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Geo. D. Canon, - - - Editor.

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The Omaha reform forces will be obliged to crow eat again as they were defeated in the Mayoralty election last Tuesday, but not without some satisfaction, as they were defeated by only a small majority of 262 votes cultry the republicans normal majority down 1238.

We acknowledge the receipt of "THE SIOUX COUNTY JOURNAL" published at Harrison, Nebraska, by Geo D. Canon, the former postmaster at Alpena. We shall be pleased to receive it as exchange, and trust that Mr. Canon may find his new business both pleasant and profitable, and should judge that he would from the issue before us.—*The Dakota Sieve.*

We Must Reap What We Sow.

While abroad she declared that all men were created free and equal and endowed with certain inalienable rights, she still recognized a dividing line between labor and aristocracy. They were considered as equals, labor was from the begining the servant of capital.

The clause in the declaration of independence, saying that all men were created free and equal appealed to the mind of the common people, and they were all with one accord ready to sacrifice their all, even their life for their countrie's freedom and independence. And when their country's freedom was established and capital said we must put tariff on foreign goods to protect our home manufacturers, and keep other countries from flooding markets with their goods.

The laboring class of people fell easy victims into the traps laid for them, and willingly contributed their time, strenth and energy on the shrine of their country, gladly sacrificing their all for the up building of a monopoly and working for starvation wages for, as they thought (and many still think,) the undying honor, glory and distinction of existing and being a citizen in a land of such boasted feedom, justice and mercy.

Thinking the small pittance flung at them as the price of their labor, ample compensation, because of the great privilege they enjoyed of living and laboring and being a citizen in such a country. But they were in an age of free thinking and growing enlightenment. And a people that had sacrificed so much for their freedom, were not a class that would always tamely submit to being walked over by money lords, rough shod or any other way.

And as their education broadened, they began to think, and reason more, and to realize the injustice heaped upon them, and to feel the sting of the practised imposition of the lords of creation, or more properly called fashionable gamblers, winebibers and robbers.

For that is just what the moneyed class of people in our country are and always have been. Our country was born out of corruption, and was seeded down the first year of her birth to vanity and greed abundantly watered with depravity and well watched over and tended by averice and treachery, and the harvest of vice was scattered to the winds and it spread, and is still spreading with fearful rapidity.

It is so strange then, that a nation born in winebibing and gambling, and which in its earliest infancy passed laws to enrich the rich and to enslave the poor that she might dazzle the eyes of the older nations of the world, and make a great show and parade before them. Is it so very strange that such a nation when a little more than one hundred years old should stand only third in the ranks to the most drunken nation on the face of the earth? Or that three fourths of her entire population, not counting the African slaves which she freed after a civil war of four years, she turns a deaf ear? Three fourths of her people are laborers and one fourth capitalist or their hired tool.

But it is strange when her history is traced back that she should have become what she is today. Capitals hired tool and the laborers oppressor. We must reap what we have sown, in america's boasted land of the free. BITTER SWEET.

Answer to Question No. 15, in "Live to Learn and Learn to live."

In the last weeks JOURNAL I noticed several questions asked by the author of "*Live to Learn and Learn to Live.*" Perhaps they were not intended for a reply, but I should like the privelege of answering question 15 in my own way.

The statement was first made that in the year 1896 the people of this country spent $1,456,000,000 for strong drink, then following this statement comes these two questions. "Now why did they do it? Did it help them in or out"?

To the first I should say that a great many had inherited a craving appitite for it and did not have strong will enough to keep them from falling into the temptation that surrounded them everywhere.

Some believed it no harm to take a social glass, and very rude and illmanneredly to refuse a drink. Many more drank because they thought it smart to make hogs and howling demons of themselves.

In aristocratic society people drank because it was fashionable. While the biggest majority of our state and United States officials from the least to the greatest drank to smother what little conscience they had left that they might swindle the people out of as much money as it was possible for them to do while holding prominent positions of honor, trust and influence under the protection of Uncle Sam. As to whether the people were helped in or out, I should say that in the largest majority of cases the people were helped in.

For instance through its influence many were helped into the poor-houses, mad-houses, orphans homes and work houses, into poverty, lives of shame, and into drunkard and pauper's graves, and last but not least it helped in election, when its influence swayed the multitude to such an extent that they lent their aid to plying into the most prominent and highest offices in our land swindlers and cut-throats.

These are only a few of the ways that the people were helped in, but it is enough to help the people to think.

BITTER SWEET.

How Gisls Consider Proposals.

"My dear girl, when a man asks you to become his wife you ought to put some questions to yourself," writes Ruth Ashmore to girls on "The Profession of Marriage," in the April *Ladie's Home Journal.* "Satisfy yourself that you love this man well enough, not only to be happy with him, but, if need be, to suffer with him. Decide for yourself if this be the man of all others in whom you find your ideal companion, for companionship means as much in marriage as in friendship. Then, you must think of the future. Ask yourself, too, whether this man brings out in you all that is best, whether he provoks that which is little and mean in you, or whether he piques you into making light of that which is good. Decide whether this man is the one with whom you would be willing to grow old; whether this man is the one to whom you would, without hesitancy, submit questions that trouble your conscience. Then, too, you must ask yourself what seems, perhaps, like a trivial question, whether this man is one whose name you will be honored in bearing, not because of any material health he may possess, but because of his being an honest gentleman. Think out all things, Ask yourself question upon question, not only to his fitness, but as to yours, and then, if you give him the loving answer that he wishes, try to become thoroughly acquainted with him."

NOTICE TO DELINQUENTS.

Notice is hereby given that the interest and rental upon the contracts of lease and sale to the following described Educational Lands situated in Sioux county, Nebraska, as set opposite the names of the respective holders thereof, is delinquent and, if such delinquency is not paid within ninty days from the date of this notice, said contracts will be declared forfeited by the Board of Educational Lands and Funds and said forfeiture will be entered of record in the manner provided by law.

LEASES.

Part of Sec.	S.	Tp.	R.	Name.
e½,e½nw¼, e½sw¼	16	32	55	Alexander Steele, Heirs or assigns.
ne¼, n½nw¼	36	31	55	A. C. Pratt.
w½ne¼	36	31	53	C. A. Cribfield.
e½sw¼, w½se¼	36	31	53	Harvey J. Howard
All	36	29	54	Hugh W. MacLachlan.
w½	36	26	56	Gorton Nichols
e½	36	32	56	J. C. Mowry.
All	36	34	55	John Otey.
All	16	28	53	John S. Dillenbeck.
e½,ne¼nw¼	36	33	53	F. M Prownier.
w½ne¼,se¼ne¼,nw¼,s½	16	30	54	Thomas Kastler.
w½ne¼,e½nw¼,e½sw¼,w½se¼	36	32	55	George F. Phillips.
w½nw¼,w½sw¼	36	32	55	Hugh J. Smiley.
e½ne¼, e½se¼	36	32	55	Wilmer W. Phillips.
n½	36	27	53	J. L. Mauel.
s½	36	27	53	Gustave J. Mauel
e½ne¼,ne¼se¼	16	33	57	John Dunn.
All	16	25	53	C. J. Peterson.
All	16	26	53	S. E. Copeland.
All	16	29	53	Mrs. D. H. Hartsough.
All	36	29	53	G. H. Hartsough.
All	16	34	54	S. J. Johnson.
All	36	24	54	Mathilda Johnson
All	16	25	54	J. H. Jensen.
All	36	25	54	M. Jensen.
All	16	26	54	John N. Warp.
All	36	26	54	Julius Warp.
n½ne¼, sw¼ ne¼,n½nw¼,se¼nw¼	16	27	54	Edward Downey.
All	36	27	54	Helga Warp.
All	16	28	54	George Franklin.
All	16	29	54	Jesse Franklin.
All	36	30	54	Amanda Franklin.
All	16	32	54	Gust E. Peterson.
All	16	24	55	John Franklin.
All	36	24	55	Christina Peterson.
All	36	25	55	Chas. J. Braman
All	36	27	55	Mrs. Sophie Broman.
All	16	24	56	Victor Samuelson.
All	16	24	57	Ida E. Abrahamson.
All	36	24	57	V. Abrahamson.
All	36	24	56	Jas. M. Slushar.
ne¼,e½se¼,nw¼ se¼ e½nw¼	36	34	54	H. S. Woodruff.

Harrison, Sioux Co., Neb., April 22, 1897.

CHAS. BIEHLE,
COUNTY TREASURER.

APPLICATION FOR LIQUOR LICENSE

Matter of application of Isidor Richstein for liquor license.

To the mayor and city counsil of the city of Harrison, Sioux county, Nebraska:

Notice is hereby given that Isidor Richstein has filed his application with the city clerk of Harrison, Sioux county, Nebraska, for license to sell malt, spiritsous and vinous liquors in Harrison, Bowen township, Sioux county, Nebraska, from the 7th day of May, 1897, to the 7th day of May 1898. If there be no objections, remonstrance or protest filed within two weeks prior to the 7th day of May, 1897, the said license will be granted.

ISIDOR RICHSTEIN, Applicant.

Sheriff's Sale.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of an order of sale to me directed issued by the clerk of the District Court of Sioux County, Nebraska, in an action pending in said court wherein Asbury E. Hobson is plaintiff and Count R. Wadsworth, Girtie M. Wadsworth, Louis P. Wodsworth, Joseph G. Morris, Charles J. Grable and Altman, Miller & Co., are defendants, I will on the 17th day of May 1897, at one o'clock P. M., at the East front door of the Court House in Herrison, Nebraska, offer for sale at public vendue the following described real estate, to wit:

The West Half (w½) of the South-East Quarter (se¼) and East Half (e½) of the South-West Quarter (s-w¼) of Section Nine (9) in Township Thirty-one (31) N., n Range Fifty-six (56) W., of the Sixth (6) P. M., in Sioux county, Nebraska, to satisfy a decree of foreclosure entered in said cause by our said Court at the regular November, 1893, term of said Court to wit:

On the first day of November, 1893, wherein our said court found due to the defendant Altman, Miller & Co., on the cause of action set out in its cross-petitition the sum of $70.40 with ten per cent interest thereon from said date and adjudged same to be a first lien on said premises. The said Court also found due the plaintiff on the cause of action set out in his petition, the sum of $320.79 drawing ten per cent interest from said date, which was declared and adjudged by the court to be a second lien on said premises with costs and accruing costs.

Said premises will be sold for the purpose of satisfying said sums in the order above named.

DAVID BARTLETT,
(32.36) Sheriff of Sioux County Neb.

Final Proof Notices.

All persons having final proof notices in this paper will receive a marked copy of the paper and are requested to examine their notice and if any errors exist report the same to this office at once.

Timber Culture proof, Notice for Publication

Land office at Alliance, Nebr.
March 20, 1897.

Notice is hereby given that Edgar Mackey of Mackey, Iowa, has filed notice of intention to make final prof before M. J. Blewett, Clerk of the District Court at his office in Harrison, Neb., on the first day of May, 1897, on timber application No. 436, for the W½ of N-E¼ and E½ of N-W¼ of Section No. 1, in Township 34, Range 54.

He names as witnesses:

Michael D. Jordan of Adella, Neb.
Nels P. Rosenburg " " "
Aaron O. Wisdom " " "
and Joseph Boffer " Montrose, Neb.

J. W. WEHS Jr.
[29-34] Register

Timber Culture Final Proof, Notice for Publication.

Land Office at Alliance, Nebr.
March 23, 1897.

Notice is hereby given that Eggert Rohwer of Harrison, Neb., has filed notice of intention to make final proof before M. J. Blewett, Clerk of the District Court at his office in Harrison, Neb., on the 1st day of May, 1897, on timber culture application No. 1117, for the N-W¼ of N-E¼ E½ of N-W¼ N-E¼ of S-W¼ of Section No. 9, in Township 29, Range No. 56.

He names as witnesses:

J. W. Earnest, Edward Swartz, John Corbin and W. H. Hough, all of Harrison, Nebr.,

J. W. WEHS JR,
[30-34] Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Land Office at Alliance, Neb.
April 15, 1897.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before M. J. Blewett, clerk district court at Harrison, Neb., on May 29, 1897 viz:

August L. Ring of Story, Neb. who made H. E., No. 3144, for the S½ of S-W¼ of Sec. 1, and W ½ of N-W¼ Sec. 12, township 34 N, Range 56 W.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of, said land, viz;

Fredrick Stemmer, John Weber, S. R. Story, and Oscar W. Story, all of Story, Neb.

Any person who desires to protest against the allowance of such proof, or who knows of any substantial reason, under the law and regulations of the Interior Department, why such proof should be allowed, will be given an opportunity at the above mentioned time and place to cross-examine the witnesses of said claimant, and to offer evidence in rebuttal of that submitted by claimant.

J. W. WEHS, JR,
[33-38] Register.

Order for Hearing of Final Account in the County Court of Sioux County, Nebraska.

In the matter of the estate of Charles J. Puddy, deceased.

Now, on the 10th day of April 1897, came C. Augustine Puddy, the administrator of said estate and prays for leave to render an account as such administrator. It is therefore ordered that the 3rd day of May 1897, at 1, o'clock p. m., at my office in Harrison, Nebraska, be fixed for the time and place for examining and allowing such accounts. And the heirs of said deceased and all persons interested in said estate, are requried to appear at the time and place so designated, and show cause, if such exists, why said account should not be allowed. It is further ordered that said C. Augustine Pudny, administrator, give notice to all persons interested in said estate by causing a copy of this order to be published in THE SIOUX COUNTY JOURNAL, a newspaper printed and in general circulation in said county, for three weeks prior to the day set for said hearing.

Dated April 10th, A. D. 1897.

ROBERT WILSON,
County Judge.

(SEAL)

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" " October 25, jury 26th.

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March 23, 1897.

Notice is hereby given that Charles E. Schilt of Harrison, Neb., has filed notice of intention to make final proof before M. J. Blewett, Clerk of the District Court at his office in Harrison, Nebr., on the 1st day of May, 1897, on timber culture application No. 905, for the S-W¼ of Section No. 22, in Township 33, Range No. 56.

He names as witnesses:

Charles Biehle, Nels Anderson, Eli J. Wilcox and William Biehle, all of Harrison, Nebr.

Also that Nels Anderson of Harrison, Neb., has filed notice of intention to make final proof at the same time and place, on timber culture application No. 799, for the N-E¼ of Section No. 17, in Township 33, Range No. 56.

He names as witnesses:

Charles Biehle, Eli J. Wilcox, Charles E. Schilt and William Biehle, all of Harrison, Neb.

Also that Charles Biehle of Harrison, Neb., has filed notice of intention to make final proof at the same time and place, on timber culture application No. 708, for the N-E¼ of Section No. 28, in Township 33, Range No. 56.

He names as Witnesses:

Eli J. Wilcox, Charles E. Schilt, Nels Anderson and O. A. Garton, all of Harrison, Neb.

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