

# Expectations

By EDUARD K. DROANE

I esteem those boys who are obliged to fight their own way up in the world most fortunate and those brought up to wealth most unfortunate.

I came of a family of the middle class and from childhood was made to understand that I would have to fight my own way in the world. But I was given an education, which is considerable, and usually is essential to success. At sixteen I was about to accept a position in business when an uncle of mine suddenly made a fortune by a deal in the stock market. He had the good sense to invest his gains in good first mortgage bonds and never afterward risked a cent in speculation.

My uncle was a bachelor sixty years old, and my mother was his favorite sister. He had always shown a partiality for me and proposed to my mother that he should send me to college and make me his heir, for he claimed that he had no desire to marry and if he should marry at his time of life he would wish he had not married. I longed for a college education and for my part was glad to accept my uncle's proposition.

I spent four years at college, my expenses being paid by my uncle. Indeed, he gave me an allowance that enabled me to associate with such of my fellow students as were not obliged to earn their living or a part of it while getting their education.

When I was graduated with a fair standing in my class I was one of the all around prominent men of it. I began the study of a profession—at my uncle's expense—and had nearly finished it when I received a telegram that my uncle was very ill. I went to him at once and assumed the direction of his household. His illness was destined to be a protracted one, and, there being no one but myself to do anything for him, I assumed charge not only of his domestic but his other affairs.

I spent five years ministering to the old man, living in his house with him and devoting myself exclusively to him. I regretted that my professional studies had been broken into, but since I was heir to a fortune and had what money I needed I did not repine. True, my uncle was very irritable and often tried my patience, but the doctors assured me that he could live only a few years at most, and then, having means at my command, I could make up for lost time, for, he it understood, I was not content to live in idleness and especially desired a career.

My uncle lingered longer than had been expected, and toward the last I found the work of ministering him very trying. I suggested cards, and he was pleased with the idea. He had been a poker player in his time, and by playing with him for a small stake I got through many hours that would otherwise have been a burden. Nevertheless playing penny ante with a broken down old man hour after hour was not to me a pleasing way of spending my time, and when my uncle proposed to raise the stake to 5 cents I acquiesced.

This was a mistake. He was a natural gambler, and it was a knowledge of his fact—a fact that he would lose what he had made in the stock market—that led him to quit "the street." Since then his passion for gambling had lain dormant. It was now excited anew. He kept raising the stake, and I did not dare to oppose him. When he got the value of a chip up to 25 cents I began to be troubled. However, I hoped that by refusing to win I might keep out of trouble, for I realized that to win any considerable amount from him would irritate him, and in his broken condition I feared he might break with me.

One afternoon when he was more cheerful than usual I got out the cards and the chips. During the sitting there occurred one of those marvelous runs of luck by which players are enabled to break banks. A Jack pot had been growing on the table for some time when I was dealt three queens and drew a fourth. I would have bet a small sum, but since the cards must be shown I feared to irritate my uncle by appearing to favor him. At the showdown he had a full of aces, which gave me the pot.

From that time the devil seemed to be in the cards. Whenever I dealt I gave myself large hands and invariably gave my uncle hands but a little below mine. When I had a straight flush he would have a full; when I had three aces he would have three lower cards. Terrified, I attempted to deal him a hand larger than mine. He caught me in the act.

For some time I had seen by his expression that he suspected I was intentionally dealing to myself big hands and to him hands but a little smaller to draw him on. When he caught me trying to deal him a winner he fell back on the pillows behind him and pointed to the door. In vain I endeavored to explain. He continued to point to the door, and I left hoping when he had cooled to renew my efforts to disabuse his mind of his impression. He sent word for me to leave the house and never enter it again.

The next day he changed his will, leaving his fortune to charities, and a further result of the episode was his death a few days later.

I am over thirty years old, have never earned a cent in my life and don't know how to begin to do so.

This comes of waiting for dead men's shoes.

## Big Eyes, Big Brain.

Professor Laugier, a French scientist, has discovered that the size of the brain in animals is in exact proportion to the size of the eyes. The bigger the eyes the bigger the brain; of course this only applies to each class of animal. A tiger may have bigger eyes than a man for instance, but it doesn't follow that it has a bigger brain. But the tiger with big eyes is more cunning and brainy than a tiger with small eyes. Professor Laugier made this remarkable discovery when studying the habits of the fish known as the dorade or gilthead. There are two kinds of dorade, one pink and the other gray. The gray fish has a much smaller eye than the pink one. The scientist cut open a large number of these fish in his experiments and was struck by the fact that the large eyed fish always had the largest brain. He promptly followed up this discovery by testing other animals. He found, for example, that the little tree frog had a much larger eye than the larger marsh frog and had also a larger brain. He asserts that the same rule applies among higher animals.

Joaquin Miller in London. Joaquin Miller is especially felicitous in his description of mountains and sea. His phrasing is strong and, though sometimes strained, vivid and true:

Afar the bright Sierras lie  
A swaying line of snowy white,  
A fringe of heaven hung in slight  
Against the blue base of the sky.

And this is aptly descriptive of the ocean foaming on the shore:

The ocean's thin and hoary hair  
Is trailed along the silver sands.

After the late Lord Houghton climbed the attic stairs to Joaquin's room and found him sleeping under a buffalo robe the crude young westerner became a familiar figure in London social circles. He did not abandon his frontier costume, but invaded London drawing rooms with trousers tucked into his boots and his tawny hair and beard flowing uncut over a scarlet shirt. He afterward settled in Washington as a journalist and in 1887 removed to California.—Westminster Gazette.

Slander in Pantomime. An amusing feud of two families in the County Mayo, the Sweeneys and the Caseys, was before the justices at Kiltinagh on summonses, Mr. McGinley, district inspector of constabulary, elucidating its incidents.

One of the Caseys having been ordered to wear spectacles, Sweeney, for ridicule, paraded before their house in a pair of tin goggles. Two Caseys next appeared. One dropped a purse, which the other seized and ran away with. This, said the inspector, was to indicate that a Sweeney had been sent to a reformatory for purse stealing.

Two Sweeneys retaliated in the street by one of them, with dramatic flourish, aiming a wooden gun at the other. This meant, said the inspector, that a Casey, a water bullfinch, had been indicted for shooting at a man.—London Mail.

The Value of Accuracy. We strive so much to know everything that we lose sight of the fact that accuracy is more important than knowledge since knowledge that is rusty and fragile is a poor guide. But it is not only that what we know should be true as that the fact that accuracy is one of the most important elements of character. Vague ideas tend to make a weak character since "character is only another name for truth." So that in the education of every man and child accuracy should be made a vital part. One of the tests for entrance to the Naval academy is, or was, an addition of a column of figures to ascertain the quantity of carelessness, if any, the applicant has in his character. It should be made an important item in our education to require accuracy.—Ohio State Journal.

Where Sherlock Holmes Lived. The cattle show was regularly held in Baker street for many years before its removal to the Agricultural hall Baker street takes its name from Sir Edward Baker, a friend of the Mr. Portman who gave his name to Port man square and to whom the land belonged. The street has had its share of famous inhabitants. Bulwer Lytton was born and Mrs. Siddons died there. Pitt lived at its north end, and Henry Grattan, the orator, died there in 1820. And have you noticed how very small a street Baker street is?—London Globe.

Naturally. "I wonder," said Mrs. Giddy, "why those inquisitive people across the street are always looking into our windows?"

"Maybe," suggested her sharp tongued husband, "it's to find out why you are always looking into theirs."—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Keeps His Word. "Yes, sir," said Jenkins; "Smithers is a man who keeps his word; but, then, he has to."

"How is that?" asked Johnson.

"Because no one will take it."

An Old Firm. "Who painted Subbubs' house?"

"He told me the name of the con-man. I think he said it was done by Fitz & Startz."—Boston Transcript.

Sure Enough. Sillicus—What do you consider the first requisite of a good husband?

Cynicus—A good wife.—Philadelphia Record.

The hero is commonly the simplest and obscurest of men.—Thoreau.

## Oregon Sidelights.

The two upper stories of a business block going up at Eugene will be constructed of hollow tile from a plant located at Williamina.

W. S. Bowers has been chosen president of the Baker Commercial club, A. S. Shockley, vice president, H. J. O'Gorman secretary, and Horace Ryder, treasurer.

W. C. Gauntt, who has been principal of the Gervais public schools for the past two years, has accepted the principalship of the schools at Stayton for next year.

A business college man is about to establish at Corvallis an institution "designed to fit young people for business positions in the shortest length of time."

The Christian church at Lone, with 80 members, is building a house of worship that the Heppner Gazette-Times says will be "an ornament to their beautiful little city and an enduring monument to faithfulness, energy and enterprise."

The Barlow correspondent of the Canby Irrigator writes: "R. E. Irwin had the honor of receiving a medal for premium pump house a short time ago, showing that the pump house here is the best and cleanest pump house on the road."

Jefferson Review: Albany has a new \$5000 auto fire engine and it was out Saturday. It is a fire machine, but it did not cause anything like the excitement and interest created by the arrival of the old handbrake fire engine received there in 1870. Things do move.

"According to a careful estimate prepared by a Falls City firm, it is believed," says the Dallas Observer, "that the five new lumber mills which are preparing for the season's work will saw in the neighborhood of 180,000 feet of timber per day, making a monthly pay roll, as the Observer estimated last week, of from \$15,000 to \$20,000.—Journal.

A last amount of ill health is due to impaired digestion. When the stomach fails to perform its functions properly the whole system becomes deranged. A few doses of Chamberlain's Tablets is all you need. They will strengthen your digestion, invigorate your liver, and regulate your bowels, entirely doing away with that miserable feeling due to faulty digestion. Try it. Many others have been permanently cured—why not you? For sale by all dealers.

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Notice of Sheriff's Sale Under Execution. By virtue of an execution and order of sale issued by the clerk of the circuit court of the State of Oregon, in and for the County of Jackson, dated the 13th day of May, 1913, in a certain suit in the Circuit for said County and State, wherein Thomas McAndrew as plaintiff recovered judgment against George B. Young, A. T. Brown and Celia E. Brown, his wife, as defendants, in the sum of Six Thousand (\$6000.00) Dollars, with interest thereon from the 8th day of September, 1911, at the rate of six per cent per annum, and for the further sum of Seventy-one and 45/100 (\$71.45) Dollars, taxes, penalties and interest paid by plaintiff on the premises described in the complaint for the year 1911, and the further sum of One Hundred and One and 23/100 (\$101.23) Dollars, taxes and penalty paid by plaintiff on said premises for the year 1912, and the further sum of Ninety-three and 94/100 (\$93.94) Dollars, taxing assessment and interest paid by said plaintiff on said premises that was due October 7, 1912, and the further sum of Five Hundred (\$500.00) Dollars, attorney's fees, and the further sum of Sixteen (\$16.00) Dollars, costs and disbursements:

Public Notice is Hereby Given, that I will, on MONDAY, JUNE 10th, 1913, at the front door of the Court House in Jacksonville, Oregon, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, offer for sale and will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash in hand the following described real property, situated and being in Jackson County, Oregon, to-wit:

Lot number six (6) in Block number twenty-two (22) of the Town (now City) of Medford, according to the original official plat thereof, now of record.

This sale is made by virtue of an execution and order of sale on foreclosure of a bond for deed, decreed by the Circuit Court of Jackson County, Oregon, on May 10, 1913, to be a mortgage on said premises, which said bond for deed bears date of September 6, 1910, and is shown of record in Volume 53 at page 108 of the Deed Records of Jackson County, Oregon, and which was executed by Thomas McAndrew in favor of George B. Young, one of defendants in said suit, and assigned by him to the other defendants, and I will sell said real property or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said judgment, attorney's fees, costs and accruing costs.

Dated at Jacksonville, Oregon, on this 13th day of May, 1913.

W. H. SINGLER,  
Sheriff of Jackson County, Oregon.  
By E. W. WILSON, Deputy.

Notice of Publication. DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, U. S. Land Office at Roseburg, Oregon, April 11 1913.

Notice is hereby given that Edwin Pierce, of Buncom, Oregon, who, on September 23, 1911, made Homestead Entry Serial No. 07555, for beginning at the NE cor. Sec. 27, T. 39, S. R. 2, W. W. M. extending thence E. 29.93 chains, thence S. 40 degrees, W. 19.55 chains, thence N. 88 degrees, W. 17.52 chains. Thence N. 14.49 chains to place of beginning, Sec. 26, Township 39, S., Range 2, west Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before W. H. Canon United States Commissioner, at Medford, Oregon, on the 31 day of May, 1913.

Claimant names as witnesses: George Trask, of Buncom, Oregon, W. O. Garrett, of Buncom, Oregon, Nelson Pursell, of Buncom, Oregon, George A. Gault, of Buncom, Oregon.

B. J. JONES, Register.

## Notice of Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of an execution and order of sale issued by the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the County of Jackson, State of Oregon, dated the 9th day of May, 1913, in a certain suit in the Circuit Court for said County and State, wherein Jerry Numan as Plaintiff recovered judgment against Clinton Texter for the sum of One Hundred Eighty Seven and 50/100 (\$187.50) Dollars, with interest thereon from the 16th day of April, 1913 at the rate of 8 per cent per annum and fifty (\$50.00) Dollars attorney's fee, and the further sum of Eleven (\$11.00) Dollars costs.

Public notice is hereby given that I will on SATURDAY, JUNE 14, 1913, at the front door of the Court House in Jacksonville, in said County and State, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day sell at Public Auction to the highest bidder for cash in hand the following described real property:

The Southeast quarter of Section 8 in Township 34 South of Range 4, West of the Willamette Meridian, in Jackson County, Oregon.

This sale is made by virtue of an execution and order of sale on the foreclosure of a mortgage given by said Defendant to said Plaintiff on the above described property, dated November 5th, 1908 and recorded in Volume 21, Page 230, March 8th, 1909 and I will sell the above property or so much thereof as shall be necessary to satisfy said judgment, attorney's fee, costs and accruing costs.

Dated at Jacksonville, Oregon, on this 9th day of May 1913.

W. H. SINGLER, Sheriff.  
By E. W. WILSON, Deputy.

## Citation.

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR THE COUNTY OF JACKSON.

In the Matter of the Estate of James Cook, deceased.

Citation to Show Cause on Application to Sell Real Property.

To Lucinda Denson, William Cook, George W. Cook, Dan Harrington, Susie Lencone, Annie Warner, Mary Pope, Harry Harrington, Frank Harrington, Wesley Harrington, Nora Parker (otherwise known as Nora Bowles) Annie Cook and John Cook, and to all Other Heirs Unknown of James Cook, if any such there be:

It appearing to my satisfaction upon reading the petition of John Cook, as administrator of the estate of James Cook, deceased, duly verified the 30th day of April, 1913, and this day duly presented and filed herein, that in order to pay the charges, expenses and claims against the estate that the following described premises, or a portion thereof, should be sold, namely, the South half of the Northeast quarter and the North half of the Southeast quarter of Section Twenty (20), Township 34 South, Range Three (3) East of the Willamette Meridian in Jackson County, Oregon.

It is Ordered, that a citation shall issue to Lucinda Denson, William Cook, George W. Cook, Dan Harrington, Susie Lencone, Annie Warner, Mary Pope, Harry Harrington, Frank Harrington, Wesley Harrington, Nora Parker (otherwise known as Nora Bowles) Annie Cook, and John Cook, heirs of James Cook, deceased, and to all other heirs unknown, if any such there be, and directing them to appear at the court room of said County at the County Court House at Jacksonville, in the County of Jackson, Oregon, to show cause, if any exist, why an order should not be made, authorizing the said administrator to sell so much of the above described real property of the said deceased as shall be necessary, as prayed for in said petition.

And it further appearing from said petition that none of the above mentioned heirs, except John Cook, the petitioner, resides within the state of Oregon; but that all of them, except the said John Cook, reside in the state of California.

It is Further Ordered, that said citation be served upon each one of said non-resident heirs by publishing the same in the Jacksonville Post, a newspaper published in Jackson County, Oregon, once a week for four successive weeks prior to June 2nd, 1913. Dated May 1st, 1913.

F. L. TOU VELLE, County Judge.

## 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, for the County of Jackson and State of Oregon, dated the 18th day of April, 1912, in a certain action in the Justice's Court, in and for the Precinct of Jacksonville, Jackson County, State of Oregon, wherein Tenna, Cross & Company, a corporation, as Plaintiff recovered judgment on the 19th day of July 1912 against L. D. Canfield, as defendant, for the sum of One Hundred Seventy Seven and 74/100 Dollars with interest thereon in the sum of Twelve and 100/100 Dollars (\$12.80) and for the further sum of Six Dollars (\$6.00) costs and disbursements, as appears by the transcript of the judgment and proceeding had before said Justice's Court, at Jacksonville, Jackson County, Oregon. And the transcript of which said judgment was duly docketed in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court for said County and State, on the 6th day of August, A. D. 1912, and the sum of One Hundred Ninety Six and 64/100 Dollars together with interest thereon at the rate of 6 per cent per annum from date of judgment, is now actually due on said judgment, and the sum of Two and 50/100 Dollars accrued costs and disbursements.

Now therefore, Public notice is hereby given that I will on MONDAY, MAY, 19th 1913, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the front door of the Court House in Jacksonville, Jackson County, Oregon, offer for sale and will sell at Public Auction to the highest bidder for cash in hand all the right, title and interest of said defendant in and to the following described real property situated in Jackson County, Oregon.

The North half of the South half of section twenty-two (22) township thirty-four (34) South of range three (3) West of the Willamette Meridian.

Taken and levied upon as the property of said defendant or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said judgment above mentioned together with all costs and disbursements that have or may accrue.

Dated at Jacksonville, Jackson County, Oregon, this 17th day of April.

AUG. D. SINGLER,  
Sheriff of Jackson County, Oregon.

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## SUMMONS

IN THE JUSTICE'S COURT OF THE DISTRICT OF MEDFORD, FOR JACKSON COUNTY, STATE OF OREGON.

W. H. Barr, Plaintiff, vs. S. C. Lee, Defendant.

Action to recover money. To S. C. Lee, Defendant. In the name of the State of Oregon: You are hereby summoned to appear and answer the plaintiff's complaint against you now on file in the above entitled court and cause on or before the 9th day of June, 1913, said date being the expiration of six weeks from the day of the first publication of this summons.

And you are hereby notified that if you fail to appear and answer for want thereof, plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief prayed for in the complaint, succinctly stated as follows: for a judgment for the sum of \$153.65, and interest on said sum from the 19th day of April, 1913, and for costs of this action.

This summons is published in the Jacksonville Post by order of the Honorable G. O. Taylor, Justice of the Peace in and for the above entitled district, which said order was made and entered of record on the 24th day of April, 1913, which order requires you to appear on or before the last day prescribed in this summons. The date of the first publication of this summons is the 25th day of April, 1913.

MULKEY & CHERRY  
Attorneys for Plaintiff, Medford, Oregon.

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24 Grants Pass Motor.....10:31 A.M.  
32 Grants Pass Motor.....4:58 P.M.  
14 Oregon Express.....5:45 P.M.  
16 Oregon Express.....5:58 P.M.  
12 Shasta Limited (Mail only) 2:35 A.M.

### SOUTH BOUND TRAINS.

23 Ashland Motor.....8:45 A.M.  
13 California Express.....10:52 A.M.  
31 Ashland Motor.....2:24 P.M.  
15 San Francisco Express...3:35 P.M.  
11 Shasta Limited (Mail only) 5:47 A.M.

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