

Fruits of Mexico.

Mexico is the fruit paradise. Fruits never heard of by the hundreds of millions who live in the temperate zones grow there in profusion, and Avocado, on the Pacific slope, is perhaps the garden spot of it all. It is noted for the great quantity of indigenous varieties which grow spontaneously. With the exception of some indifferent cultivation of coconuts and bananas everything else grows wild and in luxuriance.

Of the fruits known in the United States this district alone produces bananas, oranges, pineapples, mangoes, limes and lemons. And here are a few more of other varieties never seen above the border line: Toronjas, a species of grapefruit; the aguacate, papaya, guayabo, chico, zapote, mamey, lama, anone, granada, calmita, cartajena, meson, wamucho, jicane, tamarindo, nanche, bulcon, leacos, almendra (almond), ciruela (plum), and a doubtfully many others.

But so indifferent are the natives to their possibilities that nothing is exported except the lime and its products.—Exchange.

Made Two Foes With One Sketch.

Scutari in Albania is needlessly confused with its namesake on the Bosphorus in Asia Minor because one place is always spelled and pronounced Skodra, except in western Europe. Edward Lear, the painter who invented "Limbericks," had a quaint adventure here. He had made a drawing of his host in Skodra costume when a younger brother of the model came in and wanted to be sketched. Lear for lack of paper was obliged to make a smaller portrait of him on the same page. Thereupon the younger exclaimed in a fury of indignation: "It is true I am younger, but I am not smaller than my brother. Why do you act so insultingly?" Before the amazed artist could apologize the elder brother added, "If you think to win my esteem by a compliment paid me at the expense of my brother you are greatly mistaken." Lear adds, "I had made two enemies by one sketch, the injured brothers bowing me out with looks of thunder."—London Standard.

How to Get Rugs Cleaned.

She told the agent for the vacuum cleaner that she really did intend to buy one, but could not decide which to choose. It was at this time that another agent, for another vacuum cleaner, came around the corner of the north side home. An argument ensued. "This cleaner is nickel plated; it is light and compact, the rubber is the best vulcanized." "My machine, lady," interrupted the second agent, "is the lightest and most durable machine on the market. It is—"

"Excuse me," said the woman of the house. She was absent a moment, then reappeared with a rug. "We shall see now which is the better," she said. Ten minutes later she excused her self again and entered the house with a spotted rug. Two agents shook hands and swore they would "never tell."—Indianapolis News.

Hair High in the Air.

Women's hair used to be dressed to an amazing height in days of old. Formerly doorways had to be heightened to accommodate the eighteenth century woman of fashion. Marie Antoinette's hairdresser had to mount a stool in order to get above his work. Women of that time had to kneel in their couches to get their heads covered inside or drive with their heads out of window. Mme. de Genlis was caught by her hair while hastening to greet Voltaire at Ferney, but escaped Abigail's fate, her hair remaining on the bough. And the Duchesse de Chartres had room on her hair one evening for a miniature man-of-war in full sail, on another for a representation of her little son, Louis Philippe, sleeping in the lap of his nurse.

Gaelic.

Gaelic is the language of the highlanders of Scotland. The name belongs also to the sister languages of Ireland and the Isle of Man, but these have other names more commonly applied to them—Irish and Manx—and the term Gaelic is usually reserved for that spoken in Scotland. The three languages were originally one and now stand in much the same relation to each other that broad Scotch does to King's English.

Misplaced Sympathy.

"You don't mean to say that Dugone is dead?" "Yes, sir; and I married his widow." "Dear me! You don't say! Poor fellow!" "Don't be at all sorry for him, old man. He has the laugh on me all right."—Life.

A Little Mixed.

Sportsman: I wonder what's become of Mike? I told him to meet me here before—Ah, his no use telling him anything! Shure, sorr, at just goes in at war and out at the other. Like wather off a duck's back!—London Tit-Bits.

Same Thing.

Wife (bitterly)—How can you talk that way? You know that I never pester you for money. Hub—No, but the people you buy things from do.—Boston Transcript.

Conservation.

Mrs. Knicker—I thought you promised to star on the water wagon while I was away? Knicker—I did, but the plants used it all up.—New York Sun.

The mole would live beneath the ground, and nature closed his eyes.—Henry Drummond.

Fined For Not Voting.

The outstanding feature of most British elections is the large number of electors who fail to record their vote. In some countries voting is compulsory and electors are fined if they do not do their duty as citizens and pay themselves of the franchise.

According to the universal suffrage law of Australia, all those on the register must record their votes, and at the last general election in that country 50,000 electors were fined sums from \$5. 4d. downward because they neglected to go to the polls.

Spain is another country that looks on voting as a national duty, at least in a municipal election. Should a citizen omit to cast his vote his name is published as a defaulter, his taxes are increased by 2 per cent, while if he be in the public service his salary is reduced by 1 per cent. Should he commit the fault a second time he is debarred forever from holding an elective position or an appointment under government.—London Spare Moments.

Wiles of the Waiter.

"I know I am looking like a fright tonight," the woman said. The man studied her dress, her hair and her complexion closely. "I don't see anything the matter with you," he said. "So far as I can see, you are looking as well as usual." "But I am not," she insisted. "There is something wrong, and that head waiter saw at a glance what it was. If I had been up to the mark he wouldn't have put us away over here in this out of the way corner. He would have given us a table right under the chandelier in the middle of the room."

"All the best dressed people are always seated in the most conspicuous places, so as to make the restaurant look more attractive. I am glad to say that that is where I usually sit. The plain people are ranged along the sides of the room, just as we are tonight."

"That is why I know I am not looking well."—New York Times.

Degeneration of Names.

Thomas Hardy showed his keen eye for the characteristic in giving his heroine the distinguished name of D'Urberville, corrupted by long rustic wear to Darbyfield. But many stately English names have gone further down hill than that, for example the mean and trivial Snooks, which has little to recall Sevenoaks. One would suppose that an easy prize winner in a degeneration race, yet Professor Weekley, in his book on the romance of English names, finds some that have descended as far and started higher. There is nothing very distinguished, for example, about Collins—a novelist would hardly dare use it save for a comic figure. As Quodling it is merely queer. As Querdling it begins to seem foreign, and the etymologist can make a shrewd guess where he is coming out; while Querdelyon is but the thinnest of masks for the illustrious Norman original, Coeur de Lion. In England the meanest little names may have the greatest history, especially if they started as French, which fares badly on English tongues.

Berberine Dalief.

Everything that goes wrong is attributed by the Berberines, a tribe of the Sudan, to the devil. Ethel S. Stevens, in "My Sudan Year," quotes a story told her by Bishop Gwynne of his "boy's" coming to him one day and announcing, "The devil is in the house." "Oh," said the bishop, "that is very interesting! When did he arrive?" "He came in with the cook from the souk market yesterday evening." "Really?" commented the bishop, puzzled. "Yes, and in the night he came out of the cook and passed into me." "Oh, and what did he do?" "He went to the cupboard and broke a plate and the top of the jam jar." "A light broke in on the bishop." "Oh, he was after the jam! I suppose he ate some?" "Yes," said the boy, "he did!" The idea of devil possession is not merely an elaborate form of excuse; the native servant really believes in it.

Doublesome Cucumbers.

A vandeville contortionist was "limbering up" in his dressing room, when a laundryman, who happened to open the door by mistake, stepped across the threshold and stood spellbound watching the performer, who was apparently tied in a knot on top of his trunk.

Noticing the look of consternation on the face of the unintentional intruder and resolving to have some fun at his expense, the contortionist assumed a look of deepest agony and groaned weakly.

"By grave that's the last time I'll ever eat cucumbers for supper!"—Judge.

Misunderstood.

The baby was slow about talking and his aunt was deploring that fact. Four-year-old Elizabeth listened anxiously.

"Oh, mother," she ventured at length, "do you think he'll grow up English? We couldn't any of us understand him if he turned out to be French."—Lippincott's.

The Reason Why.

The information editor received this letter from a fresh youth: "Kindly tell me why a girl always closes her eyes when a fellow kisses her." The editor replied: "If you will send us your photograph, we may be able to tell you the reason."—Ladies' Home Journal.

Summons.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON, FOR JACKSON COUNTY. State of Oregon, Plaintiff.

vs. F. A. Hyde and A. S. Baldwin, defendants.

To F. A. Hyde and A. S. Baldwin, above named defendants: In the NAME OF THE STATE OF OREGON, you and each of you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit on or before the 29th day of November, A. D. 1913, and if you or either of you fail to so appear and answer, for want thereof the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief prayed for in the complaint, a succinct statement of which is as follows: a decree cancelling and annulling certain deeds of the State of Oregon to A. S. Baldwin of date May 1913, 1899; a certain deed of the State of Oregon to F. A. Hyde dated July 10th, 1899; certain deeds of A. S. Baldwin and Emma C. his wife to F. A. Hyde dated June 7th, 1899, and certain deeds of F. A. Hyde and Filena T. his wife to United States of America dated June 14th, 1899, June 22nd, 1899 and July 26th, 1899, each pretending to convey certain lands situate in Township 31 South, Range 2 East, Township 32 South, Range 4 East, and Township 35 South, Range 4 East of Willamette Meridian, all in Jackson County, Oregon, and to cancel and annul all other contracts, certificates of sale, applications, etc., mentioned in the complaint relating to said lands described therein or any part thereof, and for costs and disbursements, and such other and further relief as may to the court seem equitable in the premises.

This summons is published in pursuance of an order of the Honorable F. M. Calkins, Judge of the above entitled Court, made and entered on the 15th day of October, 1913, directing this summons to be published for six consecutive weeks in the Jacksonville Post, a weekly newspaper of general circulation printed and published in Jacksonville, Jackson County, Oregon.

Dated at Salem, Oregon, this 15th day of October, 1913. Date of first publication Oct. 18, 1913. Date of final publication Nov. 29, 1913. A. M. CRAWFORD, Attorney for Plaintiff.

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE FARMERS AND FRUITGROWERS BANK, PLAINTIFF, vs. FRED H. THOMPSON, MAUDE C. THOMPSON AND ABNER Z. BOWEN, DEFENDANTS.

SUIT TO FORECLOSE A MORTGAGE. Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of an order of sale and decree of foreclosure and an execution thereof issued out of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, in and for the County of Jackson, in certain cause therein, wherein Farmers and Fruitgrowers Bank, is plaintiff and Fred H. Thompson and Maude C. Thompson and Abner Z. Bowen are defendants, which said execution is of date September 22nd, 1913, and was issued by virtue of a decree of said Court in said cause, which said decree was duly rendered and docketed in favor of the said plaintiff and against the said defendants, Fred H. Thompson and Maude C. Thompson, on the 19th day of September, 1913, and recorded in Volume 20 at pages 199 and 200 of the Circuit Court Journal.

I am commanded to sell and will at the hour of 9:30 o'clock A. M. MONDAY, OCTOBER 27th, 1913 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 of the right, title and interest that the said defendants Fred H. Thompson and Maude C. Thompson had on the 18th day of September, 1913, at any time hereafter, in or to the following described real property, situated in Jackson County, Oregon, to-wit:

Commencing in the center line of Newtown Street, formerly L. Street, extended, twelve hundred twenty-one and 66-100 feet (1221.66 ft.) west and seven and seven-tenths (7.7) feet (725.56 ft.) south of northeast corner of Section Thirty-six (36), in Township Thirty-seven (37) South of Range two (2) West of the Willamette Meridian, and running thence south along the center of said Newtown Street, extended, six hundred and five feet (605 ft.) to the center of the County road, thence east along the center of said County road and seven hundred and twenty feet (720 ft.) thence north six hundred and five feet (605 ft.); thence west seven hundred and twenty feet (720 ft.) to beginning. With the appurtenances. Taken and delivered upon by me as the property of said defendants.

And said property and the whole thereof will be sold at said time and place to satisfy the said judgment contained in said decree. Dated at Jacksonville, Oregon, September 25th, 1913. W. H. SINGLER, Sheriff of Jackson County, State of Oregon. By E. W. WILSON, Deputy.

Notice for Publication. DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR. U. S. Land Office at Roseburg, Oregon. October 7, 1913.

Notice is hereby given that Everett S. Lewman, of Provoit, Oregon, who on July 9, 1910, made Homestead Entry Serial No. 00143, for N 1/4 S. W. 1/4, Section 18, Township 38 S., Range 4 West Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Herbert Smith, United States Commissioner at Grants Pass, Oregon, on the 21st day of November, 1913. Claimant names as witnesses: Haley Fields, of Provoit, Oregon; William Ferris, of Provoit, Oregon; Judd Ash, of Aloha, Oregon; John Lewman, of Provoit, Oregon.

B. F. JONES, Register.

Notice of Final Account IN THE COUNTY COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON, FOR JACKSON COUNTY.

In the Matter of the Estate of John Facklam, Deceased. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned executor of the estate of John Facklam, deceased, has filed his final account in the above entitled Court, and that the said Court has fixed Monday, the 27th day of October, 1913, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day,

at the Court Room of said Court, in the County Court House, in the City of Jacksonville, Jackson County, Oregon, as the time and place of the hearing of said final account.

Any and all persons desiring to object to said final account or any part thereof, are hereby notified to make or file their objections thereto, if any they have, with the said Court, on or before said time. WILLIAM FACKLAM, Executor of Estate of John Facklam, Deceased. D. W. BAGSHAW, Jacksonville, Oregon, Attorney for Estate.

Summons. IN THE CIRCUIT COURT IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF JACKSON, STATE OF OREGON NELSON RAY GRAHAM, PLAINTIFF, vs. QUEENIA ESTELLE GRAHAM, DEFENDANT. Suit in Equity for Divorce.

To Queenia Estelle Graham, the above named Defendant: In the NAME OF THE STATE OF OREGON, You are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint of the above named plaintiff in the above entitled Court, now on file with the Clerk of said Court, within ten days from the date of service of this summons upon you, if served in any other County in the State of Oregon, then within twenty days from the date of the service of this summons upon you; or if personally served upon you out of the State of Oregon, then within six weeks after the date of such service; and if served by publication thereof, then within six weeks from the date of the first publication; 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 demanded in said complaint, namely, a decree dissolving the marriage contract existing between you and the said plaintiff, and for such other and further relief as to the Court may seem just and proper.

Under and by virtue of an order made by the Hon. F. M. Calkins, made and dated the 24th day of September, 1913, this summons is served on the defendant by the publication thereof for six successive weeks in the Jacksonville Post, a weekly newspaper printed and published at Jacksonville, Jackson County, State of Oregon, and the defendant by said order is required to appear and answer within six weeks from the date of the first publication hereof. Date of first publication September 27th, 1913. H. V. RICHARDSON, Attorney for Plaintiff, Ashland, Oregon.

Summons. IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR THE COUNTY OF JACKSON. Ellen E. Wells, Plaintiff, vs. William L. Wells, Defendant. Suit in Equity for divorce.

To William L. Wells 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 order for publication of summons therein, to-wit: on or before the 25th day of October 1913, 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 dissolved and abrogated; and that the costs and disbursements of this suit be taxed to defendant, and that plaintiff be allowed such other and further relief as to the Court seems just and equitable.

This summons is published in the Jacksonville Post, by order of Hon. F. L. Touville, Judge of the County Court of Jackson County Oregon which said order was made and entered of record on the 13th day of September 1913, and the first publication is the 13th day of September 1913. J. A. LEMERY, Attorney for Plaintiff.

Summons for Publication. IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR JACKSON COUNTY. George Gilman, Plaintiff, vs. Abigail Ball, widow of David Ball, deceased, Frank Ball, Addison Ball and Martha Ball, his wife, Orphan Haas, sometimes called Ortha Ann Haas and sometimes called Ortha Hays, the above named defendants, except Martha Ball, being referred to in the Matter of the Estate of David Ball, deceased, probated in the County Court of Jackson County, Oregon, as the heirs of said deceased, and all unknown heirs of said deceased and of said defendants and each of them; Wm. M. Floyd and — Floyd, his wife, Seth C. George and Margaret W. George, his wife, Charles Holloway and — Holloway, his wife; and all other persons or parties unknown, claiming any right, title, estate, lien or interest in the real estate described in the complaint herein; and Frances — the heir of Lorenzo Ball, deceased. Defendants. Suit to Quiet Title.

To Abigail Ball, widow of David Ball, deceased, Frank Ball, Addison Ball and Martha Ball, his wife, Orphan Haas, sometimes called Ortha Ann Haas and sometimes called Ortha Hays, Frances — the heir of Lorenzo Ball, deceased, the above named defendants, except Martha Ball, being referred to in the Matter of the Estate of David Ball, deceased, probated in the County Court of Jackson County, Oregon, as the heirs of David Ball, deceased, the said Frances — being referred to as "Frances — the heir of Lorenzo Ball, deceased," Wm. M. Floyd and — Floyd, his wife, and to all other persons or parties unknown, claiming any right, title, estate, lien or interest in the real estate hereinbefore described, defendants: You and each of you are hereby required to appear in the above entitled Court and cause and answer the complaint of the plaintiff filed therein against you on or before the last day of the publication of this summons. The date of the first publication is the 20th day of September, 1913, and the last publication the 8th day of November, 1913, as provided in the order of the above named court for the publication of this summons, said order directing that said summons shall be published at least once a week for six consecutive weeks, and designating the said 20th day of September, 1913, as the first day for the publication of said summons.

And you are hereby notified that if you fail to so appear and answer said complaint within said time the plaintiff will apply to the above entitled court for the relief prayed for in said complaint, to-wit: For a decree of this court quieting the title to the property hereinbefore described and adjudging that the defendants to whom this summons is directed, nor either of them, have any right, title or interest in or to said land or premises, or any part or parcel thereof; that said

defendants and each of them be forever enjoined and debarred from asserting any claim whatever in or to said land and premises adverse to the plaintiff, and for such other relief as this Honorable Court may deem most just and equitable. That the real property affected by this suit is situated in the County of Jackson and State of Oregon, and described as follows:

Beginning at the southwest corner of Donation Land Claim number 51, in Township 37 South of Range 1 West of the Willamette Meridian, and running thence north 11.73 chains to or near the center of Bear Creek; thence south 51 1/2 degrees east, 8.96 chains along the channel of said creek; thence south 34 1/2 degrees east 7.54 chains to a stake; thence west 11.28 chains to the place of beginning, containing 7.64 acres, more or less.

Also, beginning at the northwest corner of the E. E. Gore Donation Land Claim number 48, in Township 37 South of Range 1 West of the Willamette Meridian, and running thence north 11 chains and 12 links; thence south 51 degrees and 15 minutes west 25 chains and 82 links to the west side of the county road; thence south 10 degrees east, on the west line of the county road 1 chain and 26 links; thence east 19 chains to the west line of said donation land claim; thence north on said last mentioned west line 6 chains and 22 links to the place of beginning, containing 18 acres, more or less.

This order is published by order of the Hon. F. M. Calkins, Judge of the above entitled Court, duly made and filed on the 17th day of September, 1913. MULKEY & CHERRY, Medford, Oregon, Attorneys for Plaintiff.

Notice to Creditors. IN THE COUNTY COURT OF OREGON, IN AND FOR JACKSON COUNTY.

In the Matter of the Estate of Fanchion M. Love, Deceased. Notice is hereby given that by an order duly made and entered by the County Court of Jackson County, Oregon, the undersigned, Agnes S. Love, has been appointed administratrix of the estate of Fanchion M. Love, deceased, and has duly qualified as such administratrix.

All persons having claims against said deceased or said estate are hereby notified and required to present the same properly verified to the undersigned administratrix at the office of her attorney, Charles Prim, in Jacksonville, Jackson County, Oregon, on or before six months from and after the date of the first publication of this notice. The date of the first publication of this notice is October 4, 1913. AGNES S. LOVE, Administratrix of the Estate of Fanchion M. Love, Deceased.

Change in Southern Pacific Time Table. Effective January 1st, 1913. NORTH BOUND TRAINS.

20 Portland Passenger.....7:30 A.M. 24 Grants Pass Motor.....10:31 A.M. 32 Grants Pass Motor.....7:11 P.M. 14 Oregon Express.....5:47 P.M. 16 Oregon Express.....5:20 P.M. 12 Shasta Limited (Mail only) 2:44 A.M. Extra fare train. 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...3:30 P.M. 11 Shasta Limited (Mail only) 5:22 A.M. Extra fare train. 19 Ashland Local.....11:45 P.M.

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