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The go out of gossip is the imp of imposition.

A king in the grave is worth two in Switzerland.

Nebraska will get ahead just as it looks, looks ahead.

Pin money must be the kind you stick some one for.

Pro-Germanism seems to have as many lives as a cat.

Even on the sunny side of life things are seldom what they seem.

It takes a pretty small man to hide behind a woman's skirts these days.

If Greek were the universal language the Turks would go deaf and dumb.

Germany may just as well agree to pay, since she doesn't intend to anyway.

Here's a tip to merchants: The hen that doesn't cackle, has no eggs to advertise.

An honest heart and a bottle of hooten are oft concealed beneath a ragged vest.

About the only thing in this world that is really what it is cracked up to be, is ice.

And now congress can go ahead with a full beam of steam for whatever its head is full of.

And now they are trying to blame the movies for everything that used to be blamed on saloons.

"Set a trap for the rich," says Howe's Monthly, "and the rule is that a poor man is caught in it."

Sometimes you see a girl so vacillating that her mouth is never still long enough to be properly kissed.

Political plum pudding for pudding-head politicians seems to be the chief output from the White House.

The fool newspapers have already said too much about short skirts, and now they are making them longer.

Have you had any strawberry shortcake yet? You get one more strawberry each day as April advances.

No Giendelline, Rene Viviani, who is visiting this country, is not the latest Parisian dancer. He is merely a statesman.

John D. Rockefeller pays an income tax of \$38,000,000 this year. Oh, gasoline, what wonders are committed in thy name!

Members of the Anti-Saloon League do not seem to realize that temperance in speech is as essential as temperance in drink.

Some men think they have completed a hard day's work when they chalk the cue and put the nine ball in the corner pocket.

A carload of red liquor shipped from Florida to Colorado was billed as tomatoes. At least, the consignors were not color blind.

Go right ahead and get soured on the world if you want to, the world doesn't care, and will move on just the same without you.

The Christian Daily Standard, a Chicago newspaper, has suspended publication. Perhaps it was published in the wrong place.

The Kansas Industrialist is still unable to understand why Clara Smith Hamon hasn't sued Mrs. F. H. Stillman for felonious eclipse.

The Creighton News wonders if the negro who admitted he could unscrow the inscrutable might not be the fellow winds the watches of the night.

"Blue laws are the propaganda of the evil one. What we need is the awakening of personal conscience." —Miss Alice Robertson, congresswoman.

The popularity of his new word "norpaley" encouraged President Harding to use it again in his inaugural address. It still sounds good. We are for it.

There is general agreement on the subject of tariff interests—that is they believe their own products should be protected but that there should be free trade in all other articles.

"A ten-mile walk every morning is good for the liver," says one of the medical sharps. If the average man had take a ten-mile walk every morning he would prefer not to have a liver.

"Where Your Income Tax Goes" is the caption of an article in the Atlanta Journal. It isn't where it goes, or why it goes, but the fact of its going, that stings us like a white hot brand.

You will be remembered pleasantly for your indiscretion-long after your sagacity and benevolence are forgotten. People will say: "He was so human!" meaning that you were foolish. For which they will love you.

Gen. Charley Dawes, head of the commission to investigate conditions relative to wounded and disabled soldiers, says that the commission is going to "get together, get somewhere, and get through." That sounds like business.

President Harding made a notoriously bad selection in appointing Col. George Harvey, ambassador to Great Britain, and an exceptionally good one in naming Myron T. Herrick as ambassador to France. Oh, well, Harding is only a 50-50 president, anyway.

An Oregon wife 15 years old wishes to sue her 15-year-old husband for divorce, but cannot, as he is a minor and has no guardian or next friend. And, of course, she doesn't dare to wait until he attains his majority, owing to the danger of learning to like him in the meantime. Dear! dear!

With more than 100,000 able-bodied men tramping the streets of Chicago vainly looking for work, and similar conditions reported from all other large centers of population, it does seem that labor organizations would wake up to a realization of the fact that there is no longer an excessive premium on labor.

The Houston Post says that Texas watermelon crop this year will be worth fully \$15,000,000. A man who attempts to measure a watermelon crop in mere dollars is an unmitigated ass. The value of that luscious fruit can be expressed only in emotion. One may as well try to designate in dollars the value of the crepe jamine blossoms, the song of the mockingbird, or the starlit evenings in summer.

OPERETTA GIVEN BY CHILDREN PLEASING

"Spring's Awakening" is the Title of Offering of Columbia School Young People at High School

The young people who are attending the Columbian school presented a very interesting and pleasing little operetta on Thursday evening at the auditorium of the high school entitled, "Spring's Awakening" and which proved one of the most delightful entertainments that has been given by any of the schools of the city and the little folks taking part acquitted themselves with high honors in the various parts in which they were cast.

The pleasing little story centered around the Jack Frost and North Wind who had delayed the return of spring and disappointing the children. Father Sun and Spring come to the rescue and bring happiness to the little folks. As "Jack Frost," George Caldwell appeared in the cast and the North Wind was played by Elizabeth Glass, while George Olson appeared as "Father Sun" and Harriet Huffner as "Spring." Bernard Kilinger appeared as the "Gardner," Alice Petersen as the "Frost Fairy," and Laura Suak as the "Sun Fairy."

The children supporting the principal characters were Mary Adams, Teresa, Libershal, Violet Lamphear, and Virginia Goucheour.

The flowers were represented by Ona Graves, Margaret Vittershik, Mildred Elliott, Fonda Traly, Eda Exenberger, Irma Boyd, Mable Sheldon, Eleanor Hanasek, Hilda Johnson. The animals were represented by Harold Jennings, Gustav Glass, Gilbert Clark, and Norman Wotthen.

A number of the young lads impersonated the birds of the forest being Robert Brittain, Marjorie McMary, Woodrow York, Edward Read, Geo. Reuchka, Roy Turner, Harold Seay, Bobbie Adams and Harold Connors.

The flower dance, one of the attractive parts of the operetta was taken part in by Jean Caldwell, Mildred Allen, Dorwin Hunter and Florence Schutz, and one that was most charming to the auditors.

Despite the unfavorable weather conditions a large number were present and the event one that will long be pleasantly remembered.

RESIDENCE FOR SALE!

The fine downtown residence known as the Walker home, located at the corner of Fourth and Oak streets. This is the last of the desirable downtown properties that can be secured at a price that will net big returns on the investment. Only half block from library, court house, postoffice and business district.

Four fine lots, high and sanitary, nice shade and lawn, good well, electric. City water, good barn, brick home partly modern, polished oak floors in living rooms, some repairs needed. Will make a splendid home for retiring farmer, or any one desiring a high class residence property or for investment, would make fine, high-class rooming house; close to city restaurants.

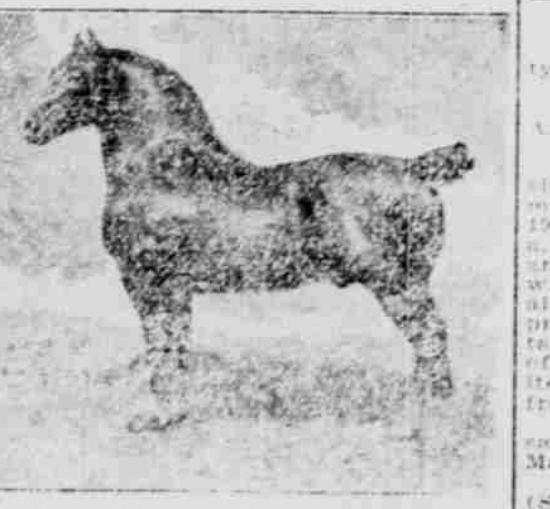
Out-of-town owners of this property have requested me to dispose of it at once. I will therefore offer it for one-fourth of its replacement value, and nominal amount of cash down will take it.

L. C. SHARP MFG. CO.,
Plattsmouth, Neb.

RETURNS FROM FLORIDA

This morning Mr. and Mrs. William Baird returned home from a sojourn of several months in the sunny south, a greater part of which time was spent at Miami, Florida, where they enjoyed the balmy climate and the delights of that play ground of the southland. Mr. Baird and wife are both feeling much improved over their outing and the condition of Mr. Baird in particular has been improved by the stay in the milder climate of the south. Their many friends are pleased to see them back home once more and they are equally pleased to be back in the home circles.

Liberty Bond NO. 56378



This celebrated Percheron stallion was sired by Coprin, No. 91043, and his dam was Victoria, No. 56147.

Liberty Bond is a coal black Percheron, weighing about 1600 pounds and was three years old April 4th.

He will make the season of 1921 at my home, every day in the week. Service fee will be \$10.00 to insure colt to stand and sick. Parties disposing of mares or removing from the community, service fee becomes due and payable immediately. Care will be taken to prevent accidents, but owner will not be held responsible should any occur.

OTTO SCHAFFER, Owner

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed bids will be received at the office of the State Department of Public Works, 410 Floor Brownell Block, Lincoln, Nebraska, until 5:00 o'clock p. m., on Monday, May 2nd, 1921, for grading, constructing culverts and incidental work on the Greenwood-Clayton road in Cass county, Project No. 1075-A, Federal Aid Road.

Bids will be opened in the Senate chamber in the State Capitol on or near the hour of 11:00 o'clock a. m., on the 2nd day of May, 1921. County Boards are hereby requested to be present or represented. Bidders are requested to be present or represented.

The proposed work consists of constructing 5.49 miles of earth road.

Approximate quantities are:

- 15,288 cubic yards earth excavation, class "A"
- 150 cubic yards special excavation, class "A"
- 855 cubic yards special excavation, class "B"
- 1,224 cubic yards Sta. overhead, class "A"
- 1,224 cubic yards Sta. overhead, class "B"
- 1,224 cubic yards reinforced concrete, class "A"
- 1,224 cubic yards reinforced concrete, class "B"
- 1,224 cubic yards reinforced concrete, class "C"
- 1,224 cubic yards reinforced concrete, class "D"
- 1,224 cubic yards reinforced concrete, class "E"
- 1,224 cubic yards reinforced concrete, class "F"
- 1,224 cubic yards reinforced concrete, class "G"
- 1,224 cubic yards reinforced concrete, class "H"
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- 1,224 cubic yards reinforced concrete, class "R"
- 1,224 cubic yards reinforced concrete, class "S"
- 1,224 cubic yards reinforced concrete, class "T"
- 1,224 cubic yards reinforced concrete, class "U"
- 1,224 cubic yards reinforced concrete, class "V"
- 1,224 cubic yards reinforced concrete, class "W"
- 1,224 cubic yards reinforced concrete, class "X"
- 1,224 cubic yards reinforced concrete, class "Y"
- 1,224 cubic yards reinforced concrete, class "Z"

Certified check for 5% of the amount of the bid will be required with each and every bid received.

Plans and specifications for the work may be seen and information and proposal forms secured at the office of the County Clerk at Plattsmouth, Nebraska, or at the office of the State Department of Public Works at Lincoln, Nebraska.

The State and County reserve the right to waive all technicalities and reject any or all bids.

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Bids will be opened in the Senate chamber in the State Capitol on or near the hour of 11:00 o'clock a. m., on the 2nd day of May, 1921. County Boards are hereby requested to be present or represented. Bidders are requested to be present or represented.

The proposed work consists of constructing 3.22 miles of earth road.

Approximate quantities are:

- 12,342 cubic yards earth excavation, class "A"
- 1,234 cubic yards special excavation, class "A"
- 1,234 cubic yards special excavation, class "B"
- 1,234 cubic yards special excavation, class "C"
- 1,234 cubic yards special excavation, class "D"
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The proposed work consists of constructing 3.52 miles of earth road.

Approximate quantities are:

- 13,456 cubic yards earth excavation, class "A"
- 1,345 cubic yards special excavation, class "A"
- 1,345 cubic yards special excavation, class "B"
- 1,345 cubic yards special excavation, class "C"
- 1,345 cubic yards special excavation, class "D"
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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The State of Nebraska, Cass county, ss.

In the County Court.

Ye are hereby notified that I will sell at the County Court room in Plattsmouth in said county, on April 25th, 1921, and July 29th, 1921, at 10 o'clock a. m. of each day, to receive and examine all claims against said estate, with a proper adjustment and allowance. The time limited for the presentation of claims against said estate is three months from the 25th day of April, A. D. 1921, and the time limited for payment of debts is one year from the date of said April day.

Witness my hand and the seal of said County Court, this 18th day of March, 1921.

ALLEN J. BEESON,
County Judge.

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE

In the District Court of Cass county, Nebraska.

In the matter of the application of R. B. Windham, Administrator, for the real estate of the estate of Emily A. Tracy, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an order of the Honorable James T. H. Jones, Judge of the district court of Cass county, Nebraska, made on the 19th day of March, A. D. 1921, from a sale of the real estate herein-after described, there will be sold at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash the following described premises, to-wit: Lots 9 and 10, Block 10, in the original town of Plattsmouth, Cass county, Nebraska, as the same is shown on the published

Some FACTS About Ford

Ford
THE UNIVERSAL CAR

Here are authentic figures from the Ford factory at Detroit. They show you just how many Ford cars and trucks have been built each month since January 1, 1921, and how many have been sold to retail customers in the United States.

	Produced	Delivered to Retail Customers
JANUARY	29,883	57,208
FEBRUARY	35,305	63,603
MARCH	61,886	87,221
Total Production	127,074	Total Retail Sales 208,032

showing that actual sales for the first three months of 1921 exceeded production by 80,958 Ford cars and trucks!

April requisitions already specify 107,719 additional cars and trucks and the estimated April output of the factory and assembly plants combined calls for only 90,000!

These facts clearly show that the demand for Ford products is growing much faster than manufacturing facilities to produce and were it not for the dealers' limited stocks, which are now being rapidly depleted, many more customers would have been compelled to wait for their cars. It will be only a matter of weeks, therefore, until a big surplus of orders will prevent anything like prompt deliveries.

If you would be sure of having your Ford car or truck when you want it, you should place your order now. Don't delay. Phone us or drop us a card.

T. H. Pollock, Ford Dealer,
PHONE NO. 1 PLATTSMOUTH

AD CLUB BOOSTING CROSS COUNTRY TRIP

Endorses Project at Noon-Day Luncheon Yesterday—To Take Place Next Friday.

At their noon-day luncheon yesterday, members of the Ad club approved and endorsed the booster trip to be staged by the American Legion next Friday, April 22nd, advertising their three day indoor carnival and fair April 28-29-30. The matter of securing a large representation of business men of the city to accompany the Legion boys was discussed and a resolution adopted endorsing the matter favorably to the Chamber of Commerce.

A band of from twelve to fifteen pieces will accompany the boosters, and stops will be made at many Cass county towns as well as Nebraska City. The itinerary of the trip has not been completed, but it is planned to leave about 8 o'clock so as to allow ample time for stops in all the neighboring towns.

Should weather conditions prevent the trip being made Friday, it is planned to stage it Monday instead. All those having cars who wish to join in this cross country run, will please communicate with Roy Holly, chairman of the Legion's committee. It is planned to have banners and other decorations for at least a part of the car and all if possible.

W. A. ROBERTSON
Coates Block Second Floor
EAST OF RILEY HOTEL

A BIG SURPRISE WHEN SNAKES POKE OUT HEADS

One day recently Ben Huffman who is farming the Bear farm had a well, which had been dug something like 60 years, ago cleaned out. The well had been walled up with rock and he thought that in order to purify it he would put a quantity of chloride of lime into the well. He did so and there were at least 12 different kinds of snakes in the well. The snakes and this caused a rather fearsome sight. In a short time many snakes began poking their heads out of the holes between the rocks. Those who saw this sight say the snakes averaged 3 inches to 3 feet long and there were at least 12 different kinds of snakes in the well. The snakes had been using this well for winter quarters and the gas had suddenly aroused them. The well had not been in use for some time and now it is thought best to have it filled up.—Elwood Leader-Reho.

TO RE-SEED MEMORIAL PLAT

Cassius Carey, member of the local post of the American Legion, donated the services of himself and a team yesterday and plowed up the Legion's memorial plat in the local cemetery, which after being double disced and raked to give it an even surface, will be seeded down in the near future. The plat comprises nine lots in a rather uneven part of the new cemetery grounds and on the advice of J. H. McMaken who has had extensive experience in resodding and leveling, it was decided to plow up the plat and seed it down anew.

This is but one of the many improvements that will be made during the coming year, and when completed the lots will present a most beautiful appearance, especially during the summer season when the plans of a landscape gardener will be worked out in detail.

These lots are not to be used for burial purposes, but in the years to come will provide the post a place for holding its memorial exercises and be a lasting tribute to the boys who gave their lives in defense of the country during the world war.

Several hundred dollars will be spent in this work, including a part of the money realized from the indoor carnival and fair the Legion will hold the last three days of this month.

MEIGHEN SUSTAINED BY CANADIAN PARLIAMENT

Ottawa, April 14.—Early this morning the house of commons, voting under closure rules, sustained the Meighen government in its ship-building program and granted the administration an interim supply vote for carrying on public expenditures for the first part of the present fiscal year. The vote stood 163 to 79 for the government. The division in the house brought to a close one of the bitterest fights in the Canadian parliament since 1913, when the opposition, obstructing the plan of Sir Robert Borden to give financial aid to the British navy, kept the house in continuous session for two weeks.

THE PRICE OF CLOTHES

The price of our dry cleaning cuts down the price of clothes. Dainty Dorothy says that she has found out that we take most excellent care of the garments entrusted to us and that our charges should make friends for this house. Our dyeing proves satisfactory, as we use the latest approved methods and the best dyes.

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THAT UNMARKED GRAVE

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Plattsmouth, Neb.