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WHAT account of itself is the Legislature now in session going to give? Let us hope it will not fail us.

THE Republican politicians are in sackcloth and ashes. They mourn because Americans are for "America First."

IT is all very well to hold the higher judicial tribunal in wholesome reverence, but some of us can't forget some decisions made in defiance of law, justice, right and reason.

I READ that Uncle Sam is about to resume the printing of $1 and $2 greenbacks. I always had a sneaking fondness for the old-fashioned greenback, despite the fact that the virtuous patriotism of Wall Street put it under ban. New York in those times had some influence in national affairs.

THE following are not the words of a worldly unregenerate, but of one high in the councils of the Church, the newly appointed Bishop of South Carolina:

I am always afraid of that class of people who are better "than thou." I fear the man who convinces himself that his views are necessarily the views of Almighty God. I fear saints in politics. I sometimes feel that I would like very much to be able to revise the "litany of saints." After "all ye saints of heaven, intercede for us," I would like to insert: "From the saints on earth, O Lord, deliver us."

A RECENT dispatch from Roanoke, Virginia, to the Cincinnati Commercial-Journal conveys the interesting information that if Virginia bachelors want to get the one quart of liquor allowed them under the state prohibition law, they must marry. This in effect is the ruling of the state prohibition commissioner to-day. The decree sets forth that bachelors have no regular homes and obviously, therefore, can not take their monthly quart into their homes. This is making the Demon Rum a first aid to matrimony, a startling proposition, and lessens the possibility of race suicide—in Virginia. The measure is despotic; but bachelorhood has no vested rights and ought be accorded no privileges.

ON the Prohibition question, I do not see how any thinking Democrat can fail to be in hearty accord with the veteran editor, Henry Watterson. He says:

"It's an appeal from God to fanaticism. The fanatic knows no relenting, neither does he make any discriminations. He is a monomaniac. He would, by act of Assembly or constitutional amendment, suddenly change the human species from mortals into angels. Thus he becomes an asset to the politicians. For half or three-fourths of the 2,000 years since Christ, the priests and prelates, in the name of religion, steeped the world in woe. Are they to be succeeded by a race, a class of professional politicians, who, in the name of liberty and the people, would steep it in despotism? Is Christianity a failure? Is democracy a failure? Must men and women be forever the victims of their incapacity for self-government? Intelligent self-control is doing much to draw men away from strong drink. Science is doing much to abridge the area of diseases. But the regeneration of men must proceed from within, and is of slow growth. We cannot hope to eliminate death, nor is Prohibition likely to end drunkenness."

OUR Republican neighbors are so very solicitous for a free ballot and a fair count! Truly, against such a ballot and count in the true sense, no honest man will contend. But, too often, fairness and freeness with the g. o. p. patriots mean something widely different from the generally accepted interpretation of the term. They are the saints and their opponents have no inalienable rights and are accorded as few privileges as may be. This is typified in the order issued to his underlings in the good old days by the then Supervisor of Registration in this Senatorial District: "Register as few Democrats as possible." This was terse, neat and comprehensible—and implicity followed. The following card from Mr. W. D. Isenberg, of Los Angeles, Cal., mildly reminds us of the conditions in Missouri then:

I see reference in your paper to G.-D. assertion that the count was not correct in California. The facts are: That California is about the only State that has not a bi-partisan Election Board required by law. In this county and its environments, our Election Boards, with a very few exceptions, consisted of 7 Republicans for Hughes and not a single Democratic representative or election officer was found. In my district I volunteered as a Wilson Watcher, and when I inquired who was the Democratic representative I was told there were none. I had voted in Pennsylvania, Missouri, Texas and California, and this was the first time I had ever met an Election Board all of Republican politics.

Elmer Polk, after spending several weeks with his mother in Ironton, returned to Akron, Ohio, last Saturday.

YOUR LAST CHANCE.

Recently we published in these columns an offer of The Youth's Companion and McCall's Magazine, both for a full year, for only $2.10, including a McCall Dress Pattern. The high price of paper and ink has obliged McCall's Magazine to raise the subscription price February 1 to 10 cents a copy and 75 cents a year—so that the offer at the above price must be withdrawn.

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Use for Old Pianos.

A Labrador tribe, it is said, made the barrels stolen from a wrecked whaler serve as chimney tops; the West Indians utilized Timothy Dexter's warming pans for sugar ladles and the Shans find no worse use for English beer bottles than to stick them up as household gods to keep away evil spirits. But the drollest instance of converted usage occurred when that adventurous Frenchman, De Tonnant while in Patagonia, gave an old chief a worn-out piano which he had bought for 80 francs. A few days after making this generous present, De Tonnant went one morning to pay an early visit to the Patagonian. He found him sleeping peacefully with his wife beside the piano, from which he had carefully removed sounding board, strings, etc., and which, thus transformed, constituted a not uncomfortable bedstead.

Methods of Recuperation.

The scholar who has broken down after overwork, who is capable of controlling and even abusing his attentive powers, does not require a redevelopment of attentive control, but should be prevented from introspection. For him light literature, games of patience, and jig-saw puzzles are useful. For the society woman who has never concentrated her attention on anything more serious than a tango tea or a comedy, exercises requiring more effort of concentration should be advised.

Onions as Disinfectant.

In some districts, even in these enlightened days, English cottagers always hang up a string of onions as a safeguard against smallpox, and stand a dish of sliced onion in the room with the body of a person dead of an infectious disease. The practice has often been scoffed at, but it has been indisputably proved that the onion does attract disease germs to itself and purifies the air. For this reason onions should never be eaten after they have been cut and left standing for any length of time.

Making Billiard Balls.

The experience of the workers in ivory for billiard balls has shown that as it dries ivory shrinks. The tusks of the cow elephant have been found best adapted to the making of billiard balls. The tusk of the female is not so curved as that of the male, and the fine nerve passage is not so clearly seen. Billiard balls are turned in the rough and kept in a warm room for a long time, sometimes as long as two years. Then after shrinking they are turned again.

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Order of Publication.

In the circuit court of Iron county, Missouri, in vacation, December 23, 1916.

The state of Missouri, at the relation and to the use of B. P. Burnham, collector of the revenue of Iron County, Missouri,
against
Fannie Tullock, John Mc Allister and John McCallister, if living, or the unknown consorts, heirs and devisees of John McAllister and John McCallister, if they be dead, defendants.
(Action to Enforce Lien for Taxes.)

Now at this day comes the plaintiff, B. P. Burnham, collector of the revenue of Iron county, Missouri, and files his petition and affidavit, setting forth among other things, that the defendants, John McAllister and John McCallister, if living, or the unknown consorts, heirs and devisees of John McAllister and John McCallister, if they be dead, are non residents of the state of Missouri, and that they cannot be served with summons in said state;

It is therefore, ordered by the clerk of the circuit court of Iron county, Missouri, in vacation, that publication be made notifying said defendants that an action has been commenced against them in the circuit court of said county, the object and general nature of which is to enforce the lien of the state of Missouri on the following real estate, belonging to the said defendants for back taxes for the years 1911, 1912, 1913 and 1914, to wit:

The south half of lot three in block ten of the North Addition of the City of Ironton—said real estate being in Iron county, Missouri.

(An itemized statement in the nature of a tax bill showing the amount of taxes, interest and costs now due on said real estate for the years aforesaid, amounting in the aggregate to the sum of three and 85-100 dollars, is filed with said petition as provided by law.)

And unless they be and appear at the next term of said court to be holden, for the county of Iron, and state of Missouri, at the court house in said county on the fourth Monday in April next, 1917, and on or before the third day thereof (if the term shall so long continue; and, if not, then before the end of the term) and plead, answer or demur to said plaintiff's petition, the same will be taken as confessed, judgment rendered in accordance with the prayer of said petition and said real estate, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said judgment, interest and costs, be sold under a special fieri facias to be issued thereon.

It is further ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the Iron County Register, a weekly newspaper published in said county of Iron, and state of Missouri.

JESSE M. HAWKINS, Circuit Clerk.
A true copy from the record:
[SEAL] Witness my hand and official seal, this 23d day of December, 1916.
JESSE M. HAWKINS, Clerk
Circuit Court, Iron county, Mo.

Order of Publication

In the circuit court of Iron county, Missouri, December 9th, 1916, and ninth day of the October term, 1916.

The state of Missouri, at the relation and to the use of B. P. Burnham, collector of the revenue of Iron county, Missouri,
against
Arthur R. Morrow, if living; or the unknown consort, heirs and devisees of Arthur R. Morrow, if he be dead, defendants.
(Action to Enforce Lien for Taxes.)

Now at this day comes the plaintiff, B. P. Burnham, collector of the revenue of Iron county, Missouri, and it appearing from his petition and affidavit, among other things, that the defendants, Arthur R. Morrow, if living; or the unknown consort, heirs and devisees of Arthur R. Morrow, if he be dead, are non-residents of the state of Missouri, and that they cannot be served with summons in said state; it is therefore, ordered by the clerk of the circuit court of Iron county, Missouri, in vacation, that publication be made notifying said defendants that an action has been commenced against them in the circuit court of said county, the object and general nature of which is to enforce the lien of the state of Missouri on the following real estate, belonging to the said defendants for back taxes for the years 1913 and 1914, to wit:

Lot 9 in block 18 of the Murdock Crumb Subdivision of parts of sections 29 and 32, township 34, north, of range 1 east; tract 35 in section 27, township 34, north, of range 3 east, 10.76 acres, as shown by Murdock Crumb plat book 3, page 5; all said land being subject to mineral reservation made by Big Muddy Coal & Iron Company in book 53, page 241, Iron county land records—said real estate being in Iron county, Missouri.

(An itemized statement in the nature of a tax bill showing the amount of taxes, interest and costs now due on said real estate for the years aforesaid, amounting in the aggregate to the sum of four and 15-100 dollars, is filed with said petition as provided by law.)

And unless they be and appear at the next term of said court to be holden for the county of Iron, and state of Missouri, at the court house in said county on the fourth Monday in April next, 1917, and on or before the third day thereof (if the term shall so long continue; and, if not, then before the end of the term), and plead, answer or demur to said plaintiff's petition, the same will be taken as confessed, judgment rendered in accordance with the prayer of said petition, and said real estate, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said judgment, interest and costs, be sold under a special fieri facias to be issued thereon.

It is further ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the Iron County Register, a weekly newspaper published in said county of Iron, and state of Missouri.

JESSE M. HAWKINS, Clerk.
A true copy from the record:
[SEAL] Witness my hand and official seal, this 21st day of December, 1916.
JESSE M. HAWKINS, Clerk
Circuit Court, Iron county, Mo.

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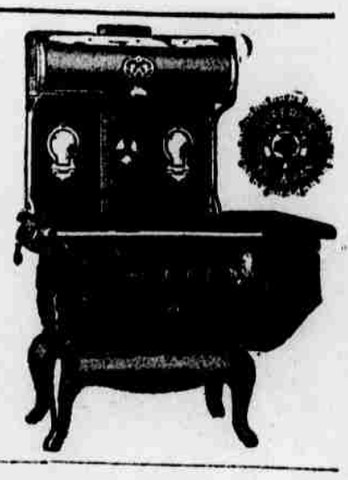

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