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MIRACLES OF TOMORROW

For thousands of years men walked the earth without imagining the wealth of fuel that lay just beneath the surface; for thousands of years they watched the lightning before a Franklin thought of catching and taming its wild magic. In the fullness of time, however came coal mines, steam engines, electric dynamos, gasoline motors, the automobile, the airplane. All these and the manifold changes which they have brought to pass in civilization, we now take for granted. But we are still like our forbears of the dim long ago in that we do not suspect the discoveries yet to be made, the powers yet to be harnessed. So it is with most of us, but here and there a bold thinker dips into the future.

At the World Power Conference now being held in Berlin, C. F. Hirschfeld, a research engineer of Detroit, Mich., predicted recently that while man has nearly reached the bounds of development in steam power, "he soon will light upon a new method of transforming energy to his uses." Already, he said, scientists can calculate the limit of power production under theories yet to be applied; indeed, they could attain that limit "if metals strong enough to stand the increasing pressures and temperatures were available." But: "If we may judge from human history this means that somewhere around the corner of time there lies a radically different process for power development. It means that before we have reached the utmost of possibilities with present methods the new method will appear as an undeveloped infant to be fought over and nourished and carried through the period of adolescence until finally we shall say, 'How Simple! Why did no one think of it before?' There is no saying where this new development will come from whose hands. But, if we follow the path that man has trod thus far, it ought to come out of the fundamental research now in progress or undertaken in the near future. With our inherited ideas regarding matter and energy, corpulence and wave, continuity and discontinuity all thrown overboard or, at least, so modified, as to make them unrecognizable, we appear to have before us a boiling pot out of which something of epochal significance may arise."

While men drove oxcarts and pitted their little sail boats against the sea, even then the power for steam engines and motor cars and airplanes was all around them. So today we probably walk amid latent marvels and move about in world not realized.

TREES IN DESERTS

For a number of years the federal government has been experimenting with trees in the hope of finding a species that will grow in the great plains area of the southwest. This might seem to be going against nature, but it has already been shown that with man's intelligent aid, nature can do many beneficial things which she can not do alone.

Large areas in the sandy barrens of northwestern Nebraska, for example are now being covered with the green of species of pine tree which the ingenuity of man has discovered to be adaptable to that apparently forbidding soil.

There are of course many things in which man can survive only by adapting himself to the hard facts of nature, but man's higher civilization has been due in no small degree to his discovery that nature herself is plastic in many things and can be adapted to human needs.

We shall yet see great forests on the wide expanses of American soil now treeless, just as we shall see rich crops of vegetables, grain and fruit on soil now unproductive for want of plant foods which man can supply, thanks to his discoveries in the chemistry of soils and fertilizing materials.

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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 23rd day of August, A. D. 1930, at 10 o'clock a. m., of said day, at the south front door of the court house in the City of Plattsmouth, Nebr., in said county, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash the following real estate, to-wit:

East half of Lot 9 and all of 10 in Block 27 in the City of Plattsmouth, Nebraska, Cass county.

The same being levied upon and taken as the property of August W. Cloldt et al. Defendants, to satisfy a judgment of said Court recovered by Plattsmouth State Bank, Plaintiff, and Murray State Bank, Defendant and Cross Petitioner, Plaintiffs against said Defendants.

Plattsmouth, Nebraska, July 15th, A. D. 1930.

BERT REED,
Sheriff Cass County, Nebraska.

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 Martin Steppat, deceased:
On reading the petition of Eddie Steppat and Martha Meisinger, Executors, praying a final settlement and allowance of their account filed in this Court on the 10th day of July, 1930, and for final settlement of said estate and their discharge as said Executors;

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 August, A. D. 1930, at 9 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 three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and the seal of said Court, this 10th day of July, A. D. 1930.

(Seal) j14-3w **A. H. DUXBURY,**
County Judge.

The home is the sacred unit of civilization.

Right men and right women want homes and children.

Sleep is a fine thing but it is not advisable to be caught napping.

The tenderest sentiments in life's experience cluster about the hearth.

There is no such thing as a shallow thinker. Either you think or don't think.

It is perfectly proper nowadays to ask a woman for either a match or cigarette.

Consider the cause of the fish. It always gets in trouble by not keeping its mouth shut.

Any good loafer can come into your office and tell you things about your job you didn't know.

A lot of folks seem to believe that thrift consists in meeting their installment payments on time.

We prefer to believe that the high school principal who suppressed the Stein song was only patriotic.

"How Long Is a Mile?" asks an editorial headline. Well, if it is on a detour, it is about four miles long.

If hope did not spring eternal in the human breast, no batter would ever run out a grounder to the pitcher.

Releasing a flock of hungry mosquitoes might be the best means of repelling the forays of those dressed-in-nothing Doukhobors.

What this country needs is a good five-cent tip.

A sense of duty accomplishes more than a thousand slave drivers.

Carol of Rumania will have to be included among the speed kings.

To the man who says "I will" the chains of destiny are nothing but cobwebs.

Even those who are against Morrow must admit that he has lots of get-up.

The fallacy as a means of reducing was never more apparent than in the double chin.

Take it or leave it, that tariff bill has already cost the taxpayer plenty in congressional salaries.

Hoover got his dander up and brought the Senate to time, right or wrong—Hurrah for Hoover.

When all other ruses fail the college boy usually gets his fraternity pin back by marrying the girl.

This is the time of the year when the backbone of the nation is beginning to acquire a lovely sunburn.

If they keep on making louder and louder pajamas they will have to get busy producing soundproof bedrooms.

Announcement is made that Bishop Cannon is married. One would imagine, he has been in enough trouble.

Before the civil war the south levied a special tax on the owners of slaves. Now the legislature merely taxes the slaves.

Whether a decrease in population is a black eye for your town depends a lot on the kind of people who have been leaving it.

At last we have discovered a "good loser." It is the man who grins while totaling the column of losses in his income tax report.

Candidates always promise to look after the dear people, but after being elected they forget where to look for the dear people.

Back in ancient days they used to poison a man by handing him a cup of hemlock. Now you hand him a bottle of home brew.

Those kids didn't mind trying to break the tree-sitting record, but they weren't craving to break any hunger endurance records, you bet!

Some day a manufacturer of shirts will spend 5 cents apiece putting regular collar buttons in the neckbands of same, and sell 2,000,000 the first year.

"Because of a lack of foresight, the prisons of the country are too small." The builders envisioned a world getting better, and then along came prohibition.

We won't object to the more lively baseballs and golf balls if they don't give the militarists the idea of a more lively cannon ball to speed up the war game.

The unprecedentedly low prices of raw silver makes it irksome, we should think, for the true plutocrat, who must be born hereafter with a 72-piece dinner set in his mouth.

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BUSINESS AND THE AMERICAN SPIRIT

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No nation, however brilliant its intelligentsia, however competent its technicians, however astute its political leaders, can carry on its national life on a plan of greatness without a foundation of energy and character permeating the great mass of individuals. It is through this widely distributed wealth of initiative and creative energy that America has won its enviable place in the world of nations.

Not the least of the qualities of the individual that have entered into our national achievement is that of confidence. Confidence in himself, in his fellow man and in the future of his country has marked the American from the first day of this Nation's life. That confidence, no kin to boastfulness or to idle optimism, has been the core of the American moral fiber, through periods of expansion and exuberant prosperity, through painful dissension and national catastrophe, through trying periods of rebuilding after the havoc of civil war or commercial paralysis.

The American people of today are changed in their manner of life. A wholly new physical environment has led them to form new patterns of living that would look strange indeed to the Americans of an earlier day. But there can be no questioning the fact that the essential qualities of the American remain as firm and positive as in earlier decades. Superabundant energy, the will to build and confidence in the future are implicit in the term American, as they have been through the sweep of our epic growth as a nation.

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION

In the County Court of Cass county, Nebraska.

In the matter of the estate of George and Eva Meisinger, deceased.

Notice of Administration.

All persons interested in said estate are hereby notified that a petition has been filed in said Court alleging that said deceased died leaving no last will and testament and praying for administration upon their estate and for such other and further orders and proceedings in the premises as may be required by the statutes in such cases made and provided to the end that said estate and all things pertaining thereto may be finally settled and determined, and that a hearing will be had on said petition before said Court on the 8th day of August, A. D. 1930, and that if they fail to appear at said Court on said 8th day of August, 1930, at 10:00 o'clock a. m., to contest the said petition, the Court may grant the same and grant administration of said estate to John R. Meisinger, or some other suitable person and proceed to a settlement thereof.

A. H. DUXBURY,
County Judge.

NOTICE OF SUIT

In the District Court of the County of Cass, Nebraska.

Clara Jones, Plaintiff
vs.
Ed Jones, Defendant

NOTICE

You are hereby notified that on March 12, 1930, Clara Jones commenced an action in the District Court of Cass county, Nebraska, against you, the object, purpose and prayer of which is to secure an absolute divorce in favor of said plaintiff and against you, and that plaintiff be restored to her maiden name, Clara Boom.

You are further notified that you are required to answer said petition on or before Monday, August 25, 1930, or your default will be entered and decree rendered in accordance with the prayer of said petition.

Of all of which you will take due notice.

CLARA JONES,
Plaintiff.

W. A. Robertson,
Attorney for Plaintiff. j14-4w

SHERIFF'S SALE

State of Nebraska, County of Cass, ss.

By virtue of an Execution issued by Golda Noble Beal, Clerk of the District Court, within and for Cass county, Nebraska, and to me directed, I will on the 29th day of July, A. D. 1930, 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 described lands, to-wit:

The east ninety acres of the northwest quarter (NW 1/4) of Section 25, Township 12, North of Range 12 East of the 6th P. M., in Cass county, Nebraska, subject to all liens;

The same being levied upon and taken as the property of William Kaufmann, defendant, to satisfy a judgment of said Court recovered by H. J. Spurway, Receiver of the First National Bank of Plattsmouth, Nebraska, plaintiff against said defendant, William Kaufmann et al.

Plattsmouth, Nebraska, June 23rd, A. D. 1930.

BERT REED,
Sheriff Cass County, Nebraska.

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION

In the County Court of Cass county, Nebraska.

In the matter of the estate of William Shea, deceased.

Notice of Administration.

All persons interested in said estate are hereby notified that a petition has been filed in said Court alleging that said deceased died leaving no last will and testament and praying for administration upon said estate and for such other and further orders and proceedings in the premises as may be required by the statutes in such cases made and provided to the end that said estate and all things pertaining thereto may be finally settled and determined, and that a hearing will be had on said petition before said Court on the 15th day of August, A. D. 1930, and that if they fail to appear at said Court on said 15th day of August, 1930, at 10:00 o'clock a. m., to contest the said petition, the Court may grant the same and grant administration of said estate to John R. Meisinger, or some other suitable person and proceed to a settlement thereof.

A. H. DUXBURY,
County Judge.

NOTICE OF HEARING on Petition for Determination of Heirship

Estate of Enos N. Johnson, deceased, in the County Court of Cass county, Nebraska.

The State of Nebraska, To all persons interested in said estate, creditors and heirs take notice, that Adam Stecher has filed his petition alleging that Enos N. Johnson died intestate in Pottawattamie county, Iowa, on or about March 20th, 1901, being a resident and inhabitant of Pottawattamie county, Iowa, and died seized of the following described real estate, to-wit:

The west half (W 1/2) of the east half (E 1/2) of the southwest quarter (SW 1/4) of said Section eleven (11), and Sub-Lot 21 of Lot nine (9), in the west half (W 1/2) of the east half (E 1/2) of the northwest quarter (NW 1/4) of the northwest quarter (NW 1/4) of Section fourteen (14), all in Township twelve (12), Range thirteen (13), East of the 6th P. M., in Cass county, Nebraska—leaving as his sole and only heirs at law the following named persons, to-wit:

Sarah J. Johnson, widow of said deceased;

That the interest of the petitioner herein in the above described real estate is as a subsequent purchaser of said real estate herein described;

That no application for administration has been made and the estate of said decedent has not been administered in the State of Nebraska; and praying for a determination of the time of the death of said Enos N. Johnson and of his heirs, the degree of kinship and the right of descent of the real property belonging to the said deceased in the State of Nebraska.

It is ordered that the same stand for hearing the 15th day of August, A. D. 1930, before the Court at the hour of nine o'clock a. m., in the County Court room in the court house at Plattsmouth, Nebraska.

Dated at Plattsmouth, Nebraska, this 17th day of July, A. D. 1930.

BERT REED,
Sheriff Cass County, Nebraska.

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 Patrick J. Flynn, deceased:
On reading the petition of Catharine T. Flynn, Administratrix, praying a final settlement and allowance of her account filed in this Court on the 9th day of July, 1930, and for final settlement of said estate and her discharge as said Administratrix of said estate;

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 August, A. D. 1930, at 9:00 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 three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and the seal of said Court this 9th day of July, A. D. 1930.

(Seal) j14-3w **A. H. DUXBURY,**
County Judge.

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 Mary A. Street, deceased:
On reading the petition of E. H. Westcott, Executor, praying a final settlement and allowance of his account filed in this Court on the 21st day of July, 1930, and for final settlement of said estate and his discharge as said 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 15th day of August, A. D. 1930, at 9:00 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 three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and the seal of said Court, this 21st day of July, A. D. 1930.

(Seal) j21-3w **A. H. DUXBURY,**
County Judge.

NOTICE OF SALE

In the District Court of Cass County, Nebraska

Caroline I. Baird and Edith Estelle Baird, Plaintiffs
vs.
Florence B. Jones, a Minor, and Fred A. Jones, Guardian of Florence B. Jones, a Minor, Defendants.

NOTICE

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 action by said Court, on the 12th day of July, A. D. 1930, the undersigned sole referee will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, on the 25th day of August, A. D. 1930, at 10:00 o'clock a. m., at the south front door of the court house in the City of Plattsmouth, Cass county, Nebraska, the following described real estate, to-wit:

Lots four (4), five (5) and six (6) in Block sixty-two (62), in the City of Plattsmouth, Cass county, Nebraska.

Terms of Sale: 10% cash of the amount of the bid at the time of sale, and the balance on confirmation. Said sale will be held open for one hour.

Dated this 15th day of July, A. D. 1930.

CHARLES E. MARTIN,
Referee.

C. A. RAWLS,
Attorney. j21-5w

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 Patrick J. Flynn, deceased:
On reading the petition of Catharine T. Flynn, Administratrix, praying a final settlement and allowance of her account filed in this Court on the 9th day of July, 1930, and for final settlement of said estate and her discharge as said Administratrix of said estate;

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 August, A. D. 1930, at 9:00 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 three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and the seal of said Court this 9th day of July, A. D. 1930.

(Seal) j14-3w **A. H. DUXBURY,**
County Judge.