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Selecting Furniture

In selecting a piece of furniture for the living room, dining room, or bedroom, one should see that its color and design harmonize with other permanent pieces in the room. It should be well constructed, for poorly-built furniture is expensive at any price. Avoid highly polished furniture. Unless the room is very large, do not buy massive pieces.

Seed Corn Good

Most of the seed corn grown in Nebraska in 1916 will probably grow well, agronomy specialists at the University of Nebraska say. However, some samples have been tested that gave a low percent germination.

Where corn is still in the ear, farmers will probably not have difficulty in picking out satisfactory seed. When purchasing seed corn, one should require a germination test.

Use of varieties that are well adapted to the locality is recommended. All experimental evidence as well as the experience of farmers indicate that there is some risk in bringing seed corn from long distances, as such corn often yields less than corn which has been grown in the locality for some time. For that reason it is advisable to obtain locally grown seed.

When It Is Better.

The way some people when there's anything to be gained remind one of Sterne's "Tant pis" and "Tant mieux" is amusing.

Notice of Final Report

In the County Court of Webster County, Nebraska.

In the matter of the estate of Alfred H. King, Deceased.

All persons interested in said estate, are hereby notified that the Administrator has filed herein a final account and report of his administration, and a petition for the final settlement of such account and report, and for a decree of distribution of the residue of said estate, and for the assignment of the real estate belonging thereto, and a discharge from his trust, all of which said matters have been set for hearing before said court on the 16th day of April, 1917, at the hour of 10 o'clock, A. M., when all persons interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated this 22nd day of March 1917.

A. D. RANNEY,
County Judge

LEGAL NOTICE

In The District Court of Webster County, Nebraska.

Clifford J. Pope, Plaintiff,
vs.
Rudolph B. Kummer, Roy P. Ottman, and Otto Kummer, Defendants.

Sale Under Foreclosure

Notice is hereby given that, pursuant to an order of sale, issued in said cause, on the 27th day of March, 1917, by the clerk of said District Court, I will, on Saturday, the 6th day of May, 1917, at 2 o'clock of said day, at the front door of the court house of said Webster County, in Red Cloud, Nebraska, sell the following property, to-wit: Lots Nos. Eleven (11), and Twelve, (12), in Block Twenty-eight (28), in the original town of Red Cloud, in the said county, at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, to satisfy the amounts found due on the mortgages against said property, to-wit:

First lien, \$1620.00, in favor of Otto Kummer;
Second lien, \$212.50, in favor of Clifford J. Pope;
Third lien, \$218.75, in favor of Roy P. Ottman;
on each of which said sums interest is to be computed at the rate of ten percent per annum from the date of March 1917, the date of the decree rendered in the above cause, and \$25.00 the costs taxed in said cause, and 2%—the accruing costs.

Dated at Red Cloud this 22nd day of March 1917.

FRANK HUPFER,
Sheriff

Publication of Summons

To Alexander Sims, Alexander Sims, Arvin H. Sims, Walter J. Sims, Mrs. William Sims, his wife, first real name unknown, Alden V. Sims, Earl C. Sims, Frank W. Sims, Mrs. Frank W. Sims, his wife, first real name unknown, Ed Sims, Ida J. Fleming, Bert Fleming her husband, Edith Henry, Mrs. Henry her husband, first real name unknown, George R. Elliot, Mr. Elliot her husband, first real name unknown, Lois Wilson, Mr. Wilson her husband, first real name unknown, Ira Glenn Sims, Julia C. Sims, Frank Hanson, Mrs. Frank Hanson his wife, first real name unknown, William W. Sims, Mrs. William W. Sims his wife, first real name unknown, Dottie Brown, Mr. Brown her husband, first real name unknown, Emma Marville, Mr. Marville her husband, first real name unknown; non-resident defendants:

You will take notice that William P. Sims and Luella Sims his wife as plaintiffs have filed a petition and commenced an action against you as defendants in the District Court of Webster county Nebraska the object and prayer of which are to obtain the judgment of said court confirming the title and interests of said plaintiffs as owners and tenants in common and heirs of Emma Steedley deceased in the following described real estate in Webster County, Nebraska to-wit: Lot No. one (1) and the North ten (10) feet of lot number two (2) in block five (5) of Vance's addition to the village of Red Rock according to the recorded plat thereof, and for partition of said premises or a sale of the same and division of the proceeds of partition cannot equitably be had.

You are required to answer said petition now on file in the office of the Clerk of said court at Red Cloud, Nebraska on or before April 23, 1917.

Dated March 8, 1917.
William P. Sims, et al, Plaintiffs,
By J. W. Green,
L. H. Blackledge,
Their Attorneys.

A trial order will convince that our printing is the kind you want—the best.

THE BEST MAN WINS

By SUSAN E. CLAGETT.

"You have heard of the place paved with good intentions, Pauline, dear. I am afraid many bricks are laid to my credit, for my intentions are always good but fall of accomplishment. I mean to write, but somehow never do. This time you must forgive me, for I am most unhappy. And my unhappiness came from out a clear sky. Since then I have sounded the depths. Father is obdurate. Mother sides with him."

"It is nothing but pig-headed obstinacy in father. Anyone looking at Howard would know he is a gentleman. He certainly is good to look at, and, of course, I think the sun rises and sets in him. But father will not listen when I tell him we are engaged. He merely says: 'When you care for a man, Jane, you can marry him as soon as he asks you, but so long as I live a make-believe one shall never have you.'"

"July 10th—I thought my letter had reached you but have just found it in my portfolio. When I wrote a month ago I thought myself encompassed by misery, but my feelings were as nothing to what they have been the past few days."

"Father told me I must break off my engagement; that I should not see Howard again. I stormed. He merely said, 'Jane, put on your hat and take a drive with your mother and me.' That was all."

"I told myself I wouldn't. But I had never disobeyed father in my life and we started on that drive. It was a long one. It took us three days to reach this place; a little farm at the end of nowhere, thirty miles from the nearest railroad station! There is no post office, no telephone, no car!"

"July 20th—Pauline, dear, it is a comfort to chat with you, even if my letter has to wait forever and forever to reach the office. I do get so hungry for home news. Mother has written once, but not a word from dad, which shows plainly that I am still in disgrace. Today Peter told me he might go to the station for mail. If he didn't, he thought Dan Isham would take my letters. Whoever is Dan Isham? I haven't seen a man, except Peter, since father left me here. I wonder if he is as old and wrinkled as Peter."

"July 21st—He came before I had finished my letter. Just an ordinary, farmer sort of person. He has nice eyes. I saw that, although he turned them away at once. I wonder what he thought of me?"

"August 10th—I am seeing a good deal of Dan Isham. He lives on the next place, wherever that is."

"He isn't a bit like Howard, but he knows where to find the loveliest wood flowers, and this morning showed me the cutest little open-mouthed baby birds; mocking birds, he said they were."

"August 24th—Dan came this morning and asked me to walk to King's Creek with him. I don't know what got into me, but I felt I must talk of Howard. I told of our engagement, and how determined father is that it shall be broken off, but that I was determined to marry him when I came of age."

"And when will that be? he asked. 'Your appearance this morning suggests nothing so much as that of a pretty spoiled child of twelve.'"

"'Spoiled child?' I gasped. I could not control my voice, so I turned my back on him. As I did so I caught sight of something that turned me cold with fright. Coming toward me with lowered head was a great black bull, with a shuddering sob I caught hold of Dan and hid my face against his shoulder."

"Why, child? Then the low mutter of that awful animal under him turned suddenly. Will you believe me, Pauline, Dan Isham laughed, but he didn't let me go. He put his hand under my chin and made me look at him. What he saw in my eyes I do not know. What I saw in his made me again hide my face against that old, faded blue shirt. Even through my fear I was glad father had told Howard Chandler I should not marry him."

"I did not mind Dan's laughing, there was such comfort in feeling his arms about me, but for propriety's sake I tried to slip from them, when he said: 'Jane, that steer is one of Peter's ox team, and is as gentle as a lamb. Truly I am thankful he put in an appearance just now, for I have been wondering ever since you began talking of Chandler, how long I would have to wait before you found out you loved me instead. For you do love me. There is no question about my feeling for you. I surrendered the first time I saw you.'"

"When we at last reached the house whom should we find but father, and he shook Dan's hand as if he had known him all his life. It seems Dan had studied law in the office and had been associated more or less with dad ever since. I don't know why I had never met him. It just happened so, I suppose."

"Of course, Dan didn't rest until he had told father about ourselves. When he finished, dad looked at me with a twinkle in his eyes that made me suspicious, but he said very solemnly: 'You can have her, Dan. You surely are a man after my own heart.'"

"I wonder, Pauline, I wonder. Do you think dad could have had this in mind when he left me thirty miles from a post office?"

Bits of Byplay

By Luke McLuke

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Correct.
We all mean well enough, and yet To butt in we a e prone; Your friends will all admire you if You'll just let them alone.

Paw Knows Everything.
Willie—Paw, do you know everything?

Paw—Yes, my son. Why do you ask? Willie—Why, when a man is delivering a lecture on whisky could you say that the lecturer was full of his subject?

Paw—You go out and take a walk, young man. You are getting too flip.

Ouch!
Drink is a paradox, I say. My reason you can't parry. For any man can get away With more than he can carry.

The Wise Fool.
"There is no such word as fail," observed the sage.
"No," responded the fool. "The word we use nowadays is assignment."

Queer.
We all fear microbes, you will find And yet, though it seems funny, We never try to dodge the kind That live on paper money.

Huh!
"There is a mighty interesting article written by a doctor in this magazine," said the old fogey. "He says that the best way to go upstairs is to hold the body erect."

"What's the matter with taking the elevator?" interrupted the grouch.
Aw, Gwan!
"Of course all boys hate cats," said Ben. He thought that he was witty. "But when they grow up to be men, They like to feed a kitty."

Is That So!
"When paw knows everything" he hurries off and tells Luke McLuke about it—not!—Wapakoneta (O.) News.

Names Is Names.
Wumke Wumkes lives at Grundy Center, Ia.

Sure!
Said an archer named Mr. Highliver: "Oh, my! I am all in a shiver! Great guns! Such is fate! I cannot shoot straight, For my arrows are all in a quiver."
—Byron Tennyson Longfellow.

Greetings!
Dear Luke—Did you know that Miss Morning Goodnight is a milliner in Dayton, O.—J. H. C.

Wuff!
Her actions would provoke a saint. I speak of Mary Blue; Each day she dons a coat of paint And thinks she looks like new.
—Cincinnati Enquirer.

That not Mame's only fault, dear friends, For we have heard all in a shiver: That on excelsior she depends And thinks she looks corned.
—Newark (O.) Advocate.

Things to Worry About.
There are 122,887,534,221 rabbits in Australia.

Our Daily Special.
Some men have cold feet all year around.

Luke McLuke Says:
As much as she despises men, you would imagine that a suffragette would get mad all over when a mere male brute offered her his seat in a street car. But she doesn't. A man will overlook a lot of faults in a woman unless she happens to be his wife. Throwing bouquets at yourself and asking other men to pay the bill for them is when you stand in front of a bar and do all the talking while others do all the trotting. Another trouble with the world is that too many of us are always starting fights that we can't finish. The trouble with remorse is that it always gets on the job too late to do any good. The men are always laughing at the fool women who get their photographs taken once a month. But you ought to see these same men breaking their necks to get in front of a camera when a flashlight picture is being taken. As long as either side has a chance to win in any fight arbitration is classed with castor oil and smallpox. The man who is so careful that he never makes any mistakes never gets any work done. We used to think that the buttons on a coat sleeve were the most useless things in the world. But what is the matter with the bow on the back of a man's hat as a useless prize winner? A woman never waits until tomorrow to spend the money she could spend today. Next to a mouse a telegram can scare a woman more than anything else. Maybe you don't know it, but all the devils do not wear horns and red union suits, and all the villains do not wear silk hats and black mustaches. Love may be blind, but just the same do not parade around with a strange blend when you know that your wife is downtown. A poultry journal says that chickens should be potted. We have always believed this, but maybe you will have a hard time convincing your wife that it is a good idea.



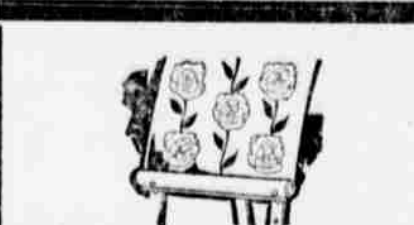
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