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The tax levy for 1914, will be considerably under that of 1913, according to the proposed levy published by the county court and no doubt plenty of people will think it might be still lower. The proposed levy includes money to be raised for all county expenses, including the sum of \$56,640 for redemption of outstanding warrants and \$100,000 for state tax, is placed at 14 mills. The tax for city purposes levied by the council is 15 mills and the school levy is 6 mill, making a total of 35 mills to be levied on each dollar of the assessed valuation of property within the city of Jacksonville. Last year the levy was 43 mills.

COURT HOUSE NEWS

Items of Interest to Jackson County Circuit Court

R. M. Conley vs J. T. Rafferty. Restraining order. Judgment.

Thos. Randles vs B. O. McGee et al. Default order.

The State of Oregon vs E. J. Neff. Order extending time in which to file bill of exceptions.

John Pates vs H. M. Pates. Decree of divorce entered.

Thos. P. Kahler vs E. J. Kahler. Order of default and decree of divorce entered.

Margaret R. Butterfield vs Lucy W. Wilson et ux. Decree entered.

Geneva W. Allen as administratrix vs Harry Silver, et al. Decree.

NEW CASES

Farmers & Fruitgrowers' Bank vs Rudolph Scholz, et ux. Action to recover money. Complaint filed. Affidavit and undertaking for attachment.

B. F. Mulkey and George W. Cherry vs Mabel Hall formerly Mabel Strand. Action to recover money. Complaint filed. Affidavit and undertaking for attachment. Certificate of attachment filed.

Jackson County Building & Loan Association vs R. L. Bennett, et ux. Suit to have deed declared a mortgage and foreclosed.

R. M. Conley vs J. T. Rafferty. Suit for injunction. Complaint filed. Undertaking. Injunction order. Summary.

COUNTY COURT

In the matter of the estate of Sarah T. Woolvorton, deceased. Order appointing administratrix and fixing bond in sum of \$2,000.

In the matter of the guardianship of Esther M. McErlane, a minor. Order authorizing guardian to sell certain real property.

In the matter of the estate of L. A. Mingus, deceased. Order appointing administrator and fixing bond in the sum of \$20,000. Order appointing appraisers.

In the matter of the estate of E. C. Boeck, deceased. Order appointing time and place for final settlement.

In the matter of the estate of William Peninger, a minor. Report of guardian filed.

In the matter of the estate of R. J. Sloan, deceased. Annual account filed.

In the matter of the estate of William Basye, deceased. Order fixing time and place for final settlement.

In the matter of the estate of David Atkin, deceased. Order appointing time and place for hearing on final account.

At The Churches

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

Services held every Sunday morning at 11 o'clock in I. O. O. F. Hall. Everyone welcome.

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Morning worship at eleven o'clock. Subject: "Faith and Imagination." Evening worship with sermon at 7:30 o'clock. Subject: "Marriage and Divorce."

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METHODIST

Sunday School every Sunday at 10 o'clock. W. G. Caudill Supt. Public worship at 11 a. m. each second and fourth Sunday of the month and at 7:30 every Sunday evening. Class

meeting every first and third Sunday 11 a. m. H. C. Gallup leader. Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7:30. The public is invited to attend these services. A. Colet Pastor

Died

BEACH. Near Los Gatos, on Sunday November 8, 1914, Lellia, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jay Beach of Sanger.

Miss Beach was 24 years, 5 months and 12 days old at the time of her death and has resided in Sanger for the past seven years; having held a position as stenographer at the Huma-Bonnett Lumber Co. office for about a year and a half. She was born at Vancouver Washington and came with her parents to San Francisco in 1896 and lived there until the fire in which they lost their property. She then took a business course in order to be a help to her parents, and came here with them 8 years ago. She was a loving daughter, had a splendid character, and will be greatly missed by a host of friends as well as her immediate relatives.

The funeral was held from the First Methodist church, Rev. A. W. Gray conducting the services, Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock; interment at Bethel.

Electric Sparks

Opinion is the note in business circles.

Our notice of a "prime minister is Billy Sunday.

Ambassador Merrick is planning a winter campaign in Paris; he has sent home for his fur-lined overcoat.

Maybe it would be advisable to have John Lind go down and "say nothing to those Mexicans again.

If Jay, an doesn't become more effective the allies threaten to send her to the minors.

When the President next addresses congress personally, no doubt he'll be glad to see some of their smiling faces again for the last time.

At that the Panama Canal has not been as costly as the little Yser canal in Belgium.

The earth is often designated as "she" because no man knows the age thereof.

It takes a hands-on woman to wrack a semi-automobile train of thought.

Why have they not named one of the new dancin' the Panama Sander or have they?

If a woman starts in to be disagreeable she knows how to achieve enormous success.

Maybe Tarkey did not know the gun was loaded.

Ever Pasha should hurry up and explain to Bryan Pasha.

The bold robber who used an electric automobile to aid him in robbing a woman of her handbag containing 65 cents seems to be of danger of falling into debt.

All the usual White House Social affairs have been abandoned for the coming year, thus saving the diplomat's establishment no end of trouble in sending out cards of regret.

BUSINESS CARDS.

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An Indication Of Greatness

By OSCAR COX

My uncle, Dr. James Pulsifer, was a great scientist and an original thinker. He died a bachelor and left me all his property. After his death I examined every paper of his I could find, especially his scientific writings, thinking to publish them. Among an earlier batch written very soon after he graduated in medicine I found a narrative which as I read on interested me in tensely. Here it is:

"We all know that many things exist of which the human mind has not yet any conception. I go further than this. I believe that anything of which the mind can conceive, however improbable, may exist.

"Some years ago a certain noted author wrote a story—'The Strange Case of Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde'—suggesting that two different personalities might exist in the same man. I believe that the day will come when it will be demonstrated to the world that some, if not all, of us are composed of more than one being. Indeed, I not only believe it; I know it. If you ask me why I know it, this is my reply:

"There was something about Jennie Hatch that impressed me the first time I met her. She was what most persons would call odd. Perhaps one reason for my becoming interested in her was that I was a recent graduate of a medical college and had taken a post graduate course on the physiology of psychological conditions. It seemed to me that Miss Hatch was abnormal—not that her body was abnormal, but the spirit within it. For I am not so given to materialism as to believe that our spiritual and physical parts are one.

"Whether Jennie Hatch mistook my scientific interest in her for love I don't know, but she came to look upon me as a lover. I did not either encourage or discourage her in this. I permitted the relationship between us to drift on without definition. One thing I noticed which I set down to a certain fickleness or apparent fickleness consequent upon the physical makeup of women. I would go to see her, say, on Saturday night, an evening I usually dodged my patients if I could do so without injury to them. She would receive me kindly and be a delightful companion. I would visit her the following Wednesday and she would look at me as though she wondered why I had called. During the first visit she would be a girl, during the second a woman. During the first I would seem to be a proper companion for her—that is, a person of about the same age. During the second she made me feel that I was a boy at tempting to entertain a woman who had learned wisdom.

"My observations indicated to me that Jennie Hatch embodied two personalities. My deductions were not based alone on such differences as I have described. There was another and far more important symptom. I became convinced that Jennie sometimes loved me and sometimes did not love me. Not only this—I came to suspect that there were times when she loved some one else.

"On the theory that she embodied two persons it seemed to me that Jennie No. 1 might love me and that Jennie No. 2 might love another. It was not conducive to love, or rather, comfort to be interested in one whose other self loved some other person. Nevertheless, I found myself growing fond of Jennie. My theory did not admit of jealousy because I had no affection for Jennie No. 2. Yet, strangely enough, I was jealous of her lover. I suppose it was on account of the two spiritual personalities occupying the same body. Scientifically expressed, my jealousy should be represented by No. 1 (Jennie of the flesh) plus Jennie No. 2, to whom I was indifferent, the product being one-half."

"Nevertheless I was in love, and one evening while thinking the matter over it occurred to me that I could state the case better as Jennie's—I refer to Jennie No. 1— fiance than as my wife. On the impulse of the moment I went to her house for the purpose of making a declaration.

"I saw the moment she entered the room that she was not other self.

"I once heard a woman say that if a man has made up his mind to a proposition nothing that she can say or do will stop him. I had gone to Jennie's house to propose to her, and soon how I could not resist the impelling force I asked her to be my wife. She in a trice, then refused me, telling me that she loved another.

"I had begun this affair with purely scientific motives. Here was an end to it, based on human reasons. I left the house feeling that for me the bottom had dropped out of the universe."

Here the paper ended abruptly. I was much disappointed, hoping to find some confirmation of my uncle's theory, based on his singular life affair. But not another word did I meet with on the subject. One day I was talking about him to a chum of his youth whom I asked how the doctor came to be a bachelor. The reply was that when a very young man he had been in love with a Miss Hatch, who married an old fellow double her age.

This revelation gave a shock to my admiration for my uncle's scientific attainments until I remembered that when he mistook a girl's indiffision between himself and another man for a duplex being he was very young. Nevertheless, the incident indicated his mental bent and foreshadowed his future remarkable career as a scientist.

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