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SOROWS IN GOD'S ANGER.

How oft is the candle of the wicked put out! and how oft cometh their destruction upon them? God distributeth sorrows in his anger.—Job 21:17.

A man with a lake or creek does not need a bathtub these days.

About the easiest way to live long is to find out some plan for keeping alive.

Latest popular auto hit in the song line is—"I'm Wearing My Tires Out for You."

Does Coolidge really want to help farmers? By his work we should know him.

This is the month when the print shops advertise engraved wedding announcements.

This is the season of the year when the ice cream socials are claiming attention and patronage.

Charles W. Bryan has hosts of friends in Cass county, and a large number of them are republicans, too.

Of all the noises to worry a fellow trying to sleep at night it's the one-lung flivver being driven by the milkman.

Catherine Lovell, British authoress, writing about American wild life must have secured her data from New York cabarets.

Bank robbery in St. Louis the other day in which the bandits kindly left the bank building, the furniture and the fixtures.

After shoveling out about ten tons of coal in a British freighter, prohibition officers found nothing but blistered hands.

Over 20,000 votes were missing in the Pennsylvania primary, dispatches announce. Only trouble was the wrong fellow got them.

Roads leading into town should be kept in first-class condition, says a Missouri paper. Not much interested in the roads leading out of town.

Now a Boston minister says the skirts worn nowadays are the height of immodesty. The girls, however, claim that they are the height of fashion.

Southpaw is a baseball pitcher who throws the ball with his left hand, although no one would ever know it from the name the sport writers have given him.

In a few days the Kansas City Star will be sold. It is one of the greatest newspapers in the west and has done wonders for the upbuilding of the coming great city of the west.

Government officer faces a court-martial for intoxication, having used government liquor for the purpose. But maybe he figured that liquor of any kind is of no use unless it is being imbibed.

Business is looking up somewhat in Plattsmouth.

Mosquitoes do not have to hunt the open spaces in the hosiery nowadays.

From a radio standpoint—"Today's worst hookup—a volle one at \$4.98."

Grogan, the cop, will now render that touching ballad entitled, "Come With Me."

There is at least one organization for every purpose except restoring hitchhacks.

Funny how kids playing baseball will pick out the weakest and meekest to act as umpire.

A week from today and then comes the fire-works. Be here early and take in the whole business.

We have no more "over the hills to the poor house." They are all "over the hills to the garage" nowadays.

No summer Sunday is complete until the kodak prints are checked over at 5 o'clock Monday afternoon.

Here at this season of year is the fellow who can knock a home run with three men on bases and the score tied.

There are but two parties in this country and that is all there should be, in order for people to know where they are at.

Will Hayes' job as movie czar has been extended ten years, so we can't hope for any impure movies for at least that long.

An Ohio paper is "agin war." It says—"We'll tell the world we stand flat-footed for 'peas.'" Mighty fine vegetable to sit down to.

The democratic party has the opportunity of its life, if it only has the stamina to accept it. And harmony will do the business.

Spending a little matter of nearly a quarter of a million dollars for campaign expenses does not seem to bother some Pennsylvania candidates.

Girl who slapped a preacher's face in Kentucky recently far calling her a "painted flapper," has been set free. Some day she may slap a prize fighter and spend a few days in the hospital.

Speaking of airplane and automobile rides, but how would you like to ride an iron beam from the ground up to the twentieth story of a skyscraper, with nothing between you and the earth but a slender cable?

Thomas Jefferson's one-horse gig is being exhibited at the Philadelphia sesquicentennial. It is probable that Jefferson's gig is more popular in that town than his political doctrines would be in one of its primary elections.

Things must be bad in the Chicago gang war, when one woman, Mrs. Frank Camera, is widowed twice in one month by gangsters. Chicago would no doubt be pleased to accept any plan for ridding the city of gangsters.

A man out in the desert in Wyoming who was in a dying condition, wrote a will on his shirt, giving his partner a claim in a paying mine. When the partner returned to San Francisco his wife sent the shirt to the laundry and the will was washed out. "Cleanliness before riches" is a woman's motto.

In a man of the political status of Brookhart, a good representative for any state? A man of this day and age should either be a democrat or a republican, for people to have confidence in. A man who doesn't know on which side his bread is buttered, can't represent the people rightfully. A wishy-washy politician is no good at all.

Charges of embezzlement of an automobile and fast and reckless driving against Tony Tommy, Seminole chief, who was married recently to a copper-housed Seminole belle, were dropped in Miami the other day. Tony Tommy left the court with his bride, and will take a long canoe ride for his honeymoon, which is no doubt much safer than the white man's "gas wagon."

LEARNING TO PLAY

There was a time, and that not long ago, when old-world philosophers admonished the American people as a people to beware of overwork and insufficient recreation. Herbert Spencer on his visit to this country selected that theme for his only address to Americans.

Conditions have changed. The people of the United States have been described as "a nation on wheels," and certainly the motor car has revolutionized the habits of millions. Despite the automobile, however, if not partly because of it, other forms of healthful recreation are increasingly resorted to by Americans of all sorts and all ages.

According to the latest report of the Playground and Recreation Association, last year was notable for additions to the recreational facilities and for an increase in amateur athletic clubs. The total number of such clubs rose from 5,000 to 6,000. Very many new golf courses were constructed, as well as hundreds of tennis courts. Several hundred playgrounds for children were opened during the year. No community, it is interesting to note, spent last year more for public recreation than did Chicago, which is now credited with 221 play centers.

The American people are learning to play and to play out of doors. The complaint of some that too much time is spent in moving picture theatres and too little in the fresh air is not as well founded as it is lightly assumed by these critics.

Perhaps the greatest familiarity with nature will cause due attention to be paid to the cultivation of trees and grass within cities, like Chicago, have permitted themselves to lapse into indifference toward constructive forestry.

CROCODILE TEARS

Amid the sheer disgust approaching nausea over Pennsylvania's political extravagance and corruption of the public is entitled to one prolonged hearty burst of merriment. No more effective excitant of the national risibilities can be imagined than the spectacle of Secretary of the Treasury Mellon, one of the world's richest men, and the so-called brains of the recent Pepper campaign, and other heads of the Pepper machine lamenting and shedding bitter tears because the advent of the primary system for the selection of party candidates is serving as a bar to the poor man with political aspirations. It will not be denied that the primary system as it is operated in Pennsylvania is a political bar to any but the ultra-rich. The politician who is poor but honest will hardly lunge into a contest where campaign language is couched in millions. It is already on record that the Pepper-Vare-Pinchot primary for the senatorial nomination cost more than \$2,000,000. Of that sum more than half was spent by Mr. Pepper. Never in this nation's history has there been such lavish expenditure for the purchase of a public office. And now, when it is all over but the investigation, Secretary Mellon and Senator Reed seek to justify the expenditure on the ground that it was necessary, and that the slush funds were expended as rightly and as properly as if they had been for the benefit of a church and under churchly supervision. It is difficult to believe that they do not know they are talking the worst sort of twaddle. But they submit to interview and give out statements in all seriousness, and they lament and weep great goosy tears because the poor man has no chance. It is the one big laugh that has come out of Pennsylvania's political cesspool.

The irresponsible Jerry Howard has announced as a candidate for member of the house of representatives. Jerry has been there several times as a democratic member, and "filled the bill." He can be elected again if he will just attend to his own affairs, and not be so explicit in condemning other democrats, whom he does not particularly admire.

The trouble with some democrats is, they are entirely too free to talk in public about other democrats whom they do not like as candidates. This is not the proper capper. He may get the nomination, and if he does, you may have to support him at the general election, or consider yourself as a "bolter." Let us have no bolters this year.

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"He that hath hands, let him use them," is an old Chinese proverb. But in those days the Chinese had no pockets or prize fighters.

RADIO AND WEATHER

Paul Painleve, former premier of France, and a scientist of note, offers a possible explanation of the rainy weather which Europe is experiencing this summer. Experiments have shown, he points out, that the introduction of radio-telephonic emissions into a tightly inclosed room causes drops of water to be formed, or as he puts it, the "invisible fog found even in every home" to be turned into water. From this it may be reasonably deduced that the heavy loading of the ether outside with radio waves has the same effect, and transforms a traditionally beautiful June in Paris into a month of rain.

Should this hypothesis be substantiated control of the weather would be the next step. For years efforts of one kind and another have been put forth "to make it rain," but without much success. In fact scientists have practically agreed that the forces which produce precipitation are beyond the control of man, and have belittled all attempts in that direction.

Weather control, after the scientific accomplishments of the past century, would be no less wonderful than much that has been done already. In a thousand ways civilization has bent the forces of nature to meet its will, and no good reason can be offered for not believing that even greater wonders may be worked in the future. Control rain and over weather certainly is not to be placed beyond the learn of scientific possibilities.

FARM BUREAU NOTES

Copy for this Department furnished by County Agent

Pet Stock Association Formed

A Tri-County Poultry and Pet Stock Association was formed, and a show will be held the first part of December in Ashland. Mrs. Norris of Weeping Water, and Watson Howard of Greenwood were elected to the executive board to represent Cass county. Two poultry raisers from other counties were elected, making an executive board of six persons. Watch for the premium list.

Ten Binder Hints.

- 1. If the machine travels with a jerky motion, main drive chain is too loose or it may be dry, try a little oil on it.
2. If the slats rip off the canvas the elevators are not square.
3. If the knotted hook is rusty and rough it will not work properly. Polish it with a fine emery paper.
4. If the binder attachment is not timed properly it certainly will not work. Some binders are timed in as many as five places.
5. If the knotted hook does not turn far enough to close the fingers on the twine, no knot will be tied. Look at the knotted pinion. It should not be worn.
6. If the twine slips thru the cord holder the twine will be pulled out before the knot is tied. Adjust the cord holder spring. It should take 40 pounds to pull the twine from the disk.
7. If the needle is ben or out of shape there will be a loose end band. The needle is malleable iron and may be hammered back to shape.
8. If the twine is pulled from the hook before the knot is tied try the knife, it may be dull.
9. If you wish to change the size of bundles do it with the bundle slicer spring, not the tension or compress spring.
10. The refusal of the New York boxing commission to let Dempsey fight Willis just now because he is not in condition, will cause a widespread demand for Dempsey to fight somebody right away, before he has time to get pink.

One of the best rules for conversation is to use only words you know you can pronounce correctly. When in doubt, select other words to convey your meaning. The English language is the most elaborate one on the globe.

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To All My Old Friends-Patrons

I am back at the old stand taking orders for Nursery Stock, and will appreciate any order you may hold for me until I call on you. Yours for a square deal.

ANDREW STOHLMAN.

There is no slack business period for the merchant who advertises his goods the year 'round.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

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

In the matter of the estate of Cecelia Jahrig, 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 19th day of July, A. D. 1926, and on the 20th day of October, A. D. 1926, at ten o'clock a. m. of each day, to receive and examine all claims against said estate, with a view to their adjustment and allowance. The time limited for the presentation of claims against said estate is three months from the 19th day of July, A. D. 1926, and the time limited for payment of debts is one year from said 19th day of July, 1926.

Witness my hand and the seal of said County Court, this 26th day of June, 1926.

A. H. DUXBURY, County Judge.

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned will on the 16th day of July, 1926, at 11 o'clock a. m., at the O. K. Garage, Plattsmouth, Nebraska, sell to the highest bidder for cash—

One 1926 Ford Coupe, Motor No. 12,864,331, Engine Model T.

covered by a chattel mortgage signed by Ed Cotner in favor of the Plattsmouth Motor Company and assigned Edison & Company for a valuable consideration, said chattel mortgage being dated the 18th day of December, 1925, and having been filed of record in the office of the County Clerk of Cass county, Nebraska; that no action at law has been commenced to collect either the whole or a part thereof; said sale will be held for the purpose of foreclosing said chattel mortgage and satisfying the amount due thereon, to-wit: \$226.64, together with all costs accruing by virtue of this foreclosure.

EDSON & COMPANY, Mortgagee.

ORDER OF HEARING and Notice on Petition for Settlement of Account.

In the County Court of Cass county, Nebraska. State of Nebraska, Cass county, ss. To all persons interested in the estate of Barbara A. Taylor, deceased:

On reading the petition of Calvin H. Taylor, administrator, praying a final settlement and allowance of his account filed in this Court on the 26th day of June, 1926, and for final settlement of said estate and for his discharge as said administrator:

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 8th day of July, A. D. 1926, at ten 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 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 one week prior to said day of hearing.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and the seal of said County Court, this 26th day of June, A. D. 1926.

A. H. DUXBURY, County Judge.

NOTICE OF CHATTEL MORTGAGE SALE

Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of a chattel mortgage given by Willie Meierdierks to Plattsmouth State Bank, dated May 27, 1924, to secure the sum of \$1,743.00, payable December 1, 1924, with interest at 8% per annum from date to December 1, 1924, thereafter at 10%, on which the sum of \$1,075.07 is now past due and unpaid; which said mortgage was duly filed for record in the office of the County Clerk of Cass County, Nebraska, May 28, 1924, at 9:40 o'clock a. m.; the undersigned, Plattsmouth State Bank will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, the following chattel property covered by said mortgage, to-wit:

- Two wagons; one planter; one disc; one cultivator; one mower; one gang plow; one rake; one Ford truck 1919 model; one grey stallion; two bay horses; one bay mare and colt; ten head hogs; six shoats, six suckling pigs; seven milk cows; five heifers; three steers; seven calves.

Said sale will be held on the west half (W 1/2) of the southeast quarter (SE 1/4), of section twelve (12), township twelve (12), range eleven (11), Cass County, Nebraska, known as the John Wolf farm, about one and three quarters miles east, and one and one-half miles north of Louisville, and about three miles southwest of Cedar Creek, Nebraska, on Monday, July 12, 1926, at 10 o'clock a. m. Dated June 21, 1926.

WITNESS my hand and the seal of said County Court, this 11th day of June, 1926.

A. H. DUXBURY, County Judge.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

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

In the matter of the Estate of Rachael M. Worley, 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 12th day of July, A. D. 1926, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day and on the 13th day of October, A. D. 1926, at the hour of ten o'clock a. m., 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 12th day of July, A. D. 1926, and the time limited for payment of debts is one year from said 12th day of July, 1926.

Witness my hand and the seal of said County Court, this 12th day of June, 1926.

A. H. DUXBURY, County Judge.

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 Mary J. Taylor, deceased. On reading and filing the petition of C. E. Taylor praying that administration of said estate may be granted to Evelyn Stamp, as Administratrix:

Ordered, that July 22nd, A. D. 1926, at ten 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 18, 1926.

A. H. DUXBURY, County Judge.

SHERIFF'S SALE

State of Nebraska, County of Cass, ss.

By virtue of an Order of Sale issued by Golda Noble Beal, Clerk of the District Court within and for Cass county, Nebraska, and to me directed, I will on the 10th day of July, A. D. 1926, at 10 o'clock a. m., of said day, at the south front door of the court house, in Plattsmouth, Nebraska, in said county, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash the following real estate, to-wit:

Lot 5 and 6, Block 171, in the City of Plattsmouth, as surveyed, platted and recorded, Cass county, Nebraska.

The same being levied upon and taken as the property of Clifford C. Burbridge, Minnie Alice Burbridge and Wolf Manufacturing Company, a corporation. Defendants, to satisfy a judgment of said Court recovered by The Standard Savings and Loan Association, Plaintiff against said Defendants.

Plattsmouth, Nebraska, June 5th, A. D. 1926.

E. P. STEWART, Sheriff Cass County, Nebraska.

O. W. JOHNSON, Attorney for Plaintiff.

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed bids will be received at the office of the Department of Public Works at Lincoln, Nebraska, on July 1st, 1926, until 9:00 o'clock a. m., and at that time publicly opened and read for GRADING, GRAVEL SURFACING, CULVERTS, GUARD RAIL and incidental work on the Plattsmouth-Omaha Project No. 138-D, Federal Aid Road.

The proposed work consists of constructing 3.4 miles of EARTH AND GRAVEL road.

- The approximate quantities are: 63,000 cubic yards common excavation. 50,000 cubic yards stations overhaul. 43,500 square yards 3" sand gravel surfacing. 500 cubic yards common excavation for culverts. 172 cubic yards concrete, Class "A." 40 lineal feet 24" culvert pipe. 66 lineal feet 30" culvert pipe. 126 lineal feet 36" culvert pipe. 74 lineal feet 48" culvert pipe. 2,464 lineal feet guard rail. 32 extra posts for guard rail.

Plans and specifications for the work may be seen and information secured at the office of the County Clerk at Plattsmouth, Nebraska, or at the office of the Department of Public Works at Lincoln, Nebraska.

The successful bidder will be required to furnish bond in an amount equal to 100% of his contract. Certified checks made payable to the Department of Public Works for not less than five per cent (5%) of the amount of the bid will be required.

This work must be started previous to August 1st, 1926, and be completed by December 1st, 1926.

The right is reserved to waive all technicalities and reject any or all bids.

GEO. R. SAYLES, County Clerk, Cass County, Nebraska. R. L. COCHRAN, State Engineer.

Legal blanks of all kinds for sale at the Journal office.

SHERIFF'S SALE

State of Nebraska, County of Cass, ss.

By virtue of an Order of Sale issued by Golda Noble Beal, Clerk of the District Court within and for Cass county, Nebraska, and to me directed, I will on the 3rd day of July, A. D. 1926, at 10:00 o'clock a. m. of said day, at the south front door of the court house in Plattsmouth, in said county, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash the following real estate, to-wit:

Lot 12, Block 30, in the City of Plattsmouth, as surveyed, platted and recorded, in Cass county, Nebraska.

The same being levied upon and taken as the property of Peter F. Goos and Louise Goos, Defendants, to satisfy a judgment of said Court recovered by The Standard Loan & Savings Association, Plaintiff against said Defendants.

Plattsmouth, Nebraska, May 27th, A. D. 1926.

E. P. STEWART, Sheriff Cass County, Nebraska.

O. W. JOHNSON, Attorney.

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NOTICE OF SUIT TO QUIET TITLE.

In the District Court of Cass county, Nebraska.

John Gakemeier, Plaintiff, vs. James D. Walters et al, Defendants. The defendants James D. Walters and Mrs. James D. Walters, real name unknown; Ann E. Walters and Walters, real name unknown, husband of Ann E. Walters; the heirs, devisees, legatees, personal representatives and all other persons interested in the estates of James D. Walters, Mrs. James D. Walters, real name unknown; Ann E. Walters and Walters, real name unknown, husband of Ann E. Walters and all other persons having or claiming any interest in the north half of the northeast quarter of Section 31, in Township 12, North, Range 11, East of the Sixth Principal Meridian, in Cass county, Nebraska, real names unknown.

You and each of you are hereby notified that John Gakemeier as plaintiff, filed a petition and commenced an action in the District Court of Cass county, Nebraska, on the 5th day of June, A. D. 1926, against you and each of you, the object, purpose and prayer of which is to obtain a decree of Court, quieting the title to all of the north half of the northwest quarter of Section 31, in Township 12, North, Range 11, East of the Sixth Principal Meridian, in Cass county, Nebraska, as against you and each of you and for such other 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 19th day of July, A. D. 1926, or the allegations therein contained will be taken as true and a decree will be rendered in favor of plaintiff and against you and each of you according to the prayer of said petition.

Dated this 5th day of June, A. D. 1926.

JOHN GAKEMEIER, Plaintiff.

W. G. KIECK, Atty for Plaintiff.

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ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE

In the District Court of Cass county, Nebraska.

In the matter of the Guardianship of James Howard Shepherd, Hazel Shepherd, Lawrence Shepherd and Dorothy Shepherd, Minors.

Now, on this 31st day of May, A. D. 1926, this cause came on to be heard at Chambers, upon the petition of Clara May Wilste, the guardian of the person and estate of James Howard Shepherd, Hazel Shepherd, Lawrence Shepherd and Dorothy Shepherd, Minors, praying for a license to sell real estate, and the Court finds that there is no moneys or personal property of any kind or description in the hands of the guardian with which to pay for the support, maintenance and education of said minors.

The Court further finds that the County Judge of Cass county, Nebraska, has made an allowance of \$5.00 per week for each of said minors for their maintenance, support and education, and there is no moneys or personal property in the hands of said guardian with which to pay said amount.

The Court further finds that each of said minors has an undivided one-seventh interest in the following described property, subject to the life estate of said Clara May Wilste, to-wit:

East half of the northwest quarter (E 1/2 NW 1/4) of Section nine (9), Township seven (7), Range twelve (12), Otoe county, Nebraska—

and that it will be necessary to sell the interest of said minors in said property for the purpose of paying for the support, maintenance and education of said minors.

It is therefore ordered that all persons interested in the estate of said minors and all those who are next of kin and heirs apparent or presumptive appear before me in the District Court room of the Cass county court house in Plattsmouth, Cass county, Nebraska, on the 3rd day of July, 1926, at ten o'clock a. m., to show cause why a license should not be granted to said guardian to sell the above described real estate.

It is further ordered that this Order to Show Cause be published in the Plattsmouth Journal, a legal newspaper published in said county, four successive weeks prior to July 3, 1926.

JAMES BEGLEY, Judge of the District Court.