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One trouble with conditions today, is that the mail brings so much propaganda and so few checks.

We can understand why Louisiana wished to send Huey Long somewhere, but why the United States senate?

A reasonable fee for every hat thrown into the political ring is the solution to wipe out deficits, state and federal.

There is considerable popular demand for increased currency, but the boys who try to increase it usually land in jail.

The Journal has had a call from a young housewife who wanted to know what to put into beet pickles to color them red.

Will Chicago have a gang war to decide which gang will supply the water for the political conventions there this summer?

If the price of the dollar continues to mount there are several of us who are going to have to join a nudist colony, whether we really want to or not.

Cool weather delays other things than vegetation. The women folk can't wear their furs until the temperature moves up to the fever heat mark.

Railroad officials expect 50 million people to visit the Chicago World's Fair. It looks as though the city is going to be literally jammed with innocent bystanders.

The increase from \$6 to \$9 in the price of passports is not a very good excuse to give in explaining your absence from Europe this year, but first class excuses are not required this year, as in most years.

It would be swell to go to sleep for twenty years as did Rip Van Winkle, but are awakening would be spoiled upon learning that congress still was arguing over the taxes, the budget and beer.

If you don't believe advertising pays ask anyone to name the other seventeen amendments to the Constitution of the United States. As a matter of fact there are eighteen other amendments, which should prove something or other.

Many folks are lovers of antiques, yet none of them seems to care for an antique motor car.

If all the people who read the Congressional Record were put in one building, they would fill the senate and the house.

Gaston B. Means enjoys the distinction, we learn from the Detroit News, of being damned with everything but faint praise.

One of the worst cases of overproduction right now is that gangsters are being turned out faster than spots can be provided to put them on.

The boy and girl who graduate from high school or college this year will find jobs scarce. Some of them might start out to test the report so often heard at commencement as to what lies beyond the Alps.

No matter how warm the strife at the Democratic national convention may wax next month, it won't excite the old-timers any more than did those two conventions at Baltimore and Chicago twenty years ago this summer.

A captive cake of bath soap has been invented. It is secured by a cord, and may be retrieved from any part of the bathroom; or, we suppose, from the next room, or from out of the bathroom window, or even from the house next door, depending upon what distance you are accustomed to lose your bath soap.

Despite all the pressure for economy the senate has appropriated \$2 million dollars to continue the publication of the Congressional Record. That compendium of wit, wisdom and eloquence will still be available to the people—and they may need it to while away the time spent in waiting for congress to wind up the work of the session.

George M. Cohan told a Chicago audience the other day that the American theater must indulge in fewer wisecracks and more extended, intelligent thought if it is to hold the attention of the public. Mr. Cohan is probably right. The public is showing signs of becoming weary of wisecracks even from its mayors and senators; naturally it's not going to stand them much longer from the stage.

WORLD NEEDS MORE AND BETTER ODIUM

In announcing the withdrawal of substantially all their forces from the Shanghai area, the Japanese foreign office explains that the action is taken to "end the world-wide odium which has fallen upon us."

It is doubtless true that there are other reasons why the Japanese are ready to quit Shanghai. The expedition has been expensive; it has caused considerable domestic odium, in addition to the world-wide variety mentioned; the Manchurian adventure is considered far more important; and, while the troops remain, they are in constant danger of another beating from the Chinese. Nevertheless, the reason assigned by the foreign office for withdrawing troops should not be scoffed at, for it marks perhaps the first time in diplomatic history that "world-wide odium" has ever been considered worth mentioning as a factor in determining a government's foreign policy.

The conventional usage in such cases is to declare that "the objective has been attained," or that "order and tranquility have been established," or merely that "the situation is now such as to justify the removal of our effectives." It would be difficult to cite at random a nation which has explained any action by saying that it was based on "the Japanese government's desire to conform to world opinion." Indeed, with advanced countries like ours the mention of world-wide odium is usually sufficient to insure policies even more odious. The Japanese have a monopoly of the field. They go on to point out that things may get worse and that the other powers on the spot will have a job on their hands. But, as for them, world-wide odium is too painful further to be endured.

Whatever the inwardness, the sincerity of the deep-aid purpose of this announcement by the Japanese, it is a great tribute to odium. What the world needs is better and more odium odium so that nations, tempted beyond their strength toward aggressions, may not have to rely upon failing credit, military humiliations and economic boycotts to bring them to their senses, but may be deterred by worldwide odium in time to check them on their way to war, victory, reparations and bankruptcy. What this official admission of odium as a cause for removing troops, we expect to see these withdrawals accomplished more expeditiously in future. Instead of being obliged to wait months for a prestige victory over a Villa, Sandino or Ab-del-Krim, governments may now simply state that the world-wide odium has become too much for them and they are checking out.

If this seems unsound and a little radical, let them recall that the idea originated with the Japanese government, which has done about as well with the old diplomacy and war psychology as any country has managed to do. When the Japs recognize the importance of odium, it may be said without fear of contradiction that odium is something to be reckoned with.—Baltimore Sun.

KNICKLE JONES REPORTS

The name, "The National Urban League," does not convey to many the purpose of this organization. But when it is known that Knickle Jones is its administrative secretary, its identity is better recognized. The league is concerned with spreading the knowledge of conditions under which Negroes live and work in the cities to which they have migrated in such vast numbers in the last three decades. Twenty-five years ago the late William H. Baldwin, president of the Long Island railroad, appreciating the significance of this migration began with the help of two small committees to aid this multitude from the fields and the villages of the south in coping with their new problem, especially in this city.

Mr. Baldwin long since died, but Eugene Kinckel Jones (an M. A. of Cornell in the social sciences) who was made the executive secretary with a budget of \$2,500 was carried on and has had a great part in making the league an agency of national usefulness, especially in the last three years. It had a well rounded program as ready for such emergencies as if designed expressly to meet them. It was prepared with the essential facts. It was in touch with intelligent, public spirited Negroes throughout the United States from coast to coast. It had the records of competent, trained and experienced colored workers—many of them trained by the league through its fellowships. And it placed at once its own staffs at the command of community committees in co-ordinating relief and job planning.

It has been more than ever necessary to cultivate interracial good will because of the more intense competition for employment growing out of hard times. In this respect particularly, the league has exerted a wholesome influence. The Negro's plight has been made generally known. There have been reports from time to time, as Mr. Jones says of neglect but "the exposure of these indignities has in every case resulted in improvement in the treatment if not the total elimination of discrimination."

Though the Negro has relatively suffered most during this period industrially, Knickle Jones, who knows his people, in the cities especially as well as anyone else, expresses the opinion that "possibly his spirit has been the most hopeful." This is due in some measure to his confident temperament. Whatever his troubles, some day he's "gonna put on shoes." But the league has had much to do with keeping up that spirit.—New York Times.

Perhaps it would have been better for "Jafsie" to forego the vacation he is taking, and to continue at his regular work. Vacations are pretty strenuous for men of his age, often resulting in breakdowns.

"Good government pays," writes a thoughtful publicist. So does the other kind, but not the same people.

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SHERIFF'S SALE

State of Nebraska, County of Cass, ss. By virtue of an Execution issued by C. E. Ledgway, Clerk of the District Court within and for Cass county, Nebraska, and to me directed, I will on the 25th day of June, A. D. 1932, at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, at the south front door of the court house in said county, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash the following real estate, to-wit:

The northeast quarter (NE 1/4) of the northwest quarter (NW 1/4) of Section thirty-two (32), Township eleven (11), North Range thirteen (13), East of the 6th P. M., in Cass county, Nebraska.

The same being levied upon and taken as the property of Frederick Omer Schlichtemeyer, defendant, to satisfy a judgment of said court recovered by Federal Trust Company, a Corporation, plaintiff against said defendant.

Plattsmouth, Nebraska, May 18th, A. D. 1932.

ED W. THIRMGAN, Sheriff Cass county, Nebraska.

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

In the County Court of Cass county, Nebraska, ss. State of Nebraska, Cass County, ss. To all persons interested in the estate of John Campbell, deceased: On reading the petition of Peter Campbell, Administrator, praying a final settlement and allowance of his account filed in this Court on the 17th day of May, 1932, and for final assignment of the residue of said estate and for his discharge as Administrator thereof;

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 17th day of June, A. D. 1932, 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 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 17th day of May, A. D. 1932.

A. H. DUXBURY, County Judge.

WALL STREET PRIME GOLD BRICK MARKET

Wall street is still the world's prime market for gold bricks. Not just the little piker gold bricks—a thick plating of gold over lead—that supposedly used to be sold to inexperienced hicks, but real big bricks, with a thin wash of golden words covering—nothing at all. The less they know about an investment, the more some of our leading "financiers" seem to think of it. Ivar Kreuger, "Swedish match king," was able to borrow 15 million dollars on no other security than his name.

Donald Durant, president of the International Match company, reveals how much farther than ever that 15 million dollars, the Swedish adventurer's word was trusted. A block of 50 million dollar German bonds which Mr. Kreuger obligingly sold to the International Match company was supposed to be deposited in Berlin. But when American bankers finally got around to looking into it, they found the bonds had been transferred to Stockholm and used as security for a loan.

So the tale goes on. The bankers who floated the loan are stuck with eight million dollars' worth of Kreuger stock. Mr. Durant says. Whether eight million dollars was paid for it, or the stock was merely commission on selling the debentures, has not been revealed so far. But many times eight million dollars in debentures was marketed, and was paid for in real money by private investors.

Put on a fur coat when you go to Wall street, and drive a big car, and don't pay cash for anything, if you want your credit to be good. Don't ask for any sum not in the millions, either. If the handsome stranger should commit suicide later, it will be time to find out if there was anything behind his winning words.

So shall you be a great financier. So shall you qualify as a capable person to tell how the country should be run. And remember—whatever happens—there must be no investigations of bankers and brokers. And no matter how many people have lost their savings because great financiers were great fall guys, it will always be "congress" and the "public" that is to blame for anything wrong in the country.—Milwaukee Journal.

NOTICE

Of Application for License to operate a Pool Hall: Notice is hereby given that the undersigned will, on Tuesday, June 7th, 1932, at 3:00 o'clock p. m., at the County Court House in Plattsmouth, Cass County, Nebraska, make application to the Board of Commissioners of Cass County, Nebraska, for a license to operate a pool hall in the building situated on Lot 5, Block 3, in the Village of Manly, Cass County, Nebraska, for a period of one year.

Signed and dated this 3d day of May, 1932.

GEO E. COON, Applicant.

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

In the County Court of Cass County, Nebraska, ss. State of Nebraska, Cass County, ss. To the heirs at law and all persons interested in the estate of John Quinton, deceased: On reading the petition of C. D. Quinton, administrator, praying a final settlement and allowance of his account filed in this Court on the 4th day of May, 1932, and for his discharge as administrator. Also that H. M. Lester has filed claim and petition for assignment of surplus under note and mortgage given by Flossie Peters and John C. Peters; 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 3rd day of June, A. D. 1932, 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 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 4th day of May, A. D. 1932.

A. H. DUXBURY, County Judge.

NOTICE OF SALE

In the District Court of Cass county, Nebraska, ss. In the matter of the trusteeship of the estate of Anna Gorder Ploetz, deceased:

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an order of the Honorable James T. Begley, Judge of the District Court of Cass county, Nebraska, made on the 12th day of March, 1932, for the sale of real estate hereinafter described for the payment of legacies and expenses of administration under the last will and testament of Anna Gorder Ploetz, deceased, there will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder for cash at the south door of the court house at Plattsmouth, Nebraska, on the 20th day of June, 1932, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m., the following described real estate, to-wit:

The east one-half (E 1/2) of the northeast quarter (NE 1/4) of Section eighteen (18), Township twelve (12) north of Range thirteen (13) east of the 6th P. M., in Cass county, Nebraska, and an undivided one-half interest in and to Lots two (2), three (3) and four (4), in Block thirty-five (35) in the City of Weeping Water in Cass county, Nebraska. That the sale will be held open for the period of one hour and that the highest bid will be submitted to the Court for confirmation and approval. Dated this 14th day of May, 1932.

FRANK A. CLOITZ, Trustee of the Estate of Anna Gorder Ploetz, Deceased.

A. L. TIDD, Attorney.

REFeree's SALE

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of judgment in partition entered on the 20th day of February, 1932, confirming shares in the case of Humphrey Murphy, plaintiff, vs. Joseph P. Murphy, Margaret Murphy, Edward W. Murphy, Agnes Murphy, Bradford J. Murphy, Margaret Murphy, Catherine Wonder, Charles J. Wonder, and Ershal Murphy, then pending in the District Court of Cass County, Nebraska, wherein the undersigned was appointed referee to partition the land involved in said action; upon report of the referee that physical partition of the land could not be made without great prejudice to the parties it was thereupon ordered and adjudged by the court that said land be sold and the proceeds thereof be divided into shares between the parties as theretofore determined. Pursuant to said judgment of the court, the undersigned referee will, on the 23rd day of June, 1932, at ten o'clock a. m., of said day at the south front door of the court house in Plattsmouth, Nebraska, sell the said real estate, to-wit:

The SE 1/4 and the N 1/2 of the NE 1/4 of Sec. 20, Twp. 11, North Range 12, east of the 6th P. M., in Cass County, Nebraska, at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, ten per cent of the bid to be paid at the time of the sale and the balance of the purchase money to be paid upon confirmation of sale and making deed by referee. Said sale will be made subject to a mortgage in the sum of \$1,342.12, with interest from Jan 1, 1932 at 5 1/2 per cent, to the Lincoln Joint Stock Land Bank on the N 1/2 of the NE 1/4 of Sec. 20, Twp. 11, North Range 12.

Dated this 23rd day of May, 1932.

J. A. CAPWELL, Referee.

D. O. DWYER, W. L. DWYER, Attorneys.

The Journal will appreciate your phoning in news items. Call No. 6. Thanks

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The State of Nebraska, Cass County, ss. In the County Court. In the matter of the estate of Terrace Honnings Pitsman, 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 3rd day of June, A. D. 1932, and on the 5th day of September, A. D. 1932, 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 3rd day of June, A. D. 1932, and the time limited for payment of debts is one year from said 3rd day of June, 1932.

Witness my hand and the seal of said County Court this 7th day of May, 1932.

A. H. DUXBURY, County Judge.

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

In the County Court of Cass county, Nebraska, ss. State of Nebraska, Cass County, ss. To all persons interested in the estate of Samuel G. Latta, deceased: On reading the petition of Orin A. Davis, one of the Executors, praying a final settlement and allowance of their account filed in this Court on the 10th day of May, 1932, and for final assignment of the residue of said estate and for their discharge as Executors thereof;

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 10th day of June, A. D. 1932 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 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 14th day of May, A. D. 1932.

A. H. DUXBURY, County Judge.

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

In the County Court of Cass County, Nebraska, ss. State of Nebraska, Cass County, ss. To all persons interested in the estate of Frank Prince, deceased: On reading the petition of Christine Chovane, administratrix, praying a final settlement and allowance of her account filed in this Court on the 14th day of May, 1932, and for final assignment of the residue of said estate and for discharge as administratrix thereof;

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 10th day of June, A. D. 1932, 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 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 14th day of May, A. D. 1932.

A. H. DUXBURY, County Judge.

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE

In the District Court of Cass county, Nebraska, ss.

In the matter of the application of H. A. Schneider, Administrator of the Estate of Robert Troop and Thomas Troop, both deceased, for license to sell real estate to pay debts. Now on this 21st day of May, 1932, came H. A. Schneider, Administrator of the estates of Robert Troop and Thomas Troop, both deceased, and presented his petition for license to sell the real estate of the deceased parties in order to pay the claims filed and allowed against said estates, and the expenses of administering said estates. It appearing from said petition that there is an insufficient amount of personal property in the hands of the administrator to pay the claims presented and allowed by the County Court, and the expenses of administration of both estates; and that it is necessary to sell the whole of the real estate of the deceased parties in order to pay the aforesaid claims and costs of administration;

It is therefore Considered, Ordered and Adjudged, that notice be given to all persons interested by publication of this Order to Show Cause, for four successive weeks in the Plattsmouth Journal, a legal newspaper published and of general circulation in the County of Cass, Nebraska.

By the Court.

JAMES T. BEGLEY, District Judge.

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