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Married—In New York City, December 6, 1916, George H. Merritt and Miss Grace M. Wick. Mr. Merritt is the son of J. M. Merritt of Gold Hill and was a former well-known resident of this city. His many friends here wish the young couple many years of happy married life.

Electric Sparks

(From Off Our Wireless)

Greece may be going into the war fifty-fifty.

Secretary Daniels says that the American navy must be increased. Very likely he has heard rumors that the world is at war.

The newly stamped eggs and the newly minted dimes are appearing simultaneously. But the egg is the older and may soon be the more valuable.

The Hay bill can lead the guardsmen to the border, but it can't make them take the double oath.

When Chicago health authorities broke up his corner, the "egg king" was sure that the crime smelled to heaven.

"Reading maketh a full man," is an accented adage in some quarters, but no Virginian now believes that Bacon wrote Shakespeare.

Everything comes to the strenuous chap who goes after the good things the other fellow is waiting for.

It is extremely fortunate for Carranza and Mexico that Pershing's forces were not withdrawn at the first chief's instance. They form a barrier that Villa will find effective, if he is inclined to test it.

When a man arises to announce that one never gets old the public has a fairly safe line on his age.

Champ Clark's freely expressed opinion of Congressional oratory recalls the fact that the speaker is the only one who has to listen to it all.

Augustus P. Gardner has gone to northern Mexico to get some first hand information about conditions in that country. It is not a bad idea to know what you are talking about.

A report prepared by the War Department for Mr. Baker shows that the National Guard System proved a failure by the mobilization for service on the border.

By the time that the many investigations contemplated are finished we'll know more about the high cost of Congress.

Notice To Creditors.

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

In the matter of the estate of D. Thomas Kunkel, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed by the County Court of Jackson County, State of Oregon, administrator of the estate of D. Thomas Kunkel, deceased, and that he has qualified as such.

All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified and required to present the same properly verified, to the undersigned administrator at his office in the city of Jacksonville, Jackson County, State of Oregon, within six months from and after the date of the first publication of this notice.

Date of this notice and of the first publication thereof is January 13, 1917.

J. R. NEIL,

Administrator of the estate of D. Thomas Kunkel, deceased.

Notice of Final Settlement.

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

In the Matter of the Estate of David Mayham, commonly known as David Mims, deceased person.

Public Notice is Hereby Given that Joseph Mayham, the duly qualified Administrator of the estate of David Mayham, deceased, has rendered, presented and filed for settlement in the above entitled court and matter his final account of his administration of the said estate and that Tuesday the 13th day of February, A. D. 1917 at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M. of said day at the court room of the above entitled court, at the court-house in Jacksonville, Jackson County, State of Oregon, has been duly appointed and fixed by order of the Judge of the above entitled court as the time and place for hearing of objections to said account and report and for the settlement thereof and of said estate.

All persons interested in said estate

are hereby notified that all objections to said final account or any item thereof must be filed or made on or before the date and time appointed for such hearing as set forth herein above.

Date of the first publication hereof is January 13th A. D. 1917.

JOSEPH MAYHAM,
Administrator.

H. K. Hanna, residing at Jacksonville, Oregon attorney for the estate.

Summons.

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

Frances A. McCargar, plaintiff,

vs.

Rogue River Farm Products Company, a corporation, Northern Bank & Trust Company, of Seattle, Washington, a corporation, and W. H. Walker, defendants.

To Rogue River Farm Products Company, a corporation, Northern Bank & Trust Company, of Seattle, Washington, a corporation, and W. H. Walker, the above named defendants:

In the Name of the State of Oregon: You and each of you are hereby notified and required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled court and suit on or before the last day of the time prescribed for such appearance in the order heretofore duly made and entered in this suit for service of summons herein upon you by publication, namely, on or before February 24th, 1917, said date being upon the expiration of six weeks from the date of the first publication of this summons, and if you fail to so appear and answer plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief prayed for in his complaint filed in said suit, to-wit: for a judgment against the defendant, Rogue River Farm Products Company, a corporation, for the sum of \$1600.00, together with interest thereon at the rate of 8% per annum from May 21, 1915, being the amount due plaintiff from said defendant upon said defendant's note and mortgage securing payment of same, each of date May 21, 1914, payable to plaintiff, and a copy of which note and mortgage is fully set forth in said complaint, and which mortgage is recorded in Volume 35 at pages 480 and 481 of the Jackson County, State of Oregon Mortgage Records; and for judgment against said defendant for a further sum of \$21.22 for taxes paid by plaintiff upon the property described in and covered by aforesaid mortgage, and for a further sum of \$160.00 as reasonable attorney's fees for the institution of this suit, as stipulated in aforesaid note and mortgage, and for the costs and disbursements of this suit to be taxed; that a decree be entered herein against the said above named defendants, each and all of them, foreclosing the aforesaid mortgage, and decreeing and ordering the sale of the property described in and covered by said mortgage for the satisfaction, in whole or in part, of the aforesaid judgment and decree, and forever barring and foreclosing the said above named defendants, each and all of them, from any and all right, title, estate, lien or interest, in or to said mortgaged premises, or any part thereof, save and except the statutory right of redemption; and decreeing plaintiff such other relief as may seem equitable.

The property described in and covered by the aforesaid mortgage and which is sought to be sold for the satisfaction of the judgment herein prayed for is situated in Jackson County, State of Oregon, and is described as follows, to-wit:

Northwest quarter of Northwest quarter, and Lots Nos. 1, 2 and 3, in Section No. 22, in Township No. 37, South Range 1, West of the Willamette Meridian, containing 52 1/2 acres, together with all the tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging.

This summons is served upon you by the publication thereof once a week for six consecutive weeks in the Jacksonville Post pursuant to the order of Hon. F. L. Tou Velle, Judge of County Court of Jackson County, State of Oregon, and which order is entered herein and is of date January 13, 1917, and you are therein ordered to appear and answer the complaint herein filed on or before the expiration of six weeks from the date of the first publication of this summons. The date of the first publication of this summons is January 13, 1917 and the date of the last publication and on or before which date you are required to appear and answer is February 24, 1917.

H. K. HANNA and HASTINGS & STEDMAN,
Attorneys for Plaintiff.

ANDY MILLER, DESPERADO

By ESTHER VANDEVEER

A girl about sixteen years old was walking along a road when she saw a man coming toward her. The moment she caught sight of the figure and a certain swing there was in the walk she started. He was some distance from her, and she had time to pull herself together before they met.

"Can you tell me," she asked, "how to get to Roslin?"

"You're goin' the wrong way for Roslin. It's a couple of miles back of you."

"Oh!" exclaimed the girl. "I've been walking away from it all the time."

"I'm goin' in that direction. I'll show you the way."

"Thank you."

As they walked along they chatted upon ordinary topics. Presently the man said:

"Ain't you afraid to be walkin' along this road all alone by yourself?"

"Why should I be afraid?"

"Oh, there's lots o' rough characters in these parts. Some of 'em might harm you."

"I've heard that Andy Miller has been seen about here lately."

"Who's Andy Miller?"

"He's the man that killed Cyrus Borden."

"Who's Cyrus Borden?"

"Why he was a man that lived just outside o' Roslin."

"What did Miller kill him for?"

"Why, I suppose it was to get his money. But he didn't get it after all. Mr. Borden kept his money in the chimney, and Miller didn't look for it there."

At this the man showed interest.

"How do you know all about this?"

"I'm a friend of Maggie Borden, Mr. Borden's daughter. She told me all about it."

"I suppose since the killing they've put the money in the bank."

"No, Maggie says they keep it just where it was. Nobody would think of looking there for it. It's behind a loose brick."

The man smiled, but took care that the girl didn't see his smile. Surely she was the quintessence of innocence. They walked on together till they came to a crossroad a short distance from Roslin, when the man turned off, leaving the girl to pursue her way alone.

"Goodby," she said. "Much obliged to you for showing me the way."

The murder of Cyrus Borden was one of the most cold blooded that had ever been known in those parts. He had drawn \$2,000 from the bank with which to pay off a mortgage. The same night some one broke into his house and demanded at the point of a pistol the money he had drawn from the bank. Borden refused and attempted to defend himself. He was killed by the robber who then made a search for the money. He failed to find it and departed empty handed.

Mrs. Borden was away at the time with her two younger children, Maggie being at home with her father. Maggie did not know anything about what had occurred until she was awakened by the robber searching for the money. Opening her door, she heard him ransacking a bureau drawer. She could see the flashes of his dark lantern, but not him. She turned on the lights, and he fled.

Maggie ran to her father's room and found him lying dead on the floor.

Maggie's description of the murderer tallied with that of a notorious desperado, Andy Miller, who had terrorized the country roundabout and had been seen near Roslin. Justice at the time was administered in that region by members of a vigilance committee. They searched for Miller, but he was too smart for them. He would appear when they were not looking for him, but would be conspicuously absent when they hoped to find him.

The night after the meeting of the man and the girl on the road the man about 10 o'clock walked past the house where the murder had been committed. Not a light was to be seen in it. Seeing something white on the front door, he drew near it and saw that it was a bit of paper on which was written:

Gone to Aunt Mary's. Will return at 12 o'clock.

"What luck?" said the man to himself.

Going around to the rear of the house, he tried a window sash and found it unlocked. He had only to raise it to step into the window and find himself in the kitchen. Flashing a light, he saw that the stovepipe entered the chimney. Passing into the living room, he found an open fireplace. Stooping and flashing his light up the chimney, he began to feel for a loose brick.

"Come out o' that!"

The man turned and saw the room illuminated and half a dozen men covering him with revolvers. One of them had already relieved him of his revolver when his back was turned toward them.

"Andy Miller, you're caught at last," said the leader of the vigilance committee.

"How did you get on to me?" asked the man, white as a sheet.

"Maggie, come here."

The girl who had inquired the way to Roslin and told him her innocent story appeared.

"You were trapped by this brave little girl, who is the daughter of the man you murdered. She was smart enough to do what was too big a job for us."

Half an hour later the desperado was dangling from a tree.

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Weather Report.

Following is the report of U. S. Volunteer Cooperative Observer, E. Britt; Jacksonville, for month of Dec. Latitude 42 deg. 18. min. north; longitude 123 deg. 5 min. west.

Date	Maximum	Minimum	Precipitation
1	52	33	
2	48	39	.42
3	49	37	.50
4	48	35	.04
5	43	33	.30
6	39	37	.06
7	34	24	
8	33	22	.10
9	34	24	.19
10	33	28	
11	32	24	
12	29	24	
13	30	25	
14	33	17	
15	35	19	
16	33	20	
17	39	20	
18	36	22	
19	42	33	.15
20	48	37	
21	42	33	.16
22	37	28	.19
23	36	24	.65
24	35	27	.68
25	35	27	
26	33	26	.06
27	33	25	.31
28	31	15	
29	20	7	
30	30	11	.27
31	33	25	.407

Temperature—mean max. 36.61; mean min. 26.32; mean 31.46. Max 52 on 1. Minimum, 7, on 20. Greatest daily range, 10. Total precipitation 4.07 inches. Greatest in 24 hours, .68 in., on 24. Number of days with 0.1 inch or more precipitation, 15, clear, 3; partly cloudy, 1; cloudy, 27.
Precipitation for last season, 7.80
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E. BRITT,
Cooperative Observer.

Some people are so rich, they don't have to support a dog.

Drop In And Order That Stationery