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THE PATENT GATE.

"So you've taken down your patent gate, Silas?" observed Aunt Martha, as the wagon stopped at the lane, and Silas alighted to open the way. "Wasn't it good?"

"Yes. Well—muddlin'," said Silas, answering the two questions together. "Twas real handy when 'twould work, but 'twasn't reliable about workin'. If you come at it right and hit the spring just proper, 'twould swing wide open, and was a fine thing. But if you happened to strike it wrong, 'twas a good deal worse'n no improvements; 'twould git so twisted up 'twouldn't open like a patent gate, nor a common one, neither. I could manage it pretty well myself, but I couldn't be always outside to explain to other folks, and I thought if they had to climb out of their rigs to read a string of directions they might as well open a gate. So I took it out."

"The man that sold it to me said 'twas almost human in workin's, and I don't know but he was right, for I've seen humans that work just that way. Strike 'em exactly the right fashion, hit the proper mood in the middle, so to speak, and they're as good-natured and open-handed as you'd want; but happen to hit 'em the wrong way, and all the inside springs tangle up, and you're barred out. 'Tisn't what I'd call a first-class article in either gates or folks." —Forward.

Dog Exercises.

There are people in London who earn quite respectable livings solely by exercising dogs, and some of those who live are ladies. In every suburb and in every London park these exercisers of dogs may be seen each day, and one gentleman alone pays £10 a week for the walking out of his valuable bulldogs, the young fellow who undertakes the job having quite 20 other employments besides.

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ROAD NO. 142.

To whom it may concern:

The commissioner appointed to locate a certain road petitioned for by Frank Scott and others commencing at the NE corner of the NE 1/4 of section 18 running southwest about 1/4 of mile to where old road leads SE toward SW corner of NE 1/4 of section 18 in township 32 range 33, be laid out and established as a public road and that portion of old road commencing at NE corner of NE 1/4 of section 18 running southwest between sections 17 and 18 to half section running east and west at SW corner of NE 1/4 section 18, thence running north east to end in road where new road strikes said bend in old road, to be vacated.

All objections thereto or claims for damages must be filed in the County Clerk's office on or before October 1st, 1894 or such road will be allowed without further reference thereto.

E. F. PONTIUS,
County Clerk.

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Contest Notice.

Department of the Interior,
United States Land Office,
Alliance, Neb., September 15, 1894.

A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by D. neil W. Lindem in contestant, against homestead entry No. 3507, made July 2, 1890, for 160 acres W. Cr. Sec. 11 & S. half SE. Cr. sec. 11, Township 36 n., Range 32 w., by Albert C. Hartel (contester), in which it is alleged that said Albert C. Hartel was born extrazon, his not residing upon or cultivating the said tract of land or any part thereof during the past six months, and said extrazon has wilfully abandoned said tract of land for more than six months, and to last past, and that alleged absence from said tract of land was not due to employment in the army, navy or marine corps of the United States as a private soldier, officer seaman or marine during the late war with Spain or during any other war in which the United States may be engaged.

Said parties are hereby notified to appear respond and offer evidence touching said affidavit at 10 o'clock a. m. on November 3, 1894 before Grant Guthrie, Notary Public, at his office at Harrison, Nebraska (a. d. that said hearing will be held at 10 o'clock a. m. on November 10, 1894 before) the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office in Alliance, Nebraska.

The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed September 13, 1894, set forth facts which show that after due diligence performed, service of notice of this notice can not be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given by due and proper publication.

W. H. AKERS,
Receiver.

Contest Notice.

Department of the Interior,
United States Land Office,

Alliance, Nebraska, Sept. 3, 1894.

A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by Ernest Bunge contestant, against homestead entry No. 6231, made Sept. 9, 1893, for SE 1/4, SE 1/4, NE 1/4, NE 1/4, NE 1/4 & E. 1/4, Sec. 33, Twp. 32 n., R. 35 w., by Alexis Schaefer (contester), in which it is alleged that said Alexis Schaefer has entirely abandoned said land that the said defendant has entirely failed to establish his residence on said land as required by law, that said defendants continue at the date of this affidavit, and that alleged absence from said land was not due to employment in the army, navy or marine corps of the United States during the late war with Spain or during any other war in which the United States may be engaged.

Said parties are hereby notified to appear respond and offer evidence touching said affidavit at 10 o'clock a. m. on November 3, 1894 before Grant Guthrie, Notary Public, at his office at Harrison, Nebraska (a. d. that said hearing will be held at 10 o'clock a. m. on November 10, 1894 before) the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office in Alliance, Nebraska.

The said contestants having, in a proper affidavit, filed July 5, 1894, set forth facts which show that after due diligence performed, service of notice of this notice can not be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given by due and proper publication.

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