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TRUSTEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE.
By virtue of an order and decree of the circuit court of Livingston county, Illinois, made and entered of record on the 20th day of December, A. D. 1913, in the suit of Samuel H. Boyer, and others, vs. Sarah Catherine Mills, and others, being case No. 4508, on the chancery docket of said court, I shall, on Monday, the 19th day of January, A. D. 1914, between the hours of 10 o'clock in the forenoon and 4 o'clock in the afternoon, namely: at the hour of 2 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, sell, at public sale, at the north front door of the court house in Pontiac, in said county, the real estate described as follows, to-wit: An undivided one-sixth part of the Southeast Quarter of Section Twenty, in Township Thirty, North, Range Seven, East of the Third Principal Meridian, subject to a lease expiring February 28th, 1915, and also an undivided one-sixth part of Lots Eighteen and Nineteen, in Block Nineteen of the original town, now Village, of Dwight, all in said Livingston county and State of Illinois.
The terms of sale are 10 per cent of the purchase price, or prices, in cash on the day of sale and the balance of said purchase price on March 1st, 1914. My power and authority for making this sale are derived from the said decree of said circuit court and any sale made by me is subject to the approval of said court.
Dated this 23rd day of December, A. D. 1913.
SAMUEL H. BOYER,
As Trustee by appointment of said circuit court.
McCluff & Thompson, Solicitors. 52-5w

Our Query and Reply Department

Where is the famous Orloff diamond now? What is its history?
The Orloff diamond, weighting 193 carats, is now in the imperial scepter of the czar of Russia. It once formed the eye of an idol in a temple in the island of Seringham, in Mysore, and was stolen by a French soldier, who sold it to an English sea captain for \$10,000. After passing through several hands it was purchased at Amsterdam in 1772 by Count Orloff for \$450,000 and presented by him to Catherine II. of Russia on her birthday.

What state or two states rank first in the production of stone?
By the last census Pennsylvania was first, value of output in 1909 being \$8,125,723; Vermont second, value of output \$6,324,306.

Have you a record of the colored troops killed in the Spanish-American war?
No compilation was made by the government, according to the adjutant general. A compilation of the casualties of the Fifth army corps in the operations against Santiago indicate that the number was twenty-six.

Please explain the difference between the Fahrenheit and centigrade thermometers and how to read one by the other.
The difference is one of grading. Fahrenheit calls the boiling point of water 212 degrees, the freezing point 32 degrees and 32 degrees below the freezing point zero. The centigrade calls the boiling point of water 100 degrees and the freezing point zero. To convert degrees Fahrenheit to degrees centigrade subtract 32 and multiply by 5-9; to reduce degrees centigrade to degrees Fahrenheit multiply by 9-5 and add 32.

How did the word telescope come to be used in describing a certain kind of railroad accident?
The origin of the word is obvious in its resemblance to the action of a real telescope, as the parts close one over another. This use of the word originated in this country, and English authorities called it an Americanism.

Where did the expression originate about a man making his enemies lick the dust?
Psalm lxxii, 9, says, "And his enemies shall lick the dust."

Is there such a word as moneycrat or monocrat? If so, what does it mean?
There is no such word as moneycrat, though it would not be a bad one to designate one who ruled by means of money. It would have about the same meaning as plutocrat. Monocrat means one who rules alone, an autocrat. Jefferson applied the word to the Federalists of his day in contradistinction to Democrats, who favored government by the people.

Who succeeded Woodrow Wilson as governor of New Jersey?
James F. Fielder, president of the senate.

When did Rear Admiral Schley die?
Oct. 2, 1911.

Is there a premium on 1911 nickels?
No.

Is there a place called Luxemburg?
Luxemburg is an independent neutral grand duchy in central Europe. Area, 998 square miles; population, 259,891. It is governed by a grand duke.

Has New Jersey a state college?
Rutgers college is known as a state college.

What was the "press gang"?
From King John's reign to that of William IV, it was customary during wartime to press men by force into the army and navy in order to increase the fighting strength. Bodies of men known as press gangs, each under the command of a lieutenant, were empowered to seize and enlist suitable men. From 1688 onward this system was chiefly employed on behalf of the navy. Often the press gang went down to some great seaport and boarded all the merchant ships lying at anchor in order to collect sailors for the royal navy. It was not unusual for the sailors of some merchant vessel just returning home after a long voyage to be forced on board a man-of-war waiting in harbor to make up its complement.

How big is Iceland, and by what government is it controlled?
40,456 square miles. Denmark.

Where can information be obtained in regard to the proper course to pursue in order to procure an appointment in the consular service of this country or an appointment to an administrative position in either the Hawaiian or Philippine Islands?
Apply to secretary of state, Washington.
What states produce the greatest amount of pig iron?
Pennsylvania, Ohio, Illinois, Alabama and New York.

Is a man born in this country of French parents subject to the military laws of France—that is, is he subject to military duty in France if called upon the same as those born in France?
Any person born in the United States, irrespective of the nationality of his parents, may become an American citizen when he comes of age by signifying his intention so to do before a notary public. In such case he is not liable to military duty in any foreign country. If, however, he has made no move to obtain American citizenship he is subject to the laws of the land of which his father is a native.

What has become of Zola, the French novelist?
He died in 1902 from accidental asphyxiation.

How many passengers was the New York subway built to carry, and how many does it carry?
It was built to carry 400,000 passengers daily, but it is now carrying in the vicinity of 1,000,000. In order to handle this enormous increase it has been found necessary to lengthen the station platforms, increase the number of cars on each train and during the rush hours fill the trains to their utmost capacity.

How many people enrolled in organizations have indorsed woman suffrage?
Roughly speaking, the organizations—state, national and international—which have indorsed equal suffrage aggregate a membership of over 26,000,000.

What is the reason that the inauguration of the president of the United States always falls on March 4?
As a matter of fact it does not. In 1789 congress decreed that the first president should be inaugurated as chief executive on the first Wednesday in March. The day fell on the 4th, and that date has been inauguration day ever since, except when March 4 has fallen on a Sunday, when the ceremonies are held on the 5th. This occurred when President Rutherford B. Hayes was inaugurated.

What states have abolished capital punishment?
Rhode Island, Maine, Michigan, Kansas and Wisconsin. Colorado and Iowa abolished but soon restored it. In Utah a condemned murderer may choose shooting instead of hanging.

What is the sun's gender? Is it masculine, feminine or neuter?
Poetical usage gives the sun a masculine gender. Addison, in his "Cato," says: "The stars shall fade away, the sun himself grow dim with age," and Scott, in his "Lady of the Lake," refers to the sun and "his beacon red." Otherwise the sun in common, everyday usage is a noun of neuter gender.

What are the colors of the state railways in Germany?
Yellow for first class, green for second class and white for third class.

On what grounds may a person holding a place under the civil service rules be removed?
Under the civil service rules no person holding a position in what is called the classified service, which includes all the department clerkships in Washington, can be removed except for the good of the service and for reasons given in writing, and no person can be appointed to such position unless he has passed a civil service examination with an average of at least 70 per cent.

What is the greatest depth ever found in ocean soundings?
In June, 1912, a German ship sounded a depth of 32,080 feet, about forty miles from Mindanao, Philippines, the greatest depth ever recorded.

How many lives were lost each by Union and Confederate sides in the civil war, 1861-5?
A statement of the casualties in the Union army, prepared by the adjutant general's office after the war, gave the killed in battle, 67,058; died of wounds, 43,012; died of disease, 199,720; died of other causes, 40,154; died while prisoners, 30,156; total, 380,100. Another statement, based on official reports, placed the total number of deaths on the Union side from all causes at 9,584 officers and 349,944 men. No complete or authoritative statement of the Confederate losses was ever made.

Why are tree branches often broken by lightning?
The lightning is so great that the wood, being an imperfect conductor, is broken by the shock before the current can pass on from the bough.

Who is the author of the words, "These are the times that try men's souls"?
The words were written by Thomas Paine in his book, "The American Crisis," better known perhaps as "The Crisis." It was written during the early years of the war of the Revolution.

FIRE ON WAUPANSIE STREET.

Mrs. John Seymour's Residence Catches on Fire from Defective Chimney.

Monday afternoon the fire alarm was given and upon investigation it was found the residence of Mrs. John Seymour, on Waupansie street, was on fire. The fire originated upstairs in the front part of the house, which was occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Bartholic and family, and was caused by a defective chimney. When discovered the wall was blazing and in the room the two little children of Mr. and Mrs. Bartholic were asleep.

The Dwight Fire Company responded immediately but before they reached the house Mrs. Seymour and Mrs. Bartholic succeeded in putting the fire out.

Outside of a hole in the roof and other slight damages, there were no serious results.

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With best wishes to you for the coming year of 1914, I am,
Yours very truly,
C. B. COOK,
WESTERN NEWSPAPER UNION.

Mazon Team Defeated.
The Dwight Town basket ball team defeated the Mazon team here Thursday afternoon by a score of 40 to 13. The game was fast and exciting throughout despite the large score.

LINE-UP.
Dwight—
Reeb Forward
Boyer Forward
Pierce Center
Moloney Guard
Smith Guard
Field goals—Reeb, (8); Boyer, (8); Pierce, (3); Murray, (3); Drake, (2).
Free throws—Pierce, (2); Murray, (3).

Notice.
I will receive my tax books January 2nd. Will be at the First National Bank on and after January 5 until I close my books.—Adv.
CLARENCE E. WELCH,
Collector for Dwight Township.

WITH OUR CHURCHES.
Congregational Church—Rev. F. F. Farrington, pastor. Services for Sunday, Jan. 4, 1914: Sunday School, 9:30 a. m. Morning service, 10:45 a. m.; sermon subject, "The Second Coming;" children's sermon subject, "Appreciation." Evening service, 7:45 p. m.; subject, "The Two Gardens." A welcome for all.

St. Peter's Danish Lutheran Church—J. C. Aaberg, pastor. Sunday School at 9:30 a. m. Morning services at 10:30 a. m., except third Sunday in the month. Evening services at 7:30 every third Sunday in month. Holy Communion every first Sunday in month. Midweek meeting every Wednesday at 8 p. m. Young peoples meeting every fourth and second Sunday at 2:30 p. m. Ladies Aid meets the last Wednesday in each month at 2 p. m. Choir practice every Friday at 8 p. m. A welcome to all.

Bethel Danish Ev-Luth., Church—Rev. Chr. Sorensen, pastor, W. Semline St., Sunday School, and Bible Class 9:30 a. m. Services 10:30 a. m., and 7:30 p. m. second and fourth Sunday in the month. Young peoples meeting every Wednesday 8 p. m. Other services and meetings will be announced at the Church. Everybody welcome.

German Ev-Luth. Church—Rev. W. Kistemann, pastor. Services every Sunday: Sunday School from 9 to 10 a. m. Service from 10 to 11 a. m. English service every first Sunday in the month at 7:0 p. m.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.
Estate of John G. Hornberger, Deceased.
The undersigned having been appointed Executor of the Estate of John G. Hornberger, late of Village of Dwight, in the County of Livingston, and State of Illinois, deceased, hereby give notice that they will appear before the County Court of Livingston County, at the Court House in Pontiac, at the March Term on the first Monday in March next; at which time all persons having claims against said Estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said Estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.
Dated this 26th day of December, A. D. 1913.
LEONARD F. HORNBERGER,
JOHN M. HORNBERGER,
Executors.
McCluff & Thompson, Attorneys. 1-3w

PUBLIC SALES.

Nels Knair will sell at his residence on the Hanlon farm, 2 miles west and 1 1/2 miles north of Cardiff, 5 miles east and 1 1/2 miles south of Dwight, Monday, Jan. 5, the following property: 7 head of horses and mules; many farming implements. Usual terms of sale. Auctioneer, Frank Weber, R. D. Gregg, clerk.

Hans Jespersen will sell at public auction on January 7, at his place 3 miles south and 2 1/2 miles east of Dwight, 4 miles west of Cardiff and 5 1/2 miles north of Emington, at the usual hour, a large number of household goods, furniture, stoves, etc., also a large number of farming implements; 7 head of horses, 6 head of cattle, 2 brood sows. Usual terms of sale. C. E. Bute, auctioneer; John W. Baker, clerk.

Rasmus Hansen will sell at public auction at his residence 1 mile east and 1 1/2 miles north of Odell, 1/2 mile east of Verdun's crossing on B., P. & J. R. R., 5 1/2 miles southwest of Dwight, on Friday, Jan. 9, 1914, 9 horses and colts, 7 head of cattle, 2 good brood sows, and a number of farming implements. Usual terms. W. B. Grimes, auctioneer. J. B. Cleary, clerk.

Hans Hansen will sell at public auction at his residence 1 mile north and 1 mile east of Dwight, on the place known as the Ezra Grush farm, on Thursday, Jan. 8, 6 head of horses, 7 head of cattle and many farming implements and small articles. Usual terms of sale. C. E. Bute, auctioneer. Burr Orr, clerk.

M. A. Ferguson will sell at public sale Wednesday, Jan. 14, on the place known as the J. G. Hahn farm, 1 1/2 miles south of Dwight, 1/4 mile from interurban track; 4 1/2 miles north and 4 1/2 miles east of Odell; 9 head of horses, 27 head of cattle among which are 13 good milch cows, 10 giving milk now, 6 head of sheep and many farming implements. Usual terms. W. B. Grimes, auctioneer.

G. L. Smith will sell at public auction at his residence 1 mile east of Dwight on January 22, 1914, 11 head of horses and colts, 10 head of cattle, 3 head of sheep and many farming implements. Usual terms. Frank Weber, auctioneer. R. D. Gregg, clerk.

Daily Thought.
Knowledge is the antidote to fear.—Knowledge, Wise and Reason, with its highest aids.—Emerson.

MASTER'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE.
The Grundler Lands in Nevada Township.

State of Illinois, Livingston County.—In the Circuit Court.
Joseph Grundler, et al. vs. Amos Grundler, et al.—In Chancery, No. 4402. Partition, etc.
Public notice is hereby given that in pursuance of a decree of the Circuit Court of Livingston County, Illinois, entered at the October Term, A. D. 1913, of said Court, on December 20, A. D. 1913, in the above entitled cause, I, Stevens R. Baker, Master in Chancery of Livingston County, Illinois, will sell at public auction, to the highest and best bidder, at the South front door of the Court House in Pontiac, in said County, at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon, on Saturday, January 31, A. D. 1914, the following described real estate, to-wit:

The West Half of the Southeast Quarter of Section Nine (9), Township Thirty (30) North, Range Six (6) East of the Third Principal Meridian, in the County of Livingston and State of Illinois. This tract will be sold free and clear of incumbrances.

Also, the East Half of the Northeast Quarter of Section Sixteen (16), Township Thirty (30) North, Range Six (6) East of the Third Principal Meridian, in the County of Livingston and State of Illinois. This tract will be sold free and clear of incumbrances.

Also, the East Twenty-five and one-third acres of the Northwest Quarter of the Northwest Quarter, and the North Seventeen and thirty-six one-hundredths acres of the South Half of the Northwest Quarter of Section Sixteen (16), Township Thirty (30) North, Range Six (6) East of the Third Principal Meridian, in the County of Livingston and State of Illinois. This tract will be sold subject to the life estate of Ann Collins, aged 80 years, in an undivided 9-10 thereof; and to a lease from said Ann Collins to Joseph Grundler of said undivided 9-10 thereof during the lifetime of said Ann Collins; and to the rights of Henry Brest as tenant under a lease from Joseph Grundler, expiring March 1, 1916, unless sooner terminated by the death of said Ann Collins.

Terms of Sale:—One tenth of the purchase price cash in hand on the day of sale, and the balance of one-third cash in hand on confirmation of sale; one-third of purchase price in one year and one-third in two years from confirmation of sale; deferred payments to be secured by mortgage back to the Master in Chancery on the tract or tracts so purchased, and to bear interest at the rate of six per cent per annum, payable annually, with privilege to pay the whole amount at any time. The said sale and all my proceedings in this matter are subject to the approval of said Court, and my authority to make the sale, and the terms thereof, are derived from the decree above mentioned and other decrees in said cause, which are on file in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Livingston County, Illinois.

Abstract of title may be seen at my office at 222 North Main St., Pontiac, Ill.
Dated at Pontiac, Illinois, December 31, A. D. 1913.

STEVENS R. BAKER,
Master in Chancery of Livingston County, Illinois.
White, Tiesberg & Wilson, Complainers' Solicitors.—Adv. 1-4w

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EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.
Estate of Harriet Crandall, Deceased.
The undersigned having been appointed Executor of the Estate of Harriet Crandall, late of Dwight, in the County of Livingston, and State of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the County Court of Livingston County, at the Court House in Pontiac, at the February Term on the first Monday in February next; at which time all persons having claims against said Estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said Estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.
Dated this 6th day of December, A. D. 1913.
CHARLES M. BAKER,
Executor.
L. Burton Orr, Attorney. 60

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.
Estate of Albert F. Field, Deceased.
The undersigned having been appointed Executor of the Estate of Albert F. Field, late of Dwight, in the County of Livingston, and State of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that she will appear before the County Court of Livingston County, at the Court House in Pontiac, at the February Term on the first Monday in February next; at which time all persons having claims against said Estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said Estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.
Dated this 6th day of December, A. D. 1913.
FLORENCE JOHNSON-GARRETT,
Executrix.
L. Burton Orr, Attorney. 50

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.
Estate of John Weller, Deceased.
The undersigned having been appointed Administrators, with the will annexed, of the Estate of John Weller, late of Round Grove Township, in the County of Livingston, and State of Illinois, deceased, hereby give notice that they will appear before the County Court of Livingston County, at the Court House in Pontiac, at the February Term on the first Monday in February next; at which time all persons having claims against said Estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said Estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.
Dated this ninth day of December, A. D. 1913.
MARY L. LOWER,
E. LOUISE WELLER,
Administrators, with the Will Annexed.
McCluff & Thompson, Attorneys.
Adv. 50-3w

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