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TO REAP LIFE EVERLASTING

He that soweth to his flesh shall of the flesh reap corruption; but he that soweth to the Spirit shall of the Spirit reap life everlasting. — Galatians 6:8.

Nobody but actors would ever strike for shorter playing hours.

It takes a man with stout backbone to be arrogant on an empty stomach.

This is the glorious time of year when fifty pounds of ice is a nice big hunk.

From now until November "no man's collar" will have a time getting itself worn.

Sometimes a man is so hard up for something to boast of he will brag on knowing where he can buy corn whiskey.

A former truck driver now is promoter of South Australia, which shows that a man can get somewhere by careful driving.

Firpo says he doesn't want to fight Dempsey, an opinion which he shares with practically the entire population of the world.

Half the bachelor girls owe their sad plight to an electric light shining on their porch swing. Throw rocks at the light.

One person out of every seven in Nebraska now owns motor cars. The other six are trying their darndest to raise the rifle.

The Prince of Wales is said to have greatly promoted international good feeling by his dancing in Paris. Perhaps he dances like he rides.

Tom Allen should be re-elected chairman of the democratic state committee. Tom fits in anywhere you put him and is loyal to his party.

In case the republican presidential nominee gets arrested before election, it should be understood the second choice of that party heads the ticket.

The Washington Star says every stranger in that city is immediately suspected of being a bootlegger or a detective. And perhaps both, by some of the inhabitants.

Those democratic papers which are boosting Henry Ford for this office and that office should stop it. Let him go where he belongs for favors. He is a republican and has told Coolidge he would support him.

Since the outbreak of the revolution, Petrograd is said to have shrunk from a city of 2 1/2 million to 300,000 inhabitants. And probably those who remain do so because they can't get away, and are really in no position to put much pep into the Petrograd Chamber of Commerce.

Mayor Dahlman has just completed his fifteenth year as mayor of Omaha, and with a record hard to beat. Here's to you, Jim, and may you live many years longer to exercise your usefulness to the people of Omaha, and the state of Nebraska at large. No man in the state can rejoice in having more solid friends than faithful Jim Dahlman.

The nation is spending at the rate of about three billion dollars a year for new building construction. Dunn's Review reports that new building permits filed in March totaled nearly \$19 million dollars. So far this year, more money is going into building than a year ago. The importance of this is that the real solution of high rents is more homes.

"You may have noticed that, while I am generally regarded as the champion faint finder of the community, I have never said a word against the present feminine fashion of bobbing the hair," stated an old timer. "In the first place, it is none of my business what ladies do or don't do. In the second place, it would not have the slightest effect if I yelled myself black in the face. And in the third place, if they like it that way it is undoubtedly the way they like it, and so long as it is fashionable they will go right on doing it so, though the heavens fall."

INES TO REMEMBER

Wrong cannot have a legal descendant. — Thomas Paine.

Anyway, it is hoped that California and Arizona won't declare war.

President Coolidge, some say, will veto the bonus bill, as his surroundings indicate.

These are the days it is time to go home just before you get settled down to work.

Mellon tax plan seems doomed. Public sentiment has failed to materialize in its favor.

Never count your tomatoes until they are ripe. A bug in hand is a dozen tomatoes saved.

Most beautiful women marry ugly men because they don't have to put up with good looking men.

Once they married in haste and repented at leisure; now they marry in spring and repent in summer.

The third party will come up smiling if Coolidge don't watch out. Too many vetoes are not popular.

The week beginning May 5 is to be clean up week in Kansas. Does that include washing up the Fords?

A Chicago man was robbed in Los Angeles when he could have stayed at home and had it done much better.

Church note: The Christian religion has about 500,000,000 followers, the majority of which lag behind.

Garden hints: Buy vegetables at the store. Hide them in the garden like Easter eggs and claim they grew there.

The Dawes report was translated into English, French and German. Translating it into cash is another matter.

Was the president's frequent mention of ideals in his recent speech due to his months of association with idealist Slemp?

Personally we don't claim to be a millinery expert, but we don't see how anybody could beat a blue hat with a red band.

A California scientist says he has harnessed sunshine, but no such confident statement comes from Uncle Sam as to moonshine.

The slogan of the National Hairdressers' association is "More Beautiful Women For America." Here, indeed, is patriotism.

The federal government is taking steps to promote recreation. Every man has the right to be chased by picnic ants and redbugs.

Pinchot, opposing the Pennsylvania bossed on a dry platform, is more to be commended for his enemies than for his friends.

In Washington the rum runners tried to use dynamite against the cops. That's bad, but better than selling it to their customers.

Ex-Attorney General Daugherty offers his record in office to the republican party for such helpful use as it can make of it in the campaign. One expects, however, that it will be the democrats who will use it.

A Chicago woman who asks for divorce on grounds of the husband's habitual intoxication seems to be trying to do her best by him. She can't stand him herself, but she wishes to turn him loose as popular as possible.

The insurance bonus is a palpable trick. Both the American Legion and lobbyists and the bonus shouters in congress are equal partners in the game of deception. Their one hope is to pass off on the war veterans a sham substitute for the bonus and then pose as their honest benefactors and friends.

THE BONUS SHAM

The insurance bonus is not what ex-service men wanted. It is not what they were taught to expect. It is not what the politicians in congress and the official managers of the American Legion declared they were entitled to have and proclaimed the intention of obtaining for them. It is merely a device for fooling the soldiers and sailors into believing that they have been recognized and for establishing a political claim on their gratitude.

Adjusted compensation all along has been represented as a means of making up to over 4,000,000 men actual losses they suffered by exchanging civil employment for military service and equalizing economic disadvantages to which they as a class were subject during a period of high wages. It was to be done by a system of cash payments from the government, graded according to length of service here and abroad. That is what the men were promised from the start by the leaders of the bonus campaign.

Congress, at the instance of the American Legion officials, now offers for the ex-service men something entirely different. Under the political bargain entered into the men are to get no cash payments that would be a measure of real adjusted compensation, but insurance policies on which they cannot even borrow money until after the expiration of two years, and then only in trifling sums. It is a system that falsifies every promise made to the men by their own professional champions and fails to accomplish the ends for which it is ostensibly designed.

HARRY'S SHYSTER DEFENSE

If anything were lacking to prove the unfitness of Harry M. Daugherty for the office of attorney general, and to establish a moral conviction that he is all wrong, his speech at Columbus and his statement to the press supply the lack. Mr. Daugherty defends himself by blackening his accusers. He offers no defense to reason and judgment but appeals to passion and prejudice and credulity by charging a conspiracy between the bolshevists of Russia and the senators who are conducting the investigation of his office to destroy him. If there is a conspiracy, it is widespread and involves not only Wheeler, Brookhart and the members of the senate investigating committee, but the whole senate in ordering the investigation, the leaders of the republican party who demanded his dismissal and President Coolidge who dismissed him.

The cheap trick of blackening accusers smacks of more of a confession of guilt than of an adequate defense. It is the last resort of a mountebank.

It is true that a group of disreputable witnesses testified to crookedness in the department of justice and among Daugherty's close associates. But the testimony of Roxie Stinson and Gaston Means was valuable as showing what kind of intimates Mr. Daugherty had and what kind of men he had in his department.

Was Mr. Daugherty's statement: "My conduct and my associates have been equal in respectability to those of any public official in Washington—president, cabinet officers or anybody else," a threat? It reads like it. It reads like a warning that he, if pressed too far, will add to the arts of the slyster the tricks of the tar-stick wielder. It is a threat to blow the whole works if he is blown up. Let him blow.

BOOKS THROUGH PEOPLE

Oliver Wendell Holmes says somewhere that "Society is a strong solution of books. It draws the virtue out of what is best worth reading, as hot water draws the strength of tea leaves." This is a statement destined to open the eyes of those pedants who believe that all learning lies in the dusty shelves and allows where books abound.

It is surprising how many persons quite the reverse of scholars have ideas on current literature and even that of a bygone day. The second-hand shops do not flourish for the professional student alone. Therefore, instead of steeping himself in his own books with only his own set of faculties to guide him, it was Holmes' idea to get close to people, and read books through their eyes. Choose them when they are "good-natured and expansive, as they are apt to be at table," said Holmes.

In this suggestion lies hope not only for the scholar, in furnishing him a new and pleasant means of learning, but for the man who has only brief intervals to give to books. Even though he has little time for learning, his opinions are not worthless. He will learn, too, by this concentrated method already indicated, when he makes a point of view.

A few days ago, you may recall, Chauncey M. Depew celebrated his 80th birthday. Well, yesterday he celebrated his 90th. Time certainly does fly when you're about 35 trying to keep track of the birthdays of famous birthdays of famous non-generalians.

NOTICE

In the District Court of Cass county, Nebraska. Olive M. Ferguson, Plaintiff, vs. Unknown Heirs, Devisees, Legatees, Personal Representatives and all other persons interested in the estate of Charles Mertens, deceased, et al. Defendants.

To the unknown heirs, devisees, legatees, personal representatives and all other persons interested in the estate of Charles Mertens, deceased, real names unknown; the unknown heirs, devisees, legatees, personal representatives and all other persons interested in the estate of Wilhelmina Mertens, deceased, real names unknown; all persons having or claiming any interest in Lot twenty (20) in the east half of the southeast quarter (E 1/2 SE 1/4) of Section twenty-nine (29), in Township twelve (12) North, Range fourteen (14) east of the Sixth Principal Meridian, in Cass county, Nebraska, real names unknown; said Lot twenty (20) being also described by metes and bounds as follows: Commencing at Doud's northwest corner, thence north ten degrees east six chains to an elm tree, thence with the claim line between Brigid Cole's and Jean's, eighteen chains and seventeen links to section line on east side of Section twenty-nine, thence south with section line, three chains and fifty links to Doud's northeast corner, thence west with Doud's north claim line, eighteen chains and ninety links to the place of beginning, containing 8.90 acres, all in Section twenty-nine, Township twelve North, Range fourteen east of the Sixth Principal Meridian, in Cass county, Nebraska. You and each of you are hereby notified that on the 21st day of April, A. D. 1924, the plaintiff in the foregoing action filed her petition in the District Court of Cass county, Nebraska, wherein you and each of you are made parties defendant, for the purpose of obtaining a decree from said Court, quieting the title in plaintiff to the following described real estate, to-wit:

Lot number twenty (20), in the east half of the southeast quarter (E 1/2 SE 1/4) of Section twenty-nine (29), Township twelve (12) North, Range fourteen (14) east of the Sixth Principal Meridian, in Cass county, Nebraska— as against you and each of you, and by such decree to wholly exclude you and each of you from all estate, right, title, claim or interest therein, and to have the title to said real estate forever freed from the apparent claims of you and each of you and quieted in plaintiff, and for equitable relief.

You and each of you are required to answer said petition on or before the 9th day of June, A. D. 1924, or your default will be entered in said cause and decree granted as prayed for in said petition.

HANS SIEVERS, Administrator of Estate of Helene Hilbert, Deceased. OLIVE M. FERGUSON, Plaintiff. C. A. RAWLS, Attorney.

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE

In the District Court of Cass county, Nebraska. In the matter of the application of Hans Sievers, Administrator of the estate of Helene Hilbert, deceased, for license to sell real estate to pay debts.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an order and license issued by Hon. James T. Begley, Judge of the District Court of Cass county, Nebraska, on the 12th day of April, 1924, to me, Hans Sievers, Administrator, I will, on the 10th day of May, 1924, at the hour of ten o'clock a. m., at the south door of the Court House in Plattsmouth, Cass county, Nebraska, offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, the following described real estate, to-wit:

The south 34 feet of Lot two (2) in Block sixteen (16) in Townsends Addition to the City of Plattsmouth, and fractional Lots one (1), two (2) and three (3) in Block eighty-six (86) in the Original Town of Plattsmouth, Nebraska— subject to all liens and incumbrances. Said offer for sale will remain open for one hour for bids.

Date: April 14th, 1924. HANS SIEVERS, Administrator of Estate of Helene Hilbert, Deceased. 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 Senn James, 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 20th day of May, 1924, and on the 21st day of August, 1924, at 10 o'clock a. m. on each of said days 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 20th day of May, A. D. 1924, and the time limited for payment of debts is one year from said 20th day of May, 1924.

Witness my hand and the seal of said County Court, this 19th day of April, 1924. ALLEN J. BEESON, County Judge.

LEGAL NOTICE

In the County Court of Cass county, Nebraska. In the matter of the estate of Florence G. Chalfant, deceased.

Notice of Hearing. To all persons interested in the estate of said deceased, Creditors and Heirs at Law: You are hereby notified that on the 12th day of April, 1924, Hazel F. Hendricks filed her petition in this Court in which she alleges: That Florence G. Chalfant, late a resident and inhabitant of Rock Bluff precinct, Cass county, Nebraska, departed this life, intestate, on or about the 8th day of May, 1909, leaving her

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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 20th day of May, 1924, and on the 21st day of August, 1924, at the hour of 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 the presentation of claims against said estate is three months from the 20th day of May, A. D. 1924, and the time limited for payment of debts is one year from said 20th day of May, 1924.

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In the County Court of Cass county, Nebraska. In the matter of the application of Frank G. Hull, Administrator of the estate of Samuel L. Furlong, deceased, for license to sell real estate to pay debts of said deceased.

Order to Show Cause. Now, on this 5th day of April, 1924, comes Frank G. Hull, administrator of the estate of Samuel L. Furlong, deceased, and presents his petition for a license to sell the real estate of said deceased, to-wit:

surviving as her sole and only heir at law; James Chalfant, her husband, and Hazel P. Chalfant, a son, and Hazel P. Chalfant, the petitioner, a daughter, all of legal age, and that said decedent was seized and possessed of the fee simple title to real estate in Cass county, Nebraska, described as follows:

An undivided one-half interest in and to the southwest quarter of the southwest quarter of Section 5; the northeast quarter of the northeast quarter of Section 7, and the northwest quarter of the northwest quarter of Section 8, all in Township 11, North, in Range 14, east of the 6th P. M.— subject to the life estate therein of Abigail E. Smith, the mother of said decedent, which life estate is now terminated; that petitioner is the owner of an undivided one-third interest in the real estate of said decedent, by virtue of the decedent laws of the State of Nebraska; that more than two years have now elapsed since the death of said decedent and that no application has been made in the State of Nebraska for the appointment of an administrator of said estate, and praying for a determination of the time of the death of said Florence G. Chalfant, the names of her heirs at law and the degree of kinship thereof and the right of descent of the real property belonging to said decedent in the State of Nebraska, and for an order barring claims against said estate, and for such other orders as may be necessary for a correct disposition of said matter.

Said matter has been set down for hearing at the County Court room in Plattsmouth, in said county, for the 15th day of May, 1924, at the hour of ten o'clock a. m., at which time all persons interested may appear and contest said petition.

Dated: April 12th, 1924. By the Court: ALLEN J. BEESON, County Judge. JOHN M. LEYDA, Atty for Petitioner.

It is further ordered that notice be given to all persons interested by the publication of this Order to Show Cause for four successive weeks in The Plattsmouth Journal, a legal newspaper published and of general circulation in said County of Cass. By the Court: JAMES T. BEGLEY, Judge of the District Court. JOHN M. LEYDA, Attorney for Petitioner.

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It is therefore ordered and adjudged that all persons interested in the estate of said Samuel L. Furlong, deceased, appear before me, James T. Begley, Judge of the District Court of said county, at the office of the Clerk of the District Court, in the Court House in the City of Plattsmouth, in Cass county, Nebraska, on the 26th day of May, 1924, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any there be, why such license should not be granted to Frank G. Hull, Administrator of said estate, to sell so much of the real estate of the deceased as may be necessary to pay the debts of said decedent and claims allowed and costs of administration and this proceeding.

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