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### LEGAL NOTICES

**F. P. April 9**      L. P. April 30  
**Notice to Creditors**  
State of South Dakota, in County of Lincoln. In the Matter of the Estate of Mary A. Kneen, deceased. Notice is hereby given to the undersigned administrator of the estate of Mary A. Kneen, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased; to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers within six (6) months after the first publication of this notice, to S. O. Steensland, the duly appointed and acting administrator, at his residence in the city of Canton, Lincoln County, South Dakota. Dated April 9, 1915.

**F. P. April 9**      L. P. April 30  
**Notice of Hearing Petition for Letters of Administration**  
State of South Dakota, in County of Lincoln. In the Matter of the Estate of Charles W. Walrath, deceased. The State of South Dakota sends greeting to George Knight, Laura Hepp, Alberta Hammit, Archie Knight, Theres Knight, Albert C. Knight, Frank Knight, Lawrence Knight, Roy Knight, Joseph Knight, and Annie Foyles heirs, next of kin of Mary E. Davies, deceased. Pursuant to an Order of this Court made on the 5th day of April A. D. 1915, notice is hereby given that Monday, the 26th day of April A. D. 1915, at one o'clock p. m. of said day, at the Court Room of said Court at the Court House in the City of Canton, Lincoln County, South Dakota, has been appointed as the time and place for proving the Will of Mary E. Davies, deceased, now on file in said Court, and for hearing the petition for the probate of same and for the issuance of Letters testamentary to Charles A. South, which and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

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**Notice of Time Appointed For Probate of Will**  
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State of South Dakota, in County of Lincoln. In the Matter of the Estate of Anne Tomlinson, deceased. The State of South Dakota sends greeting to Mrs. F. L. Tompason, Alfred Carl Tompason, Arthur Brock Tompason, Severine Emil Tompason, LeRoy Tompason, Lincoln County, South Dakota, to the heirs of Anne Tompason, deceased, and to all persons having claims against the said deceased; to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administrator, at his residence in the City of Canton, Lincoln County, S. D. Dated at Canton, S. D., April 9, 1915.

**F. P. April 9**      L. P. April 30  
**Notice of Time Appointed For Probate of Will**  
State of South Dakota, in County of Lincoln. In the Matter of the Estate of Henry F. Birdseye, deceased. The State of South Dakota sends greeting to the heirs of Henry F. Birdseye, deceased, and to all persons having claims against the said deceased; to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administrator, at his residence in the City of Canton, Lincoln County, S. D. Dated at Canton, S. D., April 9, 1915.

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### YES OF THE BLIND

By JOHN CAMERON.

(Copyright, 1915, by W. G. Chapman.)  
Everybody in Erpingham pitied Dorothy Lee. She was a sweet girl, and it was agreed that it was a great pity she was so homely.

"It ain't a fair handicap," said old Mrs. Howell, who kept the post office. "It's hard enough for a girl to get married in New England, anyway, but with her looks—I say it ain't fair."

Dorothy's father probably indorsed this view, but the hard-headed old farmer was too practical a man to worry about his daughter's looks. Dorothy lived alone with him, her mother being dead. What she thought on the subject she never disclosed. She must have known, however, that there was a reason why she was always a wall-flower at parties and was never invited on picnics and such festivities.

When she was twenty-five Tom Lanark came home after an absence of six years in the West.

Fabulous stories preceded him. He had found a gold mine in Nevada, one of the richest in the world, it was said, and the glare of the sun on the alkali plains had seared his eyeballs until he could only distinguish light from darkness. So he had come back at thirty, to resume life—no, not to resume it, but to take up his burden alone in the old house that had given him birth.

Margaret Barnett had been an old flame of Tom's in the bygone days. But if there was any idea that she would link her life to a blind man's Margaret, who was "running" with the banker's son, dismissed it promptly.

"I want a live one when I get married," she said. And Dorothy witnessed a snubbing which Margaret administered to Tom in the street, in front of her house.

She saw the blind man trying to peer after the girl whose shrill, scornful laughter echoed through the quiet street, and an excess of pity overcame her shrinking, and she hurried out.

"Mr. Lanark," she said quickly, concluding that her words were almost beyond her control, "I am Dorothy Lee. Don't you remember me?"

Tom Lanark felt for her hands and took them in his. "Indeed I do," he answered warmly. "I have often thought of you since I have been away."

"I think it was a shame the way Margaret Barnett spoke to you," declared Dorothy indignantly.

"Ah, well, one lives and finds out these things," replied the blind man wearily.

After that Tom fell into the habit of dropping into the old farmer's place of an afternoon, and on one occasion he actually drove up in a buggy.

"I thought I'd ask you to come for a drive with me, Miss Dorothy," he explained. "I was sure I knew the way down the street to here, and that you'd do the rest—if you are willing to do an act of kindness for a blind man."

"O, I should love to go driving with you," the girl answered. She ran up stairs to change her frock, and, five minutes later, the village was speculating over the appearance of Dorothy and Tom, driving down the road into the country and chatting as merrily as though they were old friends—which, indeed, they might have been called.

But during the return Dorothy became very pensive. For she knew that her heart had turned very strongly in the direction of the blind man, and that he, too, as her woman's instinct told her, was by no means indifferent to her.

And when they neared the town he suddenly placed his arm around her and drew her toward him.

"Do you think you can ever learn to care for a blind man, Dorothy?" he asked.

It was a tremulous figure, shrinking and nerved only by intense resolution, that went to Tom's door that night, fearful of discovery by the prying eyes of the town, yet spurred on by the sense of tremendous necessity. And after she had knocked, she could hardly make her knees support her, and clung to the door-jamb for support.

The door opened. Tom peered out. Then:

"I can't marry you," the girl was sobbing wildly. "You have never seen me as I am, Tom you don't know—"

"Don't know what, dear?" asked Tom's quiet voice. She felt his hands on her shoulders, but she could not see him through the gathering bars.

"I am the homeliest girl in Erpingham," cried Dorothy. "If ever you saw me you would be ashamed of me, Tom. And I can't marry you and not let you know; and I can't marry you and let you be ashamed of me."

She was beyond all self-control. She was weeping in his arms. She heard Tom's voice between his kisses.

"Dorothy, you are the prettiest girl in Erpingham, and it wouldn't make any difference to me anyway," he said. "because I love you. Now I will tell you something, dear. I am not quite so blind as people think—in fact the doctor says that in a few months more I may see as well as ever. Sometimes a man may pretend to be blind, Dorothy, in order to know his real friends from his false ones."

"How pretty Dorothy Lee has grown since her engagement to Tom Lanark," said the gossips later.

And all agreed that she made the sweetest bride that ever came out of Erpingham—all but Margaret Barnett, who was no longer "running" with the banker's son.

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I have some good Shorthorn Bull calves for sale from 8 to 13 months old. Two in the lot are practically full blooded, but can not be recorded, that I will sell cheap if taken soon. Can also sell my Heud Bull, "Lavender Lad" No. 328908. I also have good young horses to sell. Thor Thorsen.

**FOR SALE**—Choice lot of Harvest King potatoes. Price 15 cents per bushel. I also have the early Michigan Potato at \$1 per bushel. Send check with order. Orders will be taken up to May 1st. Thor Thorsen, 2 miles east and one half mile north of Beulah, Iowa.

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FOR RENT—2 rooms and pantry for light house keeping. No children. Miss Dahlsen.

**LOST AND FOUND**  
LOST—Between Inwood and Canton a license number for an auto. Finder leave at this office.

LOST—Silver mesh purse some place between the Indian Asylum and Canton on the north road. Finder leave at LEADER office.

LOST—An automobile crank. Finder leave at LEADER office.

STRAYED—A red heifer from our slaughter house yards. Notify Benz Bros. Meat Market.

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