

English as a World Language.
English is well adapted to use as a world language because of its rich vocabulary and its grammatical simplicity. It is the language of liberty and social equality. The fundamental hindrance to the spread of the English language as a world language is its irrational spelling. It is difficult because of the superfluity of letters and the confusion of representations. If these objections were removed and the proportional rate of increase of the nineteenth century continues English will be the language of the world.—De Witt Croissant at Chautauqua.

Not Ready For Mowing.
One morning Uncle Fred was engaged in shaving himself, and his small nephew was an interested spectator. "Well, George," said his uncle, "don't you want me to shave you too?" "No, uncle," replied the little fellow. "I don't think my whiskers are ripe yet."—Kansas City Star.

Alms In India.
In India no beggar is refused alms. He is always given either money or a small dose of rice, no inquiry being made as to whether he deserves help. The mendicant thus obtains enough for the daily needs of himself, family and lazy relatives.

Canada's River of Mud.
What is perhaps the most wonderful river in the whole world and one which is certainly unique of its kind was discovered by a party of prospectors exploring what is known as the "Smoky river region" in northern Alberta, Canada.

Briefly, it is a river of mud—that is to say, although its course is well marked, with banks clearly defined, as in an ordinary river, its bed contains not water, but thick liquid mud of the consistency of molasses.

The mud river flows, as does a water river, but, of course, much more slowly. In fact, its progress during the time the party were observing it more nearly resembled that of a glacier. Unlike a glacier, however, there is no terminal moraine. A glacier at its foot melts and flows away, leaving an accumulation of rocks, but any heavy masses that may be in this river of mud must settle to the bottom and remain concealed by the mud itself. This mud river debouches on a plain, spreading out fanlike and forming a moraine of unknown depth and extent.—London Mail.

Some Things In Iceland.
Iceland is far from being a dreary waste, for it exports large quantities of the finest grade of wool in the world, besides quantities of hides, sheepskins, feathers, oil, fish and fish products and, curiously enough, many horses. The island has several natural resources that have never been developed, among them great sulphur deposits. One of them contains not less than 250,000 tons of practically pure sulphur. There are extensive deposits of copper ore. This, while of a low grade, could be worked at a huge profit, since the water power is unlimited and always at hand wherever the copper is found. There are also large deposits of geyserite, which is equal to the best Arkansas geyserite. In addition there are several sections rich in agates and chalcedony, which are widely used in making jewelry for the bearings of watches and electrical instruments. None of them has ever been worked.

Administrator's Notice To Creditors.

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF OREGON FOR JACKSON COUNTY.

In the Matter of the Estate of

of

Charles A. Thorpe, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed by the County Court of Oregon for Jackson County, administrator of the estate of Charles A. Thorpe, deceased. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same, duly verified, to the undersigned administrator at Medford, Oregon on or before six months from the date of this notice.

Dated September 23, 1916.
CHRIS GOTTLIEB,
Administrator of the estate of Charles A. Thorpe, deceased.

Summons.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON IN AND FOR JACKSON COUNTY

Holland-Washington Mortgage Company, a corporation,

Plaintiff,

vs.

Abbie H. Frink an unmarried woman
Gerald Frink, Cora S. Frink, his wife, Egbert Frink, Mamie Frink, his wife, Athena McGillis, Henry McGillis, her husband, Helene Frink Coffin, Hamilton C. Coffin, her husband, Francis Guy Frink and Elinor Spofford Frink, his wife,

Defendants.

To the defendants, Abbie H. Frink, Gerald Frink, Cora S. Frink, Egbert Frink, Mamie Frink, Athena McGillis, Henry McGillis, Helene Frink Coffin, Hamilton C. Coffin, Francis Guy Frink, and Elinor Spofford Frink:

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 suit on or before October 23rd, 1916,

said date being more than six weeks from the date of the first publication of this summons, and being the time prescribed for such appearance by the order of publication of summons entered herein; and if you fail to so appear and answer, for want thereof plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in its complaint, namely; that there be entered in the above entitled court and cause a decree adjudging due plaintiff on account of the mortgage dated September 2, 1913, executed by J. M. Frink, deceased, and Abbie H. Frink, and filed on September 6, 1913, with the registrar of titles for Jackson county, Oregon, and by him entered in Volume 2, beginning at page 399, of Certificate of Title Register of said Jackson county, and on account of the notes secured thereby, the following sums, namely: \$50.00 with interest thereon at the rate of ten per cent per annum from September 1, 1915; \$25,000 with interest thereon at the rate of ten per cent per annum from August 1, 1916; the further sum of \$729.17; \$875, with interest thereon at the rate of ten per cent per annum from March 1, 1916; \$3000 as an attorney's fee herein; and plaintiff's costs and disbursements; and that plaintiff mortgage be foreclosed and the property covered thereby be sold by the sheriff of said Jackson county to satisfy said decree in whole or in part; that the defendants and each and all of them be barred and foreclosed of all right, title, and interest in said property or any part thereof, except the statutory right of redemption; and for such further relief as to the Court may seem proper.

The property covered by said mortgage is situated in Jackson county, Oregon, and is described as follows, to-wit:

Government Lots numbered Five (5) and Six (6) and the East half (E½) of the Northeast one quarter (NE¼) and the East half (E½) of the Southeast one quarter (SE¼) in and of Section Twelve in Township Thirty-eight (38) South of Range Two (2) West of the Willamette Meridian, and the Government Lots numbered Two (2) and Three (3) and the West one half (W½) of the Southwest one quarter (SW¼) in and of Section seven (7) in Township Thirty-eight (38) South of Range One (1) West of the Willamette Meridian save except therefrom, however, the following parcel thereof, containing Four and 43-100 (4.43) acres, more or less, to-wit: Beginning at the Northwest corner of Government Lot numbered Seven (7) in Section Seven (7), Township Thirty-eight (38) South of Range One (1) West of the Willamette Meridian; thence South on the West line of said Lot, Four Hundred and Sixty four and 9-10 (464.9) feet, thence West Three Hundred and Eighty and 4-10 (380.4) feet, thence North six Hundred and Three and 1-10 (603.1) feet to the center of the County Road, thence South Sixty two (62) degrees east, Two Hundred and forty and 9-10 (240.9) feet along said center line of County Road, and thence South Eighty one (81) degrees Thirty three (33) minutes East One Hundred and Seventy and 3-10 (170.3) feet along said center line of said County Road to the point of beginning.

This summons is served upon you by publication thereof by order of the Hon. Frank M. Calkins, Judge of the above entitled court, which order was made and entered herein on the 29th day of August, 1916. The date of the first publication of this summons is September 9th, 1916. The date of the last publication thereof is October 21st, 1916.

WOOD, MONTAGUE & HUNT,
Attorneys for Plaintiff,
1310 Yeon Building, Portland, Oregon.

Citation.

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

In the matter of the estate of Horace McLaren, a deceased person.

To James McLaren and George McLaren, heirs of the above named decedent, and to all other heirs unknown,

if any their be, and to all other persons interested in said estate:

IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF OREGON: You and each of you are hereby ordered and required to appear in the above entitled matter in the County Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Jackson, at the court room thereof, at Jacksonville, Jackson County, Oregon, on Thursday the 19th day of October, 1916, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, then and there to show cause, if any there be, why an order authorizing James McLaren, administrator of said estate, to sell the following described real property belonging to said estate, at private sale, should not be made and entered herein in accordance with the prayer of said administrator's petition filed herein, to-wit:

All that portion of the NE¼ of the NE¼ of the SE¼ of Section 31, Twp. 37 S. R. 2 W. lying between the present travelled County road leading from Jacksonville to Applegate, and the Beineuve road leading from said Applegate

and Jacksonville road to the Beineuve place, as now travelled. All being in Jackson County, State of Oregon.

This Citation is served upon the unknown heirs of said decedent, if any such there be, by publication hereof in the Jacksonville Post, pursuant to order of the Judge of the above entitled court of date Sept. 6th 1916. Date of first publication is September 9th 1916.

Witness the Hon. F. L. Touvelle, Judge of the above entitled court with the seal of said court here-to affixed, this 6th day of Sept. 1916.

F. L. TOUELLE,
County Judge.
Attest:
G. A. GARDNER,
County Clerk of Jackson County Oregon,
By F. L. COLEMAN,
Deputy.

Notice of Sheriff's Sale

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

Jesse Houck,
Plaintiff,
vs.
Mary A. Beveridge and W. T. Beveridge, wife and husband,
Defendants.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a judgment, decree and order of sale duly made and entered in the above entitled court and cause on the 9th, day of September, 1916, and duly docketed in Vol. 2 at page 231 of the Judgment Docket of said court, and where-in Jesse Houck, plaintiff, recovered a judgment against the defendants, Mary A. Beveridge and W. T. Beveridge, wife and husband, for the sum of \$2212.42, the amount due upon the mortgage foreclosed; the further sum of \$79.96, the amount of taxes with accrued interest paid by plaintiff upon the mortgaged premises; the further sum of \$36.50, being the amount of insurance and accrued interest thereon paid by plaintiff upon the mortgaged premises; and the further sum of \$16.00 costs of said suit, with interest on each of aforesaid several sums at the rate of 8% per annum from the date of said judgment, namely, from September 9, 1916; also the further and additional sum of \$232.00 attorney's fees therein, and by virtue of an execution issued pursuant to said decree by the clerk of, and under the seal of the above entitled court, of date September 22, 1916, I will on

Monday October 23, 1916, at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M. at the front door of the court house in Jacksonville, Jackson County, State of Oregon, offer for sale and will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, subject to redemption as by statute provided, the following described real property, and all the interest that the defendants above named, each or both of them had therein on May 11, 1912, or that they or either of them may have acquired therein since said date, or that they or either of them now have therein to-wit: Commencing at a point 210 feet south and 110 feet east of the north-west corner of Block No. 5 of Gallows Addition to the town now (city) of Medford, and running thence east 205 feet to the west line of "J" Street; thence north 35 degrees and 10 minutes west, along the west line of "J" Street 81 feet; thence south 73 degrees and 30 minutes west 165 feet; thence south 23 feet to the place of beginning, all being situated in Jackson County, State of Oregon.

That said property or so much thereof necessary to satisfy the aforesaid judgment, attorney's fees, costs and accruing costs of this sale will be sold at aforesaid time and place in the manner provided by law for the sale of real property under execution. Dated this 23rd day of September, 1916.

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

Notice of Sheriff's Sale on Execution in Foreclosure.

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

R. H. Toft,
Plaintiff,
vs.
Frank W. Wait and Katherine R. Wait, his wife,
Defendants.

Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of an execution and order of sale duly issued out and under the seal of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, in and for the County of Jackson, in a certain cause therein, wherein R. H. Toft as plaintiff was rendered a judgment and decree of foreclosure against the defendants Frank W. Wait and Katherine R. Wait, his wife, for the sum of Three Hundred Seventy-six and 83-100 (\$376.83) Dollars with interest thereon at the rate of ten per cent per annum from April 20, 1916, and the further sum of \$50.00

attorney's fees and \$11.00 costs and disbursements, which said execution was of the date of September 7, 1916, and was issued by virtue of a judgment and decree of said Court in said cause, which said judgment and decree was duly rendered and docketed in the Clerk's office of said Court in said County on the 2nd day of September, 1916.

I am commanded by virtue of an execution with power of sale attached issued by the Clerk of the above Court dated the 7th day of September, 1916, in the above entitled cause, to sell the following described real property to satisfy said execution and order of sale, to-wit:

The southeast quarter of the southwest quarter and the west half of the southwest quarter of the southeast quarter of section (8) in Township thirty-seven (37), south of range two (2) west of the Willamette Meridian, except the following described five acres deeded to A. B. Pomeroy, to-wit: Beginning at the Northwest corner of the Southwest quarter of the Southeast quarter in Section eight (8) in Township thirty-seven (37), south of range two (2) West of the Willamette Meridian, and running thence East forty (40) rods; thence South twenty (20) rods; thence West forty (40) rods thence North twenty (20) rods to the place of beginning, all in Jackson County, Oregon.

Now therefore, by virtue of said execution and decree, and in compliance with said writ, I will on

Tuesday, October 10, 1916

at the hour of ten o'clock A. M. at the front door of the Court House in Jacksonville, Jackson County, Oregon, sell at public auction, subject to redemption as by law provided, all the right, title and interest of the above named defendants Frank W. Wait and Katherine R. Wait, his wife, in and to the above described real property to satisfy said execution and order, for cash in hand to the highest bidder.

Dated at Jacksonville, Oregon, this 7th day of September, 1916.

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

Notice of Sheriff's Sale Under Execution in Foreclosure.

Margaret S. Soliss,
Plaintiff,
vs.
Emil Mohr, and the First National Bank of Medford, Oregon, a corporation,
Defendants.

By virtue of an Execution and order of sale duly issued out of and under the seal of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, in and for the County of Jackson, to me directed and dated the 9th day of September, 1916, in a certain suit therein, wherein the Plaintiff Margaret S. Soliss, recovered a judgment against the defendant Emil Mohr, for the sum of \$3275 wit interest thereon from said 21st day of August, 1916, at the rate of 8 per cent per annum and \$200 attorney's fee, and the further sum of \$16.00 costs, which judgment was enrolled and docketed in the Clerk's office of said Court in said County on the 2nd day of September, 1916, and is of record in Volume 24 of the Circuit Court Journal.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that in compliance with the commands of said execution and order of sale, I will on

Monday October, 10th, 1916

at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M. at the front door of the Court House in Jacksonville, Jackson County, Oregon, offer for sale and will sell all at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, subject to redemption as by law provided all of the right, title and interest that the defendant Emil Mohr had on the date of the mortgage herein foreclosed or have since acquired or now has in and to the following described real property, situated in Jackson County, Oregon, to-wit:

Commencing at the Southwest corner of Lot 12, Block 56 in the Town (now city) of Medford, and running thence North 35 Deg. and 30 Min. West, along the East side of Holly Street, 150 feet to the Southwest corner of Lot 9; thence North 54 Deg. and 30 Min. East 100 feet to the West side of the alley in said Block 56; thence South 35 Deg. and 30 Min. East, 25 feet; thence South 54 Deg. and 30 Min. West 25 feet; thence South 35 Deg. and 30 Min. East 125 feet to the South line of Lot 12; thence South 54 Deg. and 30 Min. West 75 feet to the place of beginning.

All of the real property above described will be sold at said time and place in the manner provided by law for the sale of real property under execution to satisfy the judgment, attorney's fees, costs and accruing costs of this sale.

Dated this 9th day of September, 1916.

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

How a Mine Was Located

By BARBARA PHIPPS

Tom Grosvenor was a prospector in Colorado in the early days when the country was wild and the people were as wild as the country. Tom had left a wife in the east and had gone to the gold fields to make his fortune. Many a hole he had dug and abandoned, but at last, one day while working all alone with his pick, he unearthed some quartz that looked peculiar. He took it to an assayer, and it analyzed \$400 to the ton.

It had been arranged between Tom and his wife that if he found any valuable property he was to send her a description of it, the facts stated being certified by others, and she was to make an effort to get capital for its development. As soon as he got the assayer's report on his specimens he wrote her an announcement of the fact, stating that he would send further information later.

Colorado in those days was full of claim jumpers, and Grosvenor realized the importance of keeping his find a secret. Unfortunately one person, the assayer, knew that he had struck it rich, and the knowledge that a new and valuable find had been made got out through him. Tom saw that the preservation of his property could be secured only by shrewd management. He alone knew where his mine was situated, and it behooved him to form a plan by which he might convey its location to his wife without any one else understanding the description.

The reasons for this were several. In the first place, if he should die he wished his wife to inherit his find. In the second, he felt sure that he was being watched, and if he were seen going to the mine he might be followed and, having thus revealed its locality, be put out of the way in order that his murderers would the more easily appropriate it. He resolved to make one trip, fix its location, then await means for its development.

On his arrival he looked over the ground for the purpose of leaving a mark that would not be recognized as such. Of course he must give his wife the general location; the exact spot would be indicated by a key which she alone would recognize. He could not give her this key in a letter any more than he could give her the exact location of his find, for he believed his mail would be watched and pilfered. Indeed, he had experimented in this and found the experimental letter had been opened.

Grosvenor laid a scheme to guide his wife to his mine, and it was well that he did so, for two days later he was arrested on a trumped up charge by conspirators, who gave him his choice to await a trial for which they had manufactured testimony or to hand over his mine to them.

Mrs. Grosvenor, who was a smart woman, on receipt of the letter announcing the find went to several capitalists and secured from them an agreement that if the proofs were satisfactory they would form a company for its development. This done, she went to Colorado.

On her arrival she heard of her husband's arrest. She was permitted to see him, but he dare not give her any information as to the location of the mine, for he felt sure that there would be listeners ready to receive and avail themselves of what he said. Mrs. Grosvenor took in the situation, and a hint her husband gave her told her that if she looked for the property she would find it. At least she would find guidance. He dare only say to her, "South side of Indian gulch, a mile up from the mouth."

Mrs. Grosvenor set out for the gulch and on reaching it strapped a pedometer about her waist and walked the mile it indicated. Then she began to search for a clue. In a wood she found on the trunk of a tree the bark chipped off to form an arrow, which pointed up the side of the gulch. She set out in the direction indicated and after proceeding a few hundred yards came to a sandstone cliff, on which had been carved a tomahawk, the handle of which pointed along the cliff eastward. This led her to a post on which there was a cross. In the post was a hole. Ten feet from the post was another post with two crosses on it, one above and another below a hole. This seemed to end the matter, for the woman saw no further guide mark. Presently it occurred to her to look through the hole in the upper post, and her eye caught the hole in the lower one. The second was much larger than the first, and through it she saw a stake. Pulling it up, on the lower part that had been in the ground were the initials of her name, J. T. G. Jane Turner Grosvenor.

Was this the location of the mine or were there further guides? On a tree near by was cut a finger, pointing. Mrs. Grosvenor followed its direction till she came to some loose earth and stones, under which she found a pick and shovel.

She inferred that the stake indicated the mine, and the pick and shovel were for her use. With them she removed some specimens of ore and returned to the place from which she had started. She at once had her specimens assayed, and they gave the same results as those taken out by her husband.

It was some time before there was any profit in the mine, but it came at last. As soon as those who had been at the bottom of Grosvenor's arrest learned that this mine had passed into the hands of a company they withdrew their charge, and he went free.

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Change in Southern Pacific Time Table.

Effective January 17, 1915.

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14 Portland Passenger.....8:20 A.M.
16 Oregon Express.....5:20 P.M.
12 Shasta Limited2:17 A.M.
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SOUTH BOUND TRAINS.

13 California Express10:45 A.M.
15 San Francisco Express...4:00 P.M.
11 Shasta Limited.....3:20 A.M.
Extra fare train.