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What looks nicer than colored eggs to the kids.

Fashion note: Knees will be worn lower next season.

Home-seekers are always welcome to our city. Come and see us.

Spring should settle down and give us some nice congenial weather.

Be good, and you will always be happy. Try it, and be convinced.

The modern idea of roughing it is to drive with one window open in a closed car.

Once upon a time there was a lame duck who did not foresee a third term for Coolidge.

One of the miracles of modern progress is listening to a dog show over the radio.

The Nebraska senate and house have got down to quarrelling—a sign of adjournment, soon.

It's most time to drag out last spring's suit and see if it's good for another 10,000 miles.

They say that prosperity is in the air. We hope it will come down pretty soon and divide up with us.

Always speak a good word for your home town. Plattsmouth is one of the best in Nebraska, and you know it.

The president of the great republic of Haiti evidently does not relish the idea of having a King in his country.

A pessimist says the greatest economic waste is to kill a perfectly good sheep to make a college diploma.

In a bungalowette with a dinette and kitchenette, one needn't expect anything more than a housekeeperette.

Sentimentalists who are forever sending flowers to the criminal seldom send any to the home of the criminal's victim.

Speaking socially of Plattsmouth, where will you find a more up-to-date city of its size in the western country? You just can't do it.

We will say this for the radio announcer: When he says "good night" he doesn't stand at the door for 10 minutes after saying it.

Although women are now wearing only about one-fifth of the clothes they wore 10 years ago, hooks in closets are just as scarce for husbands.

A stork was placed in a cage with a lion in a German zoo. The lion fled in fear. Maybe the king of beasts was just sure the bird was going to shout "triplets!" at him.

A New Jersey town imposes a fine on any woman who "wilfully, maliciously and feloniously" wear knickers. Our legal knowledge is not very extensive, so we guess the ladies may wear them to play golf.

Panic reigns in polar exploration circles. Dr. Cook will shortly be on parole from the federal penitentiary. His first step will be to put the old pep into polar exploring and to denounce the pikers. Boy Scouts, and society women who have been making a joke of a serious occupation.

Easter eggs will soon be ripe.

Ain't you glad you are alive and well?

The closing of the Iowa coal mines is predicted.

The geese are flying North—sure sign of spring.

We will soon have good roads, if Old Sol will do his duty.

Most of the people willing to surrender their convictions are in prison.

No town in Nebraska offers better inducements to home-seekers than Plattsmouth.

The American people should be happy and prosperous, but the most of them are not.

Americans are being held for ransom in Mexico. Stay at home and the goblins can't get you.

Vaudeville may be only a century old, as the papers say, but its jokes are certainly much older.

A criminologist announces a hunt for a good lie detector. If he's married, why not try his wife?

A lily is just an onion that has gone to college and learned to paint her lips and perfume her breath.

Plattsmouth cannot be outdone for any and everything, by any city of its size in Nebraska. So there you are.

Voltaire said the French always come late to things, but they are the first people to conscript wealth in war.

What has become of the old-fashioned grocer who put a potato on the spout when you bought a gallon of coal oil?

Connecticut will have 16 women in its 1927 legislature. Wyoming the first state to grant women suffrage, will have only one.

A Maine man, given a life sentence, has stopped eating. That is one rather sure way to shorten his time of imprisonment.

Talking movies having been perfected some of the motion picture actors will have to brush up with a correspondence school course.

We have it on the word of Mussolini that "women are the agreeable or pleasant parentheses of life," we who had always been told they were question marks, are glad that's settled now.

European commentator asserts that America is too much ruled by petticoats. Evidently he doesn't know about what kind of people the new arrivals are.

Mental hygiene bureaus are being established in colleges in an effort to cut down the suicide rate. That recalls the old-fashioned day when a college education was supposed to give a man a start in life.

You can tell with a reasonable degree of accuracy which lame duck needs a job worst by noting which one predicts the president's unanimous renomination and triumphant reelection with the most fervency and frequency.

VALUELESS OPINIONS

Because one of the most powerful factors in comedy is cruelty, many otherwise kindly Americans are awaiting Henry Ford's appearance on the witness stand to defend himself against the action for damages brought by Aaron Sapiro. They are looking for such comedy as was supplied by Mr. Ford some years ago when he testified that history was all bunk, that in effect there wasn't any difference between Benedict Arnold and Arnold Bennett, and made other similar absurd statements. Such comedy as the expectant await will be comedy to them because of the quality of unconscious cruelty within themselves; they will find amusement in the thought of a very rich man sitting in the witness chair and displaying almost incredible ignorance. Yet, next month they will read with interest and with close attention the opinion of some other conspicuous man as to a book, a play, a public movement, a picture, or some other subject as to which he is no more informed than hundreds of thousands of altogether inconspicuous men.

This is an old trait of the human family. If a man, distinguished in any one line happens to be in the limelight, his opinions are eagerly sought on all subjects, and the inevitable result is that he makes a consummate ass of himself. Particularly is this true of Henry Ford. The Detroit manufacturer has achieved remarkable success in building automobiles, is said to have more ready cash than any other man in the world, and when that is said concerning him, all has been said that is worth while saying. As to art, literature, science, religion, political economy, and the big topics of the world, he is an utter ignoramus, yet he employs an army of press agents and propagandists to air his views on all these subjects, and foolish people manifest an interest in what he says. In all human history no man has received more free advertising than Henry Ford—we're giving him some valuable publicity ourselves right at this moment.

Caruso had the greatest voice of his time; but his opinion of a bit of starchy was not, for that reason, of the slightest value. Secretary Mellon is considered an uncommonly able Secretary of the Treasury, as he is known to be one of the richest men in the world, but neither of those facts equip him to speak with authority of the merits of a novel. Many Americans firmly believe Mr. Coolidge is the very personification of presidential wisdom and statesmanship; but there has been no reason to believe he is a competent judge of a theatrical performance. Yet, the opinion of any of these as to anything within the range of human effort is, or would be, solemnly quoted and accepted.

BEEHIVEN WEEK

Beethoven Week, as a means of fostering appreciation of Beethoven's music in connection with the centenary of his death, has met with quite a little criticism. It is pointed out that a "week," as we have come to think of such a celebration, is incongruous when associated with Beethoven; that he already enjoys phenomenal popularity, so that any special effort on his behalf is supererogatory; that this popularity has come about naturally, without aid of stimulants, and that official propaganda would be more likely to blight it than to augment it. And it must be admitted that there is something to be said for these arguments, particularly the last. We don't, as a rule, take kindly to things handed down from on high; many of us give Longfellow a wide berth because of the dreadful lessons we had to learn about him in school.

There is one consideration, however, which outweighs all others, and it is in favor of the plan. It is this; that by the time the speeches are done, Beethoven, to some extent at least, will have been transformed from a name into a man. Many concert-goers, one suspects, have very vague notions about him indeed. He wrote nine symphonies one of them known as the "Fifth"; he got sore at Napoleon for something or other; he was deaf. Beyond that, a blank. But the program that has now begun should change all that. People will begin to discover that this Beethoven was a colorful fellow, one worth looking up in the library. And that should not only bestow wider appreciation of Beethoven's music but also better understanding of it.

If only one is born every minute, how, we mathematically inquire, account for all the contestants in those contests?



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BOTH NEED IT

Husbands, as well as wives, need to know something about the science of eugenics. Vassar College is convinced, if families are to be properly reared, therefore, the school of eugenics will be co-educational this summer, twelve husbands of wives who attended the first session last summer having already been accepted for registration at the request of said wives. The dictionary defines eugenics as "the science of improving the human race by external influences, apart from considerations of heredity." The aim of the Vassar course will be "to supply knowledge of the complex problems of adjustment between individual and environment, emphasizing home and family; to produce women better trained for leadership through intensive study of their own peculiar opportunities and responsibilities; and to make men better husbands and fathers." The first two clauses sound a little vague although comprehensive; but the last is explicit enough.

If the technique of making homes run more smoothly can be taught academically, surely both members of the marital partnership should study it. Perhaps the theory can be more intelligently applied after a little judiciously successful practice. Anyway, these wives are wise.

Say what you please, but in the old days when a sweetheart treasured his letters, she did not do so literally.

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SOUTH BEND Ashland Gazette

Mr. Jess Kleiser drove to Lincoln Saturday. Joe Knecht and John Timm drove to Omaha Tuesday.

Mr. William Kleiser drove to Yutan Tuesday on business.

Mr. William Kleiser was a South Omaha visitor Wednesday.

Mr. Paul Kittrell drove to St. Joseph, Mo., Saturday night.

Miss Ila Hurst, of Ashland, spent the week end at the Jacob Carnicle home.

Mrs. Viola Long spent Tuesday of last week with Mrs. Alice Benz, at Ashland.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Weichel and family spent Sunday at the W. A. Jones home.

Mrs. Viola Long spent Monday in Ashland visiting Mrs. Hazan and Mrs. Benz.

Miss Hazel Jones spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Jones.

The Misses Hazel and Blanche Jones called at the Alford Johnson home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Ray and family spent Saturday evening at the John Campbell home.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Long and sons were dinner guests Sunday of Mrs. Viola Long.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Campbell spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. George Campbell.

Mr. and Mrs. George Boraman and son, and Sunday evening at the George Wallinger home.

Mr. Alfred Johnson and daughter, Mildred, spent Sunday evening at the W. A. Jones home.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Carnicle drove to Wain Sunday and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Frauen.

Mrs. Emma Calder is suffering with neuritis in her arm. Her many friends hope for a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Haswell and little son were supper guests Sunday evening at the Jacob Carnicle home.

Mr. Bryan Hill returned home last Wednesday from a four weeks visit at the home of his son, Willard, near Mendon.

Mrs. Chas. Schaffer and daughter, Caroline, of Murdock spent Saturday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Campbell.

Mr. Louis Roeder and sister, Mrs. Fred Neuman, left Sunday for Lehigh, Ill., to attend the funeral of their niece.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Winget and Mrs. Emma Calder were dinner guests Sunday at the Link Henry home in Ashland.

Wm. Winget finished husking corn last week and the first of this week delivered some 6,000 bushel to the Weaver elevator.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stander and family and Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Mooney were dinner guests Sunday at the L. J. Roeder home.

Mrs. Jacob Carnicle and daughters, Mrs. Clyde Haswell and Miss Beulah Carnicle spent Friday afternoon with Mrs. Henry Stander.

Fred Weaver and daughter, Mrs. L. B. Weaver, and sons, Kenneth and Glenn, were Sunday dinner guests at the Sterling Peck home in Elmwood.

Charles Stander is staying nights at the home of his sister, Mrs. L. J. Roeder and assisting with the choir while his brother-in-law is in Ill. notes.

Miss Florence Winget spent Friday evening with Mrs. B. O. Mooney. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Reinken spent Sunday evening at the Herman Thieman home.

Mr. F. T. Graham returned home Monday from Kansas City, but Mrs. Graham remained in that city for further medical treatment. Her many friends hope she can soon return home much improved in health.

Jack Long, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Long, fell off the porch the first of last week, and cut his head quite badly. It was necessary to take four stitches to close the wound. He is under the care of Dr. Baer, of Ashland, and is reported as getting along nicely.

Last Sunday's edition of the Los Angeles Times contained a picture in the sport section of Fonz Sturzenegger, who has accepted the position of head baseball coach of the University of California. Accompanying the picture was a write-up of a game played between U. of S. C. and Berkeley, which the former won in a ten inning game, 8-7, and gives Fonz much credit for his victory because of the fact that his team was composed chiefly of recruits, while the Berkeley team had many veterans in their line-up. Fonz is the only son of E. Sturzenegger of this place, and grew to manhood in this vicinity.

The many friends of Miss Juna Churchill, one of the efficient teachers in our town school, were very much surprised Monday to learn of her marriage over the week end to Mr. Charles Blair, of Ashland, who is attending school in Lincoln, being in the Sophomore year in the College of Electrical Engineering. So well was the secret kept that even her own parents did not know of the happy event until they received a message from them while passing through Cheyenne, en route to California on their honeymoon trip. Juna has won many friends in South Bend, on account of her bright, sunny disposition, who will join hands in wishing her and her husband much happiness. Miss Ethel Hunter has been hired to finish out the remainder of the school year.

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Plattsmouth, Nebraska

NOTICE OF REFEREE'S SALE

In the District Court of Cass county, Nebraska.

Hugh Chalfant, Plaintiff vs. Alice Wolfe, W. J. Johnston, Nellie Johnston, Harriet Nichols, George Nichols, Dan Chalfant and Bertha Chalfant, Defendants

Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of the decree of the District Court of Cass county, Nebraska, entered in the above entitled cause on the 1st day of March, 1927, and the Order of Sale entered by said Court on the 5th day of March, 1927, the undersigned sole referee will sell at public auction on the 23rd day of April, 1927, at ten o'clock a. m. of said date, at the south front door of the court house in the City of Plattsmouth, Cass county, Nebraska, to the highest bidder for cash, the following described real estate, to-wit:

The west half of the southwest quarter and Lots 1, 2 and 3 in the east half of the southwest quarter in Section 1, Township 19, north, Range 13, east of the 6th P. 3rd in Cass county, Nebraska, consisting of 125 acres, more or less.

Said sale will remain open for one hour. Twenty per cent of bid to be paid in cash at the time of sale and the balance of the purchase price to be paid on confirmation of the sale and delivery of deed.

Dated this 17th day of March, A. D. 1927.

D. O. DWYER, Referee.

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 9th day of April, A. D. 1927, at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, at the south front door of the court house in the City of Plattsmouth, Nebraska, in said county, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash the following real estate, to-wit:

Lots 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, in Block 1, North and Eight West; and all of Block 7 West; and all of Block 8 West; and all of Block 1 North, 7 West, which lies west of the North branch of Rock Creek; and all of Block 1 South and 8 West of the public square of the Village of Rock Bluff, in Cass county, Nebraska, as surveyed and platted and recorded; also Lots 1, 2, 9 and 1 in Block 1 North and 8 West of the public square, in Rock Bluff, Cass county, Nebraska—

the same being levied upon and taken as the property of John L. Smith et al, defendants, to satisfy a judgment of said Court, recovered by Louis Kell, Guardian of Ray W. Lambert, a minor, plaintiff against said defendants.

Plattsmouth, Nebraska, March 3rd, A. D. 1927.

BERT REED, Sheriff Cass County, Nebraska.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The State of Nebraska, Cass county, ss.

In the County Court.

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 15th day of April, 1927, and on the 18th day of July, 1927, at ten o'clock a. m., on 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 15th day of April, A. D. 1927, and the time limited for payment of debts is one year from said 15th day of April, A. D. 1927, and the time limited for payment of debts is one year from said 18th day of April, 1927.

Witness my hand and the seal of said County Court, this 21st day of March, 1927.

A. H. DUXBURY, County Judge.

Seal m28-4w

The gangsters are in the saddle for the money, and the Anti-Saloon League is going to have their share of the graft.

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 16th day of April, A. D. 1927, at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, at the south front door of the court house, in the City of Plattsmouth, Nebraska, in said county, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash the following real estate, to-wit:

Lots 7, 8, 9, 10, Block 33; Lots 5, 6, Block 63, in the Original City of Plattsmouth; Lots 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, Block 6, Duke's Addition to the City of Plattsmouth, as surveyed, platted and recorded, all in Cass county, Nebraska.

The same being levied upon and taken as the property of William T. Craig, Ida M. Craig, George O. Dovey, Becky Moreland, Moreland, first and real name unknown, husband of Becky Moreland; Clarence Favers; Favers, first and real name unknown, wife of Clarence Favers; Mrs. William Marsh, widow; Mrs. Marion Chancellor, widow; William Hinner, Hinner, first and real name unknown, wife of William Hinner; The First National Bank of Plattsmouth, Nebraska, and Fred Ewertzka, receiver of The First National Bank, of Plattsmouth, Nebraska, intervenors, are defendants, to satisfy a judgment of said court recovered by The Standard Savings and Loan Association of Omaha, Nebraska, plaintiff against said defendants.

Plattsmouth, Nebraska, March 11, A. D. 1927.

BERT REED, Sheriff Cass County, Nebraska.

NOTICE OF GUARDIAN'S SALE

In the District Court of Cass county, Nebraska.

In the matter of Angelo Antonio Nunziato, Insane.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an Order and License issued by the Honorable James T. Begley, Judge of the District Court of Cass county, Nebraska, on the 26th day of March, 1927, to me, W. G. Kieck, Guardian, I will on the 26th day of April, 1927, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon on the premises in Murdock, Cass county, Nebraska, offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, the following described real estate, to-wit:

Lots five (5) and six (6), in Block twenty (20), in the Village of Murdock, Cass county, Nebraska—

subject to all liens and encumbrances thereon. Said offer for sale to remain open for one hour for bids.

Dated this 26th day of March, A. D. 1927.

W. G. KIECK, Guardian of Angelo Antonio Nunziato, Insane.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The State of Nebraska, Cass county, ss.

In the County Court.

In the matter of the estate of Rebecca A. Murray, 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 15th day of April, 1927, and on the 18th day of July, 1927, at ten o'clock a. m., on 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 15th day of April, A. D. 1927, and the time limited for payment of debts is one year from said 15th day of April, 1927.

Witness my hand and the seal of said County Court, this 17th day of March, 1927.

A. H. DUXBURY, County Judge.

Seal m21-4w

Senator Hiram Johnson says his presidential germ has been thoroughly eradicated. This, if true, is a valuable discovery to political science. For his was a stubborn germ, and its isolation and subsequent extermination denotes that other political coed even more tenacious of life are not hopelessly immortal.

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