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Milwaukee announces a big reduction in the price of potatoes. That city may again become famous.

The promise to be a dull summer with no political picnics to attend, is not generally favorably received.

A man looks at a woman because he wants to; a woman at a man because she wants him to look at her.

Did you ever notice that everybody knows better how to run a newspaper than the fellow who is doing it?

Occasionally we see a case where goodness is merely a polite name for inertia. It is simply too hard work to cut up.

Mexico has plenty of oil to pour on troubled waters, but unfortunately most of her revolutions start in the mountains.

We are going to believe this talk about reduced prices when we see bacon, eggs, flour and sugar come down from their present prices.

England is reported to be greatly excited over reports of the price slump in this country. The English are glad, no doubt, to see something going down over here besides the pound sterling.

"Government Loan of 125 Millions for Rolling Stock," says a headline. Under a benevolent government, the old system of raising money by rolling the stockholders no longer is considered good railroading.

Some Chinese women are about to establish a match factory at Canton, to be owned and operated by women. They ought to succeed if Chinese women have had as much experience in match-making as women of other countries have had.

We note with great relief that 11,000 cars of early cantaloupes are leaving California for middle western distribution this week. We feared for a while that some of those cars might be deflected into Nebraska to haul away last year's wheat crop.



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Wish somebody would tell the butcher prices are falling.

The numerous watch dogs of the treasury seem to have run down.

We shall know the worst that man can do when the Turks turn Bolshevik.

A woman's instinct is that which tells her she is right, whether she is or not.

Did you ever notice the fellow who introduces the most resolutions does the least work.

The profiteers not only take the world as they find it, but also try to take it all at once.

The war was a great revealer. It turned us inside out and allowed us to look at our inner selves.

The astonishing woman is she who can conquer the world in a frock she has made herself.

Four Kansas banks have been wrecked in the past year by crooked officials, and up to date not one of the officials has been punished. The wrecking of banks by officials inside the institutions may become as popular as the robbing of banks from the outside if the state permits the assurance to become general that it is as safe one way as another.

IN AND OF THE WORLD

George E. Roberts in the American, April issue, says:

"It is evident that the foreign trade of America is at the end of the first period of its development, and now confronts a new phase of extension likely to be quite different from the war-stimulated activities of the half decade or so since war interrupted the world's established trade relations. Up to this time, our expanded foreign trade has been largely in the direction of Europe and South America; in the coming years it will be the orient that will claim an increasing share of attention from American exporters and importers."

He mentions in addition that the national foreign trade council has decided to hold its 1920 meeting on the Pacific coast, and notes that this was no accident.

Herbert Hoover in the Saturday Evening Post recently explained how prices obtainable for our foodstuffs in the foreign markets irresistibly determine many basic prices in our own country, though the quantity exported be in very small ratio to the quantity produced.

The statements of Roberts and Hoover are cited to call attention in different ways to the fact that events and economic laws laugh at every suggestion that America can effectively withdraw from international concerns and relationships. A thousand other men could be added if there were any need of supporting logic with logicians.

If American trade turns to the orient—and no matter in what degree it turns there, no person in his senses doubts that our oriental commercial interests are in for vast development—how will it be possible for us to avoid rivalry with Japan, to say nothing of European powers? How will it be possible to carry on rivalry without the basis of understanding? How can an understanding be maintained without the frankest recognition in this country that commercially we have an empire, that commercially we are a world power, that commercially we are in and of the world, and that what we are commercially we also are politically whether we are silly enough to try ignoring it or not.

Out of the war, and with everybody's approval, we have got a carrier fleet. What for? To promote isolation?

Out of the war we have got prestige and power that concerns every other nation on the globe, that must and will be taken into all calculations, and that as an influence in the remote corners cannot be dissipated whether we pretend our position is of no consequence or whether we don't. Our place as the richest, most aggressively industrial, most militarily powerful single state on the globe is a reality; it exists; it is no more destructible for the next generation at least than the air we breathe. And so long as it exists we shall be international.

We cannot withdraw from the world. The most and the worst we can do is to persuade ourselves that we have withdrawn. From that condition of national auto-hypnosis, if we attain it, we shall awake when some fact snaps its fingers.—Des Moines Register.

A PRESIDENT IN PAJAMAS

President Wilson is not the only president who breaks precedents. The president of the belle France has broken one and broken it hard, so hard that it is a wonder the president did not at the same time break an arm, a leg or his head. The precedent so thoroughly fractured by President Deschanel is that which requires, so far as a precedent can require anything, that a president when traveling shall not leave a special presidential train save when it is standing still and can be received, presumably with honor and dignity by a reception committee, or at any rate alight with personal safety.

President Deschanel left his train in the dead of night, precipitately, through a rear window of his sleeping compartment that opened too suddenly on the super-exertion of accidental muscle, without anyone knowing of his exit. He was unaccompanied. Consequently there was great anxiety and alarm among the members of his party when, a few hours afterward, the valet ran through the train shouting "Monsieur le president est disparu." The president alighted very irregularly on a sand bed that a kind providence had dumped on the track—next thing to a bed of roses under the circumstances—but far different from the red carpet that had been spread on the platform at Monbrison, which the president's feet were expected to press with stately tread.

The president of France recovered from his sprawl, felt of himself, realized that he was wide awake and it was no dream, daubed his fingers with a little blood that was trickling from his face, arose, noticed he was too late to catch his train, and started hiking down the track to a station a short distance away, clad no better than a somnambulist, in pajamas. Think how democratic a walk this was for the head of the République Française. It was a leveling down. The president was garbed with less dignity than a track walker whom he soon met, and he certainly was right when he counted that the track walker would be surprised that the man before him was Monsieur Deschanel, president of the republic. There can be no doubt that the track walker will often speak of the interview.

It is possible that the heads of foreign states will not convey congratulations to President Deschanel on his escape from serious injury, but he deserves them. Very few presidents could do what he did and furnish less work for the doctors, but he probably will be satisfied with breaking this safe and time-honored precedent but once.

The presidential train was at Monbrison and could have come up the track in a short time, but the president preferred to return to Paris by automobile, and under the circumstances we can't blame him for not wanting to get on the presidential train again for awhile.

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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 Vera Standley, all minors, for license to sell real estate.
On reading and filing the petition, and affidavit of the following described lots: Lots six-three (63), six-six (66) and six-seven (67), all in Lexox Subdivision of the northwest quarter (NW 1/4) of Section twenty-nine (29), Township 22 N., Range 10 W., Meridian seven (7), east of the 6th Principal Meridian, Lancaster county, Nebraska, as shown on the published and recorded plat therefor, for the purpose of raising funds for the education and maintenance of said minors, and 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 the 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 the court in the court room in the City of Plattsmouth, Cass county, Nebraska, on the 15th day of June, A. D. 1920, at 9 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 further ordered that a copy of this order be published once each week for three successive weeks before said hearing, in the Plattsmouth Journal, a 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 Cass county, Nebraska.

NOTICE OF HEARING

In the County Court of Cass county, Nebraska.
In the matter of the estate of Mattie Gray, deceased.
To all persons interested in said estate, creditors and heirs-at-law: You are hereby notified that on the 15th day of May, 1920, Mattie E. Koenberger filed her petition in this court, alleging that Mattie Gray, late of Plattsmouth, Cass county, Nebraska, died intestate, and that she is the widow of the said Mattie Gray, and the sole surviving heir, as her husband, Joseph H. Gray, and Nellie S. Ayers, a daughter; Mary E. Hoover, a daughter; Mattie E. Koenberger, a daughter; Edith M. Gregg, a daughter; William Carmack, a son; Bertha L. Long, a daughter; John E. Carmack, a son and Edith M. Gregg, a daughter, all of legal age, and that said decedent was seized of the fee simple title to the following described real property, to-wit: The north half of Lots one (1) and two (2), Block seventeen (17) in Plat No. 10, in Cass county, Nebraska, which was the homestead of said decedent, and that on the death of the said decedent the said title to said real estate passed according to the decedent laws of the State of Nebraska, to the said heirs-at-law, who are, in common and undivided, share and share alike, to each individual one-third, subject to the right of the homestead of the said husband, Joseph H. Gray, therein; that the said Mattie Gray, as widow of said decedent and the owner of a one-seventh interest in said estate, and praying for a determination of the time of the death of the said Mattie Gray, and of her heirs at law, the degree of kinship and the right of descent of the real property belonging to said decedent in the State of Nebraska, and also for an order compelling claims against said estate, and for such other orders necessary for a correct determination of said matter.
Said matter has been set for hearing at the County Court room in Plattsmouth, Nebraska, on the 15th day of June, 1920, at 9 o'clock a. m., at which time and place all persons interested in said matter may appear and contest said petition.
Dated May 14th, 1920.
ALLEN J. BEESON,
County Judge.

LEGAL NOTICE

In the District Court of Cass county, Nebraska.
To Ellen M. Snodgrass, Plaintiff, vs. Ellen M. Snodgrass, Mary E. Keithley, Ann Mickelwait, Maud Keithley, the following named persons and also their unknown heirs, devisees, legatees, and personal representatives of: Whately Mickelwait, Illisiana Mickelwait and Fred H. Mickelwait; Also that part of government Lots one and two in Section 20, in Township 12 North, Range 14, East of the 1st Meridian, in Cass county, Nebraska, described as follows: Commencing at the northwest corner of said Section 20, and running thence east on the north line of said section to the southwesterly line of the right-of-way of the Burlington & Missouri River railroad company in Nebraska; thence following said line of right-of-way in a southeasterly direction until said line intersects the division line described in a certain deed made by Whately Mickelwait and wife to said railroad company, recorded in Book "R" of deeds, at page 568, of the records of said county, thence following said division line in a southeasterly direction to the south line of said government Lot one, thence south 57° W. 18 chains and 52 links; thence west 12 links; thence north 10 chains; thence north on said section line 25 chains and 26 links to the place of beginning; exact Lot 27 and 28, as indicated on the plat books of said county, and known as 28 1/2 acre lot and 28 1/2 acre lot one and two, also lots numbered 6 and 11 in said Section 20, and all persons claiming any interest of any kind in said real estate or any part thereof. Defendants.
To Ellen M. Snodgrass, Mary E. Keithley, Maud Keithley and to the following named persons and also their unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and personal representatives of each of them, to-wit: Abel L. Childs; Mary Wolcott; and Mrs. E. Wolcott; and to the unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and personal representatives of the following deceased persons: Whately

wait, deceased; Illisiana Mickelwait, deceased; and Fred H. Mickelwait, deceased; and also to the above described real estate and all persons claiming any interest of any kind in said real estate or any part thereof, Defendants:

You and each of you are hereby notified that on the 24th day of May, A. D. 1920, Benjamin E. Snodgrass, Plaintiff herein, has filed his petition in the District Court of Cass county, Nebraska, against said defendants, the object and prayer of which are to quiet the title of the above described real estate in the plaintiff, against all claims and demands, each and all of said defendants might have in and to said real estate or any part thereof, and to permanently enjoin each and all of said defendants from making any claim or demand in law or in equity against said real estate.
You are required to answer said petition on or before the 12th day of July, 1920, or your default will be entered and title quieted in plaintiff, as prayed for in the petition.
Dated this 22nd day of May, 1920.
BENJAMIN E. SNODGRASS, Plaintiff.
D. O. DWYER, Attorney.
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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 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,
County Judge.

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,
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 Joseph Zitka, deceased.
On reading and filing the petition of Anna Zitka praying that administration of said estate may be granted to Anna Zitka, as Administratrix:
Ordered, That June 15th, A. D. 1920, at 10 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 May 13th, 1920.
ALLEN J. BEESON,
County Judge.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The State of Nebraska, Cass county, ss.
In the County Court.
In the matter of the estate of Fred Condon, 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 22nd day of June, 1920, and the 22nd day of September, 1920, at 9 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 22nd day of June, A. D. 1920, and the time limited for payment of debts is one year from said 22nd day of June, 1920.
Witness my hand and the seal of said County Court, this 25th day of May, 1920.
ALLEN J. BEESON,
County Judge.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The State of Nebraska, Cass county, ss.
In the County Court.
In the matter of the estate of Humphrey Lee Oldham, 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 22nd day of June, 1920, and the 22nd day of September, 1920, at 9 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 22nd day of June, A. D. 1920, and the time limited for payment of debts is one year from said 22nd day of June, 1920.
Witness my hand and the seal of said County Court, this 25th day of May, 1920.
ALLEN J. BEESON,
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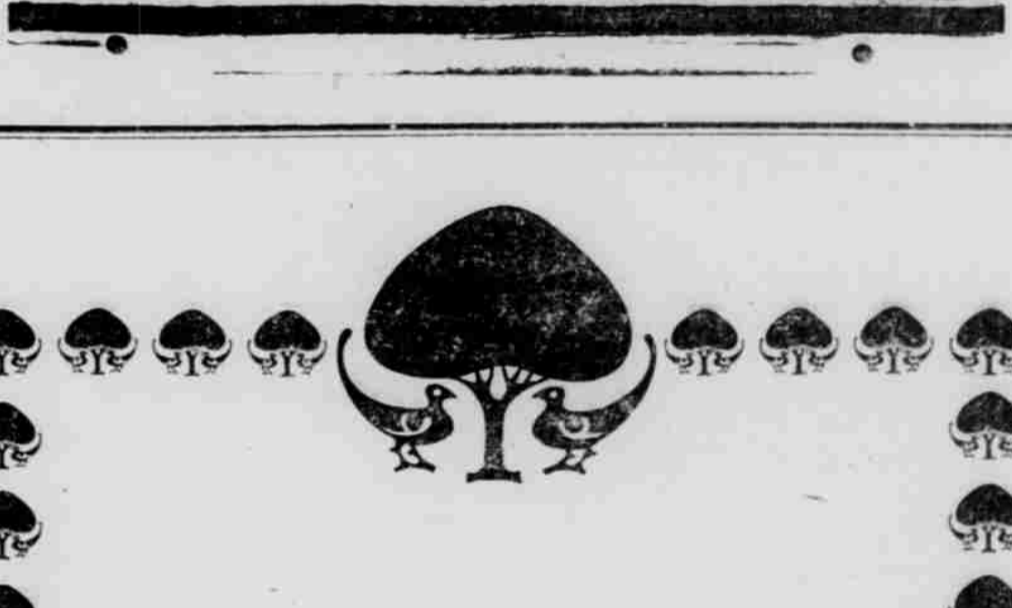
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