

Light Sparks.

By our Associate Editor. Well, they have taken the ammunition out of our old Cannon, but it can still make a good deal of noise, when necessary.

It is worth nothing, to the credit of the season, that few winters have been so completely free from dust.

The Legislature might please the suffragists by making some sweet-toothed woman State Inspector of Ice-Cream.

"Let me dominate the country and over-ride its laws and I will give millions of my ill-gotten gains to charity," is the motto of Rockefeller, correctly translated.

These members who have been cherishing visions of an early adjournment of Congress may have to readjust their range-finders.

No tariff war with France? Fine! We are not even slightly mad with France, anyway.

Senator Percy, of Mississippi, says he doesn't intend to revolutionize that body. Aldrich and his crowd can therefore rest easy.

Not only will the census enumerator keep as a profound secret the date of a lady's birth, but if he is a really polite enumerator he will assure her most convincingly that she doesn't look it.

Vice-President Sherman is to be congratulated on having a gavel that never gets red hot.

The Washington Herald discovers that there are fifteen times as many germs on a \$1.00 bill as on a \$20.00 bill. But inasmuch as it is at least fifteen times as hard for a poor man to get a \$1.00 bill as it is for a rich man to get a \$20.00 bill, is the danger from germs greater among the poor?

Eminent Authorities Say

that out-door exercise is needed by the American People. That's all very well, but how can people with rheumatism follow that advice. The answer is very simple—use Ballard's Snow Liniment and the rheumatism will go; leaving you as spry as a colt. Gives quick and permanent relief from rheumatism, neuralgia, lame back and all pains. Sold by City Drug Store.

Keep at It.

Never rest upon the merits of actions performed in the past. You lose out every time you do. There are some men who think they are entitled to special consideration and privileges because of what they have been and have accomplished in the past. These men are like unto the parasite whose aim in life is to live at the expense of another; who impedes instead of expending the progress of men. If you achieved greatness in the past, why rest content? Surely, the present opportunities for doing good ought to be as great, (if not greater) as those of the past. This is not saying that the good actions you have performed in the past amount to nothing. They surely do. No act of goodness, or kindness, is ever in vain; it will sometimes bring its fruit when and where you least expect it. If your work in the past has been good, if you have done your duty by your countrymen, you have laid the foundation for a monument that shall last throughout the ages. Remember, today will be yesterday tomorrow. Do right NOW and you will have no regrets or heartaches in the future. The food you partake of today will do little or no good a month from now unless you take nourishment in the time intervening. If you cannot rest upon your present merits and your future possibilities, you ought to be known for what you are, and not for what you were. The present is filled with more splendid opportunities than the past, and if you make good then how much easier it should be to make good in the present? And remember it is the present that decides your future.—Ex.

Modest Boosters.

The Salem Capital Journal believes in the real estate booster who does a square business. He can do more to promote a town and create values than all other agencies combined. This is an incontrovertible fact, and in all progressive cities the real estate men believe in the liberal use of newspaper space. It has been frequently remarked by strangers coming into Albany that in this particular the local reality dealers are not ceasingly modest.

Whether there would or would not be advantage in subjecting the disposal of patronage to the action of the plebiscite is matter that might lead to warm and long-continued discussion, and without resolving anything worth while at that. There may be more or less popular opinion that Congressmen, and the President, who is the dominant party leader, would be overjoyed to be rid of the worry, embarrassment and the rest, but all that will prove visionary when put to the practical test.

Federal patronage is too valuable a political weapon to be laid down because

GRAVE RESPONSIBILITIES.

Laid Upon President Taft---New Justice Should be Man of Broad Mind.

Big facts that have appeared at Washington lay grave responsibilities upon President Taft. The announcement by the United States supreme court that it will rehear the Standard Oil case so recently argued and submitted to that body for decision is almost certain indication that there is embarrassing divergence of opinion in the tribunal. Justice Moody was ill and did not sit with the other justices when the case was heard and Justice Brewer, who was present, has since died. Rumor has it that the court is almost equally divided and it is possible that the jurist to be named by the president as successor to Justice Brewer may turn the scales for or against the government and in favor of Standard Oil.

The case, along with that of the tobacco trust is held by many to be the most important since the Dred Scott decision. It involves the validity of the Sherman anti-trust law, and will determine the issue of whether the great trust organizations that restrain trade and control prices are lawful or unlawful. It involves enormous issues of modern Big Business and the decision will be of extraordinary effect on the processes and the management of billions of dollars of invested capital. If the government loses, and the principle of restraining combinations be overthrown. Big Business will have license to pursue the methods to which the law and the convictions of many millions of people are opposed. It is in such a view that the selection of a supreme justice about to be made by the president lays the gravest of the responsibilities upon Mr. Taft.

It is earnestly desirable that the president may select for the vacant judgeship a man whose mental horizon will be as broad as the republic and whose viewpoint will not be fixed and focused by the requirements of Big Business.—Journal.

The Call of the Blood.

for purification, finds voice in pimples, boils, sallow complexion, a jaundiced look, moth patches and blotches on the skin,—all signs of liver trouble. But Dr. King's New Life Pills make rich red blood; give clear skin, rosy cheeks, fine complexion, health. Try them. 25c at City Drug Store.

ELECTION VS. APPOINTMENT.

Would it be Better to Elect Postmasters by Popular Vote?

Back in New York there is revival of a matter mooted some years ago, namely, the selection of postmasters by popular vote, thereby relieving Congressmen and the Chief Executive of the nation of much worry and embarrassment, and extending the principle of democracy to the details as well as to the general ordering of our political life.

It appears that the proponent of the New York scheme is Hamilton Fish, who put the election plan into operation in the nomination of a postmaster for Fishkill Landing. The matter has been rather widely commented on by the press of that section, and the burden of that comment ascribes the credit of originality to Mr. Fish. While pointing out that the idea did not originate at Fishkill Landing, the New York Sun has the following upon the subject which, according to our notion, is tolerably interesting reading:

"The idea in question is that of electing village and even more important postmasters by a popular vote. Experience tells us that in the whole world of politics there is no struggle so urgent and acrimonious as that over the local postoffice, none which calls into play so many animosities and heartburnings. Delegations journey to Washington and harass the President with their petty rivalries. Congressmen get by the ears and burden the air with their vociferation. Jealousies multiply and dark intrigues are set afoot. The unhappy President, who knows nothing about the conditions, is torn between the contending phalanxes, and often wishes, as well he might, that he had never been born. Tempests in teapots, no doubt, but far more terrible and devastating than any cyclone or tornado."

Whether there would or would not be advantage in subjecting the disposal of patronage to the action of the plebiscite is matter that might lead to warm and long-continued discussion, and without resolving anything worth while at that. There may be more or less popular opinion that Congressmen, and the President, who is the dominant party leader, would be overjoyed to be rid of the worry, embarrassment and the rest, but all that will prove visionary when put to the practical test. Federal patronage is too valuable a political weapon to be laid down because

of inconvenience in handling it. We have frequently heard it said that where one political friend is gained by official appointment, a score of enemies may be counted among those who failed to get the job. But with all that the politicians in Congress or in Administrative circles will never declare for the surrender of that power which the disposal of this patronage confers.—Telegram.

FOR SALE In any part of the city or in country towns large and small hotels, large and small lodging houses, large and small restaurants, large and small cigar stores, large and small grocery stores, large and small cottages to rent and the furniture for sale on the installment plan. If you want to buy or sell write to me. Send a self addressed stamped envelope for details.

H. H. HIGLEY.

The only hotel broker in the city of Portland. 289 Second St.

Opportunity.

Many do with opportunity as children do at the sea-shore; they fill their little hands with sand, then let the grains fall through one by one, till they are all gone.

Four things don't come back; the spoken word; the sped arrow; the past life; and the neglected opportunity. Opportunity has hair in front, behind she is bald; if you seize her by the forelock you may hold her, but if suffered to escape, not Jupiter himself can catch her again. Opportunities are the offers of God. Heaven gives us enough when it gives us opportunity. Great opportunities are generally the result of wise improvement of small ones. Wise men make more opportunities than they find. If you think your opportunities are not good enough, you had better improve them. Remember you are responsible for talents, for time and opportunities; improve them as one that must give an account. Make hay while the sun shines. Gather roses while they bloom. And it is a "lead pipe cinch" that you will finish in front.—Lend A Hand.

Tell Your Neighbors

When in need of a cough medicine to use Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey. It is the best. Look for the bell on the Bottle.

Dr. Bell's Antiseptic Salve Good for all Skin Diseases.

NOTICE.

Pursuant to an order of the County Court of Jackson County, Oregon, the undersigned, as foreign guardian of Annabel MacKinnon, a minor, will from and after the twenty-third day of May, 1910, proceed to sell at private sale for cash, the interests of said minor in and to Lots three (3) and four (4) and the South half (S 1/2) of Northwest quarter (NW 1/4) of Section two (2), Township thirty-four (34) South, Range three (3) West of the Willamette Meridian, in Jackson County, Oregon, the interests of said minor being the fee simple title subject to the dower right of the undersigned; and the undersigned will sell and convey with the minor's said interest her own dower right; that is to say, the fee simple title free from dower will be sold. Bids will be received at the Jackson County Bank, Medford, Oregon.

CAROLINE LOUISE MACKINNON, Foreign Guardian of Annabel MacKinnon, a minor.

EXECUTOR'S FINAL NOTICE.

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF OREGON, IN AND FOR JACKSON COUNTY. Estate of Kinder K. Boaz, deceased. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned executor of the estate of said decedent has filed in the county court of the State of Oregon, for Jackson County, his final account of his administration of said estate, and the county court has fixed Monday, May 23, 1910, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, in the court room of said court, in the court house at Jacksonville, Jackson County, Oregon, as the time and place for hearing of said final account.

All persons interested are hereby notified to make, or file their objections to said final account with the said court, if any they have, on or before said day and time.

Dated at Jacksonville, Oregon, April 18, 1910. T. J. KIRKNEY, Executor of the estate of Kinder K. Boaz, deceased.

Notice of Sheriff's Sale Under Execution.

By virtue of an execution and order of sale, duly issued by the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the County of Jackson, State of Oregon, dated the 11th day of April, 1910, in a certain action in the Circuit Court for said County and State wherein Charles Prim and W. L. Vawter as plaintiffs, recovered judgment against The Revenue Mining Company, a corporation, for the sum of Seven Hundred (\$700.00) Dollars, together with interest thereon at the rate of 4 per cent per annum from the 1st day of May, 1909, and costs and disbursements taxed at Sixteen (\$16.00) Dollars, on the 5th day of January, 1910.

Notice is hereby given that I will on the 16th day of May, 1910, at the Court House door in Jacksonville, in said County, at 2 o'clock P. M. of said day, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, all the right, title and interest that said defendants had in and to the following property on and from the 28th day of October, 1909, and described as follows, to-wit: The south-east quarter of the north-east quarter and the east half of the south-west quarter of Section eleven (11), in Township thirty-seven (37) South, of Range three (3) West, of Willamette Meridian, in Jackson County, Oregon.

Taken and levied upon as the property of the said defendant, The Revenue Mining Company, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the said judgment in favor of said plaintiff, Charles Prim and W. L. Vawter, against said Revenue Mining Company, with interest thereon, together with all costs and disbursements that have or may accrue.

W. A. JONES, Sheriff, By R. B. Dow, Deputy. Dated at Jacksonville, Oregon, April 13, 1910.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed by the county court of Oregon, for Jackson County, administrator of the estate of James Berry Rodgers, deceased. All persons having claims against the said estate are hereby notified to present the same to the undersigned, duly verified, at his residence at Beulah Oregon or to his attorney, Gus Newbury, at Medford, Oregon, on or before six months from the date hereof.

April 2nd, 1910. CHARLES OSCAR RODGERS, Administrator of the estate of James Berry Rodgers, deceased.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF OREGON, FOR JACKSON COUNTY. In the matter of the estate of Margaret D. Long, deceased.

Notice is hereby given, that Edward Palmer has been duly appointed administrator of said estate, and all persons having claims against the estate of said decedent are hereby notified to present the same, duly authenticated, to the undersigned administrator of said estate, at his residence in Medford, Oregon, within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice, which date of first publication is April, 16th 1910.

EDWARD PALMER, Administrator of the estate of Margaret D. Long, deceased.

SUMMONS.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF OREGON, FOR JACKSON COUNTY. Levi Stewart, Plaintiff, vs. Orilla Stewart, Defendant.

To Orilla Stewart, the above named defendant: IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF OREGON, You are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint of plaintiff filed in the above entitled court and cause within ten days after the date of service of this summons upon you. If served within Jackson County, Oregon, if served personally upon you out of the State of Oregon, then within six weeks after the date of such service; but if served by publication of said summons then within six weeks after the date of first publication thereof, and you are hereby notified that if you fail to appear and answer said complaint as hereby required, the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief prayed for in the complaint, to-wit: for a decree of divorce.

Under and by virtue of an order made by Hon. F. M. Calkins, judge of said court, dated the 31st day of March, 1910, this summons is served on the defendant by publication thereof for six successive weeks in the Jacksonville Post, a weekly newspaper printed and published at Jacksonville, Jackson County, Oregon, and the defendant by said order is required to appear and answer said complaint within six (6) weeks from the date of first publication. The date of the first publication of said summons is April 9th 1910, and the date of the last publication is May 21st 1910.

J. A. LEMERY, Attorney for Plaintiff.

TAKE NOTICE

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF JACKSON. In the matter of the application of John L. Thorndike to Register Title to the following described real property, situated in Jackson County Oregon, to-wit:

Lots numbered One (1), Two (2), and Three (3), in Block number Two (2), of Meeker's Addition to the City of Medford, as numbered, designated, and described on the official plat thereof, now of record.

vs. O. F. Paxton, and ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN, Defendants.

TAKE NOTICE That on the 29th day of March, A. D. 1910, an application was filed by said John L. Thorndike in the Circuit Court of Jackson County, for initial registration of the title of the land above described.

Now, unless you appear on or before the 7th day of May, A. D. 1910, and show cause why such application shall not be granted, the same will be taken as confessed, and a decree will be entered according to the application and you will be forever barred from disputing the same.

WITNESS my hand and the seal of this Court, hereto affixed this, 30th day of March, A. D. 1910.

W. K. COLEMAN, (Seal) County Clerk of Jackson County, Oregon, and ex-officio Clerk of the Circuit Court.

Fred W. Mears, Attorney for Applicant.

SUMMONS.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON, FOR JACKSON COUNTY. Anna Green, Plaintiff, vs. Willie Green, Defendant.

To Willie Green, the above named defendant: IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF OREGON, you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint of plaintiff filed in the above entitled court and cause within six weeks from the date of the first publication of this summons, which is April 2nd 1910. And if you fail to appear and answer within the time required, for want thereof the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief prayed for and demanded in her complaint, viz: For a decree of the court dissolving the bonds of matrimony heretofore and now existing between plaintiff and defendant, and for the custody of the minor child of plaintiff and defendant, and for such other and further relief as to the court may seem just and equitable.

This summons is served by publication in the Jacksonville Post, by order of Hon. F. M. Calkins, Judge of said court, said order having been made and entered on the 28th day of March, 1910.

GUS NEWBURY, Attorney for Plaintiff.

First publication, April 2, 1910.

SUMMONS

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR JACKSON COUNTY. Mary Eastlick, Plaintiff, vs. W. W. Eastlick, Defendant. Suit For Divorce.

To W. W. Eastlick, the above named defendant: IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF OREGON, you are hereby required to appear and answer the plaintiff's complaint against you now on file in the above entitled court and cause, on or before the last day of the time prescribed in the order for publication of this summons, to-wit: on or before the 2nd day of May, 1910, said date being the expiration of six weeks from the day of first publication of this summons. And if you fail to appear and answer, for want thereof, the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in said complaint, succinctly stated, as follows:

That the bonds of matrimony existing between plaintiff and defendant be forever dissolved and abrogated; that plaintiff's former name, Mary E. Ross, be reinstated and restored to her, and that the costs and disbursements of this suit be taxed to the defendant.

This summons is published in the Jacksonville Post, by order of Hon. F. M. Calkins, Judge of the above entitled court, which said order was made and entered of record on the 18th day of March, 1910, and the first publication hereof is the 20th day of March, 1910.

W. E. PHIPPS, orney for Plaintiff.

AN IRRESISTIBLE BARGAIN \$2.25 Value for Only \$1.75 ALL FOR ONLY One Year's Subscription for McCall's Magazine \$1.75 Any 15-Cent McCall Pattern you may select One Year's Subscription for Jacksonville Post McCall's Magazine In a large, artistic, handsomely illustrated hundred-page monthly magazine. It contains sixty new Fashion Designs in each issue. Every woman needs it for its up-to-date fashions, entertaining stories and complete information on all home and personal topics. Over one million subscribers. Regular price 5 cents a copy. Worth double. McCall's attorns So Simple you cannot misunderstand them. Absolutely accurate. In style irreproachable. You may select, free, any McCall Pattern you desire from the first number of the magazine which reaches you. Regular price 15 cents. The Jacksonville Post One of the best edited papers in this part of the State. Gives all the news that's fit to print. Interesting and progressive. Indispensable in every Jacksonville home. Regular price, \$1.50 per year. Don't Miss This Extraordinary Offer Call at our office or address order to JACKSONVILLE POST, Jacksonville, Ore

Charles F. Dunford DRAYAGE Express, Freight, General Delivery. Teaming to all Parts of the Country. Nothing too Heavy or too Light. Agents for Colestin Mineral Water. JACKSONVILLE OREGON

Jacksonville Bakery and Delicatessen B. WETZEL, Prop. All kinds of prepared lunch goods. Sandwiches. Picnics and party supplies a specialty. Telephone 134 Fresh Bread, Cakes and Pies, constantly on hand. Call and see us.

Here's the Opportunity Are You the Man? If an employer should say to you, "I want a man for an important position," would you be the right man? Opportunities like this are coming constantly to men trained by the International Correspondence Schools, an institution that qualifies men to take advantage of every opening; to command high salaries; to succeed in the best positions. Employers are daily applying to the Students' Aid Department of the I.C.S. for men to fill positions of responsibility. During last year over 4000 students VOLUNTARILY reported advancement in position and salaries, and this was but a small part of the whole number advanced. Why don't YOU get in line for a good position? No matter who you are, what you can do, or how little you earn, the I.C.S. can help you in your own home, in your spare time to a better position and earnings. The first step is to mail this coupon. It costs you nothing to do this and will bring you information and help that may eventually be worth thousands of dollars, MAIL IT NOW. Claude C. Downing Representative Address all Communications to Box 114, Ashland, Oregon

International Correspondence Schools International Text Book Co., Proprietors SCRANTON, PA. Please explain, without further obligation to me how I can qualify for a larger salary in the occupation, or gain a knowledge of the subject, before which I have marked X. Ad Writing, Show-Card Writing, Window Trimming, Bookkeeping, Stenography, Commercial Law, Illustrating, Ornamental Designing, Sign Painting, Stationary Engineering, Mechanical Drafting, Teaching, Navigation, Sheet-Metal Drafting, Electrical Engineering, Electric Lighting, Electric Railway Work, Telephone Engineering, Architecture, Constructing and Building, Structural Engineering, Architectural Drafting, Heating and Ventilation, Plumbing, Civil Engineering, Bridge Engineering, Railroad Construction, Surveying, Mining Engineering, Metallurgy, Chemistry, Textile Manufactures, French, German, Spanish, English Branches, Preparation for U.S. Civil Service Examinations. Name, Street and No., City, State.

ADVERTISE IN THE POST.

LEVI STRAUSS & CO'S OVERALLS strong, durable, comfortable garments for workmen