

# The Plattsmouth Journal

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President is said to disapprove sugar levy.

Hoover worried by Republican split in Senate.

There are times when a man's check is his fortune.

Sometimes a man's dinner disagrees with him and sometimes it's his wife.

The Mexican revolution is a running concern, but not exactly a going business.

A man often takes a day off on his birthday, but a woman isn't satisfied with anything less than a year.

We will soon know how strong the Government is. It has just mixed with Tom Mix on his income tax return.

Oil man Sinclair told his associates he would go to jail, if he had to. The story ought to be a "gusher" for sob sisters!

Our earnest advice to the farmers is not to allow the farm relief bill pending in Congress to interfere with their planting operations.

Wonder if the President would have burdened himself with so many barnacles if he had known he would have been elected anyhow?

Statistics offered by Northwestern University show the men are dumber than the girls. Are there no good-looking co-eds at that school?

The German mariner who crossed the ocean in a 22-foot boat missed a great opportunity for publicity by not pushing an orange all the way over.

President Hoover complains that White House correspondents do not ask enough questions. The President must be seeking a little more publicity.

A Chicago couple divorced after quarreling over whether or not to give the baby beer. Surely they wouldn't give an infant anything stronger.

Many a man has gotten married with the idea in his mind that he was going to settle down; however, the greatest part of his time is spent in setting up.

At a New York display of inventions there is a device for opening garage doors by blowing the horn three times. Further experimentation may prove that in some insomniac-ridden districts a fourth blast will open seven windows and bring down a shower of crockery.

Jouett S. House has been named head of the Democratic executive committee.

A Cincinnati burglar stole a bathtub. Maybe he's only trying to get a start in the theatrical business.

Why hasn't anybody thought to suggest sending a couple of furniture installment collectors to Germany?

Einstein, who knows so much about space, might devote a little of his time to finding some of it for parking.

A burglar left \$2600 in jewels in a coat he pawned in New York. Men now have equalled women's record in almost everything.

A New York law office was held up by five masked robbers. The report that the robbers lost only \$700 is probably erroneous.

It looks as though the Hun will never be satisfied until the Allies put his reparations payments on a par with his borrowing power.

Quite a few people are urging Coolidge to run for the Senate, but he probably won't. The Congressional Record doesn't pay a dime.

Jail beds are the same the world over, and by this time Mr. Sinclair probably has come to the conclusion that most of the punishment is the bunk.

A farmer's idea of a town pest, is the fellow who sits around all week then crowds into the barber shop ahead of the farmers on Saturday night.

An old free trader of the vintage of the '80's has been discovered, and efforts are being made to obtain a berth for him in the Smithsonian Institution.

Because they are covered with dust and cobwebs doesn't always indicate that books are old and rare. Many of our Bibles get that way at an early age.

Members of the United States Senate do not seem to know much about that debenture plan in the farm relief bill except that President Hoover is against it.

Power companies have been buping several American newspapers, it has just been learned, probably with the idea of putting a little power into the editorials.

The Coal Service Institution in Kansas City offers a free course in coal shoveling. Every man ought to see that this opportunity is not missed by "the little woman."

## POWER TRUST AND PRESS

Speaking on the subject of newspapers before the Cambridge League of Women Voters, Mr. Robert Lincoln O'Brien, former editor of the Boston Herald, made four points which should arrest even greater attention than would be the case if they came from an editor less conservative in his political and economic outlook. They are: (a), that no one can expect a newspaper in which stock is owned by public utilities to conduct a campaign for lower rates, no matter how exorbitant existing rates may be; (b), that the power trust's acquisition of stock in such powerful Republican newspaper as the Boston Herald may vitally affect the attitude of the Republican party toward the issue of public utilities; (c), that the acquisition of stock in newspapers by great corporations tends to render those papers mere purveyors of news, since their relationship to the corporations makes it next to impossible for them to exert any editorial influence; and (d) that as mere purveyors of news, newspapers having no connection with public utilities are fairer to their readers, in matters where public utilities are concerned, than newspapers which have such connections.

On this last point Mr. O'Brien said: Intelligent people need not waste much time in discussing whether an ownership finds any way of relating itself to the news policies of newspapers, to say nothing of the editorial opinions. No one need go further than to contrast the reporting only last week of the Graustein testimony in the New York Herald Tribune, whose managing owner, Ogden Mills Reid, is also a director of the International Paper & Power Co., with the reporting of the same events in the New York Times, with no such connection. In one place the story was minimized and obscured; in the other it was set forth in fullness and detail. Ownership opinion remains the one basic thing in the conduct of a newspaper.

The American public as a whole is already aroused by the brazen activities of the power trust. If there is any large sector which is not aroused, Mr. O'Brien's words should awaken it from its slumber. It is fortunate that Horace Greeley, whose wholesome and militant editorship brought the New York Tribune its prestige, cannot hear them. Could he do so, he would turn over in his grave.

## NEW WET RECRUITS

The Nation and the Republic, liberal weeklies frequently known as the "radical" of the magazine fields, have given up prohibition as a bad job. In some quarters this is viewed as an important gain some for the wet cause.

It is the belief of The Nation that a referendum should be held embracing the entire voting population of the United States. The proposal is not a new one. But the fact that The Nation makes it does lend support to the belief that such a referendum, of American citizens want prohibition and intend to keep it.

Readers will remember that The Nation is seldom in harmony with the large groups of our citizens. Seldom does it understand the American who lives outside great cities. It is the type of magazine that deems the whole South lawless because of a single lawless act. It has high-down ideas about racial amalgamation. And in other fields its editorial policies are the policies of the individualist differing from the masses of humanity.

What The Nation thinks about prohibition is not in any way an indicator of what the people as a whole think. Nor do we find an indicator in the expressions of wet newspapers or of congressmen representing the extremely wet states of the Union.

A referendum at the polls would furnish a real barometer. But why is such a referendum needed? Does not the present membership of congress, with its increasing dry majorities show with fair exactness what the people think?

## CAPTAIN RIGBY DEAD

Captain W. T. Rigby, builder of the National Military Park, has passed into the Great Beyond.

A life long in years and rich in service is ended.

It is doubtful if any man in the city of Vicksburg had more friends than this modest, kindly gentleman who contributed so much to the building of Hill City and its environment.

Captain Rigby was a veteran of the Union army. Associated with the late Captain J. F. Merry, passenger agent of the Illinois Central, he launched the campaign for the building of the National Military Park, and was its resident commissioner from the time of its creation until the day of his death at the ripe old age of 88 years.

## RAILROAD SAFETY RECORD

Although the toll of automobile traffic accidents continues to mount to even higher figures, the railways are yearly becoming safer and safer methods of travel.

According to Patrick E. Crowley, president of the New York Central system, only 16 people were killed in railroad accidents in the United States in 1928. Considering the fact that the railroads carried nearly a billion passengers last year, this is an extremely fine record.

Now if we can only begin to cut down our automobile accidents, everything will be lovely.

## 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 Myrtle L. Gillispie, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of W. F. Gillispie praying that administration of said estate may be granted to W. F. Gillispie, as Administrator;

Ordered, that June 7th, A. D. 1929, 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 May 9th, 1929. A. H. DUXBURY, County Judge.

## 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 John C. Urban, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Anna Urban praying that administration of said estate may be granted to Anna Urban, as Administrator;

Ordered, that June 1st, A. D. 1929, 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 April 23rd, 1929. A. H. DUXBURY, County Judge.

## NOTICE OF HEARING

In the County Court of Cass county, Nebraska.

In the matter of the Guardianship of Joseph Mauck, incompetent.

To Joseph Mauck, Mrs. Lucinda Conrad, Margaret Chappelle and all other persons interested or concerned in the guardianship of Joseph Mauck, incompetent.

You are hereby notified that Hugh E. Warden, Guardian of the above named Joseph Mauck, incompetent, has filed in the County Court of Cass county, Nebraska, his final report as guardian of the said Joseph Mauck, incompetent, together with a petition for the final approval and allowance of his accounts as guardian and for his discharge as said guardian and for an order of court accepting his written resignation herein filed as such Guardian.

You are further hereby notified that Margaret Chappelle has filed in this court a petition requesting the appointment of Paul Wolph as guardian of the said Joseph Mauck, incompetent, to succeed the said Hugh E. Warden, as Guardian;

You are hereby further notified that a hearing will be had in said matter upon the said final report, together with all other reports, and upon said petitions herein filed as aforesaid on the 7th day of June, A. D. 1929, at the hour of ten o'clock a. m. in the court room of the County Court of Cass county, Nebraska, in the City of Plattsmouth, Nebraska, before the undersigned, County Judge of Cass county, Nebraska, at which time and place you or any of you may appear at said hearing and make objections to said final report or petitions, if any you have, why said reports and petitions herein filed should not be allowed, and approved and the prayer of said petitions should not be granted.

You are hereby further notified that said County Court will on said day of hearing make such orders as may be for the best interests of said Joseph Mauck, incompetent.

By the Court. A. H. DUXBURY, County Judge of Cass county, Nebraska.

PITZER & TYLER, Attorneys.

(Seal) m13-3w.

## 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 Marshall W. Smith, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Ed Smith praying that administration of said estate may be granted to William M. Smith, as Administrator;

Ordered, that June 1st, A. D. 1929, at 10 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 April 29th, 1929. 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 Lorina Greely, 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 14th day of June, 1929, and on the 16th day of September, 1929, 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 June, A. D. 1929, and the time limited for payment of debts is one year from said 7th day of June, 1929.

Witness my hand and the seal of said County Court this 2nd day of May, 1929.

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 Charles Anderson, 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 June, 1929, and on the 9th day of September, 1929, 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 7th day of June, A. D. 1929, and the time limited for payment of debts is one year from said 7th day of June, 1929.

Witness my hand and the seal of said County Court this 3rd day of May, 1929.

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 Henry Bartek, 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 June, 1929, and on the 9th day of September, 1929, 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 June, A. D. 1929, and the time limited for payment of debts is one year from said 7th day of June, 1929.

Witness my hand and the seal of said County Court this 1st day of May, 1929.

A. H. DUXBURY, County Judge.

## ORDER OF HEARING AND NOTICE OF PROBATE OF WILL

In the County Court of Cass county, Nebraska.

In the matter of the will of Benjamin Dill, deceased.

To all persons interested in the estate of Benjamin Dill, deceased: On reading the petition of Lester Dill and Fern Hopkins praying that the instrument filed in this court on the 23rd day of April, 1929, and purporting to be the last will and testament of the said deceased, may be proved and allowed and recorded as the last will and testament of Benjamin Dill, deceased; that said instrument be admitted to probate and the administration of said estate be granted to Earl Franklin Dill, 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 1st day of June, A. D. 1929, at ten o'clock a. m., to show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioners 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 the seal of said court, this 23rd day of April, A. D. 1929.

A. H. DUXBURY, County Judge.

(Seal) m6-3w.

## NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The State of Nebraska, Cass county, ss.

In the County Court. In the matter of the estate of David G. Babbington, 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 April, 1929, and on the 20th day of July, 1929, 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 19th day of April, A. D. 1929, and the time limited for payment of debts is one year from said 19th day of April, 1929.

Witness my hand and the seal of said County Court this 13th day of March, 1929.

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 John L. Tidball, 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 June, 1929, and on the 9th day of September, 1929, at 10 o'clock a. m., each day, to receive and examine all claims against said estate, with a view to their adjustment and allowance. The time limited for the presentation of claims against said estate is three months from the 7th day of June, A. D. 1929, and the time limited for payment of debts is one year from said 7th day of June, 1929.

Witness my hand and the seal of said County Court this 3rd day of May, 1929.

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 Joseph Fetzer, 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 14th day of June, 1929, and on the 16th day of September, 1929, 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 14th day of June, A. D. 1929, and the time limited for payment of debts is one year from said 14th day of June, 1929.

Witness my hand and the seal of said County Court this 7th day of May, 1929.

A. H. DUXBURY, County Judge.

## LEGAL NOTICE

To Barnum and Brothers, Abraham Hughes, Elizabeth Hughes, if living, and, if dead, the unknown heirs, devisees, legatees, and all other persons interested in the estates of said defendants, and each of them, and "All persons having or claiming any interest in or to the following real estate, namely, the north half (N<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>) of the southeast quarter (SE<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>) of Section thirty-four (34), Township ten (10), North, Range thirteen (13), East of the 6th P. M., Cass county, Nebraska, real names unknown." Defendants:

You, and each of you, are hereby notified that the plaintiff, Frank Martin, did on the 20th day of April, 1929, institute an action in the District Court of Cass county, Nebraska, against you, and each of you.

Said petition avers that plaintiff and his predecessors in title and interest have been in the peaceable use, occupancy, possession and ownership of aforesaid real estate, under color of title and claim of absolute ownership thereto for more than fifty years immediately preceding the filing of said petition.

That you, and each of you, have no right, title or interest therein, and prays for a decree forever quieting the title of, in and to all of aforesaid real estate in plaintiff and perpetually excluding you and each of you from any right, title, interest, claim or demand therein and thereto.

You are required to answer said petition on or before Monday, the 10th day of June, 1929, or the allegations of said petitioner will be taken as true and judgment rendered accordingly.

Dated this 20th day of April, A. D. 1929.

FRANK MARTIN, Plaintiff.

## LEGAL NOTICE

In the District Court of Cass county, Nebraska.

Nelson L. Pollard, Plaintiff

vs. Victor H. Conley, Defendant

## NOTICE

Victor H. Conley, defendant, will take notice that on the 23rd day of April, A. D. 1929, Nelson L. Pollard, plaintiff herein, filed his petition in the District Court of Cass county, Nebraska, against the defendant, the object and prayer of which are to obtain judgment against the defendant on two promissory notes, aggregating, with interest due thereon, the sum of \$1,050.00, and for costs and reasonable attorney's fee, one note dated September 4th, 1925, for the sum of \$425.00, payable on demand, with 8% interest from date, and one note dated October 29th, 1925, payable on demand for the sum of \$400.00, with 8% interest from date, and the levying of attachment on defendant's interest in Lot five (5) in the northeast quarter of the northeast quarter; Lot twelve (12) in the northwest quarter of the northeast quarter; and the south half of the northeast quarter, and the north half of the southeast quarter, all in Section nineteen (19); and Lot three (3) in the southwest quarter of the northwest quarter of Section twenty (20), all of said real estate situated in Township ten (10), North, Range thirteen (13), East of the 6th P. M., in Cass county, Nebraska, for the satisfaction of judgment on said notes against defendant.

You are required to answer said petition on or before Monday, the 10th day of June, A. D. 1929.

Dated April 27, 1929.

NELSON L. POLLARD, Plaintiff.

C. A. RAWLS, Attorney.

(Seal) a29-4w.

## NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The State of Nebraska, Cass county, ss.

In the County Court. In the matter of the estate of David G. Babbington, 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 April, 1929, and on the 20th day of July, 1929, 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 19th day of April, A. D. 1929, and the time limited for payment of debts is one year from said 19th day of April, 1929.

Witness my hand and the seal of said County Court this 13th day of March, 1929.

A. H. DUXBURY, County Judge.

(Seal) m18-4w.

## NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The State of Nebraska, Cass county, ss.

In the County Court. In the matter of the estate of David G. Babbington, 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 April, 1929, and on the 20th day of July, 1929, 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 19th day of April, A. D. 1929, and the time limited for payment of debts is one year from said 19th day of April, 1929.

Witness my hand and the seal of said County Court this 13th day of March, 1929.

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 28th day of May, A. D. 1929, at 10 o'clock a. m., of said day at the south front door of the court house in the City of Plattsmouth, in said county, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash the following real estate, to-wit:

Lot 14 in Block 2, in Doreland's Addition to the City of Plattsmouth, in Cass county, Nebraska—

The same being levied upon and taken as the property of Marie Ostergaard, Defendant, to satisfy a judgment of said Court recovered by Daniel G. Golding, Plaintiff against said Defendant.

Plattsmouth, Nebraska, April 20, A. D. 1929.

BERT REED, Sheriff Cass County, Nebraska.

Joseph A. Vojta, Attorney-at-law, 722 Kellie Bldg., Omaha.

## LEGAL NOTICE

In the District Court of Cass county, Nebraska.

To all persons interested in the estate of John Varady, also known as Johan Uzovics, deceased, or interested in the following described real estate situate in Douglas county, Nebraska, to-wit: Lot 7, Block 14, in Brown Park Addition to South Omaha, now a part of the City of Omaha, as surveyed, platted and recorded.

You and each of you are hereby notified that on the 27th day of April, 1929, in a cause entitled "In the Matter of the Application of Stanley Serpan, as Administrator of the Estate of John Varady, also known as Johan Uzovics, Deceased," for license to sell real estate, Docket 4, page 154, in the District Court of Cass county, Nebraska, an order was entered by said court in words and figures as follows, to-wit:

Now on this 27th day of April, 1929, this cause came on for hearing upon the petition under oath of Stanley Serpan, as Administrator of the estate of John Varady, also known as Johan Uzovics, deceased, praying for a license to sell the following described real estate, to-wit:

Lot seven (7), Block fourteen (14), in Brown Park Addition to South Omaha, now a part of the City of