

**RAINIER**

Brough has purchased a seven passenger Cadillac auto and will stage line between St. Helens and Clatskanie. Mr. Brough intends to extend his line on to Mt. Hood as soon as weather conditions will permit this spring.

H. Dart has purchased the M. place in West Rainier and carpenters at work putting up a place. Mr. Dart and family will move to their new home on the place as their residence is completed. The work is being done under the supervision of Chas.

Recent letter from Nebraska that snow is piled up ten feet deep after a 50 mile Northwind. Service and highway traffic was locally suspended & nearly a

Hammond Logging Company getting ready to open their camp made.

—Review.

**HORSE-RAISING FOR THE ARMY**

The idea of what has been done in raising horses and mules for war service may be gained from report just made by the statistician of the remount division of the U. S. war department. This shows up to January 11th there had been shipped overseas from this country a total of 67,948 animals, including 5,459 cavalry horses, 26 draft horses, 28,088 draft mules and 375 pack mules. The total number of animals lost on route was so far reported as 600 mules, horses, or less than 1 per cent of the total number of animals shipped.

**RED CROSS IN RUSSIA**

Dispatch dated January 22nd, from Sorok, North Russia, tells of arrival there of the American Red Cross Mission from Archangel, 1,000 miles away. This journey of migration and relief by the American Red Cross was accomplished on sleds which also carried precious medicines and food for the starving people.

It is stated that the peasants in the remote hamlets visited never seen a doctor and were entirely destitute of medicine of any

**RECLAMATION PROJECT LARGE**

British Will Make Largest Improvement of its Kind in Mesopotamia

The greatest reclamation project in history will soon be undertaken by the British in Mesopotamia, which will thereby be restored to its ancient prosperity and agricultural productivity. The area concerned is of more than 5,000,000 acres and is as large as the whole of Egypt. Roughly speaking it covers the region between the Tigris and the Euphrates and extends from Bagdad to the ruins of desolated Babylon. Of all regions on the earth none is more favored for the production of cereals. Cotton, sugar cane and Indian corn will flourish there as on the Nile. Tobacco will find itself at home as in Egypt. Wheat was there first cultivated by man. Mesopotamia was a great food producing country before the dawn of history. By tradition the Garden of Eden was located between the Euphrates and the Tigris, and one has only to refer to the first book of Genesis in order to discover that the Paradise of Adam and Eve was irrigated. The area to be reclaimed lies directly on the route of the Berlin-to-Bagdad railroad with its contemplated extensions that will tap all parts of Mesopotamia. That road, thanks to happy recent events, will not be under German control, outside of Germany. As further development it will connect the East with the West (as the Germans meant it should) and Mesopotamia (as the British call it) will ship to the Mediterranean to produce claimed by the west and the Persian Gulf the produce demanded by the east. As developed under the new contemplated plans, Mesopotamia will be irrigated by a vast canal system, irrigated by snow-fed rivers. It will be a "protectorate" under British control, in order that the region may be safe from the marauding Arabs, whose predatory incursions are under present circumstances, a constant threat.—Philadelphia Public Ledger.

kind. Arrangements were made in a number of cases to have patients transferred, by sled, to the Red Cross hospital at Archangel. During the long trip many deeds of mercy were performed and a large number of sick were given much-needed medical and surgical relief.

**NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT IN THE COUNTY COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR COLUMBIA COUNTY.**

In the Matter of the Estate of Peter Horgren, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, as administrator of the estate of Peter Horgren, deceased, has filed his final account in the County Court of the State of Oregon for Columbia County, and that Saturday the 29th day of March, 1919, at the hour of 10 A. M., of said day and the Court room of said Court, has been appointed by said Court as the time and place for the hearing of objections thereto and the settlement thereof.

Dated and first published February 28, 1919.

A. L. STONE, Administrator of the Estate of Peter Horgren, Deceased.  
W. A. Harris, Attorney. 11-15-5t

**SUMMONS IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR COLUMBIA COUNTY.**

Bessie Marie Hall, Plaintiff, vs. John M. Hall, Defendant.

To John M. Hall, the above named defendant.

In the Name of the State of Oregon: You are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit and Court on or before the 12th of April, 1919, said date being more than six weeks after the first publication of this notice and summons and for want thereof the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief prayed for in her complaint, to-wit:

For a decree dissolving the bonds of matrimony now and heretofore existing between yourself and the plaintiff herein and for permission to hereafter resume her maiden name, to-wit: Bessie Marie Von Seggern.

This summons is served upon you by publication, pursuant to an order of the Honorable W. J. Fullerton, Judge of the County Court of the State of Oregon for Columbia County, made on the 27th day of February, 1919, and entered of record.

First publication, February 28, 1919.

Last publication, April 11, 1919.

W. J. McMAHON, Attorney for Plaintiff, Worcester Building, Portland, Ore.

**SUMMONS**

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON, FOR THE COUNTY OF COLUMBIA.

May Bush, Plaintiff, vs. Edmund A. Bush, Defendant.

To Edmund A. Bush, the above named Defendant:

In the name of the State of Oregon: You are hereby required to appear and answer or otherwise plead to the complaint filed herein against you by plaintiff in the above entitled suit, on or before the 15th day of March, 1919, which date is six weeks after the first publication of this summons, and if you fail to appear and answer or otherwise plead within said time, for want thereof the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief prayed for in her complaint, namely, for a decree of divorce dissolving the bonds of matrimony heretofore and now existing between you and the plaintiff, and that the care, custody and control of the minor child the issue of said marriage be awarded to the plaintiff, and for such other and further relief as to the court may seem just and equitable in the premises.

This summons is served upon you by publication by virtue of an order of the Honorable J. A. Eakin, Judge of the above entitled Court, and which said order was made and entered on this 29th day of January, 1919, and requires that this summons be published once a week for six consecutive weeks in St. Helens Mist, a newspaper of general circulation published in Columbia County, Oregon.

Date of first publication is the 31st day of January, 1919.

Date of last publication is the 14th day of March, 1919.

B. W. TAYLOR, Attorney for Plaintiff.

Portland, Oregon.  
914 Chamber of Commerce Building

**SUMMONS FOR PUBLICATION IN FORECLOSURE OF TAX LIEN IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR COLUMBIA COUNTY.**

Mrs. Wm. F. Schneider, Plaintiff, vs. Mrs. Nick Larson, widow of Nick Larson, deceased; Nick Larson, Jr., and John Doe Larson, heirs of Nick Larson, and all other persons, unknown, if any, having or claiming to have any right, title or interest in the real property hereinafter described, Defendants.

To Mrs. Nick Larson, widow of Nick Larson, deceased; Nick Larson, Jr.; and John Doe Larson, heirs of Nick Larson, the above named defendants:

In the name of the State of Oregon: You are hereby notified that Mrs. Wm. F. Schneider, the holder of Certificate of Delinquency numbered 247, issued on the 5th day of October, 1918, by the Sheriff of Columbia County, State of Oregon, for the amount of \$14.96, the same being the amount due for taxes for the year 1913, together with penalty, interest and costs thereon upon the real property assessed to you, of which you are the owner as appears of record, situated in said county and state, and particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at the Quarter post between Sections 7 and 18, Township 7 north, Range 4 west of the Willamette Meridian and running thence south 1100 feet; thence east 441 feet and 10 inches; thence north 1100 feet, and thence west 441 feet and 10 inches to the place of beginning, containing 19 acres of land, in Columbia County, Oregon.

You are further notified that Mrs. Wm. F. Schneider has paid taxes on said property for subsequent taxes with the rate of interest on said amounts as follows:

Year's tax, 1915; date paid October 5, 1918, amount \$11.83; rate of interest, 12 per cent per annum.  
Year's tax, 1915; date paid October 5, 1918; amount \$10.30; rate of interest, 12 per cent per annum.  
Year's tax, 1916; date paid October 5, 1918; amount \$8.00; rate of interest, 12 per cent per annum.  
Year's tax, 1917; date paid October 5, 1918, amount \$7.27; rate of interest, 12 per cent per annum.

Said Mrs. Nick Larson, widow of Nick Larson, deceased; Nick Larson, Jr.; and John Doe Larson, heirs of Nick Larson, deceased, as the owners of the legal title of the above described property as the same appears of record, and each of the other person above named are hereby further notified that Mrs. Wm. F. Schneider will apply to the Circuit Court of the county and state aforesaid for a decree foreclosing the lien against the property above described and mentioned in said certificate. And you are hereby summoned to appear within sixty (60) days after the first publication of the summons exclusive of the day of said first publication, and defend this action or pay the amount due as above shown, together with costs and accrued interest, and in case of your failure to do so, a decree will be rendered foreclosing the lien of said taxes and costs against the land and premises above named.

This summons is published by order of the Honorable J. A. Eakin, Judge of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Columbia, and said order was made and dated this 23rd day of January, 1919, and the date of the first publication of this summons is the 31st day of January, 1919.

All process and papers in this proceeding may be served upon the undersigned residing within the State of Oregon, at the address hereafter mentioned.

C. D. CHRISTENSEN, Attorney for Plaintiff.

Address: 1403 Northwestern Bank Building, Portland, Oregon.

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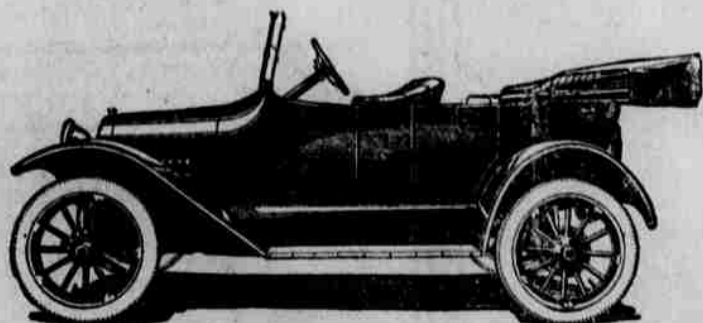
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