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WHEN CHINA AWAKES

China is a very old country. Its historians assert that it was a great, populous and civilized nation when Egypt was founded by Menes 5,700 B. C.; that since it began its career as a great and populous empire Babylon rose and fell; Greece began to run its brilliant career of a thousand years duration and ceased to exist.

Since the oldest of modern nations of the western world won a name and secured a place on the map of the world and began to make history the Occident has treated China with contempt and assumed that the Chinaman was an inferior being.

The present war between Japan and Russia is the logical result of this European covetousness. The plucky resistance Japan is making to this scheme of European ambition is surprising the western world and causing its most careful thinkers to query "What will be the condition of the Occident should China awake as Japan has?"

This inquiry has attracted the western world and set it to looking to see if there is any evidence of the awakening of China. The searchers for this evidence were not long in discovering the sleeping giant shows unmistakable signs of an early awakening.

tion, similar to that which awoke Japan, China 400,000,000 strong will awaken and demand the place among the peoples of the modern world that her numerical strength, territorial extent, industry and quickness of her people to learn and apply new methods, entitle her to hold.

The most important question ever asked the western world is "How will this new position of China affect it?" With her cheap labor, her skillful mechanics, her enterprising and thrifty merchants entering into the world's business a change will be wrought, which, if we are not prepared for it when it comes, the shock to our business will be terrific.

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NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT

Notice is hereby given to all whom it may concern. That Nellie G. Nell, administratrix of the estate of Alfred T. Nell, deceased, has filed her final report in the administration of said estate and the County Court of Union County, Oregon, has set the 20th day of January, A. D. 1905, at two o'clock, p. m. for the hearing of said report and any objections thereto.

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IN THE COUNTY COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF UNION, STATE OF OREGON.

In the Matter of the Estate of Jane Ball, Deceased. Citation to George W. Allen and J. W. Allen, heirs-at-law of Jane Ball, deceased, and to all other unknown heirs and persons concerned. In the name of the State of Oregon, You are hereby cited and required to appear in the County Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Union, at the Court Room thereof, at La Grande in the County of Union, on Saturday, the 10th day of December, 1904, at 10 o'clock, in the forenoon of that day, then and there to show cause, if any you have, why the said estate should be administered by the above named settlor, praying for an order of the said Court, authorizing, licensing, and empowering him to sell the real property belonging to said estate, as set forth in the petition filed in this office on the 20th day of November 1904.

Notice to Creditors

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that letters of administration have been granted by the County Court of Union County, Oregon, to Mary C. Swauger upon the estate of Seymour Swauger, deceased, and all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same, with proper vouchers to the said administratrix in her residence at La Grande, Oregon, within six months from the date of this notice.

Disolution Notice

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between W. O. Peach, J. S. Peach and G. W. Peach under the name of Peach Bros. has this day been dissolved by mutual consent, W. O. Peach retiring, J. S. Peach and G. W. Peach, who will continue the business as Peach Bros., will pay all outstanding debts and collect all accounts due the old firm.

Notice Of Final Account

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, Administratrix of the estate of William Spencer, deceased, has filed in the County Court of Union County for the State of Oregon her final account as such administratrix, and the Court has fixed Monday the 10th day of December 1904 for hearing any objections to said final account and for the final settlement thereof. I filed this November 18, 1904. Alice H. Spencer, Administratrix

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SUMMONS

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Union County. L. C. WILLIAMS, Plaintiff, CASSIA A. WILLIAMS, Defendant.

Notice of Final Settlement

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has filed the final account of her doing as executrix of the last will and testament of J. R. Kellogg, deceased, and the County Court has appointed Monday the 2nd day of January 1905, at 2 o'clock, p. m., as the time, and the Court House at La Grande, Union County, Oregon, as the place for the hearing of said final account.

Notice of Final Account

In the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Union County. In the Matter of the Estate of Edwin Southwell, Deceased.

ACUTE RHEUMATISM

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That mother used to wash on when I was a boy, with its blue-covered ridges she used to play in. And soap bubbles gambled to us childish joy. Ofttimes have I watched her when wearing her knuckles. As over the ridges our duds she would rub. For'er will forget how she soaped and she slathered. The old fashioned wash board that stood in the tab. CHORUS: The old fashioned washboard; The blue-covered washboard; The back-breaking washboard that stood in the tab.

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