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Legal Plea for Her Husband.

The judge's daughter was perturbed. "Papa," she said, knitting her pretty brow, "I am in doubt as to whether I have kept to the proper form of procedure. In law one can err in so many little technicalities that I am ever fearful. Now, last evening George—"

"I thought you had sent him about his business," she said. "I did hand down an adverse decision," she answered, "and he declared that he would appeal. However, I convinced him that I was the court of last resort in a case like that, and no appeal would lie from my decision."

"Possibly the court was assuming a little more power than rightfully belongs to it," said the judge, thoughtfully; "but let that pass. What did he do then?"

"He filed a petition for a rehearing," "The usual course," said the judge, "but it is usually nothing but a mere formality."

"So, I thought," returned the girl, "and I was prepared to deny it without argument, but the facts set forth in his petition were sufficient to make me hesitate and wonder whether his case had really been properly presented at the first trial."

"Upon what grounds did he make the application?" asked the judge, scowling. "Well," she replied, blushing a little, "you see he proposed by letter, and his contention was that the case was of that peculiar character that cannot be properly presented by briefs, but demands oral arguments. The fact that the latter had been omitted, he held, should be held an error, and the point was such a novel one that I consented to let him argue it. Then his argument was so forceful that I granted his petition and consented to hear the whole case again. Do you think?"

"I think," said the judge, "that the court favors the plaintiff!"

THE DREADED CONSUMPTION CAN BE CURED. T. A. Slocum, M. C., the Great Chemist and Scientist, Will Send, Free, Three Bottles of His Newly Discovered Remedies to Sufferers.

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CASTORIA For Infants and Children. The Infants Signature is on every wrapper.

HOOD'S PILLS Are gaining favor rapidly. Business men and travelers carry them in vest pockets, ladies carry them in purses, housekeepers keep them in medicine closets, friends recommend them to friends. 25c.

THERE IS A CLASS OF PEOPLE who are injured by the use of coffee. Recently there has been placed in all the grocery stores a new preparation called GRAIN-O, made of pure grains, that takes the place of coffee.

A LOCAL CATARRH

A Climatic Affection Nothing but a local remedy or change of climate will cure it. Get a well-known pharmaceutical remedy. Ely's Cream Balm

It was the pride of succession which caused Queen Victoria to send a message of congratulation to Mr. Cleveland over the birth of his son. She did not do this when either of his daughters were born, though her majesty knows by experience that it is a mighty lot easier to raise girls than boys.

Bladder Troubles. The bladder was created for one purpose, namely a receptacle for the urine, and as such it is not liable to any form of disease except by one of two ways. The first way is from imperfect action of the kidneys. The second way is from careless local treatment of other disease.

Unhealthy urine from unhealthy kidneys is the chief cause of bladder troubles. It is comforting to know that Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root fulfills every wish in quickly curing bladder and urinary troubles.

Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root is soon realized. It stands the highest for its wonderful cures of the most distressing cases. If you need a medicine you should have the best. At druggists, fifty cents and one dollar. You may have a sample bottle and pamphlet, both sent free by mail.

In some parts of Maine the people live to be very old. An old man of 90, living quite a distance from the nearest town, requiring some family groceries, sent his son, a man 70 odd years of age. When the son failed to show up with the provisions in time his grandfather, a centenarian of 108 said peevishly: "That's what comes from sending a kid."

AFTER Major Woodson got through speaking at the Goddard trial a woman spectator innocently asked if he would also speak for the defendant later on. She seemed greatly surprised when she was told that a lawyer couldn't be on both sides of a case at the same time.

To give you an opportunity of testing the great merit of Ely's Cream Balm, the most reliable cure for catarrh and cold in the head, a generous 10-cent trial size can be had of your druggist or we mail it for 20 cents. Full size 50 cents.

ELV BROS., 56 Warren St., N. Y. City. It is the medicine above all other for catarrh, and it is worth its weight in gold. I can use Ely's Cream Balm with safety and it does all that is claimed for it.—B. W. Sperry, Hartford, Conn.

A VERY respectable citizen of Kansas City advertised some law books for sale, and was chagrined to find that the intelligent compositor made it read "law books for sale," though he could not complain of the number of answers which the mistake produced.

FREE MEDICAL REFERENCE BOOK. [Sixty-four pages] for men and women who are afflicted with any form of private disease, venereal diseases, etc., etc.

A NEW YORK state farmer has married a ballet girl. It is not announced whether the farmer will go on the stage or the ballet girl into the dairy.

CASTORIA The Infants Signature is on every wrapper. WHILE J. R. Pullman was branded during his life time as a greedy monopolist, it is greatly to his credit that he left but one widow.

A KENTUCKY paper says: "If any of our subscribers have wells that are failing in water and will put a pint of salt in their wells they will find an increase of water within 24 hours." But what Kentuckian would waste salt by using it to obtain water?

It is rumored that one of the biggest circus organizations in the country will winter in Sedalia. And what will Greater Jefferson City do if this happens? The legislature doesn't meet this year, you know.

Deafness Cannot Be Cured by local applications as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube.

Ir the Cleveland boy is to be inveigled in a few years into the game of football by the Princeton students his parents may as well take all the comfort with him now that they can get.

AFTER meals you should have simply a feeling of comfort and satisfaction. You should not feel any special indications that digestion is going on. If you do, you have indigestion, which means not-digestion. This may be the beginning of so many dangerous diseases, that it is best to take it in hand at once and treat it with Shaker Digestive Cordial.

KYRIE BELLEW was right in pitching out the English actor who called Mrs. James Brown Potter a liar. Mrs. Potter may have her faults, but who of us have not?

At the close of October the fruit stands in Kansas City display a dozen or more kinds of fruit, not including Bermuda onions.

A YOUNG lady in Paris kissed her pug dog and died of hydrophobia. Moral: Kiss somebody else.

EXECUTOR'S SALE OF LANDS The undersigned, as executor of the last will of Caswell Courtney, deceased, acting under the power of sale conferred upon him by said will, and in conformity therewith, will on

Thursday, the 11th day of November, 1907, at the east front door of the Court-House in the town of Keytesville, Chariton County, Missouri, sell by public outcry, to the highest bidder, upon the terms and in the manner herein stated, the following described real estate, constituting a valuable and well improved stock and grain farm of 300 acres enclosed by good fences, having good six-room dwelling, large barn, two good pastures, well water windmill, and other furnishings abundance of good water, lying and being about three and one-half miles from the town of Keytesville, in said Chariton County, Missouri, to-wit: Forty acres, the southeast quarter of the northeast quarter of section twenty-two (22), and 30 acres, the north half of the southwest quarter of section twenty-two (22), and 160 acres, the southeast quarter of section twenty-two (22), and 30 acres, the north half of the northeast quarter of the southwest quarter of section twenty-three (23), all in township fifty-four (54), range eighteen (18). Said lands will first be offered in parcels of such dimensions as the executor may believe for the best interest of all the devisees, and after the highest bids for all of said separate parcels have been received and noted by the executor, he will then offer the whole said 300 acres to one body to the highest bidder. If the amount bid for said 300 acres in one body shall exceed the aggregate amount bid for said land in separate parcels, the whole of said 300 acres will be sold and conveyed in one body, but if the amount bid for the entire farm shall not be greater than the aggregate bids for said separate parcels, the highest bid, previously made for each parcel, will then be accepted and deed made accordingly.

At the same time and place, as executor, acting under the power of sale aforesaid, and as agent duly authorized by Millard F. Courtney, I will sell separately from the above lands, to the highest bidder, the following described tract of land, of which said Caswell Courtney, deceased, owned an undivided one-half interest at the time of his death, and said Millard F. Courtney owns the other undivided one-half, to-wit: Eighty acres, the west half of the northeast quarter of section twenty-two (22), township fifty-four (54), range eighteen (18). Terms of sale for all of said lands will be cash. Persons from a distance desiring further information, or wishing to look over these lands before the day of sale, should apply to the undersigned, or to M. F. Courtney at Keytesville, Missouri. J. L. STACY, Executor.

Notice of Resignation of Executor. Notice is hereby given that at the next regular term of the Probate Court within and for Chariton county, Missouri, to be begun and held at the Court-House in Keytesville, Mo., in said county, on the second Monday in November, 1907, the undersigned will resign and seek to be discharged, by said Probate Court, from his trust as one of the executors of the last will of Caswell Courtney, deceased. MILLARD F. COURTNEY, Executor.

FINAL SETTLEMENT NOTICE. Creditors and all others interested in the estate of Henry Ekelman, deceased, are hereby notified that at the next regular term of the Chariton County Probate Court, to be begun and held on the second Monday in November, 1907, at the Court-House, in Keytesville, in said County, I shall make final settlement of said estate. A. H. EIKELMAN, Administrator.

SEE THAT THE FAC-SIMILE SIGNATURE OF CHARLES H. HITCHCOCK IS ON THE WRAPPER OF EVERY BOTTLE OF CASTORIA. Vegetable Preparation for Assimilating the Food and Regulating the Stomachs and Bowels of INFANTS & CHILDREN. Promotes Digestion, Cheerfulness and Rest. Contains neither Opium, Morphine nor Mineral. NOT NARCOTIC.

CHARITON COUNTY REAL ESTATE EXCHANGE, Keytesville, Missouri.

Will buy and sell or exchange lands for parties on the most reasonable terms, and will furnish reliable information as to the location, improvements and quality of any tract of land in the county. We now have the following lands listed for sale, and can give you some good bargains:

- 1.-156 acres, 6-2 miles northwest of Keytesville; well improved and in high state of cultivation; good dwelling and all necessary outbuildings; good orchard of 70 trees. Plenty of good water for all purposes; convenient to church, school-house and post-office.
2.-80 acres, 2 miles south of Indian Grove; good buildings and fence; orchard of 4) trees, all in a high state of cultivation; frame barn, 35 x 40 feet; tile perfect. Will be sold at a bargain.
3.-640 acres, 8 miles south of Marcelline; one of the finest stock farms in Chariton county; large dwelling and stock barn, 300 acres in cultivation, balance in blue grass pasture and timber; stream running across eastern portion. Post-office on part of the farm. Will be sold at \$35 per acre; time given on part of the purchase money.
4.-40 acres of good timber land, 2 miles northwest of Muscle Fork; plenty of good tie timber on this tract; will be sold cheap.
5.-90-acre farm, 7 miles northwest of Keytesville; 60 acres in cultivation; 30 acres timber. Good comfortable dwelling and all necessary out-houses; convenient to school-house, post-office and church. Will be sold at a bargain.
6.-60 acres, 7 miles northwest of Keytesville; well improved, new dwelling and good barn; all in cultivation; well fenced; time given on part of the purchase money.
7.-530 acres, 5 miles southwest of Salisbury; good dwelling; all necessary out buildings; well supplied with water, fine bearing orchard; within 2 miles post-office. Convenient to church and school; all good land.
8.-40 ac. 2 1-2 miles north-west of Keytesville; orchard of 60 trees, good dwelling and barn; good well; all enclosed with good substantial fences; most all in grass; about 3 acre timber; price, \$20 per acre, cash.
9.-168 acres, 1 1-2 miles east of Mendon. Good house; good barn and plenty of water. This is one of the best farms in Chariton county. Easy terms.
10.-301 acres, 2 1-2 miles southwest of Mendon, a first-class farm with a new two-story dwelling with six rooms, large frame barn 31x44 feet and all necessary out buildings. The improvements are all new and complete. Nice young orchard of 100 trees and all kinds of small fruits. Three good living wells and one wind mill, 135 acres in cultivation, balance of farm in grass. To be sold at once. This is a bargain.
11.-40 acres, 3 miles northwest of Keytesville; 25 acres in cultivation and acre in pasture; good 3 room dwelling; barn 21x30 feet and all other necessary out buildings. Nice young orchard of over 200 trees; plenty of living water. To be sold at a bargain; time given on part of the purchase money.
12.-576-acre farm 8 miles northeast of Salisbury, Mo., 500 acres in cultivation and fenced with the improved wire fencing and has been in cultivation only three years. There are 16 acres of timber land on this tract. This body of land will be sold at a bargain. If you want a good farm call at once and get first chance at it.
13.-120 acres, 2 miles southeast of Prairie Hill and 9 miles northeast of Salisbury; well improved; good 2-story dwelling-house, with 6 rooms, 2 halls, comparatively new; large frame barn, 25x50 feet; about 100 acres in cultivation and 10 acres in pasture; orchard of about 2 acres; fences all in good repair. Very desirable property and is a bargain. Plenty good running water. This farm goes at \$35 per acre.

Your Patronage is Respectfully Solicited. Call and See Us. Office in Court house. GEO. N. ELLIOTT & CO., Managers.

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