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No matter which way we face, we seem to face a crisis.

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Most women can easily see ways in which other women can save.

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Every man knows too many things that are none of his business.

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About the only thing that can be successfully home brewed is trouble.

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There is only one way to abolish poverty. That is to get every man to spend less than he earns.

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Mr. Hoover says he believes in only two great parties. Now, if only two great parties will believe in him, the rest will be easy.

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The overall propaganda made its debut in New York last week, and was greeted with enthusiasm in the principal business sections.

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If it is not now true that the "cheaper cuts" of meat are as high as the choice portions, it probably will be by the end of chuck steak week.

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Why not stop this endless discussion of taxation and go back to the simplicity of the old Jewish system—that is, make every man give up a tenth of all he receives?

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Housewives are now to be taught how to can fruit without sugar. After they have learned that lesson, advanced instruction in how to do it without fruit will be taken up.

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The Germans like to repeat that France is looking for revenge, but the chances are France would be satisfied if the Germans would just come across with the coal due her under the treaty of Versailles.

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At least we don't have any more disputes about discovering the north pole to bother us now. Last winter took all desire out of us to know anything more about colder places.

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Mr. McAdoo's friends now predict his nomination on the second ballot. If they have the votes to nominate him on the second ballot they'd better use them to nominate him on the first.

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"People are spending money as they never spent before", says an economic writer. Yes, and they are getting less for it than they ever did before. Yes, again, and doing less to earn it.

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A Chicago judge has ruled that a man cannot steal from his wife. The court released a man charged with the theft of $41,000 which belonged to his wife. Well, then, what does the law call it?

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Chicago ice men threaten to strike if the companies raised prices to consumers. That puts the consumers in an embarrassing position, wishing, as consumers always do, to keep on good terms with the ice man.

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A Nebraska farmer gave a chauffeur a $30 check in payment for a pint of bootleg whisky and then stopped payment on the check. It is strang ethat when the two thieves fell out, some honest man didn't get the booze.

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Any young man can push his speedometer up to fifty miles an hour when father is paying for the gas. But father may not always be here and when that sad days arrives the turtles will begin to gain in the race.

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Some of the boys who two weeks ago, appeared in overalls are out again in their $70 woolen. Prices of wool suits did not go down, but prices of overalls went up. Mitchel Palmer could not have done better.

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The senate has passed a bill for the coinage of 2-cent pieces, but we suppose it was too much to expect that the senate would come right out and say what public office holders in Washington ought to be paid off with them.

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"When a man brags on his wife", says a bright paragrapher, "it is a sign that they are newly married or that they do not get along well at home or, else, that she has something 'on' him." It may be neither. He may be only an old husband, or, possibly, she is a modern girl with a knowledge of the boxing game.

PRESIDENTIAL PRIMARIES ARE INDECISIVE

The primies to select delegates to the Chicago convention are nearly over. Pennsylvania and Vermont republicans will vote May 18th, Oregon on the 21st, and West Virginia on the 25th. Fourteen other states have held direct primaries, and no candidate has won enough delegates to dominate the convention.

Perhaps it is just as well so. The primaries have not expressed in any definite way the will of the party at large, because the party as a whole did not attend them. In Ohio, for instance, where a favorite son met and won in a contest, we know a county in which the primary was described as a "farce" because of lack of attendance. Yet that county is rock-ribbed in its republicanism. The contest the state over was described as bitter in its intensity. But the people were not aroused. In all Maryland only 23,959 votes were cast, with more than 50,000 republican votes in Baltimore alone and a population of 800,000 outside that city.

The conclusion is irresistible that the direct primary system has failed of its purpose. It is, perhaps, and will continue to be, an expression of factional feeling, but voters who rally to factional contests are not the ones who decide national elections.

Action by the four states yet to vote is not expected to add dominating impressiveness to the showing of any candidate, and we are left to exactly the same sort of convention deliberations under which Lincoln, Grant, Hayes, Garfield, Blaine and McKinley were nominated. We had great presidents under the old system, so ne need not be disturbed now because the direct primaries have failed to reveal the will of the party.—Omaha Bee.

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Fannie Hurst says she has sold twice as many stories since her secret marriage as she did before, and it is not presumed that her present announcement will injure the sale of her writing from now on, either.

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While we should nof urge the Fannie Hurst style of marriage upon people generally, there are undoubtedly couples of the artistic Pickford temperament who might study it with considerable interest.

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When sugar went up to twenty-five cents a pound it was much more natural for a woman to say, "This is a free country for skunks", than for her to rally understand the sugar situation.

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Nobody is surprised at the way Fannie Hurst kept her secret so long, but there will be considerable amazament at the failure of her husband to spill the beans long ago.

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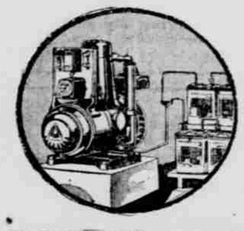

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NOTICE OF HEARING on Petition for Determination of Heirship

Estate of Barbara J. Wiles, deceased, in the County Court of Cass county, Nebraska.

The State of Nebraska, To all persons interested in said estate, creditors and heirs take notice that Cash L. Wiles has filed his petition alleging that Barbara J. Wiles died intestate in Cass county, Nebraska, on or about April 3, 1907, being a resident and inhabitant of Cass county, Nebraska, and the owner of the following described real estate, to-wit: The south half (S½) of southwest quarter (SW¼) of Section three (3), and the northeast quarter (NE¼) of the southwest quarter (SW¼) of Section four (4), all in Township twelve (12), North Range thirteen (13), east of the 6th P. M., Cass county, Nebraska, now owned by Canna G. Finch; also the south half (S½) of the northeast quarter (NE¼) and north half (N½) of north half (N½) of north half (N½) of southeast quarter (SE¼) of Section four (4) and the north half (N½) of the southeast quarter (SE¼) and the north half (N½) of the northeast quarter (NE¼) of the southwest quarter (SW¼) of Section fourteen (14), all in Township twelve (12), North Range thirteen (13), east of the 6th P. M., Cass county, Nebraska, now owned by Thomas Wiles, Jr.; also the south half (S½) of the north half (N½) of the north half (N½) of the southeast quarter (SE¼) of Section four (4), and the south half (S½) of the southeast quarter (SE¼) and the south half (S½) of the northeast quarter (NE¼) of the southwest quarter (SW¼) of Section fourteen (14), all in Township twelve (12), North Range thirteen (13), east of the 6th P. M., Cass county, Nebraska, now owned by Cash L. Wiles; also Lot forty-four (44), in Section thirteen (13), east of the 6th P. M., Cass county, Nebraska, now owned by Luke L. Wiles; also the south half (S½) of the northwest quarter (NW¼) of Section five (5), and the east half (E½) of the northeast quarter (NE¼) of Section six (6) all in Township seven (7), North Range twenty-nine (29), west of the 6th P. M., Frontier county, Nebraska, now owned by James Burnett; also the northeast quarter (NE¼) of Section twenty-nine, and the east half (E½) of the southwest quarter (SW¼) of Section twenty-nine (29) and the southeast quarter (SE¼) of Section twenty (20), all in Township eight (8), North Range twenty-nine (29), west of the 6th P. M., Frontier county, Nebraska, now owned by Loren M. Wiles and leaving as her sole and only heirs at law the following named persons, to-wit: Thomas Wiles, Jr., widower, and Loren M. Wiles and Cash L. Wiles, sons, and Canna G. Finch, daughter, and praying for a decree barring claims, that said decedent died intestate; that no application for administration has been made and the estate of said decedent has not been administered in the State of Nebraska, and that the heirs at law of said decedent as herein set forth shall be decreed to be the owners in fee simple of the above described real estate, which has been set for hearing on the 29th day of May, A. D. 1920, at ten (10) o'clock a. m.

Dated at Plattsmouth, Nebraska, this 28th day of April, A. D. 1920.

ALLEN J. BEESON,
(Seal) m3-4w. County Judge.

LEGAL NOTICE

In the District Court of Cass county, Nebraska.

Robert Klotz, Plaintiff, vs. West half of Northeast quarter of Section 17, Township 12 North, Range 9, in Cass county, Nebraska, and all persons claiming any interest of any kind in said real estate or any part thereof. Also the following named persons and their unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and personal representatives of each of them, to-wit: S. N. Merriam, Selden N. Merriam, Lydia Merriam, A. Corbin, Austin Corbin, I. W. Newsum, J. W. Newsum, Israel W. Newsum, William Dorfee, William Dorfee, Dennis Dean, Samuel G. Bryan and S. G. Bryan, Defendants.

The above named defendants and each of them are hereby notified that on the 24th day of April, 1920, plaintiff filed his suit in the District Court of Cass county, Nebraska, the object and purpose of which is to confirm plaintiff's title in and to the West half of the Northeast quarter of Section 17, Township 12 North, Range 9, in Cass county, Nebraska, and to permanently enjoin each and all of said defendants from having or claiming to have any right, title, lien or interest either legal or equitable in or to said real estate or any part thereof, and to enjoin said defendants from interfering in any manner with plaintiff's possession, enjoyment and title of said premises and for general equitable relief. This notice is given you pursuant to the order of said Court.

You are required to answer said petition on or before Monday, the 14th day of June, 1920, or your default will be entered therein against you and each of you and decree quieting title against you and each of you entered in favor of plaintiff.

ROBERT KLOTZ,
Plaintiff.
By D. O. DWYER,
a26-4w. His Attorney.

ORDER OF HEARING and Notice on Petition for Settlement of Account.

In the County Court of Cass county, Nebraska.

State of Nebraska, Cass county, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of William Taylor, deceased:

On reading the petition of Mary J. Taylor praying a final settlement and allowance of her account filed in this Court on the 4th day of May, 1920, and for her discharge as administratrix of said estate:

It is hereby ordered that you and all persons interested in said matter may, and do, appear at the County Court to be held in and for said county, on the 13th day of May, A. D. 1920, at ten o'clock a. m., to show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the 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 weekly newspaper printed in said county, for one week prior to said day of hearing.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and the seal of said Court, this 4th day of May, A. D. 1920.

ALLEN J. BEESON,
(Seal) County Judge.

ORDER OF HEARING and Notice of Probate of Will

In the County Court of Cass county, Nebraska.

State of Nebraska, County of Cass, ss.

To the heirs and all persons interested in the estate of Humphrey Lee Oldham, deceased:

On reading the petition of Sarah M. Oldham praying that the instrument filed in this court on the 16th day of April, 1920, and purporting to be the last will and testament of the said deceased, may be proved, and allowed, and recorded as the last will and testament of Humphrey Lee Oldham, deceased; that said instrument be admitted to probate, and the administration of said estate be granted to Sarah M. Oldham as executrix;

It is hereby ordered that you and all persons interested in said matter may, and do, appear at the County Court to be held in and for said county, on the 25th day of May, A. D., 1920, at ten o'clock a. m., to show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the 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.

Witness my hand, and seal of said court, this 4th day of May, A. D. 1920.

ALLEN J. BEESON,
(Seal) m6-3w County Judge.

ORDER OF HEARING on Petition for Appointment of Administrator

The State of Nebraska, Cass county, ss.

In the County Court.

In the matter of the estate of Catherina Tams, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Hans Tams, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to said Hans Tams, as Administrator:

Ordered, that May 26th, A. D. 1920, at nine o'clock a. m., is assigned for hearing said petition, when all persons interested in said matter may appear at a County Court 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 April 24th, 1920.

ALLEN J. BEESON,
(Seal) County Judge.
JOHN M. LEYDA,
a26-3w. Atty. for Petitioner.

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 Fred Conden, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Pauline Young praying that administration of said estate may be granted to Pauline Young as administratrix;

Ordered, that May 25th, A. D. 1920, at ten o'clock a. m., is assigned for hearing said petition, when all persons interested in said matter may appear at a County Court 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 April 27, 1920.

ALLEN J. BEESON,
a29-3w County Judge.

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE

In the District Court of Cass county, Nebraska.

In the matter of the application of Bertha L. Standley, Guardian of Hubert Standley, Irene Standley, Mabel Standley and Verna Standley, all Minors, for license to sell real estate.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Bertha L. Standley, Guardian of Hubert Standley, Irene Standley, Mabel Standley and Verna Standley, all minors, for license to sell the following described real estate, to-wit: An undivided eight-twenty-sevenths (8/27) of the following described lots: Lots sixty-three (63), sixty-six (66) and sixty-seven (67), all in Lenox Subdivision of the northwest quarter (NW¼) of the northwest quarter (NW¼) of Section twenty-nine (29), in Township ten (10) North of Range seven (7), east of the 6th Principal Meridian, Lancaster county, Nebraska, as shown on the published and recorded plat thereof, for the purpose of raising funds for the education and maintenance of said minors, and it appearing from said petition that said real estate consists of three lots on which there are two houses which are in a poor state of repair, and that there is very little income from said property after paying expenses for keeping the houses in repair and the taxes;

It is therefore ordered that the next of kin of said minors and all others interested in said estate appear before me at chambers in the court house in the City of Plattsmouth, Cass county, Nebraska, on the 15th day of June, A. D. 1920, at ten o'clock a. m., to show cause, if any there be, why license should not be granted to said Bertha L. Standley, Guardian, to sell said real estate for the purposes above set forth.

And it is further ordered that a copy of this order be published once each week for three successive weeks before said hearing, in the Plattsmouth Journal, legal newspaper circulating in said County of Cass, Nebraska.

Dated at chambers in said Cass county this 12th day of May, A. D. 1920.

JAMES T. BEGLEY,
Judge of the District Court of
m13-3w Cass county, Nebraska.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The State of Nebraska, Cass county, ss.

In the County Court.

In the matter of the estate of Elizabeth Barry, deceased.

To the creditors of said estate:

You are hereby notified that I will sit at the County Court room in Plattsmouth, in said county, on the 12th day of June, A. D. 1920, at 10 o'clock a. m., and on the 13th day of September, A. D. 1920, at 10 o'clock a. m., 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 12th day of June, A. D. 1920, and the time limited for payment of debts is one year from said 12th day of June, 1920.

Witness my hand and the seal of said County Court this 6th day of May, 1920.

ALLEN J. BEESON,
(Seal) County Judge.

EGGS FOR HATCHING

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SAMUEL GOODMAN,
A 12-4w. Mynard, Neb.

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SEWERS ARE OVERFLOWED

Principal Street of City Turned Into a Mighty River by Great Amount of Water

Last evening the city was visited by one of the heaviest storms in years and as a result of which the main street of the city between the hours of 10:30 and 12:30 resembled a mighty river as the flood water swept on its way to the lowlands east of the Burlington station.

The greatest damage that could be learned of was that suffered by the owners of automobiles who had left their cars parked in the center of Main street while they were attending the dance and which bore the full force of the storm and the relentless stream of water that came as the aftermath of the storm.

The largest amount of the flood water was that which came down Washington avenue where the sewer proved wholly inadequate to handle the volume of water and overflowed shortly before 11 o'clock. The water from the over-burdened sewers swept down Washington avenue bearing with it a large amount of debriss and dirt and which was swept onto Sixth street and thence to Main street. The water striking the curb at Sixth and Vine streets deposited a large amount of dirt as it overflowed on the sidewalk and swept along south to the principal street of the city. At the corner of Sixth and Main street the danger of a flood was the greatest of any place on the street as the water at that point rose to an alarming extent and was washing over the sidewalks on both sides of Main street. The cellar of the Kroehler Brothers' hardware store in the Coates block received some twenty inches of water as the result of the water getting over the sidewalk on the west side of the Coates block.

Some ten or twelve automobiles had been parked in the block between Fifth and Sixth street on Main and these cars served to check the water flowing as freely as it did farther east and the result was that the water at the Coates block corner rose until it swept over the sidewalk reaching almost to the door opening onto the stairway leading to the dance hall, where a large number of the dancers from the American Legion dance gathered to watch the progress of the storm and the prospects of being able to reach their homes.

At several points along the street the water striking against the cars caused much damage in forcing the water over onto the sidewalks and leaving a large amount of mud and debris.

The water was flowing quite freely down the alley-way in the rear of the block north of Main between 5th and 6th streets but the precautions taken a number of years ago against flood in that section of the city checked any approach to danger.

The sewer on Chicago avenue was not compelled to carry the large amount of water that came down the other thoroughfare and as a result that while overflowing it did not do as much damage as that of the flood on the north side. The only sign of the flood there was in the large deposits of the rich Nebraska mud left along the walks and paving.

At the height of the storm and flood of water the bottom lands east of the Burlington station was a veritable lake with water reaching almost to the doors and windows of the A. G. Bach residence just east of the subway. The water flowing through the subway at one time of the evening lacked only a few feet of completely filling the subway and running over the railroad tracks.

The Burlington shops fortunately were not sufferers from the storm and the conditions there were reported as being normal this morning.

That the city wisely made a change in having the street level lowered a few years ago was demonstrated by the storm last night.

To add to the storm and flood the electric lights over the city were out of commission for some little time and the persons out on the street with the rushing waters of the flood and the inky blackness of the night confronting them were decidedly up against it. Most of the business men hastened down town as soon as the storm became severe and remained in their places of business until the danger of flood had passed and the illumination by candles made a decidedly gloomy appearance along the street.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The State of Nebraska, Cass county, ss.

In the County Court.

In the matter of the estate of Albert Vallery, deceased.

To the creditors of said estate:

You are hereby notified that I will sit at the County Court room in Plattsmouth, in said county, on the 12th day of June, A. D. 1920, at 10 o'clock a. m., and on the 13th day of September, A. D. 1920, at 10 o'clock a. m., 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 12th day of June, A. D. 1920, and the time limited for payment of debts is one year from said 12th day of June, 1920.

Witness my hand and the seal of said County Court, this 6th day of May, 1920.

ALLEN J. BEESON,
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