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### IF THY RIGHT EYE OFFEND

And if thy right eye offend thee, pluck it out, and cast it from thee; for it is profitable for thee that one of thy members should perish, and not that thy whole body should be cast into hell.—Matthew v, 29.

Turks give in, and will sign treaty. Next!

The man who rides a hobby thinks everybody else is walking.

The regular bargain day will come on February 21 this month.

The postoffice question in this city seems to be in the balance—awaiting a weighout.

At times we suspect that the only difference between primitive man and civilized man is a shave.

Seven aviators will try to fly around the world this spring. Spring always makes one feel like that.

Poison is quicker of course, but she can give him fried food three times a day and avoid embarrassment.

How times change. Just a few years ago there wasn't anything else quite so grand as silver buckles on harness.

There are lots of fellows who don't know anything about literature who can name right off the bat the six best cellars.

Lord Curzon, who is said to have been cured by the Coud method, apparently couldn't make it work on Ismet Pasha.

We are so fond of Charlie Chaplin's acting that sometimes we wish he would cut out the courting and go back to work.

It often happens that the man who drives lacks horse sense. He gets hot under the collar and bristles up—things which old Dobbin would never do.

An army veterinarian speaks disparagingly of the service of the mule at the front. Nobody ever questioned the efficiency of that quadruped in bringing up the rear.

A Washington woman has offered a residence for the vice president, "on an exclusive street." Isn't the holder of that position always obscure enough without that?

A midget 27 inches tall has been admitted to this country after having been held up for a week at Ellis island. Probably they thought from his size that he might be Berg-doll.

Well, the best that can be offered today by the way of heartening information to the world peace movement is that the "boat tail" bullet, said to be the deadliest yet, has been perfected.

Money is never talked about in polite circles. It is taken for granted. There's nothing so annoying as the fellow who sits in with the opening remark, "Well, is this game going to be cash or checks?"

It is estimated that during the past two years \$3,000,000,000 has been invested in non-taxable securities. Which may account for the fly in the ointment of the federal tax collectors. And they don't know what to do about it.

An eastern physician identified a burglar with his stethoscope. He had examined the man on one occasion and kept a record of his unusual heart beats. There are a lot of folks who think that a bandit has no heart but the doctor knows better.

Some of the ladies in England are wearing bangs and it is said that a king's niece is responsible for the fashion. That doesn't mean anything in Plattsmouth, however. It takes better than a king's niece to prescribe for a flock of our queens.

Dan Butler claims to be a democrat but he has a very poor way of showing it from the way he attacks ex-governor and Congressman-elect Morehead. Dan at times is a pretty good fellow, but he must remember that Omaha is not the whole state.

### The next Bargain day is February 21st.

Don't forget February 21. Some bargains that day.

This blamed country is so poor we have only 12,000,000 of the world's 13,250,000 autos.

Sometimes a man would rather be called a horrible ex-ample than have no notoriety at all.

The sad thing about having a wife is she always wishes you looked like some blamed movie actor.

A blind pianist lost the church's money playing poker, which is harder to play than a piano.

A man who forgot his girl Christmas tells us she has written him and had to use asbestos paper.

Over in Russia Prince Utomsky may be shot, but with a name like that he may be glad of it.

Worry about your vacation one hour every night and you can decide where to spend it by July.

The funniest thing is seeing an old bachelor petting a baby, especially if she is about 20 years old.

France will increase her taxes 20 per cent. War never pays but the taxpayer never escapes paying.

One American dollar is now equal to 1.118 German marks. Which is our idea of the zero in values.

National shoe retailers say every woman needs 15 pairs of shoes a year. Read this to your husband.

It is estimated poison booze will kill 1200 people in 1933, and this is up to you if you are among them.

Photographs from his New England farm disclose Babe Ruth making a lot of home runs this winter.

Automobiles have been greatly improved mechanically. It is not the owners one sees under them anymore.

If the Boorn rumors are true, the ex-kaiser seems unable to get along with his new wife any better than he got along with Gott.

A Chicago man is suing the court to recover \$35,000 lost in a dice game. By and by suckers will understand that the proprietor of the establishment always plays for keeps.

Speaking of the time and the way it flies, another presidential year is almost at hand. Before the end of 1933 we shall see sandy presidential timber silhouetted against the great blue sky. It seems but yesterday since Teddy was in the ring with his hat.

They make millions of buttons from clam and mussel shells taken from the Mississippi river and now they are making synthetic marbles from the waste of the button factories. It is a fine thing when a man can rear his tombstone from his extra pants buttons.

According to the gentlemen who garner vital statistics there is a lessening of blindness in this country since people have taken to wearing glasses and caring for their eyes. Nevertheless, there are over 120,000 blind persons in the United States today—not including those who persisted in voting.

If you had only thought about it in time you could have invested \$25 in 1912 and been rich by now. By putting \$25 in the Standard Oil company of Indiana and holding it you would today have \$37,200 more than when you started. Anybody with \$37,200, even in this high priced country, can laugh disdainfully at Ford cars.

Dismissing a young school ma'am for going with a high school boy is certainly a very flimsy excuse for so doing. Is it any wonder when such as this is put in force, there are so many old maid school teachers as there are today.

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### A JUST TONSORIAL VERDICT

The fairy story once upon a time there lived a barber who told a customer he really did not need a massage is almost as familiar as the usual effort to get a shave with no more additional penalties than a shampoo and tonic. Ordinarily the victim endeavors to offset the annoyance that he has been an easy mark by reflecting that his appearance has been much improved. A gentleman of Trenton, N. J., who fell into the clutches of a Gotham tonsorial expert, did not take a resigned attitude when he was assessed \$5.95 for a shave with extras, and promptly filed an affidavit charging the barber with petty larceny.

The list of little attentions paid the Jerseyite as related to the court included the basic shave of course. The barber then singed his hair, tweezed his eyebrows, massaged his face with mud "to open the pores," rubbed the back of his neck, turned on a stream of hot air, splashed his face with "li-lack" water, bathed the open pores with an astringent to close them up again, dabbed some powder on chin and vest and waxed solicitous over a little mole. In addition, but not mentioned in the testimony, he probably related several ripping yarns from the Traveling Salesman's Ready Reference and gave his customer the first expert information on the proper adjustment of the allied debt.

The court divided over the decision, but the majority opinion cited as a precedent the fundamental rule of Blackstone that silence gives consent and that so long as the customer failed to call a halt in the ministrations the barber had not reason to suppose that the little extra attention was unwelcome. The attempt to employ a slumber alibi as a reason for failure to stop the pyramiding bill was very properly ruled out of order. The court properly felt that any barber sufficiently expert to put a customer to sleep while cutting off a growth of stubble was entitled to whatever recompense he could get.

### DO THE WICKED PROSPER

Many of us know men whom we judge to be shady in their transactions or manner of gaining a livelihood but who live in large houses, drive expensive cars and give every evidence of having plenty of wealth. We know plenty of God-fearing, honest people who seldom have enough money to indulge themselves in simple luxuries.

Piles of cash and bales of bonds do not represent happiness, much as their possession may seem to indicate it to those who must worry along on small incomes.

The rewards of life come in the smiles of friends and the realization that someone has been helped over a bit of stony ground. The future will see that the wicked have their deserts, even if they now seem to bask in the smiles of Providence.

Wealth is not the important thing in life. Many men who choose the paths of helpfulness in preaching and teaching might amass fortunes in business. Some of the brightest American minds are hidden from the public in the jungles of Africa or the villages of India. They are helping other nations to higher plane of living.

Riches take wings and fly away. The rewards of the righteous are sure.

Any church in this community will help build your faith in the future. Learn to value things on the true basis. Go to church occasionally.

### SEEDS FOR NOTHING

The appropriation of \$360,000 for the distribution of seeds to constituents was beaten in the house. It has frequently happened that this gratuity has been knocked out in one branch of congress, but it was always with the understanding that it was to be restored by the other. History will doubtless repeat itself. The American senate will insist upon the restoration by the other. History will doubtless repeat itself.

In the gentle springtime, when the average voter has forgotten the name of his congressman, he will be handed a little envelope containing a few seeds of impossible brands of turnips, onions, lettuce and beets. It takes more than a truck gardener to raise stuff from the government germs. One has to be a trick gardener as well. We saw a man once who managed to garden a small mess of man-gel-wurzel for his heifer from a package of beet seed he had sown, but such luck is rare.

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The British will turn back \$50,000,000 of Boxer indemnity money to educate Chinese along practical lines. We hope that the British begin by teaching the Chinese how to put more inches on their cotton shirt tails. The south needs the money.

### ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE

In the District Court of Cass county, Nebraska. In the matter of the estate of Anna Hart, deceased. Now, on this 15th day of January, 1933, this cause came on for hearing upon the petition, under oath, of A. G. Cole, administrator of the estate of said Anna Hart, deceased, praying for license to sell the following described real estate of the said Anna Hart, deceased, to-wit:

Beginning at the southwest corner of Lot ten, (10) Block forty-nine, (49) in the City of Plattsmouth, Nebraska, running thence easterly on the South line of said lot, one hundred five (105) feet to the Northeast corner of a point in the North line of said lot ten (10) feet west of the Northeast corner of said lot, thence west one hundred thirty (130) feet to the Northwest corner of said lot, thence Southeast to the point of beginning, being a part of Lot No. 10, Block 49, in the City of Plattsmouth, Nebraska—

or a sufficient amount thereof to bring the sum of \$1,220.70, for the payment of debts allowed against said estate, and allowances and costs of administration, for the reason that there is not a sufficient amount of personal property in the possession of said A. G. Cole, administrator, belonging to said estate, to pay said debts, allowances and costs.

It is therefore ordered that all persons interested in said estate appear before me at chambers in the City of Plattsmouth, in said county, on the 27th day of February, 1933, at ten o'clock a. m., to show cause, if any there be, why a license should not be granted to said A. G. Cole, administrator, to sell so much of the above described real estate of said decedent as shall be necessary to pay said debts and expenses.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be served upon all persons interested in said estate by causing the same to be published once each week for four successive weeks in the Plattsmouth Journal, a newspaper printed and published in said county of Cass.

JAMES T. BEGLEY, Judge of the Dist. Court.

### 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 all persons interested in the estate of William Chalfant, deceased: On reading the petition of Diana Chalfant praying that the instrument filed in this court on the 2nd day of February, 1923, 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 William Chalfant, deceased; that said instrument be admitted to probate, and the administration of said estate be granted to Diana Chalfant 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 5th day of March, A. D. 1923, at 10 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 that 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 and published in said county, for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing.

Witness my hand and seal of said court this 2nd day of February, A. D. 1923.

ALLEN J. BEESON, County Judge.

### NOTICE

Whereas, James Zoubek, convicted in Cass county, on the 13th day of March, 1922, of the crime of burglary, has made application to the Board of Pardons and Pardon, and the Board of Pardons, pursuant to law have set the hour of 10 o'clock a. m. on the 27th day of February, 1923, for hearing on said application, all persons interested are hereby notified that they may appear at the state penitentiary at Lincoln, Nebraska, on said day and hour and show cause, if any there be, why said application should or should not be granted.

CHARLES W. POOL, Secretary, Board of Pardons.

### NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The State of Nebraska, Cass county, ss. In the County Court. In the matter of the estate of Lee C. Sharp, 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 1st day of February, A. D. 1923, and on the 1st day of May, A. D. 1923, 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 presentation of claims against said estate is three months from the 1st day of February, A. D. 1923, and the time limited for payment of debts is one year from said 1st day of February, 1923.

Witness my hand and seal of said County Court this 29th day of January, 1933.

ALLEN J. BEESON, County Judge.

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### ANNOUNCEMENT

I wish to announce that I am now prepared to do first Hemstitching and Picot edging, and solicit your patronage.

Wagner Hotel Room, first door east of Parmele theatre

MRS. MABEL WEIDMAN

### SHERIFF'S SALE

The State of Nebraska, Cass county, ss. By virtue of an Order of Sale issued by James Robertson, Clerk of the District Court of Cass county, Nebraska, and to me directed, I will on the 5th day of March, 1923, at ten o'clock a. m. of said day, at the south door of the court house in the City of Plattsmouth, in said county, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, the following described real estate, to-wit:

The south half of the north-west quarter of the southwest quarter and the southwest quarter of the southwest quarter of Section thirty-two, (32) in Township eleven (11) North, in Range fourteen (14) east of the 6th P. M., in Cass county, Nebraska. Subject to a mortgage of \$4,000.00 in favor of John M. Leyda, now on said premises and interest.

The same having been levied upon and taken as the property of Robert D. Shrader et al, defendants, to satisfy a judgment and decree of said court recovered by John M. Leyda, plaintiff against said defendants, and to satisfy further judgment and decree of said court, recovered by John F. Wolf, defendant, against said defendants, and also to satisfy a further judgment recovered by Robert Willis against said defendant, Robert Shrader.

Plattsmouth, Nebraska, January 27th, 1923.

C. D. QUINTON, Sheriff, Cass County, Nebraska.

### NOTICE OF SUIT TO QUIET TITLE

In the District Court of the County of Cass, Nebraska, August W. Clويد et al, Plaintiffs, vs. Alfred Thomson et al, Defendants.

To the defendants Alfred Thomson; Mrs. Alfred Thomson, real name unknown; Ellen A. Steel; Steel, real name unknown; Wm. L. Browne, trustee; the successors and assigns of Wm. L. Browne, trustee, real names unknown; John Williams; Mrs. John Williams, real name unknown; Mary Ann Pronger; Pronger, real name unknown; James Jordan; Mrs. James Jordan, real name unknown; Samuel H. Moer; Homer Goodwin; Joel Solomon and E. H. Eaton, real names unknown, each deceased, real names unknown, and all persons having or claiming any interest in and to all of Lot ten (10) and the east half (E½) of Lot nine, (9) all in Block twenty-seven, (27) in the City of Plattsmouth, Cass county, Nebraska, real names unknown:

You and each of you are hereby notified that August W. Clويد et al, Plaintiffs, filed a petition and commenced an action in the District Court of Cass county, Nebraska, on the 20th day of January, 1923, against you and each of you, the object, purpose and prayer of which is to obtain a decree of court quieting the title to Lot ten (10) and the east half (E½) of Lot nine, (9) all in Block twenty-seven, (27) in the City of Plattsmouth, Cass county, Nebraska, as against you and each of you and for such relief as may be just and equitable.

You and each of you are further notified that you are required to answer said petition on or before Monday, the 5th day of March, 1923, or the allegations therein contained will be taken as true and a decree rendered in favor of plaintiff and against you and each of you, according to the prayer of said petition.

Dated this 20th day of January, A. D. 1923.

AUGUST W. CLOID, ANDREW O. MOORE, JOHN J. CLOID, Plaintiffs.

W. A. Robertson, Their Attorney. 322-4w

### NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The State of Nebraska, Cass county, ss. In the County Court.

In the matter of the estate of William M. Curyea, 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 27th day of February, 1923, and on the 28th day of May, 1923, at 10 o'clock a. m. each day, to receive and examine all claims against said estate, with a view to their adjustment and allowance. The time limited for presentation of claims against said estate is three months from the 22nd day of January, A. D. 1923, and the time limited for payment of debts is one year from said 22nd day of January, 1923.

Witness my hand and seal of said County Court, this 22nd day of January, 1923.

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### NEW RED BOOKS

The February Red Books are now on sale at the Journal stationery department. Call and secure your copy at once before it is too late.

### NOTICE OF SUIT TO QUIET TITLE

In the District Court of the County of Cass, Nebraska. Emmons J. Richey, Plaintiff, vs. William B. Warbritton et al, Defendants.

To the defendants William B. Warbritton; Mrs. Warbritton, real name unknown; Rosan Decker; John Ross; Susan Ross; A. E. Alexander, real name unknown; John Decker, real name unknown; John Ross; Susan Ross; A. E. Alexander, real name unknown; Lafayette Nuckolls; Mrs. Lafayette Nuckolls, real name unknown; Thomas W. Newman; Mrs. Thomas W. Newman, real name unknown; Edward E. Jones; Mrs. Edward E. Jones, real name unknown; the heirs, devisees, legatees, personal representatives and all other persons interested in the estates of William B. Warbritton; Mrs. William B. Warbritton, real name unknown; Rosan Decker; Decker, real name unknown; John Ross; Susan Ross; A. E. Alexander, real name unknown; Lafayette Nuckolls; Mrs. Lafayette Nuckolls, real name unknown; Thomas W. Newman; Mrs. Thomas W. Newman, real name unknown; Edward E. Jones; Mrs. Edward E. Jones, real name unknown, each deceased, real names unknown, and all persons having or claiming any interest in Lots seven, (7) eight (8) and nine (9) and the west thirty feet of Lot ten, (10) and that part of Lot ten (10) described as follows: Commencing at a point on the north line of said Lot 10, 11 feet west of the northeast corner thereof; thence west on said lot line 3 feet, thence south 99 feet, 4 inches, thence east 3 feet, thence north 99 feet and 4 inches, to the place of beginning, all being in Block thirty-six, (36) in the City of Plattsmouth, Cass county, Nebraska, real names unknown:

You and each of you are hereby notified that Emmons J. Richey, plaintiff, filed a petition and commenced an action in the District Court of Cass county, Nebraska, on the 20th day of October, 1922, against you and each of you, the object, purpose and prayer of which is to obtain a decree of court quieting the title to lots seven, (7) eight (8) and nine, (9) and the west thirty feet of Lot ten, (10) and that part of Lot ten (10) described as follows: Commencing at a point on the north line of said Lot 10, 11 feet west of the northeast corner thereof; thence west on said lot line 3 feet, thence south 99 feet, 4 inches, thence east 3 feet, thence north 99 feet and 4 inches, to the place of beginning, all being in Block thirty-six, (36) in the City of Plattsmouth, Cass county, Nebraska, real names unknown:

You and each of you are further notified that you are required to answer said petition on or before Monday, the 24th day of February, 1923, or the allegations therein contained will be taken as true and a decree rendered in favor of plaintiff and against you and each of you, according to the prayer of said petition.

Dated this 30th day of December, A. D. 1922.

EMMONS J. RICHEY, Plaintiff. W. A. ROBERTSON, Atty. for Plaintiff.

### SHERIFF'S SALE

State of Nebraska, County of Cass, ss. By virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the District Court of Cass county, Nebraska, and in pursuance of a decree of said court, in an action therein, indexed at Appearance Docket —, Number —, Execution Docket —, Number —, wherein Merchants National Bank of Omaha, Nebraska, is plaintiff and Pollock Parmele, Louise Parmele, his wife, Charles C. Parmele, a widower, Will Jean, Marie Jean, his wife, Bank of Nebraska, a corporation, Gustave Philip Raschke, a single man, are defendants, I will at ten o'clock a. m. on the 19th day of February, 1923, at the south front door of the Court House of Cass county, Nebraska, in the City of Plattsmouth, Cass county, Nebraska, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, the following described real estate, to-wit:

The west half of the southeast quarter (W½ SE¼) of Section thirty-four, (34) in Township thirteen, (13) North Range twelve, (12) east of the 6th P. M.; the east half of the southwest quarter (E½ SW¼) of Section thirty-four, (34) in Township thirteen, (13) North Range twelve, (12) east of the 6th P. M.; a strip of ground eight (8) rods wide off the east side of the northwest quarter (NW¼) of the southwest quarter (SW¼) of Section thirty-four, (34) in Township thirteen, (13) North Range twelve, (12) east of the 6th P. M., in Cass county, Nebraska—

to satisfy the costs of the said action and increased and accruing costs; to satisfy the plaintiff's lien upon the said real estate in the sum of Six Thousand Eighty-nine and Eighteen One-Hundredths Dollars (\$6,089.18) with interest at ten per cent (10%) per annum from date; to satisfy the plaintiff's second lien upon the said real estate in the sum of Eleven Thousand, Seven Hundred Ninety and Ninety-nine One-Hundredths Dollars, (\$11,719.99) with interest at ten per cent (10%) per annum from date, bringing the surplus, if any, into court to abide further order of the court in the premises; all as provided by said order and decree; the said real estate being levied upon and taken as the property of the said defendants.

Dated at Plattsmouth, Nebraska, this 8th day of January, 1923.

C. D. QUINTON, Sheriff, Cass County, Nebraska.

### PUBLIC AUCTION!

Owing to my leaving the country, I will hold an entire cleanup sale at my home, on the John Chalfant farm, one mile east and 3½ miles north of Union; one-half mile east and 4½ south of Murray, sale commencing at 10:00 o'clock, on—

### FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 16TH

the following described property:

**Livestock**  
One bay team mares, 6 and 7 years old, sound and heavy with foal, weight 2800; one team of mules, 6 and 7 years old, sound, weight 2500; one black team of horses, 5 years old, weight 2600; one bay team of horses, 7 and 8 years old, weight 2600; one black horse, 8 years old, weight 1300; one black horse, smooth mouth weight 1200; one saddle horse, weight 1000; one bay horse, 6 years old, weight 1400; one bay horse, eight months, weight 1100; ten head of milk cows, seven fresh, balance to be fresh soon; fifty head of brood sows, farrow from March first to April first; some Duroc-Jersey hogs, all immuned; 150 bushels of corn; 50 bushels of seed oats.

**Farm Machinery, Etc.**  
Three sets of 1½ inch work harness, two good farm wagons, one hay rack, one old disc, good as new; one Avery walking cultivator, one Badger cultivator, one Ford truck, good as new, has been used only thirty days; one harrow cart, one good three-section harrow, two lists, one Jamesville corn planter, with