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THIRSTETH FOR GOD

I stretch forth my hands unto Thee; my soul thirsteth after Thee, as a thirsty land. Selah.—Psalms cxliii, 6.

Did you ever know of a Jew being hanged? Tell us of it, will you?

Well, the Panama Canal is 10 years old now and very large for its age.

Once fright made hair stand on end; now it's curl papers or something.

In New York a bride of a week shot at her husband. Bet she gets him yet.

Leopold and Loeb are not to hang, but are sentenced to a life-time imprisonment.

About the only proof that friends love you for yourself alone is an empty cellar.

A nice thing about hot weather is nothing worse can come along to take its place.

A man shot a barber in Chicago. That's one trouble with this world. We all talk too much.

Best you should forget—Wednesday, September 17th, is the day for bargains in Plattsmouth.

Better start sleeping on top of a blanket instead of a sheet now to get your skin tough for heavy underwear.

Senator La Follette ought to get a big German vote. He was right with them in sympathy during the World war.

If some of these political speakers wrote our headlines we'd have no room for the articles to go under them.

The good old days were pretty good, but say, did you ever trip on a loose plank in the sidewalks we used to have?

The country at large has great confidence in John W. Davis and the more the people see of him the greater his popularity.

Remember the date, please—Wednesday, September 17th, is bargain day in Plattsmouth. Come for bargains in all kinds of goods.

Every now and then you can notice an auto driver who exceeds the speed limit and they are not from rural districts, either. Either enforce the law or do away with it entirely.

What is the use of having laws if they are not enforced? What is the use of officials if they do not enforce the laws? These questions are subjects of conversation on the streets of Plattsmouth every day.

Those who believe in a centralized government will vote for Coolidge and Dawes, and those who believe in free government for and by the people, as framed by our revolutionary fathers, will vote for Davis and Bryan. Choose ye, between now and election day as to what you want.

Senator Ferris of Michigan, who visited Omaha this week, says: "John W. Davis democratic candidate for president, is rapidly growing in public favor and that President Coolidge is losing ground." That is the case all over the west. Senator Ferris has visited several states in the west.

The Prince of Wales hopes he will not be recognized as such in too many places while he is over here. He brought along a Baron Renfrew as front man, who will answer all questions, pose for all pictures, do all the dancing there is to be done, and it is hoped, ride all the horses there are to be ridden.

We never did count our chickens before they are hatched. Therefore we are not making any prophecies in regard to the outcome of the election for president. But it looks to a man up a tree, that there is a great distinction between Coolidge and Davis, and to such an extent that John would have a walk-away. The Teapot Dome fellows are going to use millions of dollars to elect Silent Cal.

Silence is the one thing that cannot be answered.

But some fat men must have had pretty eyes when they were little boys.

Never let the flies eat you. In spite of their good breeding they have no table manners.

When a cop catches a man these days he doesn't know whether to take him to jail or the asylum.

An autoist in an Ohio town drove over a man three times, but experts tell us once is usually enough.

But what we can't see is how bobbing is going to make anybody look younger if everybody is bobbed.

When a girl gets a fierce coat of sunburn on a freshly shaved neck, the punishment fits the crime.

A movie star claims she has an ideal husband. Those movie stars will say anything to get publicity.

When you see two men in the front seat and two women in the back they are either married or kin-folks.

The only thing we thoroughly endorse about Dawes is what he thinks about the G. O. P. majority in the senate.

Jack Dempsey has succumbed to love. It's the first knockout he has suffered since America called him to war.

Dollar-a-bushel corn in Kansas will probably squeeze some of the saturation out of the automobile market.

Silent Cal has not as yet, come out for or against the Klan. He should be compelled to come out one way or the other.

Canadian bankers are offering \$5,000 for six robbers when they ought to get at least a dozen for that amount.

A Utah grocer asks for a divorce because she threw eggs at him, pleading, of course, that she just egged him on.

A scientist claims Lake Erie is drying up. Just the same, fish in it don't have to line up for a drink of water, not yet.

Every voter should read and post themselves upon the affairs of government and make no mistake in voting for president.

Of course you are going to take advantage of Bargain day, Wednesday, September 17th. The greatest bargains yet offered.

One of the strangest things is how some people try to read a newspaper so it will look like cyclone fodder when you get through.

Down in Texas, Ma Ferguson aims to let Husband Jim do the arguing and whittling while she wipes the dust off the Constitution and mops up the pie counter.

It looks like the Klan is getting in its work in all the primary elections. The people who bitterly oppose the Klan are to blame for the part it takes in the elections.

Late reports show big democratic gains in Maine, which will keep republicans still guessing. In the last presidential election, the republicans had 65,130 plurality, a cut of 30,000.

An Italian who killed a man says he was forced to do the murder under hypnotism. Well, Mr. Darrow is at liberty now, and doubtless could be had as counsel for the defense.

John W. Davis is certainly waking up the people as he goes through the west. He is no doubt the man of the hour. Many republicans have signified their intentions to vote for this man of the people.

The election is not very far off now and the candidates are moving more lively among the people. The voters are going to elect the best men, as they should do. There will be no hip-hurrah in this campaign, but sense seems to rule the people. Why shouldn't it?

TWO MESSAGES TO THE FARMER

The Nebraska farmer has been addressed by the spokesmen of the two major parties. At Lincoln on Aug. 30, Gen. Dawes acknowledged that the republican party had no solution for the farmer's distress, but it planned to name a commission that would investigate the situation and eventually report what, if anything, should be done. At Omaha, a week later, Mr. Davis reminded his audience that the present administration had been fumbling with the commission plan of farm relief for four years without getting anywhere. He thinks it is time to do something and submitted the following program of agenda:

A direct, official international policy that will establish an export market for the farmer and every other class to buy in a competitive market.

Reduced taxation, direct and indirect, by strict economy in government.

Readjustment of rail and water rates to make the farmer's market national and international instead of local and regional.

Early completion of an internal waterways transportation system and development of water power for the manufacture of cheap fertilizer.

Stimulation of co-operative marketing by every proper governmental activity.

Credits suitable for the farmer's needs.

Such a program, if carried out, would restore agriculture to parity with other industries. It may be doubted if Mr. Dawes' proposed commission, after an indefinite period of inquiry, could improve much on those recommendations. Seemingly, then, the Nebraska farmer is likely to be more impressed by the concrete proposals of Mr. Davis than by Mr. Dawes' shadowy, shopworn promises.

CONSTITUTION TINKERING

Right or wrong, the Constitution tinkers proceed merrily on their way. One of these days, unless we are very much mistaken, the real people of the nation are going to revolt and demand that constitution tinkering shall cease, that there shall be no further injection into the Constitution of matters that do not belong there and that serve only to weaken the fundamental law. Common sense will assert itself and will demand that boring into the Constitution shall not be permitted by gimlet-minded people left of all. The states now, more than ever, are capable of attending to their own affairs, with far better results and with less expense, than when taken under government control, with purely local affairs supervised by hired theorists in whom is more of desire to hold public jobs than to render efficient and necessary service.

Unless a halt is called on the Constitution tinkers and borers there is no foretelling what will happen, whether this will continue to be a government by and for the people or by and for self-appointed dictators.

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MAY PROVE FATAL

When Will Plattsmouth Folks Learn the Importance of It?

Backache is only a simple thing at first; But if you find 'tis from the kidneys;

That serious kidney troubles may follow; That dropsy or Bright's disease may be the fatal end.

You will be glad to know the following experience. 'Tis the statement of a Plattsmouth citizen.

Wm. Hassler, proprietor blacksmith shop on North 5th street, opposite the postoffice, says: "I know the straining work I have had to do most of my life as a blacksmith, caused my back to weaken. Many times I have been down shoeing a horse when a sharp stitch took me through my kidneys and hurt severely. My back was stiff and lame at times. I started to use Doan's Pills and they soon corrected the trouble and made my back strong again. Had two boxes from Weyrich & Habraba's Drug store was all I had to use. I can work every day now and give Doan's the credit for my good condition. I always keep Doan's on hand and take them occasionally to keep my kidneys well and they never fail."

Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Pills—the same that Mr. Hassler had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.

WRIGLEYS

After every meal

A pleasant and agreeable sweet and a l-a-s-t-i-n-g benefit as well.

Good for teeth, breath and digestion. Makes the next cigar taste better.



Sealed in its Purify Package

MAKERS OF CASS COUNTY

W. O. Gillespie

On February 8, 1874, Henry A. Gillespie and wife, of Miami, Indiana were blessed with a son in Mr. W. O. Gillespie, now and for a long number of years a resident of Murdock and one who has ever bent every effort to make the town in which he has lived one of the best and his efforts have been very effective in accomplishing that end.

Mr. Gillespie for some eleven years continued to live in the town of his birth and then removed with the family, and in 1885 came to live on what is now known as the Phillip Becker place west of Plattsmouth eight miles and where Mr. John Sjogren makes his home, living there for nine years and at the age of 30, with the folks went to live near Washburn where they lived for two years. In 1894 he moved to Fairmont, where he resided for three years, and there met Miss Margaret McNamara, and the following year they were united in marriage, moving in 1897 to Woodard Place, south of Murdock and farmed there for five years, and then for a short time lived on the Cox place west of town, moving into town in 1922 and have since lived in Murdock. They engaged in the hotel business, moving where they now live and continued in that business until two years ago, when they concluded with Mrs. Gillespie not in the best of health, to discontinue the business.

During the time when they ran the business they always had a good business, as every one who has stopped there knew of their hospitality and were certain of a good place to stay and of good meals. They were sadly missed when they discontinued conducting the business. Two children have blessed their union, Harry Gillespie, who makes his home in Murdock, and Murel, who is in the west.

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SAYS KLAN MISREPRESENTED FACTS IN ITS DISCOURSE HERE

Singing of "America" Not Forbidden in the Chicago Public Schools, Says Letter From There.

To the Editor of the Journal: Dear Sir:

In a recent editorial you expressed the wish—or was it a challenge?—that anyone having anything against the Klan would come forth and mention it.

So I think you will not mind publishing the following letter and a few statements accompanying it.

The recent lecturer of the Klan here—Dr. Stewart made numerous statements in which the truth was lacking. One of these statements was that the Board of Education of the Chicago Public Schools, had fallen into the hands of Catholics, who had forbidden the singing of the song "America" in the public schools, because it was written by an American Protestant named Smith. So ridiculous a statement should need no refuting; however, as there may be some credulous of this statement, the following letter from the supervisor of music of the Chicago Public Schools will re-assure them.

The Board's Letter
"Board of Education
City of Chicago,
September 6, 1924.

Miss Minnie Guthmann, Plattsmouth, Neb.
My Dear Miss Guthmann,

On my return to the city your letter of August 21st was referred to me.

The board of education has never taken any action regarding the eliminating of the songs "America" and "The Star Spangled Banner" from the music courses. We are singing both of these songs with the same enthusiasm and spirit as we always have. You have been misinformed concerning this matter. 450,000 children in the Chicago Public Schools are memorizing these songs and singing them with great spirit and enthusiasm. I am very much pleased to correct this misunderstanding.

Thanking you for your interest in the matter, I am,
Most sincerely yours,
AGNES C. HEATH,
Supervisor of Music."

To further show the lack of bigotry of the so-called "Catholic" Board of Education—they sent to New York for a Protestant superintendent of schools—does this show religious intolerance?

That Catholics are alien to this country is preposterous from every angle. A Catholic with the financial aid of a Catholic queen discovered this country.

The first real religious liberty in this country was laid down by the Catholic founder of Maryland, not by the Plymouth Pilgrims.

The separation of church and state in the United States, is as earnestly desired by Catholics, as by any one else.

The spectre of the parochial schools need worry no one. It is a heavy load of the tax payer.

The education received there is the equal of that obtained elsewhere, and certainly a burden is lifted from the mind of every person sending a child to a parochial school or Catholic university. They need never fear that such dangerous foolishness as the principles expressed below will be taught their children. Let me quote from Dean Herbert E. Hawkes, of Columbus university:

"There is nothing that cannot be said without compunction or shame. An act is right, if it results in satisfaction to the doer."

Such pernicious doctrine would find no footing in a Catholic school. Is it too much to ask of fair minded non-Catholics to investigate some of the preposterous statements made by Klan leaders.

If they would, Plattsmouth could soon say with the Mayor of Galveston, after the recent Ku Klux Klan defeat in Texas, "I am gratified to report that hot shots are for sale on the bargain counter at any price in Texas tonight."

I am,
Very truly yours,
MINNIE GUTHMANN.

FUNERAL OF J. A. HARTMAN

From Thursday's Daily—The funeral services of the late J. A. Hartman were held this afternoon at the Nebraska Masonic Home, Plattsmouth Lodge No. 6, A. F. & A. M., at the request of the Frank Welch lodge No. 75 of Sidney, conducting the services at the home and at the grave.

The interment was at Oak Hill cemetery and at the services at the home as well as at the grave, the Masonic male quartet gave two selections, "Jesus, Savior, Pilot Me" and "Rock of Ages."

Advertising will pay you

ORDER OF HEARING
On Petition for Appointment of Administratrix

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

In the matter of the estate of Harry H. Kuhnney, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Pearl Mayfield, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to Mary Kuhnney as administratrix:

GLAD TO TELL OTHERS ABOUT HIS EXPERIENCE

C. A. Howard Gives Tanlac the Credit for Ridding Him of His Troubles.

"What I know about Tanlac after five years experience with the medicine is certainly worth passing on to others," states Charles A. Howard, 311 Locust street, Dubuque, Iowa.

"Before taking Tanlac my stomach was in such a bad fix that sourness, gas and heartburn simply nagged the life out of me. Even a diet of bread and milk seemed to aggravate my condition and I was pretty well discouraged. I also suffered from nervousness, dizzy spells and

restless sleep and in fact my system just seemed to be all out of gear.

"My very first bottle of Tanlac made marked change in my appetite and general condition, so I took a few more bottles to play safe. Since that time I have taken Tanlac every spring and it suits my system perfectly. It keeps me free of indigestion and other troubles, brings sound sleep and keeps me feeling fine."

Tanlac is for sale by all good druggists. Accept no substitute. Over 40 million bottles sold.

Tanlac Vegetable Pills for Constipation made and recommended by the manufacturers of TANLAC.

twelve (12) North, Range fourteen (14) east of the 6th P. M., in Cass county, Nebraska, real names unknown:

You and each of you are hereby notified that on the 29th day of July, 1924, the plaintiff in the foregoing entitled cause filed his 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 record title in plaintiff in the following described real estate, to-wit:

Lot number nine (9), a subdivision of Government Lot seven (7), in Section thirty-three (33), Township twelve (12) North, Range fourteen (14) east of the 6th P. M., 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 premises forever freed from the apparent claims of the defendants and quieted in plaintiff and for equitable relief.

You are required to answer said petition on or before the 15th day of September, 1924, or your defaults will be entered in said cause and a decree granted as prayed for in said petition.

Dated July 29th, 1924.
CHARLES H. SHELDON,
Plaintiff.

By A. H. DUNFURY,
His Attorney.

NOTICE OF SUIT FOR DIVORCE
In the District Court of the County of Cass, Nebraska.
Minnie Evans, Plaintiff, vs. Myron Evans, Defendant.

To the defendant Myron Evans: You will take notice that on the 12th day of May, 1924, the plaintiff Minnie Evans filed her petition in the District Court of Cass county, Nebraska, the object and prayer of which is to obtain a decree of divorce from you upon the grounds of desertion and non-support, and to obtain restoration of her former name.

You are required to answer said petition on or before Monday, October 13, 1924, or a decree will be entered in accordance with the prayer of said petition.

Dated August 30, 1924.
MINNIE EVANS,
Plaintiff.

W. A. ROBERTSON,
Attorney for Plaintiff.

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE
In the District Court of Cass county, Nebraska.

In the matter of the estate of John W. Yarbark, deceased.

Now on this 3rd day of September, A. D. 1924, it being one of the days of the regular May, A. D. 1924 term of this court, this cause came on for hearing upon the petition of Alma Yarbark, Administratrix of the estate of John W. Yarbark, deceased, praying for judgment and Order of Court authorizing the petitioner as such administratrix of said estate, to negotiate a loan of Thirty-one Hundred Dollars (\$3,100.00) and secure the same by giving a first mortgage on the southwest quarter of the northwest quarter of Section twenty-nine (29) in Township eleven (11) North, Range fourteen (14) East of the Sixth Principal Meridian, in Cass county, Nebraska, for the purpose of paying mortgages already against said real estate and past due, and securing funds for paying debts and expense of administering said estate, there not being personal property with which to meet such obligations.

It is therefore ordered that all persons interested in said estate appear before me at the District Court room in Plattsmouth, Nebraska, on the 15th day of October, A. D. 1924, to show cause why a judgment and order should not be issued by the Court authorizing said administratrix to mortgage the real estate hereinbefore described for the sum of \$3,100.00 to pay off mortgages against said real estate and pay debts and expenses of administration. It is further ordered that service of this order be made by publication thereof for four successive weeks in the Plattsmouth Journal.

Dated this 3rd day of September, A. D. 1924.
JAMES T. BEGLEY,
Judge of the District Court.

NOTICE TO QUIET TITLE
In the District Court of Cass county, Nebraska.

App. Dock 2, page --, No. --- Charles H. Sheldon, Plaintiff, vs. Thomas Allison et al. Defendants.

To the defendants: Thomas Allison; Mrs. Thomas Allison, real name unknown; Mary Allison and husband, John Doe Allison, real name unknown; John F. Doud; Mrs. John T. Doud, real name unknown; Elias Gibbs; Mrs. Elias Gibbs, real name unknown; Jane R. Porter and husband, John Doe Porter, real name unknown; George W. Fairfield; Mrs. George W. Fairfield, real name unknown; the unknown heirs, devisees, legatees, personal representatives and all other persons interested in the several estates of Thomas Allison, Mary Allison, John F. Doud, John T. Doud, Elias Gibbs, Jane R. Porter and George W. Fairfield, each deceased, and all persons having or claiming any interest in Lot number nine (9), a subdivision of Government Lot seven (7) in Section thirty-three (33), Township

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