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For every high priest taken from among men is ordained for men in things pertaining to God, who can have compassion on the ignorant, and on them that are out of the way; for that he himself also is compassed with infirmity.—Hebrews v, 1 and 2.

Some men consider temptation, opportunity.

An optimist is a man who lets the flies eat with him.

"Caution" is a word which everyone should bear in mind.

As a man thinks so he is unless his wife changes his mind.

"Honesty is the best policy," if people will only learn how.

Say not what you think, unless you may regret it afterwards.

The children usually run everything around home except errands.

Not that anybody cares, but over in China, Dr. Sun has gone down.

Plattsmouth people are generally neighborly in their daily walks of life.

In 54 human beings out of 100 the left leg is stronger than the right.

Physicians in Spain are expected to attend the poorer classes free of charge.

The farmers are putting in every moment on the job between daylight and dark.

The manufacture of wooden heels in Chile is an industry of increasing importance.

The only way to attain perfection is to follow all the advice you give to other people.

A former saloonkeeper in Milwaukee killed himself. Others, however, still have hopes.

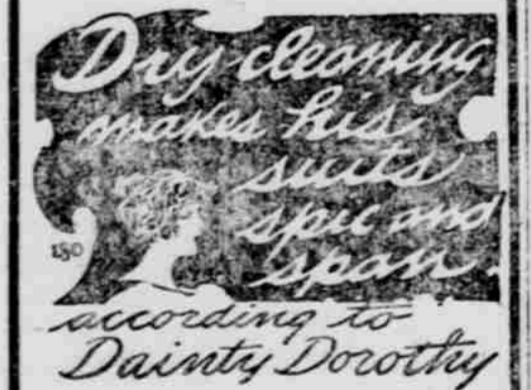
Always drop some money in the collection plate. The change will do the preacher good.

The English channel has been crossed by an English engineer by means of a bicycle.

In New York a dancer choked his partner to death. We thought the strangle hold was barred.

That July reparations payment which Germany couldn't meet, you know, well, it's been paid.

Having put self starters on his automobiles, Mr. Ford has now put one on a presidential boom.



"It don't take a man long to bag his pants at the knees, and to make a finely tailored suit look thoroughly disreputable—that's the man of it," avers Dainty Dorothy.

But she goes on to explain that the man who is making use of our cleaning, steaming and pressing services is keeping his clothes in much more presentable condition than when he got acquainted with us. And it doesn't cost much, either.

Goods Called for and Delivered
FRED LUGSCH
WE KNOW HOW
PHONE 166
OPPOSITE JOURNAL OFFICE

Men who wouldn't take a counterfeit nickel at face value are marrying artificial complexions.

"We have too many crazy people," says a New York doctor. We thought they had more than that.

"He knocked me down 30 times," says a Kentucky woman asking divorce. Thirty is too many.

Chicago man became a robber because he lost his health. Now he is confined to his room for life.

It is a sorry sight to see the hail-ridden corn fields cut to the ground, and the farmers feel their loss severely.

Long hair makes a man look intellectual unless his wife happens to pick it off his coat, when it makes him look foolish.

We learn that the inventor of the safety pin made 2 million dollars, and in time of trouble just one of them is worth it.

Our idea of a dumbbell hair dresser is one who tells a woman who hasn't yet bobbed her hair that bobbed hair is out of style.

The merchants of Plattsmouth are giving the people the very best bargains possible. They mean just what they say in their bargains offered.

If all the progeny of one oyster lived and multiplied, and so on, thru six generations, the heap of shells would be eight times the size of the earth.

Irene Castle brings word from Paris that the women there are now exposing their ears. We feared all along that the extreme limit would be reached in Paris.

Jazz is said to be passing, and maybe that is what we have been hearing instead of what we thought was kids running on the cement walks with coaster wagons.

Dr. Sun Yat Sen, a headline explains, aims at Canton. Probably he does but events thus far have not raised the highest confidence in the quality of his marksmanship.

The progressives polled a large vote in the state. The voters seem to be in a muddled state in many locations. So you see that politics still has to mix strange fellowship at the primaries.

There is a wealth of imagery in the story of the Georgia negro, in jail for burglary, who tore a gallow to pieces and used the lumber in building a ladder on which he climbed to liberty.

A "2 million dollar" booze ring has been discovered in Chicago, with capitalists, office holders and high up politicians said to be involved. It really doesn't look as though 2 million dollars would go around.

A New York authority on dress says that a woman cannot gown herself properly on less than \$800 per year. Probably that explains why so many of them are scantily dressed. They haven't the \$800 per year with which to buy clothes.

The first two or three times a reader asks us when we're going on our vacation, we say, "Oh, in a few weeks." But when one persists beyond that, we feel he is over anxious and say, "Now just for that, we may decide not to go all this year."

DREAMLAND
People dream more when awake than when asleep. We dream chiefly about our ideals—the people we envy, the kind of life we yearn for.

It is good to have ideals. Occasionally they are stimulating—more often a drug.

Keeping the mind constantly jazz dancing, on baseball or the movies chloroforms one's efficiency in handling the present job.

The successful do not waste time envying some one else. They select their ideal, then picture it held by themselves, not others. Steadily they work to the goal. Meantime, they handle each task thoroughly, as it comes.

The key to the future is in how we handle or mishandle the present. Usually the day dream ends as a nightmare.

OUR REPUBLICAN CONGRESS

There are 301 republicans and 131 democrats in the house of representatives. In the senate there are 60 republicans and 36 democrats.

Since March, 1921, the most important administration measure adopted were the emergency tariff and what is commonly called a make-shift revenue reform measure, which neither reforms taxation nor satisfies the taxpayer. Still hanging in the balance are the permanent tariff bill, bearing the names of Fordney-McCumber, the soldiers' bonus measure, which the president indicated he might accept provided congress arranged a revenue bill to accompany the appropriation—which congress is unable to do; and finally the unexpected bit of heroism on the part of the president in declaring that congress had to pass a ship subsidy bill or be called back in extra session—a warning which congress ignores and the president all but forgets.

With all its big majority congress cannot pass big laws. It cannot go forward with its part of the nation's business.

Yet we have the interesting spectacle of the chairman of the national republican committee explaining this failure of congress to function by charging that the low-down democrats have held up the big measure by filibuster! A more ridiculous excuse could not be fashioned even by a more imaginative man than Chairman Adams.

Three hundred and one republicans in the house against 131 democrats, and 60 republicans in the senate against 36 democrats. Yet the republicans are unable to forward because of a filibuster.

As the Louisville Courier-Journal so pointedly says: "If the democrats have beaten the bill (tariff) they have done it not by refusing to let the republicans pass it—they have not the power to do that—but by exposing the iniquity of the bill in debate so thoroughly that the people have been informed and that their opposition aroused to such an extent that the republicans of the senate fear to go ahead with the measure and put it through."

The president is no leader. James Watson is no leader. Lodge is no leader, nor is Smoot nor McCumber. The ablest republican in congress is Borah, but Borah is a sorry partisan, no part of an organization. He is out of line with the administration forces, and so has no following among the regulars. Borah is a free lance, not a party whip. Many other western senators are linked up in special a group called the farmers' bloc, and this separates them from the administration. And so the republican party, which says the Courier-Journal came back into power "insisting that it was the only party competent to transact the business of the government," has brought but little to pass, and stands today seriously discredited before the country.

HERE'S A LESSON
On the principle that food and flowers are raised from filth, possibly Monte Carlo may be justified.

The Prince of Monaco, now dead, took the proceeds of his notorious gambling joint and used them in scientific research, to study ocean life, chart the ocean currents and make the seas pleasanter and safer for travel and trade.

Yet the same constructive purpose could have been attained without all the misery, crime and suicide connected with Monte Carlo.

The most impressive thing brought out in comments on Prince Albert's career is the fact that he showed by his own practice what he himself thought of his means of livelihood.

He never gambled.

More than that, he never permitted his subjects to gamble. There was and is a strict law against it.

The people of Monaco, like their ruler, have merely profited by the folly of others, and held the victims in tolerant contempt, knowing as they did that the odds are always against the gambler.

Paul Manhart of Auburn, one of the republican candidates for congress in the primary, is only twenty-seven years of age but has the courage of his convictions, evidently, that he will some day go to congress. We admire the young fellow's courage, as he is already to renew his campaign for congress two years hence.

The Journal extends congratulations to Charles W. Bryan, and hopes that his nomination on Tuesday last will result in his triumphant election in November.

The farmers beaten out by the hail are now trying hard to make both ends meet, and save what they can for winter.

PECULIAR MOODS

Do you ever, in walking along the street, try to step on every crack in the sidewalk, or change the length of your strides to avoid stepping on cracks altogether?

In going upstairs, do you have impulses to take certain steps "two at a time," or count the number of steps?

Famous old Dr. Samuel Johnson had a similar habit. In taking a walk he could not resist hitting each picket of a fence with his cane. Sometimes, he wrote, it became an obsession with him that he had missed a picket.

Then he would walk back several blocks and hit the annoying picket with great satisfaction.

Everyone, at sometime, has peculiar impulses of this sort. Few stop to analyze them.

These absurd impulses or habits are mild symptoms of psychasthenia, according to Dr. Myerson, is a disease—one of the forms of nervous and mental disorders which the public calls "nervousness" and the scientist calls "psychoneurosis."

Generally these peculiar impulses can be eliminated by will power. Everyone has them at times, so no use worrying about them. We all have "crazy moments."

Psychasthenia, however, can develop into a decidedly diseased condition that interferes with happiness and efficiency.

In the background is the Disease of Fear.

In advanced cases, fear becomes an extreme dread "of closed places, of being alone, of dirt, of all kinds and manners of situations."

In extreme psychasthenia, says Dr. Myerson, the difficulty of making up the mind—of deciding—becomes so great that a person may suffer an agony of internal debate about crossing the street, putting on the clothing, eating the meals—in fact, about every detail of acting and thinking.

The scientist who specializes on abnormalities of the body's endocrine glands steps in and says that fear is the result of imperfect functioning of the adrenal glands, attached to the kidneys.

Opposed to him is the mental scientist who claims that it's the other way around, that mental disorders cause the glandular "acting up."

Regardless of which is right, it is a good thing that attention is finally being paid to mental health as well as bodily health. We live in a highly nervous age, with many times more insane people outside asylum walls than within.

MOVIE SALARIES DROP

Helen Bullitt, who seems to know all about it, says the salary of a good sea-going movie star has dropped something like \$20,000 a year; something very much like it.

That being true, yet it doesn't sound like ironing one's kerchiefs on the window pane or washing the silk hosiery in the bowl on the yellow wood washstand, called a wash-hand-stand in England.

Still \$20,000 is \$20,000, and \$20,000 from \$85,000 leaves \$65,000 and the drop is appreciable.

According to Helen, the movie wage scale now is about this way:

A leading woman, not a star, who was getting \$750 a week now has a contract calling for \$400 or \$500. A leading man with a pretty mouth and possibly a flexible eyebrow used to get \$1,500. It's \$750 to \$1,000 now.

Salaries of directors are down in proportion. Some of these gentlemen, it seems, were receiving \$4,000 a week, for what reason those who pay them are the only ones who know. They are now getting about \$2,500.

The \$2,000 and \$3,000 boys are down to a beggarly \$1,000 to \$1,500.

How can they buy cigarettes and riding pants?

As for the pampered stars who have contracts not yet at an end, we are at least spared press agents' stories of their trying to break the contracts.

The next one probably won't be so fat.

AN UNUSUAL GIRL

Found—A girl who doesn't want to go into the movies! She is Marjane Anderson, beautiful Boston blond, 17 years old.

A movie scout, looking for possibilities, offered her a screen job. She refused—"because my mother would not want me to go into the movies and I wouldn't do anything that my mother didn't want me to."

Parents, whose children are as hard to handle as hot potatoes, will reflect that Miss Anderson's unusual attitude is enough to make her a drawing card in the movies, regardless of her beauty. The species is almost extinct.

LEGAL NOTICE

To the unknown heirs, devisees, legatees, personal representatives and all other persons interested in the estate of John Chandler, deceased;—

Waterman, wife of Geo. S. Waterman, first real name unknown; Lou M. Hays; F. M. Welshimer; C. E. Welshimer; James Welshimer; all persons having or claiming any interest in the north-east quarter of Section 5, Township 11, North Range 13 east of the Sixth Principal Meridian, in Cass county, Nebraska, real names unknown.

You and each of you are hereby notified that John W. Ruffner, Sperry B. Ruffner, Edwin G. Ruffner and Horace B. Ruffner, on the 19th day of July, A. D. 1922, filed their suit against you and each of you in the District Court of Cass county, Nebraska, the object and prayer of which are to quiet the title in the said plaintiffs to the north-east quarter of Section 5, Township 11 North, Range 13, East of the Sixth Principal Meridian, in Cass county, Nebraska, alleging that the plaintiffs are the owners in fee simple title of said real and no lien against said adverse possession for more than ten years prior to the commencement of said action against you, and title derived from other sources, and are asking that the title to said real estate be forever quieted in them and that you and each of you be forever excused from having or claiming any right, title, interest, claim or estate in and to said real estate or any portion thereof, and that the mechanic's lien claimed by the defendants F. M. Welshimer, C. E. Welshimer and James Welshimer be declared null and void from the date hereinafter described.

You are required to answer said petition on or before the 11th day of September, A. D. 1922.

JOHN W. RUFFNER, SPERRY B. RUFFNER, EDWIN G. RUFFNER, HORACE B. RUFFNER, Their Attorneys. J24-4w

ORDER OF HEARING
on Petition for Appointment of Administrator. The State of Nebraska, Cass county, ss.

In due matter of the estate of Henry F. Kropp, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Sarah L. Kropp praying that administration of said estate may be granted to Ernest C. Kropp, as Administrator;

Ordered, that August 7th, A. D. 1922, 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 July 13th, 1922.

ALLEN J. BEESON, County Judge. (Seal) J17-3w.

SHERIFF'S SALE
State of Nebraska, County of Cass, ss.

By virtue of an Order of Sale issued by James Robertson, Clerk of the District Court within and for Cass county, Nebraska, and to me directed, I will on the 14th day of August, A. D. 1922, at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, at the south door of the court house in Plattsmouth in said county, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash the following property to-wit:

Lot twenty-two (22) in Porter Place Addition to the City of Plattsmouth, Cass county, Nebraska—

The same being levied upon and taken as the property of Wiley G. Brooks et al, defendants, to satisfy a judgment of said court recovered by Thomas Wiles, plaintiff, against said defendants.

Plattsmouth, Nebraska, July 6th, A. D. 1922.

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Lot seven (7) and eight (8) in Block four, (4) White's Addition to the City of Plattsmouth, Nebraska—

The same being levied upon and taken as the property of William C. Raapke and Joseph A. Bradley, defendants, to satisfy a judgment of the Municipal Court of the City of Omaha, Douglas county, Nebraska, recovered by Frank E. Vallery, plaintiff, against said defendants.

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Pasture for Rent!
I have good pasture with running water for a few head of cattle on my farm, two miles east of Murray.

T. H. POLLOCK, Phone No. 1 Plattsmouth, Neb.

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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 Louisa Gorder, deceased.

To the creditors of said estate: You are hereby notified that you will sit at the County Court room in Plattsmouth in said county, on the 28th day of August, A. D. 1922, and on the 28th day of November, A. D. 1922, at 10 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 28th day of August, A. D. 1922, and the time limited for payment of debts is one year from said 28th day of August, 1922.

Witness my hand and the seal of said County Court, this 17th day of July, 1922.

ALLEN J. BEESON, County Judge. (Seal) J20-4w.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
The State of Nebraska, Cass county, ss.

In the County Court. In the matter of the estate of Mary C. Trent, deceased.

To the creditors of said estate: You are hereby notified that you will sit at the County Court room in Plattsmouth in said county, on the 27th day of July, A. D. 1922, and on the 27th day of October, A. D. 1922, at ten 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 27th day of July, A. D. 1922, and the time limited for payment of debts is one year from said 27th day of July, 1922.

Witness my hand and the seal of said County Court, this 28th day of June, 1922.

ALLEN J. BEESON, County Judge. (Seal) Jun29-4w.

PASTOR GOES TO A LARGER FIELD

Rev. W. H. Riley of Weeping Water to Take Up Church Work at the State University.

Rev. W. H. Riley gave the members of his church a real surprise last week, when they received letters sent out announcing his resignation as pastor of the Congregational church, and stating he would give his reasons for taking the step at the morning services Sunday.

He stated that he had been elected to the office of Student Pastor for the Congregational church at the State University. He asked that his resignation might be acted on, and the church voted to accept it to go into effect September 1.

Mr. Riley came to Weeping Water and began his pastorate June 16th, 1918, coming from North Olmstead, Ohio. The church under his leadership has accomplished a number of things worth while, he thought most emphasized by Mr. Riley being the young people's work in the church.

One hundred and nine new members were received into the church and it now has a membership of 284. He has conducted thirty-one funerals and performed thirty weddings. There has been approximately \$6,000 raised for missions during these four years.

There are eight or nine hundred Congregational students in the University, which Mr. Riley will have under his supervision, which will be no small job, but Mr. Riley is fitted for the position and likes to work with young people, which is a large feature for success.