

CAUGHT IN HER OWN TRAP.

How Mrs. Pringle Tried to Spy on Her Husband. Mrs. Pringle had been married just six months and would have been happy, but she was one of those women who never can let well enough alone, says the Detroit Free Press. She was inclined to be jealous of Mr. Pringle and was filled with surmises that had no actual foundation. But she decided to set a trap for him and it never occurred to her that she might possibly fall into it herself.

One day when Mr. Pringle went home to dinner his wife handed him a note, which she said had been left for him that morning. He opened it and, after scanning it hastily, thrust it indifferently into his pocket. "Anything important?" asked his wife, in a tone trembling with excitement. "No-o. A business matter, that is all."

"You seemed pleased over it," suggested Mrs. Pringle. Mr. Pringle laughed. He also blushed. His wife detected evidences of conscious guilt in the fact that he did not offer to show her the letter. Yes, she thought she had him safely trapped and the knowledge made her utterly wretched.

Mr. Pringle read the note over again on his way to the office: "Dear Sir: I have often seen and admired you from a distance and would be greatly pleased to make your acquaintance. Meet me this afternoon at 4 o'clock at the approach to Belle Isle bridge. I will wear a blue dress and carry a bunch of pink roses."

"ADMIRER." At the hour specified the woman in the blue dress was there. A man—who was not Mr. Pringle—walked up to her. "I have your note," he began, but she turned on him like a fury. "How dare you speak to me? I am here to meet my husband by appointment."

"I guess not. You are here to meet Mr. Pringle, who sent me to see what you—" "Wretch! If you address another word to me I'll call for help."

"Excuse me, but if Mr. Pringle had expected to meet his wife I am sure he would have come."

Mrs. Pringle took a passing car and went home. She had changed her dress and butter wouldn't have melted in her mouth when Mr. Pringle came in. She thinks she has proved her husband to be a model of rectitude, but she doesn't know that he spotted "Admirer" at the first glimpse of her disguised handwriting.

FASHION'S FANCIES.

Hats may be worn to suit the wearer, either tilted over the face or set well back. Braiding and embroidery will be used quite extensively this fall and winter, both on coats and skirts.

Sleeves are not so full nor so high on the shoulders, but are yet far from the tight sleeves which were promised. Sacoque coats are to be the dressy wraps for the autumn, and they are made either of velvet or of the rich pean de soie.

All the latest frocks have medium-sized, if not actually narrow sleeves, the arm being covered with a tight-fitting smooth or wrinkled sleeve, with a very short puff or drapery arranged at the top.

Corsets are in great favor, and the bolera jacket seems to have taken a new lease of popularity, and, combined with the new corset or high-draped belt, will be much worn this autumn.

Nearly all the street costumes are made with a jacket, either real or simulated, for where a tight-fitting waist is preferred, haques are frequently sewed on to the bodice, the joining being covered with the belt.

Sprays of green oats and bunches of green wheat are showing themselves among the trimmings of the fall millinery, in opposition to the bright red cherries and currants that have been introduced for the decoration of fall hats.

Covert coatings and fine-faced cloths, unless for dress occasions, are used mostly in fall wraps, and they come in many shades of tan and dark shades of green and blue. One of the most useful and fashionable garments for the fall is a long coat or ulster.

Bonnets for elaborate occasions are airy, indeed, being made almost entirely of gathered tulle or lace and jet, and trimmed with dark velvet, sprays of flowers, or feathers, while some of the tiny affairs have a full osprey perched upright at the back.

The fichu has finally shown itself on children's frocks, having heretofore been strictly confined to the gowns for those of a large growth; but now there is a neck garniture which is a sort of sailor's collar and fichu combined, which is extremely dainty and pretty, and which will undoubtedly find great favor.

"SCRAPS."

No receptacle has ever been made strong enough to resist the power of freezing water. The gold fields in Paulding county, Georgia, are being developed, and have proved quite productive.

Burnham, the scout who shot the chief instigator of the Matabele war, is home in Pasadena, Cal. According to the statistics of the Department of Agriculture, wheat land in Kansas rents at \$2.10 per acre.

A report has been circulated in London that as soon as Dr. Jameson is liberated he will marry a beautiful girl—Did the play go last night?—Well, hardly; but you know you have seen the audience.—New York.

—You? Keeping at home?—Neither the individual nor the community will benefit by this. The world would meet it by handing into the mill treasury most of Mr. Astor's million pounds sterling on his death.—How would this harm him? He would have ceased to exist. If the state took 99 per cent of his money on his death he would still have one-half million pounds sterling to dispose of and on this sum his heirs or heir might rub on very comfortably.

Eating Slowly. The opinion that hurry in eating is a prolific cause of dyspepsia is founded on common observation. The ill results of bolting food have been attributed to the lack of thorough mastication and to the incomplete action of the saliva upon the food. Two-thirds of the food which we eat is starch, and starch cannot be utilized in the system as food until it has been converted into sugar, and this change is principally effected by the saliva. But there is a third reason why rapidity of eating interferes with digestion. The presence of the salivary secretion in the stomach acts as a stimulant to the secretion of the gastric juice. Irrespective of the mechanical function of the teeth, food which goes into the stomach incompletely mingled with saliva passes slowly and imperfectly through the process of stomach digestion. Therefore, as a sanitary maxim of no mean value, teach the children to eat slowly, and in giving this instruction by example the teacher, as well as the pupil, may receive benefit.—Troy Times.

Neat-Building Fish. There are fish that build nests just as birds do. The most interesting are the paradise fishes of Japan. The nests they make are very odd, indeed, being composed entirely of air bubbles. Ordinarily of a dull silvery color, the male fish goes a-wooing in a striped costume of red, blue and green, with streaks of brightest orange on the ventral fins. Later on the female constructs the nest, swallowing air, and ejecting it in the shape of bubbles held and made permanent by glutinous capsules from a secretion in her mouth.

Wouldn't Do. Daughter—"I think I ought to go to cooking school, mamma, don't you?" Mother—"I can teach you to cook, my dear." Daughter—"Oh, but you won't do, mamma; you only cook the ordinary things that people eat."—Roxbury Gazette.

SAUNDERS & MACFARLAND.

Attorneys, 1406 Farnam Street. SPECIAL MASTER COMMISSIONER'S SALE.—Under and by virtue of an order of sale issued out of the district court for Douglas county, Nebraska, and to me directed, I will on the 17th day of November, A. D. 1896, at ten o'clock A. M. of said day, at the EAST front door of the county court house in the city of Omaha, Douglas county, Nebraska, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, the property described in said order of sale as follows, to-wit: Lot six (6) and seven (7) in block six (6) of J. J. Rodick's Sub-Division, an addition to the city of Omaha, as surveyed, platted and recorded, all in Douglas county, Nebraska.

To satisfy the sum of sixty-eight and 15-100 dollars (\$68.15), due herein, together with accruing costs, according to a judgment rendered by the district court of said Douglas county, at its May term, A. D. 1895, in a certain action then and there pending, wherein J. J. Ralston Grant is plaintiff, and Charles E. Squires, Ella J. Squires and the City of South Omaha, Nebraska, are defendants. Dated at Omaha, Nebraska, October 16th, A. D. 1896.

GEORGE G. WALLACE, Special Master Commissioner. Saunders & Macfarland, attorneys for plaintiff. Grant vs. Squires, et al. Doc. 48; No. 363. 10-16-5

SAUNDERS & MACFARLAND.

Attorneys, 1406 Farnam Street. SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue of an order of sale issued out of the district court for Douglas county, Nebraska, and to me directed, I will, on the 24th day of November, A. D. 1896, at ten o'clock A. M. of said day, at the EAST front door of the county court house in the city of Omaha, Douglas county, Nebraska, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, the property described in said order of sale as follows, to-wit: The southwest quarter of section six (6), town four (4) north, range thirteen (13), east of the Sixth Principal Meridian, containing in all ten (10) acres, according to the government survey, together with all improvements and appurtenances thereto belonging, all situate in the county of Douglas and state of Nebraska.

Said property to be sold to satisfy Albion W. Flye vs. Plack Co., et al. Doc. 50; No. 256. 10-23-5

SAUNDERS & MACFARLAND.

Attorneys, 1406 Farnam Street. NOTICE.—To the unknown heirs of James S. Dempsey, deceased, and Charles Murray, non-resident defendants: The sum of ten (10) per cent per annum from the 30th day of October, 1896, Harry J. Twining, plain fil herein, filed his petition in the district court of Douglas county, Nebraska, against William J. Rosh, defendant, and by him assigned to the plaintiff, who is now the owner of the same. There is now due upon said tax certificate and taxes paid thereunder the sum of one hundred and thirty-five dollars (\$135.00), with interest from September 25, 1896, at the rate of ten (10) per cent per annum, and an attorney's fee amounting to ten (10) per cent thereon. Plaintiff prays for a decree that the defendants may be required to pay the same or that a sale of premises may be sold to satisfy the same, and that upon the sale the defendants be barred of all interest in said real estate.

You are required to answer said petition on or before December 14th, 1896. Dated, Omaha, Nebraska, November 5, 1896. HARRY J. TWINING, Plaintiff. By Saunders & Macfarland, his attorneys. Doc. 38; No. 70. 11-6-4

MADLEM & O'CONNOR.

Attorneys-at-Law, 321 Range Block. NOTICE TO NON-RESIDENT DEFENDANTS.—In the district court within and for Douglas county, Nebraska. To Attilio Silberhorn, non-resident defendant: You are hereby notified that on the 23rd day of October, A. D. 1896, Frederick Silberhorn, plaintiff herein, filed a petition in said court, the object and prayer of which are to obtain a divorce from the bonds of a marriage contracted by you on the grounds that you have willfully abandoned said plaintiff for a period of more than two years last past, and for other causes therein set forth, and for and for the custody of his three children. You are required to answer said petition on or before the 14th day of December, A. D. 1896. Omaha, Nebraska, October 30, 1896. FREDERICK SILBERHORN, Plaintiff. By Madlem & O'Connor, his attorney. 10-30-4

Probate Notice.

In the matter of the estate of Zulina E. Edin, deceased. Notice is hereby given, that the creditors of said estate before me, County Judge of Douglas county, Nebraska, shall present their claims for examination, adjustment and allowance, six months are allowed for the creditors to present and file their claims against the executor to settle said estate, from the 4th day of November, 1896; this notice will be published in THE AMERICAN GAZETTE, a newspaper published in this county, on the 4th day of January, 1897. IRVING F. BAXTER, County Judge. 11-6-4

NOTICE OF INCORPORATION.—Notice is hereby given that Lewis A. Woods, Lorenz Koenig and Burton A. Karr have organized a Corporation under and pursuant to the laws of the state of Nebraska.

The name of said Corporation is "The Mechanical Railway Sign Company," and the principal place for the transaction of its business is the city of Omaha, Douglas county, Nebraska.

The nature of the business to be transacted is the manufacturing, buying, leasing and furnishing automatic danger alarm, signal, and street crossing signs for railroads, highways and street crossings; also to purchase and sell such patents and rights as may be necessary or proper for the conducting and protection of said business, and to convey such real estate as may be necessary or incident to the proper or profitable conduct of the business, and to purchase or lease the property of said Corporation and to do such other things as might be or become necessary or incident to the affairs of the Corporation.

The authorized capital stock of said Corporation is \$1,000,000.00, divided into 10,000 shares of \$100.00 each; said stock is now and fully paid up. The indebtedness of this Corporation to date is \$25,000.00. The Corporation to be organized to begin on the 1st day of October, 1896, and continue for a period of fifty (50) years.

The affairs of said Corporation to be conducted by a Board of Directors, consisting of not less than three (3) nor more than five (5) members, who shall be elected annually by a majority vote of the stockholders, and by such other agents, officers or employees as the Board of Directors may determine. LORENZ KOENIG, Secretary. 10-23-4

WM. H. RUSSELL.

Attorney, 216 New York Life Building. NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE.—By virtue of an order of sale issued out of the district court for Douglas county, Nebraska, and in pursuance of the decree of said court in an action thereon filed at Execution Docket No. W. page 27, wherein Fred H. Kent is plaintiff and Albe J. Read, et al., are defendants, I will, at ten o'clock A. M. on the 23rd day of November, 1896, at the EAST front door of Douglas county court house, at Omaha, Nebraska, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, the property described in said order of sale as follows: Lot one (1) in block five (5) in Missouri Avenue Park, as surveyed, platted and recorded, all in Douglas county, state of Nebraska. Omaha, Nebraska, October 16th, 1896. JOHN W. McDONALD, Sheriff of Douglas County, Nebraska. Kent vs. Read, et al. 10-23-5

WM. H. RUSSELL.

Attorney, 216 New York Life Building. SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue of an order of sale issued out of the district court for Douglas county, Nebraska, and to me directed, I will on the 17th day of November, A. D. 1896, at ten o'clock A. M. of said day, at the EAST front door of the county court house in the city of Omaha, Douglas county, Nebraska, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, the property described in said order of sale as follows, to-wit: Lot one (1) in block five (5) in Missouri Avenue Park, an addition to the city of Omaha, as surveyed, platted and recorded, all in Douglas county, state of Nebraska. Said property to be sold to satisfy Fred H. Kent plaintiff herein, the sum of seven hundred forty-six and 10-100 dollars (\$746.10) judgment, with interest thereon at rate of ten (10) per cent per annum from the 4th day of May, 1896.

To satisfy the sum of twenty-nine and 28-100 dollars (\$29.28) costs herein, with interest thereon at rate of ten (10) per cent per annum from the 25th day of June, 1896, u interest paid together with accruing costs, according to a judgment rendered by the district court of said Douglas county, at its May term, A. D. 1896, in a certain action then and there pending, wherein Fred H. Kent was plaintiff, and Albe J. Read and Adelbert J. Read were defendants. Omaha, Nebraska, October 16th, 1896. JOHN W. McDONALD, Sheriff of Douglas County, Nebraska. Kent vs. Read. Doc. W; No. 55. 10-16-5

SAUNDERS & MACFARLAND.

Attorneys, 1406 Farnam Street. SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue of an order of sale issued out of the district court for Douglas county, Nebraska, and to me directed, I will, on the 19th day of November, A. D. 1896, at ten o'clock A. M. of said day, at the EAST front door of the county court house in the city of Omaha, Douglas county, Nebraska, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, the property described in said order of sale as follows, to-wit: Lot four (4) in block "F," and lot six (6) in block "E" in Saunders & Elmendorf's addition to the city of Omaha, Douglas county, Nebraska, as surveyed, platted and recorded; also lots ten (10) and eleven (11) in block one (1) in Saunders & Elmendorf's addition to Walnut Hill, an addition to the city of Omaha, as surveyed, platted and recorded, all in Douglas county, state of Nebraska.

Said property to be sold to satisfy Arthur M. Cowie, plaintiff herein, the sum of three hundred and ninety-nine and 70-100 dollars (\$399.70) judgment, with interest thereon at rate of ten (10) per cent per annum from May 4th, 1896, which said amount is a second valid and existing lien upon said lot four (4) in block "F," and lot six (6) in block "E" herein, the sum of ten hundred and forty-two and 00-100 dollars (\$442.00), with interest thereon at the rate of ten (10) per cent per annum from the 4th day of May, 1896, and said amount is a first valid and existing lien upon said lots ten (10) and eleven (11) in block one (1).

To satisfy Ben B. Wood and Daisy B. Wood, his wife, defendants herein, the sum of two thousand and seventy-seven and 30-100 dollars (\$2,077.30) judgment, with interest thereon at rate of ten (10) per cent per annum from May 4th, 1896, which said amount is a second valid and existing lien upon said above described property.

To satisfy the sum of twenty-one and 50-100 dollars (\$21.50) costs herein, together with accruing costs, according to a judgment rendered by the district court of said Douglas county, at its May term, A. D. 1896, in a certain action then and there pending, wherein Arthur M. Cowie is plaintiff, and Davis Skainakowsky, Rachel Skainakowsky, Ben B. Wood and Mrs. Daisy B. Wood, his wife, were defendants. Omaha, Nebraska, October 9th, 1896. JOHN W. McDONALD, Sheriff of Douglas County, Nebraska. Saunders & Macfarland, attorneys. Arthur M. Cowie vs. Davis Skainakowsky, et al. Doc. 37; No. 28. 10-9-5

SAUNDERS & MACFARLAND.

Attorneys, 1406 Farnam Street. SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue of an order of sale issued out of the district court for Douglas county, Nebraska, and to me directed, I will, on the 17th day of November, A. D. 1896, at ten o'clock A. M. of said day, at the EAST front door of the county court house in the city of Omaha, Douglas county, Nebraska, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, the property described in said order of sale as follows, to-wit: Lot one (1) in block five (5) in Missouri Avenue Park, as surveyed, platted and recorded, all in Douglas county, state of Nebraska. Said property to be sold to satisfy Philip L. Johnson, plaintiff herein, the sum of one hundred eighty-four and 34-100 dollars (\$184.34) judgment, with interest thereon at rate of ten (10) per cent per annum from September 23, 1895.

To satisfy the sum of thirteen and 68-100 dollars (\$13.68) costs herein, together with accruing costs, according to a judgment rendered by the district court of said Douglas county, at its September term, A. D. 1896, in a certain action then and there pending, wherein Philip L. Johnson was plaintiff, and Omaha Security Company, a corporation, organized and existing under and pursuant to the laws of Nebraska, was defendant. Omaha, Nebraska, October 16th, 1896. JOHN W. McDONALD, Sheriff of Douglas County, Nebraska. Saunders & Macfarland, attorneys. Johnson vs. Omaha Security Company. Doc. 51 and W; No. 186. 10-16-5

GEO. W. COVELL.

Attorney, 523 New York Life Building. SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue of an execution issued out of the district court of Douglas county, Nebraska, and to me directed, I will, in judgment of said court in favor of Theodore L. Von Dorn against Frederick M. Wood, et al., do hereby levy upon the east one hundred and fifty feet (150) of lots one (1) and two (2) in McLaughlin's Place in the city of Omaha, Douglas county, Nebraska, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, on the 1st day of December, A. D. 1896, at the EAST front door of the county court house in the city of Omaha, in said Douglas county, Nebraska, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, I will offer said property for sale and sell the same at public auction to the highest bidder in money, said property to be sold to satisfy said judgment and costs. Witness my hand the 5th day of September, A. D. 1896. JOHN W. McDONALD, Sheriff of Douglas County, State of Nebraska. Doc. 37; No. 357. 10-30-5

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