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PINE AWAY IN SIN

If our transgressions and our sins be upon us, and we pine away, how should we then live?
 —Ezekiel 33:10.

Weather to stay fair, according to all reports.

It's the neighbors that hear the family loud speaker.

MacMillan's 24 carrier pigeons all chew tobacco. But the Eskimos all wear hoods.

In Brazil there are fish which bark like dogs. We would like to see them chasing catfish.

An oyster can lay 60,000,000 eggs. You might cut this out and paste it in your hen house.

The oldest clock in England was built in 1325 so now it is considered a real old timer.

Dancing frocks have done much toward keeping up from being shocked by bathing suits.

Food experts say people eat less since the war. That's fine. But they pay more for it.

The state of Washington produces a fourth of our apple crop, so is a had place for doctors.

If all the smokers in the world were to gather together they would be matchless by noon.

What's worse than the life of a canary bird while the woman of the house is out of town?

In Arabic the word "sherk" means "an old man" while in English it means "a flapper's fish."

More than half of the destructive pests in America are of foreign origin, not counting reformers.

Perhaps even Cautious Calvin is beginning to wonder whether it isn't safe now to take off the heaves.

Well, the court says that Chaplin's make-up belongs to him alone. You'd better have those trousers pressed.

Red Oak, Iowa and Montgomery county bankers have arranged to organize and establish a vigilance committee.

A Milwaukee man is asking divorce because she kisses him too much. Onions would be a lot cheaper.

A man in Philadelphia jumped 1,500 feet with a parachute. Bad enough, but it would have been even worse without one.

Nebraska will participate in Defense day plans of July Fourth. Governor McMullen so assured Dwyte F. Davis, acting secretary of war.

Estimated wheat crop is the smallest since the World war. Federal report indicates 212,000,000 will be produced less this year than last.

No matter how the famous Darrow-Bryan bout down in Tennessee comes out, neither can get anywhere with the old alibi of being out of condition.

The amusing loving people of Plattsmouth and Cass county and our neighbors across the river will have the pleasure as well as the opportunity, next week of seeing one of the biggest carnival companies that ever visited this part of the country. Complete in every detail.

Some idea of the gainful nature of the bootlegging business may be gained from the statement of the rum skipper who asserted that the loss through seizure of two cargoes out of five would still leave him a fair profit. It almost looks as though there ought to be a law against such profits.

Cornelius Vanderbilt, Jr., millionaire publisher of Los Angeles and Miami, recently arrested in Merican as a "suspicious character," has written a piece for his papers in which he says that "Plattsmouth" is a beautiful city, located in the midst of a fine country, with evidence of prosperity on all sides. We could tell you a whole lot more nice things about our town, Cornelius, if you want to listen to them.

May certainly gave the straw hats a bad break.

Loose talk gets many a man into a tight place.

Ants may live as long as 10 years if they dodge picnics.

The strawberry season nearly died out before it got started.

It is very easy to play the piano if you can find the right notes at the proper time.

Letting bees sting you is said to cure rheumatism. There's a point in that somewhere.

We never have been to Lapland, but it sounds like an excellent place for petting parties.

We doubt if all radio static is due to weather. Some of it is very much against his wishes.

A boat raced a train in New York and won and we had no idea New York was that wet.

A London doctor has found the microbe causing mumps. It should now be punished severely.

Oranges and lemons are said to contain stored sunlight, while jugs contain distilled moonshine.

The weeds in the gardens are growing so fast you can hear their leaves click as they unfold.

Dean Inge says all will be one sex in heaven, and do you suppose that is what makes him gloomy?

They are experimenting with the growing wheat in Paraguay. Wild oats will grow in any country.

Young folks are awful these days. A Pittsburgh boy got a cop when his mother swapped his clothes for booze.

A good many people are wondering how it will be with the world 1,000 years hence, who don't even know how it is with the world now.

We are glad the plan to kidnap Mary Pickford was nipped in the bud, but if anybody wants to kidnap Douglas Fairbanks we will be glad to render any assistance in our power to make it a complete and permanent job.

Yes, Plattsmouth will have a Fourth of July celebration. And when it becomes generally known that Cliff Wescott is at the head of the general arrangements committee, it is assured of being "a Go," with a capital G. He is always to the front with both feet.

A Washington professor has found the track of a three-toed "whang-doodle" or something like that that lived 50,000 years ago out in Arizona. Nof if he will only discover where the bull weevils have made tracks out of the southern cotton patches, he will be doing the world some good.

A correspondence school sends out instructions on how to play the harmonica or "mouth organ." The instructions are very simple, and anyone should learn to disturb the neighbors after taking a few lessons, which consists of the words "draw, blow, draw, blow," written down on a music staff.

Mr. Bryan tells the world that he has as many college degrees as the next man and that he has a notion to print them all on his calling and business cards. The county has always thought that colleges and universities were too free with their honorary degrees and now its suspicions are confirmed.

President Coolidge says defense duty rests on all. That's exactly what we believe. When the war comes we should like to see the president heading his army in the fields, and all members of congress, both senators and representatives, going out as shock troops to meet the onslaught of the enemy. This would be an excellent example to the average citizen. The vice president might administer affairs from Washington, and special elections could be held to fill vacant seats in congress. We know of nothing that could be more inductive than this to world peace.

JUNGLE ANIMALS

Fish that climb trees, monkeys that brush their teeth, and birds that sleep upside down are reported from the jungles of the Malay peninsula by Explorer Carveth Wells.

There is an even queerer thing in those Malay jungles. That is a perfectly good railroad, with an express train once a week, clear through them, all the way to Bangkok. You ride through the elephant jungle, where the elephants made trouble during the construction by pulling up stakes, across a country the lower part of which has been reclaimed for rubber plantations but still primitive jungle, with here and there a small rice clearing and a few native bamboo huts on stilts.

Your luxurious sleeping car berth is a board on which you lay your own bedding, and you may slaughter a quart of insects on the outside of your mosquito netting, but even this is such incongruous comfort that it is really the queerest thing in the whole jungle.

Roosevelt described the road across Africa as a "railroad through the Pleistocene." This, in parts, is almost a railroad through the Carboniferous. Try it some time when you are in Singapore and have a couple of weeks to spare.

THE TRUE ARTIST

The true artist strikes at perfection or destruction. He will accept no compromise.

"Good enough" is never good enough for the artist.

The man who is satisfied to "get by" has nothing in common with the artist. He will never approach artistry in his work.

The spirit of the artist can enter into any kind of work. No matter what you are engaged in you can be an artist.

Two men learn a trade. They pursue it for years. One proves to be an artist. The other just works at the trade.

The reason is that one man aims at perfection and will be satisfied with nothing less. Hence he is always dissatisfied. That is the way with the artist. That is the penalty he must pay. He must be ever dissatisfied.

But in his soul there will be, despite his dissatisfaction in his work, a great peace of mind. It is the peace of mind that comes from the consciousness of having put into a thing everything you have to give.

You have done the thing that came to your hand as well as you could. Perhaps you had but one talent. You did not wrap it in a napkin. You invested it and made it pay the limit.

The world is full of workmen, tradesmen, business men, professional men — all satisfied with "good enough," all satisfied with just "getting by."

Suppose you play golf. Do you come home satisfied when you have played a fairly good game? Do you congratulate yourself and accept complacently the congratulations of your friends when you find that your game is not falling off? Do you take comfort in the thought that you are playing as good a game as your neighbor So-and-So?

If you have all these mediocre reactions you may be sure you are never going to be an artist at golf. You must be forever dissatisfied, forever shooting at perfection.

The artist in this life's work makes no compromise with perfection.

CONCERNING THE WEATHER

The sort of weather we have been experiencing in Plattsmouth during the last few days, gives us an understanding of why Rold Amundsen, North Pole explorer, has failed to communicate with the rest of the world.

Amundsen has been reading our weather reports, or perhaps getting 'em by radio. A man who would voluntarily return to the United States in the midst of a heat wave is just about in the mental class with members of the Nebraska legislature.

The Norseman's continued absence ought to bring about a thaw in the brains of cold storage men. Opportunity is sweating at their doors.

If we owned an ice house, we'd put in triple tiers of hunks and run the hotels out of business.

As a rooming house, a cold storage has advantages which a hotel lacks. Hotel rooms work all night and loaf all day and there's no way to make them produce every hour of the twenty-four. The difficulty of speed-up production is the one great problem of the inn keepers—a problem they have about given up.

A well-bunked cold storage, on the other hand, presents a picture of beautiful efficiency. As soon as the all-night guests were chopped out in the morning the first rush of daylight sleeping customers would start filling the vacancies.

During the heat of the day the beds, each equipped with a patent refrigerating mattress, would be let for short periods. Short-necked men in the fifties who don't wear well in June and July weather could be accommodated for an hour at a time, with the privilege of renewing the lease if their blood pressure hadn't gone down.

Slim chaps who have seen service in stockholds wouldn't require such a long interment, so special rates would be offered ten and fifteen-minute customers.

An intelligent advertising campaign would popularize these polar inns all over the whole country.

The public could be won over with neat inserts in the papers. "Be Frapped in Ten Minutes—Full Freeze in Thirty—Beat the Heat!"

This service would cost money, of course. . . . And Amundsen is keeping cool without turning loose a dime.

CHEERFUL OUTLOOK

"Business is good."

Ask the average merchant in Plattsmouth about the state of trade, and that's his invariable answer.

That is, if you happen to fire your question at a merchant who advertises—and the average merchant in Plattsmouth is a good advertiser.

Advertising brings business, and nobody realizes this more than the man at the head of a big business institution.

Inquiry in the channels of retail trade show that the volume of business for the first five months of 1925 is leading last year's record for the same period by a very healthy margin.

All foreigners leave fighting zone in China.

LEGAL NOTICE

In the County Court of Cass county, Nebraska.

In the matter of the estates of Peter J. Hansen, Ingeburg C. Hansen and Christina Sophia Henrietta Hansen, each deceased.

To all persons interested in said estates, Creditors and Heirs, take notice:

That Peter C. Hansen, who is one of the heirs of the above named deceased persons, and interested as such heir, has filed his petition, alleging that Peter J. Hansen died intestate in Plattsmouth, on the 28th day of August, 1907, being a resident and inhabitant of Cass county, Nebraska, and the owner of the following described real estate, to-wit:

Lots seven (7), eight (8) and nine (9) in Block two hundred and twenty-two (222) in the City of Plattsmouth, Nebraska, leaving as his sole and only heirs at law the following named persons, to-wit:

Ingeburg C. Hansen, widow; Peter C. Hansen, son; Agatha C. Chassot, daughter; Christina D. Hansen, daughter; Christina Sophia Henrietta Hansen, all of legal age.

That the said Ingeburg C. Hansen died intestate in Plattsmouth on the 12th day of February, 1920, being a resident and inhabitant of Cass county, Nebraska, and the owner of an undivided one-half of said real estate, leaving as her sole and only son, Agatha C. Chassot, daughter, and Christina D. Hansen, daughter.

That the said Christina Sophia Henrietta Hansen died intestate in Plattsmouth, on the 14th day of May, 1917, being a resident and inhabitant of Cass county, Nebraska, and the owner of an undivided one-half of said real estate, leaving as her sole and only heir at law the said Ingeburg C. Hansen, her mother.

That no application for administration has been made and the estates of said decedents have not been administered in the State of Nebraska; and that the Court determine the time of death of each decedent; who are the heirs of said decedents, their degree of kinship and the right of descent in the real estate of which the said decedents died seized. That a hearing will be had upon said petition before this Court in the County Court room in the court house at Plattsmouth, in said county and state, on the 17th day of July, 1925, at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day.

Witness my hand and the seal of the County Court of said county and state this 12th day of June, A. D. 1925.

A. H. DUXBURY, County Judge.
ALLEN J. BEESON, Attorney.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The State of Nebraska, Cass county, ss.

In the County Court.

In the matter of the estate of Mrs. S. R. McVay, 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 6th day of July, A. D. 1925, and on the 7th day of October, A. D. 1925, 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 7th day of July, A. D. 1925, and the time limited for payment of debts is eight months from said 7th day of July, 1925.

Witness my hand and the seal of said County Court, this 9th day of June, 1925.

A. H. DUXBURY, County Judge.
(Seal) j11-4w

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Witness my hand and the seal of said County Court, this 1st day of June, 1925.

A. H. DUXBURY, County Judge.
(Seal) j11-4w

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The Balanced Gasoline

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 The Balanced Gasoline

Hats and umbrellas sometimes disappear from court rooms, but more suits are lost than anything else.

One type of modern wife is the one who runs her husband off the place and then sues him for desertion.

Did you ever notice how much more important noted persons seem when they live away off in another section of the country?

In speaking of boon companions, of close associations and chums, we should not forget to include chattel mortgages and Ford cars.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The State of Nebraska, Cass county, ss.

In the County Court.

In the matter of the estate of Mary Spangler, 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 7th day of July, A. D. 1925, and on the 8th day of October, A. D. 1925, 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 7th day of July, A. D. 1925, and the time limited for payment of debts is one year from said 7th day of July, 1925.

Witness my hand and the seal of said County Court, this 9th day of June, 1925.

A. H. DUXBURY, County Judge.
(Seal) j11-4w

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The State of Nebraska, Cass county, ss.

In the County Court.

In the matter of the estate of Mrs. S. R. McVay, 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 6th day of July, 1925, and on the 8th day of October, 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon 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 7th day of July, A. D. 1925, and the time limited for payment of debts is eight months from said 7th day of July, 1925.

Witness my hand and the seal of said County Court, this 1st day of June, 1925.

A. H. DUXBURY, County Judge.
(Seal) j8-4w

Nature having passed a lot of laws that man is forced to obey, Tennessee can't see why she shouldn't get even by passing one that Nature will have to obey.

ORDER OF HEARING on Petition for Appointment of Administrator.

The State of Nebraska, Cass county, ss.

In the County Court.

In the matter of the estate of William H. Mann, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Nellie Russell praying that administration of said estate may be granted to her as Administrator; Ordered, that June 30th, A. D. 1925, at 9 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 June 1st, 1925.

A. H. DUXBURY, County Judge.
(Seal) j4-3w

ORDER OF HEARING on Petition for Appointment of Administrator.

The State of Nebraska, Cass county, ss.

In the County Court.

In the matter of the estate of William H. Mann, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Lina Mann and Fred W. Mann praying that administration of said estate may be granted to H. N. Dovey, as Administrator; Ordered, that June 19th, A. D. 1925, at 9 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 May 29th, 1925.

A. H. DUXBURY, County Judge.
(Seal) j1-8w

NOTICE OF REFEREE'S SALE

In the District Court of Cass county, Nebraska.

Hattie M. Strain, Plaintiff, vs. William E. Strain et al, Defendants.

Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of a decree of the District Court of Cass county, Nebraska, entered in the above entitled cause on the 16th day of May, 1925, and an order of sale entered by said Court on the 18th day of May, 1925, the undersigned sole referee will, on the 27th day of June, 1925, at 2 o'clock p. m., at the east front door of the Farmers & Merchants Bank, in the Village of Alvo, Cass county, Nebraska, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, that is to say, ten per cent on the day of sale and balance when said sale shall be confirmed by the Court, the following described real estate, to-wit:

Lots sixteen (16), seventeen (17) and eighteen (18), in Block five (5) in the Village of Alvo, Cass county, Nebraska.

Said sale will be held open for one hour. An abstract showing marketable title will be furnished.

Dated this 18th day of May, A. D. 1925.

C. E. TEFFT, Sole Referee.
CARL D. GANZ, Attorney.

ORDER OF HEARING on Petition for Appointment of Administrator

The State of Nebraska, Cass county, ss.

In the County Court.

In the matter of the estate of James Williams, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Nellie Russell praying that administration of said estate may be granted to her as Administrator; Ordered, that June 30th, A. D. 1925, at 9 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 June 1st, 1925.

A. H. DUXBURY, County Judge.
(Seal) j4-3w

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 Mary E. Thompson, deceased: On reading the petition of Glenn T. Thompson praying that the instrument filed in this court on the 14th day of May, 1925, and purporting to be the last will and testament of the said deceased, and also a deed to the real estate may be proved and allowed, and recorded as the last will and testament of Mary E. Thompson, deceased; that said instrument be admitted to probate, and the administration of said estate be granted to Glenn T. Thompson, as Executor; 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 30th day of June, A. D. 1925, 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 in said county, for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing.

Witness my hand and seal of said court, this 1st day of June, A. D. 1925.

A. H. DUXBURY, County Judge.
(Seal) j8-3w