

SUMMONS.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the county of Union.

Ella Moxley, Plaintiff.

Fred. I. Moxley, Defendant.

To Fred I. Moxley, the above named defendant:—

In the name of the state of Oregon, you are hereby summoned and directed to appear and plead to the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit and court, on or before the 21st day of January, A. D. 1910, the same being the last day of the publication of this summons, the first day of publication hereof being December 10, A. D. 1909.

And if you fail or neglect to so appear and plead herein, on or before said date, then plaintiff will apply thereafter to the above entitled court for default against you for such failure and neglect, and demand the relief prayed for in her complaint filed herein, to-wit: For a decree forever dissolving the marriage contract existing between plaintiff and defendant herein, by reason of defendant having deserted and abandoned plaintiff, with out just cause or excuse, for more than one year prior to the commencement of this suit; and for judgment for her costs and disbursements herein, and for such other and further relief, from time to time, as may be necessary and proper to enforce such decree and judgment.

This summons is published by virtue of an order made and entered by Hon. J. W. Knowles, judge of the above entitled court, at chambers, in La Grande, Oregon, on the 7th day of December, A. D. 1909, which order directed the service of this summons upon you by publication for a period of six consecutive weeks, and for seven publications thereof, in the La Grande Weekly Observer, from and after the date of the first publication thereof, to-wit, from and after December 10th, A. D. 1909.

L. DENHAM, Atty. for Plaintiff. (D. 10-17-24-31-1-7-14-21.)

DEEP SNOW AT RONDOWA

POST OFFICE THERE TO BE MON. BY ORDER OFFICE.

Post Office Department Comes to the Aid of Settlers in the Vicinity of Rondowa.

Rondowa, Dec. 31.—Special.—One foot of snow covers the portions of Union and Wallowa counties bordering on Rondowa. The weather condition are pleasant, however and hunters and loggers are in high glee over the condition of the weather.

Money Order Permits Soon. The postal department has ordered the local post office under the regime of John Anthony to sell money orders

after January first. This fills a decided want in this section.

Logs to Be Loaded.

Contractors King and Stanley for the Palmer Lumber Company have 250,000 feet of logs on the slide tracks here for loading to be shipped to the mill at La Grande.

NEW MONEY.

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non-Phy-Roberts, the La Grande Investment Company, Logan-Sherwood Realty company, the Van Duren Realty company and others.

Aside from the deals consummated through real estate firms, there has been a number of private deals, some of them calling for large amounts. This total however, does not include any deals outside of parties living in La Grande, though the land sold is often in outlying districts. Consequently, deals closed at Imbler, Union Cove and other towns, are not included.

Much Outside Money.

Half of this sum at the lowest margin, is money coming from points out of the county to be invested locally. One firm which did considerable more than \$60,000 reports that all but \$1,500 is outside money, invested here. Another firm doing 75,000 in business divides its business half and half. The half representing home money is subdivided into city and farm lands.

This unusually rapid activity in real estate is a reflection of the increased value due to promise of valley irrigation, coupled with strenuous advertising along such lines as can be backed up by actual demonstration.

That the \$401,000 represented by bond fide agents is not the only items is evinced by the fact that fruit lands involving \$53,000 by two local men, a \$25,000 item in the purchase of the United States National and other items such as the Methodist Church site at \$5,000, smaller fruit farms ranging from \$3,500 to \$5,000.

Deals coming to the attention of the Observer total \$493,750 and the balance is easily made up in smaller sales by private parties.

PARK LADIES ARE CATERERS

COMMERCIAL CLUB BANQUET ON JAN. FOURTH ASSURED.

Park Association Agrees to Serve Dinner for Club Banquet.

On January Fourth the Commercial Club will give the banquet of the year to which all the Commercial clubs in the county have been invited. The preparations have reached the point where the Commercial Club has chosen the caterers and the place to hold the banquet. The Park Association has planned to serve a New England supper at fifty cents a plate. The place selected for the banquet is the Old Odd Fellows hall, which has lately been remodeled.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior at La Grande, Oregon.

November 11, 1909. Notice is hereby given that Henry L. Courtney of La Grande, Oregon, who on July 28th, 1905 made homestead entry No. 14532, serial No. 04558 for W 1-2 SW 1-4 and W 1-2 NW 1-4 section 24, Township 4 South Range 37 East Willamette meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final five year proof to establish claim to said land above described, before the Register and Receiver of the United States Land Office at La Grande, Oregon, on the 17th day of January, 1910.

Claimant names as witnesses: G. W. Raymond, C. A. Pierce, A. H. Perryman and F. W. Kleese, all of La Grande, Oregon.

F. C. Bramwell, Register.

(11-25-12-21)

Those fortunate enough to own automobiles are enjoying some bracing morning rides.

Next Friday Evening.

Next Friday evening the Modern Woodmen of America of Island City will give a basket supper to be followed by a grand ball. The public are cordially invited to enjoy the occasion.

Notice of Final Account.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, as executor under the last will and testament of Minerva E. Neal deceased, has filed his final account as such executor and the Hon. J. C. Henry, county judge of Union county, Oregon, has set Monday, the 17th day of January, 1910 at 2 o'clock p. m. as the day and date, and the court house as the place for the hearing of objections, if any there be thereto.

Dated at La Grande, Oregon, December 16th, 1909.

JOSEPH BARTON.

Executor of the last will and testament of Minerva E. Neal, deceased. 12-17-24-31-1-7-14.

Notice of Final Settlement.

Notice is hereby given to all whom it may concern, that Hattie J. Ralston, administratrix of the estate of Curtis Ralston, deceased, has filed in the County Court of Union County, Oregon, her final account as administratrix of said estate and said Court has set Monday, the 3rd day of January, A. D. 1910 at 2 o'clock P. M., at the county court house in La Grande, Oregon as the time for hearing such reports and all objections thereto.

Dated at La Grande, Oregon, this December 3rd, 1909.

HATTIE J. RALSTON, Administratrix.

(12-3-1-10.)

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon For Union County.

M. K. HALL, Plaintiff.

vs. DANIEL KELLY, Defendant.

To Daniel Kelly, defendant above named:

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 court and action on or before the expiration of the time prescribed in the order directing

the publication hereof, to-wit: six consecutive weeks from the date of the first publication of this summons which is the 15th day of October, 1909 and if you fail to appear, answer or otherwise plead within the said time, the plaintiff will take a judgment against you in the sum of \$76.26 with interest thereon from the 1st day of January, 1903, at the rate of 6 per cent per annum until paid, together with plaintiff's cost and disbursements, and plaintiff will also apply to the court for an order directing the sale of the property now attached in this action, to-wit: all the right title and interest of Daniel Kelly in and to the real property of the estate of Thomas Kelly, deceased, consisting of Lot 1, 2 and 3 in block 154 Chaplin's addition to the city of La Grande, Oregon, and 5 1-2 acres, described as follows: beginning at the section corner between Sections 28, 29, 32 and 33 in Township 2 South, range 38 East Willamette Meridian, and running thence north 8.70 chains, thence South 55 degrees, West 15.45 chains, thence east 12.51 chains to place of beginning, situated in the Southeast quarter of Section 29, Township 2 South, range 38 East Willamette Meridian, or so much of the said described premises as may be necessary for the satisfaction of the said judgment.

By virtue of an order of the Hon. J. W. Knowles, judge of the above entitled court, made and entered on the 16th day of October, 1909. This summons is published in the La Grande Weekly Observer, a weekly newspaper, printed and published in La Grande, Union county, Oregon.

CITATION.

In The county Court for the County of Union, State of Oregon.

In the matter of the guardianship of the person and estate of David Troy, an incompetent person.

To David Troy, Mary Knight, Della Beam, John Troy and Thomas Troy, Greeting:

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 Union county, at the court room thereof, at La Grande in the county of Union, on Monday, the 31st day of January, 1910, at 1.50 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, then and there to show cause, if any you have, why the guardian of the estate of the person and estate of the above named David Troy, an incompetent person, should not sell, in the manner provided by law, the following described real property, belonging to said estate of the said David Troy, to-wit:

The NW 1-2 of Sec. 22 in Tp. 1, N. of R35 E. W. M. in Union county Oregon, and the following described real property, in the city of Elgin, said county and state: Commencing at the N. E. corner of the S. E. 1-4 of the N. E. 1-4 of the S. W. 1-4 of Sec. 15, Tp 1, N. of R. 39 E. W. M. and running thence west 160 feet, thence south 272 feet, thence east 160 feet, thence north 272 feet, to the place of beginning, consisting of 1 acre, more or less in Union county, Oregon.

Witness the Hon J. C. Henry, judge of the County Court of the State of Oregon, for the county of Union, with the seal of said Court affixed this 22nd day of December, 1909.

Attest, ED. WRIGHT, Clerk.

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