be a Fourth of July and it would not fall in July. It would be the 18th day of Solstice. Hurrah for the Eighteenth of Solstice!
Nor could we celebrate Washington's birthday on February 22 nor Lincoln's on February 12, nor Memorial day on May 30, nor Christmas on December 25. All these familiar dates would go into limbo with old almanacs, and we would be handed out new tags for them. We would, besides, have to get a new orientation toward all the great dates of history, and what would become of that exquisite and tender little poem beginning: "Thirty days hath September, April, June and November." And our birthdays, why man! And they propose to make the seventh day of the week the Sabbath, throwing us all over into the camp of the Jews and the Seventh Day Adventists in respect to that. It is not so simple as it looks.—World-Herald.

THE SOLDIER BOYS.
A line is drawn between the men who have only been in camps in this country and those who have been abroad. Almost everyone recognizes this, though they may not realize all it means to them. The men themselves have felt it so keenly that they raised strong objections when the war department awarded them a silver stripe for each six months of service on this side. Instead of taking it as the honor for which it was intended, it was at first worn with a feeling of humiliation.
While the highest praise is due the soldier who went "over the seas" the boys who were compelled

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to remain at home are also entitled to full credit. They did all this country asked of them, and it was not their fault they did not get to the front and see action. They made every sacrifice, they were ready to go, and because they were not sent over seas was no fault of theirs. They are entitled to due credit.—Nebraska City News.

THE CIGARETTE BILL.

Many people have been opposing the McLeod cigarette bill, now pending in the Nebraska legislature, apparently in the belief that the proposed act would make it easier for boys to obtain cigarettes.
A certain amount of misrepresentation by some of the legislative opponents of the bill is largely responsible for such an impression. They have intimated that the McLeod bill will be less restrictive than the existing law, so far as cigarette using by boys is concerned.
As a matter of fact, the McLeod bill prohibits the sale or giving away of cigarettes to any person under 21, fixes a high license fee for all dealers and provides severe penalties for violation of the act including loss of the license.
The proposed act is enforceable. It will have public sentiment behind it. It will remove from the class of law breakers the adult cigarette users and will make it for more difficult for a boy to obtain cigarettes.
The passage of the McLeod bill will place a workable, enforceable, sane law on the statute books instead of the present law, which is openly and notoriously violated and ignored by everyone, every day in the year.—Omaha News.

Agath Germany is crying for justice. How she would cry if she got it!

"Apart on Phone Merger," says a headline. The merger seems to be in favor, but the difficulty is getting the companies to merge separately.

The word "Ohio" is an Iroquois word, meaning beautiful. Thus Toledo, Ohio, means Toledo Beautiful, especially to a thirsty citizen from Detroit.

This international band of assassins who seem to be so thirsty for royal blood—wouldn't it appease their appetite to get the recluse at Amerongen and then call it quits?

Will President Wilson be a candidate for the third term? We hope the president entertains no such proposition. No one was ever elected to the third term, and the man who entertains such a proposition courts defeat at the polls.

Don't complain because we shall be twenty-five years paying off the war debt. Compared with Germany's mortgage, it is but a day. And besides, taking the peace conference into consideration and everything, we won the war besides.

Von Tirpitz says he doesn't repent anything he ever did. Which we may as well take to mean that he never got to do all of the things he intended to do. But a German's chagrin is worth more to civilization than his repentance would be, right now.

ARRIVED HOME LAST EVENING.

From Thursday's Date.
Louis Rothman, who has been in the service for a long time, arrived home last evening, having been just recently mustered out at Camp Dodge, Iowa, after a short stay in that cantonment. Present at the Burlington station to greet his relatives were numerous friends and relatives. He had come to Omaha, remaining there during the day with his sister, Mrs. G. G. Ramsey, who makes her home there, and James Dorland and Miss Thompson came home with him last evening, returning to their home in Omaha on a later train this morning.

ORDER OF HEARING

on Petition for Appointment of Administratrix.
The State of Nebraska, Cass County, ss: In the County Court In the matter of the Estate of Anton Kanka, Deceased.
On reading and filing the petition of Karoline Kanka, praying that Administration of said Estate may be granted to Anna Pittman, as Administratrix. Ordered, That March 25th A. D. 1919, at 9 o'clock a. m., is assigned for hearing said petition and the hearing thereof to be held in and for said county, and show cause why the prayer of petitioner 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 Plattsmouth Journal, a semi-weekly newspaper, printed in said county for three successive weeks, prior to said day of hearing.
Dated February 18, 1919.
ALLEN J. BEESON, County Judge.

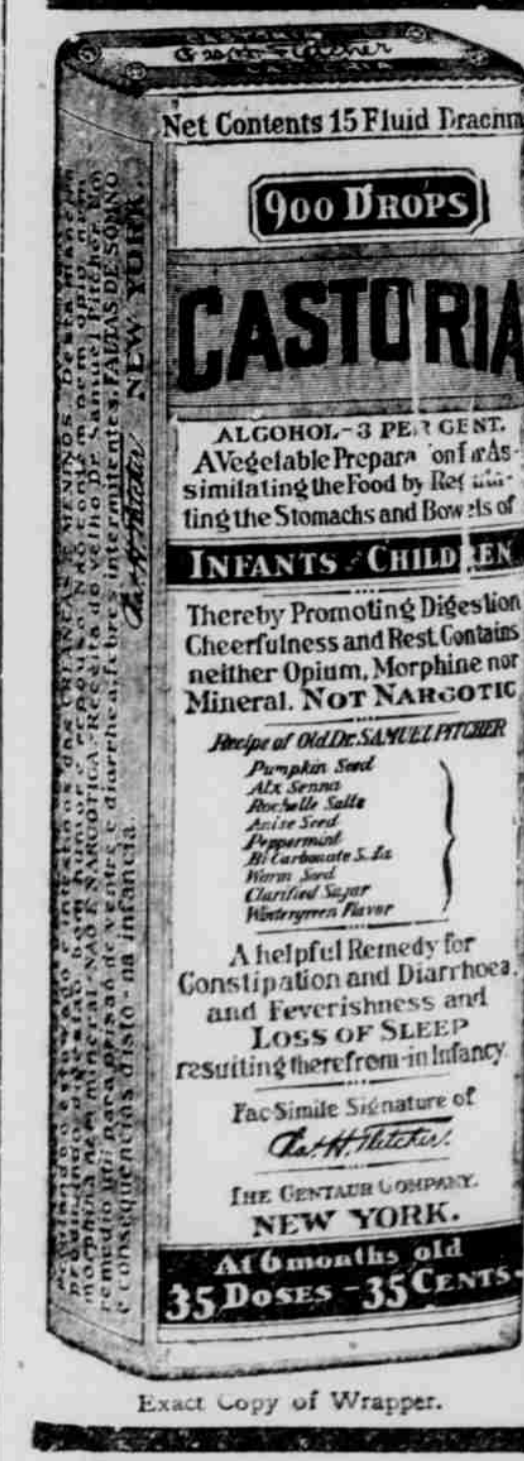
Has Had Stomach Trouble for Seven Years.

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THURSDAY, MARCH 13TH
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One brown mare, smooth mouth, weight 1200.
One pair buckskin mules, 9 and 10 year old, weight 2000.
One pair black mules, seven years old, weight 2100.
One black mule, four years old, broke, weight 1200.
Three yearling calves.
One sow with four pigs at side.
One Duroc gilt.
Farming Implements, Etc.
One Newton wagon, new box.
One truck wagon with hay rack.
One John Deere wagon jack.
One set good 1 1/2-in. harness.
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One Sattley 2-row cultivator.
One 35-gal. butchering kettle.
One Economy cream separator.
One Champion press drill.
One wagon.
One gear jack.
Three sets cord fly nets.
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Two tons oats straw.
One King wheat drill.
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180 rods spool hog wire.
Some good lumber.
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One grindstone.
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NOTICE

State of Nebraska, County of Cass, ss: In the County Court In the matter of the Estate of Caroline L. Reed, Deceased.
To Harriet E. Moorman, Ida L. Roberts, Rhoda Rice, Charles C. Reed, and all creditors, heirs and other persons interested in the Estate of Caroline L. Reed, Deceased:
You are hereby notified that on the 29th day of February, 1919, Luther J. Hall filed his petition in the County Court of Cass county, Nebraska, alleging that Caroline L. Reed died intestate in said county in the year 1917, leaving an undivided one-half interest in the west half of the southwest quarter (W 1/2, SW 1/4) of Section twenty-nine (29), in Township ten (10), Range fourteen (14), in Cass county, Nebraska, and that no proceedings have been had or commenced in said county for probate or settlement of said estate, and that this petitioner has an interest in said matter by reason of being purchaser of the said real estate. Petitioner further alleges that Caroline L. Reed's sole and only heirs-at-law are Harriet E. Moorman, Ida L. Roberts, Rhoda Rice and Charles C. Reed; that the interest of said Caroline L. Reed had in said real estate was and is wholly exempt from attachment, execution or other mesne process and not liable for payment of any debts of said deceased and that all claims against the said estate are barred by law. You are further notified that on the 13th day of March, 1919, between the hours of 9 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m., the petitioner will take the deposition of Rhoda Rice, before E. L. Friedrichs, a Notary Public, at his office in Sterling, Johnson county, Nebraska, to be used as evidence at the hearing in said matter.
The prayer of said petition is that the Court make and enter a decree

binding and determining who are the sole heirs of said deceased, and declaring all claims against said estate barred by law.
A hearing upon the allegations and prayer of said petition will be had before the County Judge at his office in the Court House in Plattsmouth, Cass county, Nebraska, at ten (10) o'clock a. m., on the 22nd day of March, 1919, and all objections to said petition must be filed in said Court on or before said day and hour of hearing, or the prayer of said petition will be granted and decree entered accordingly.
By the Court, ALLEN J. BEESON, County Judge.
By FLORENCE WHITE, Clerk.
(Seal) CHAS. L. GRAVES, Attorney for Petitioner. f25-2w

THE PROPER COURSE

Information of Priceless Value to Every Plattsmouth Citizen.
How to act in an emergency is knowledge of inestimable worth, and this is particularly true of the diseases and ills of the human body. If you suffer with kidney backache, urinary disorders, or any form of kidney trouble, the advice contained in the following statement should add a valuable asset to your store of knowledge. What could be more convincing proof of the efficiency of Doan's Kidney Pills than the statement of a Plattsmouth citizen who used them and who publicly tells of the benefit derived?
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