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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the Matter of the Estate of Mary Adams, Deceased. Notice is hereby given by the undersigned A. J. Coddling, Administrator of the estate of Mary Adams, late of the City of Valley City, in the County of Barnes, and State of North Dakota, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against said deceased, to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, to said administrator, at the law office of A. P. Paulson, attorney for the administrator, in the City of Valley City, in said Barnes County. Dated this 11th day of March, A. D. 1914.

A. J. CODDING, Administrator. A. P. PAULSON, Attorney for Administrator, 3-12-4tw Valley City, N. D. Notice and Citation, Hearing Final Account and Petition for Distribution.

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA, County of Barnes.—ss. In the County Court, Before Hon. O. H. deS Irgens, Judge.

In the matter of the Estate of Charles Thompson, deceased. A. H. Gray, Administrator with the Will Annexed, Petitioner.

Maggie Thompson, Sarah Thompson, Maria Anclil, Charles George Thompson, Minnie Smith, Alinda Lalone, Eva Robbins, and Roy William Thompson, James Alexander Thompson, and George Robert Thompson, Minors, and H. A. Olsberg, Special Guardian for said Minors, Respondents.

Notice and Citation, Hearing Final Account and Petition for Distribution.

The State of North Dakota to the above named respondents:

You, the said respondents above named, are hereby notified that the Final Account of the Administrator of the Estate of Charles Thompson, late of the County of Barnes, State of North Dakota, deceased, has been rendered to this court, therein showing that the estate of said deceased is ready for final settlement and distribution, and petitioning that his account be allowed, the residue of said estate be distributed to the persons thereunto entitled, his administration closed, and that he be discharged; that Saturday, the 11th day of April, A. D., 1914, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the Court Rooms of this Court, in the Court House in the City of Valley City, county of Barnes, State of North Dakota, has been duly appointed by this court for the settlement thereof, at which time and place any person interested in said estate may appear and file his exceptions in writing to said account and petition and contest the same.

And you the above named respondents, and each of you, are hereby cited and required then and there to be and appear before this Court, and show cause, if any you have, why said account shall not be allowed the residue of said estate distributed, the administration of said estate closed, and said administrator discharged.

Dated this 5th day of March, 1914. By the Court, O. H. deS. IRGENS, Judge of the County Court, Barnes County, N. Dak.

(SEAL) CARR & KNEELAND, Attorneys for Administrator, 3-12-4tw Jamestown, N. D.

NOTICE TO SURVEYORS FOR BIDS

Sealed bids will be received by Weimer Township up to May 1st, 1914 at one o'clock p. m. for surveying Weimer Township 141-56 in Barnes County for running all section lines including township boundary lines and to locate all section corners on the township boundary lines of Weimer township, and to locate and perpetuate each section and quarter corner with a cement block two feet high and 12 inches square at the base to six inches square at the top; and said cement block shall be made by using one part of the best grade cement to six parts of clear sand; and for keeping a full and complete record of the survey and location of the corners and filling the same with the County Auditor of Barnes North Dakota according to law. Bidders must accompany their bid by contracts mentioning and fully describing all these points mentioned in this advertisement and also state at what time they will have the work completed and contracts must be properly signed by the bidder so the supervisor can at their special meeting May 1, 1914, sign successful bidder's contract; Bids shall be marked (Proposal for Surveying.) Bidders must accompany their bids with certified check of 50 per cent of the amount of bid, this to be retained by said township of the successful bidder for proper fulfillment

of the contract and all others returned immediately after said bids shall have been passed on by the supervisors; blocks are already in on the north boundary line; board of supervisors reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

By order of the board of supervisors of Weimer Township, Barnes County.

WALTER G. YOUNG, Township Clerk, P. O. Tower City, N. D. 4-2-4tw

BILLY WISE WRITES THE PROFESSOR.

Dear Dad: I was over to John Olson's place today and he was building a thing that looks like a cross between an Edison record and a bird cage with mabitations. I knew it was a silo, but I thought I'd kid John a little. "What are you making," says I, "a round barn for those ring boned horses of yours?" He says, "No, this is a road roller."

"Well, what's it on end for?" asks I. "He means it's a high roller," John says, "so is anybody a high roller who feeds enough cattle to have one of these little towers."

"I don't see no automobiles," says I, "around here."

Just then John hits his finger a lick with the hammer and before he answered me he spoke a few cuss words real serious and determined.

"If some of you guys," he says, "would get one of the Wisconsin Silo plans from the Rogers-Jeffrey Lumber Co., and not ask fool questions, I wouldn't knock off a thumb and you'd have an automobile sooner yourself." And he goes back to work and I goes home.

Say dad, that silo is some machine, believe me and I'm going to get the Rogers-Jeffrey Co's. plan of it. Olson says this silo costs about half what any other kind does.

Your son, BILLY WISE. P. S.—They call the Rogers-Jeffrey Lumber Co. the Place of Quality Goods and the square deal. 4-2-1tw

NEW DOCTOR.

This city has another doctor. Dr. Carl Platou, Jr., arrived here Tuesday and will make his home in this city. He has rented the office over the First State Bank, formerly occupied by Dr. Hammerud, and is ready for business.

Dr. Platou, who is a nephew of Dr. Platou of Valley City, graduated from the Maryland Medical College of Baltimore, Maryland, two years ago and since then has been interne at several hospitals in Brooklyn and New York. He is a young man of pleasing address and comes well recommended.

He was married about a month ago to a Brooklyn girl. Mrs. Platou is here also and they have rented the T. I. Strinden residence where they have already started housekeeping. Litchville Bulletin.

INCENDIARIES IMPRISONED.

Before Hon. W. C. Crawford, Judge of the Tenth Judicial District, at Mott on Feb. 25, 1914, M. D. Kirchner, plead guilty to the crime of arson, and was sentenced to serve a term of four years' imprisonment in the state penitentiary. Mr. Kirchner was proprietor of a meat market at Bowman, N. D., and admitted having burned the building for the purpose of procuring the insurance thereon. Leonard Leary, who fired the building also plead guilty and received a like sentence—four years in the penitentiary. "Undoubtedly the principal reason why we were enabled in this case to apprehend the guilty parties was the establishing by the last legislature of the office of Fire Marshal, and the valuable assistance which you rendered in conducting the investigation," writes State's Attorney Theo. B. Torkelson to Fire Marshal A. H. Rurge.

ANOTHER PATENT.

A patent has been granted to Albert Holland on his roller-bearing, anti-friction grain door for box cars. There have been over 200 patents on grain doors, but so far they have all been unsatisfactory. What the railroads want is a door that is not complicated and can be operated with ease under any load of grain, coal, wood, rock or iron. Mr. Holland has thoroughly tested his appliance before having it patented. He is having a complete sample made for a trial that will test every condition and requirement.—Norne Tribune.

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DIPLOMAS CONFERRED UPON SEVEN AT THE NORMAL SCHOOL

PRES. McFARLAND ADDRESSES CLASS AT GENERAL EXERCISES IN AUDITORIUM.

(Saturday, March 28.) Diplomas were yesterday conferred upon seven students at the State Normal school, they being the members of the March class. At the simple, yet impressive exercises held in the auditorium, beginning at 11 o'clock, the program was opened with a concert of half an hour by the Ladies' Band under the direction of Prof. Perfect.

Following the concert, President McFarland called the members of the class to the platform and presented the diplomas. Those who responded are:

- Glenn Granger, Valley City. Eda C. Johnson, Minnor. Marie Tress Finn, Noonan. Anna Mae Schmoll, Valley City. Emma Adelia Woodland, Valley City. Harlin Moore Mahlin, Tappen. Winnifred McDonnell, was absent from the exercises, having completed her work some days before and being permitted to accept a teaching position at Calvin.

After conferring the diplomas, President McFarland opened his address to the graduates by congratulating them at having completed their courses, and being about to enter upon the duties of a teacher. President McFarland's address was concise and he made mention that the teaching profession was being recognized today as one of the most honorable. The teacher at the present time has in his hands the future as he has control of the future generation of citizens. He laid stress upon the responsibility of a person in such a position.

"It is hard to establish a permanent conviction in an adult, but establish a conviction in the heart of a child and it is here for nearly seventy years. The old idea that parents had absolute control of children even to the point of exposing or selling them into slavery has given way to the idea that the community has a voice in the future of the child and it is for the teacher, with the parents, to take the responsibility to furnish personalities in children that will make for progress in the world.

Mr. McFarland mentioned several points for the teacher who is successful to keep uppermost in this practice. Among these was to cater to the questioning spirit of the child and allow for his activity. "The questioning spirit is the spirit of childhood," said the speaker, "encourage it." "To know, to act, to love," should be the governing motto of the teacher that wishes to be successful, the speaker said, and then bade the graduates God-speed in their chosen profession.

A lengthy rambling letter has found its way to the Times-Record editorial desk which is not intended to be complimentary to Chief Swanson and his assistants. The writer might take up the matter of the destruction of dogs with the members of the state legislature with better effect, as Chief Swanson is simply doing his duty as an officer and has nothing at all to say about the matter. As a matter of fact five-sixths of all the dogs in Valley City were destroyed it would help the appearance of the town very materially. A law which would permit the chief of police to take up every log found on the streets not accompanied by its master, if rigidly enforced would also be a help. There is always an over-abundance of dogs and the dog catcher ought to be encouraged rather than frustrated.

NET COST OF RAISING A DAIRY COW TO MATURITY

According to investigators in the Department of Agriculture the average net cost of raising a dairy heifer one year old on a Wisconsin farm is \$39.52 and of a two year heifer \$61.41. These figures are applicable to other dairy districts in the North and East where land and feed values are similar to those in Wisconsin. They are based on data obtained from raising 117 calves from birth to the time they enter the dairy herd. The details, with a complete summary of the investigation, have recently been published by the Department of Agriculture in Bulletin No. 49, under the title of "The Cost of Raising a Dairy Cow."

There are in the United States over 21,000,000 dairy cows. These figures give some idea of the importance of this economic problem to the country as a whole, for these cows must be replaced every few years. The cost of the production of these heifers is a large item in keeping down the profits of the dairymen.

The new bulletin contains numerous tables and several illustrations of the Jersey calves from which the items of cost were obtained.

The most important item was the cost of the food, which was estimated at nearly two-thirds of the total net cost of the heifer, while labor formed 12 1-2 per cent of the cost.

Figures for the average net cost of the one-year-old heifer are as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Item, Cost. Feed \$24.67, Labor 4.45, Other costs 6.36, Total \$35.48

To this should be added the initial value of the calf, which was estimated to be \$7.04, making a total cost at the end of one year of \$42.52. This charge is justified in view of the fact that dairy cows are credited with this item in determining the cost of milk production. By allowing \$3 credit for manure, it leaves a net cost of \$39.52 at the end of the first year.

Figures for the average net cost of the two-year-old heifer are as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Item, Cost. Initial value \$7.04, Feed 40.83, Labor 7.81, Other costs 13.73, Total \$69.41

Credit for manure 8.00, Total \$61.41

One-half of the feed cost the first year and one-third for the full two years is for whole and skim milk.

By far the most expensive period in the life of the calf is the first four weeks, the cost being nearly double that for any other four-week period. This high cost is occasioned by its being dependent almost entirely upon whole milk.

The man labor required in raising a heifer is about 40 hours during the first year and 23 hours the second year. The total cost of man and horse labor for the two years is close to \$8. The manure produced during the two years has been valued at \$8; consequently, the cost of labor is practically offset by the value of the manure.

The item "other costs" consists of expenses usually overlooked in estimating costs. These are interest, charge for the use of buildings and equipment, expense for bedding, miscellaneous expenses, a share of the general expenses for the entire farm business, and a charge to cover losses by death and discarding. The total for these forms nearly one-fifth of the total cost of the two-year-old heifer.

The foregoing figures show that it costs more to raise calves to maturity than is commonly supposed, and they support the advice which the Department is continually trying to impress upon dairy farmers, that it does not pay to raise any but the best heifers.

Raising scrub heifers and selling them at \$25 to \$40 apiece, as many do, is unprofitable except on cheap land or under other very favorable conditions. But it does pay to raise the best heifers, for in good dairy sections well-bred heifers are worth considerably more than \$60 when two years of age. Furthermore, dairy farmers as a rule are obliged to raise their own stock, as it is difficult to buy productive cows at a reasonable price. In some sections of the west where alfalfa is worth only \$4 or \$5 a ton, or in the southwest where pastures furnish feed the greater part of the year, this cost may be greatly reduced. Even where it costs \$60 to raise a heifer, two-thirds of this amount is charged for feeds at market prices, a large part of which can be grown on the farm at a profit. Thus by raising the heifers the dairy farmer finds a home market for feeds grown on the farm at remunerative prices, and at the same time aids in maintaining the fertility of the farm.

BURDICK SAID TO PREFER BESSESEN

PROGRESSIVES DIVIDE OVER QUESTION OF RUNNING-MATE FOR GUBERNATORIAL CANDIDATE.

Fargo, N. D., March 30.—There is some confusion among progressive Republicans of the state over the candidates for the lieutenant governorship. One element of the faction insists that Lieutenant Governor Kraabel should be renominated, while another is strong for the selection of H. J. Bessezen, a former state senator of Wells county.

"The situation is unfortunate," says a leading progressive. "By all the rules of the game, Mr. Kraabel is entitled to a renomination. He made an excellent presiding officer and was sincere and impartial. The opposition to him is chiefly due to the fact that he voted against the initiative and referendum. For this he is charged with not favoring progressive legislation."

"The candidacy of Mr. Bessezen is due almost entirely to the solicitation of U. L. Burdick, the progressive candidate for governor. At least that is the generally accepted report. The two have long been warm, personal friends. With Bessezen and Kraabel dividing the progressive vote, Colonel Fraime of

JOHN ROE VICTIM OF CONSUMPTION

John Roe, thirty-six years old, died at his home four and one-half miles south of Eastedge at about six o'clock Tuesday evening.

The deceased was born in Fillmore county, Minn., and came here with his parents in 1880. For the last five years he has conducted his farm, and prior to that he was clerk for Brorby and Brye at Eastedge for about three years. He has been one of the progressive men of his neighborhood and his death is a distinct loss. He was married in June, 1913, taking for his wife Miss Mathia Larson.

Besides the young widow he leaves to mourn his loss his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Roe, four brothers and a sister. They will have the sympathy of all in their sorrow.

The funeral occurs this Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the Preston church, and burial will be made in the cemetery there. Rev. Berger will be in charge of the services.

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Grafton ought to stand a good show. He has always been regarded as a progressive of a conservative type. "Either of the three will make a good official, but personally, I hope Kraabel will be selected."

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