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SUMMONS

No. 12971
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE
STATE OF OREGON FOR MARION
COUNTY.

Department No. 2.

Maudie C. Benson, Plaintiff, vs.
Mary E. Schell, Louisa J. Smith, Har-
riet E. Baldwin, Jerome Mulkey and
C. C. Mulkey. Defendants.

To Mary E. Schell, Louisa J. Smith
and Jerome Mulkey, defendants, IN
THE NAME OF THE STATE OF
OREGON you are hereby required to

appear and answer a complaint filed
against you in the above entitled court
and cause, on or before the 7th day of
January, 1915, said date being six (6)
weeks from the date ordered for the
first publication of this summons, to-
wit: November 26th, 1914 and if you
fail so to appear and answer said com-
plaint, plaintiff will apply to the court
for the relief demanded in said com-
plaint, namely, for a decree for the

partitioning of the following described
lands, to-wit: Beginning at a point on
the north boundary line of the Donation
Land Claim of David Mulkey and wife
in Township 9, South range 1, East of
the Willamette Meridian in Marion
County, State of Oregon, said point
being north 84 deg. 23 min. east 13.88
chains from the most westerly north-
west corner of said claim and being at
the most northerly north-east corner of
a tract of land owned by E. D. Alexander,
as shown of record in Volume 104
at page 368 of Records of Deeds for
Marion County Oregon, running thence
north 84 deg. 32 min. east 14.16 chains
more or less to a point within 11.88
chains of the south-east corner of the
James Valentine claim, thence north 8
deg. 30 min. east 27.79 chains to the
center of the county road leading from
Mehama to Stayton, thence easterly
following the center line of said road
to the north-west corner of a 50-acre
tract of land owned by C. C. Mulkey as
shown of record in volume 108 at page
428 of Records of Deeds for Marion
County, Oregon, thence south 6 deg.
west 43.65 chains to the south-west
corner of said 50-acre tract thence
south 86 deg. 39 min. west 8.10 chains
more or less to the north-west corner
of a 190-acre tract owned by C. W.
Steward as shown of record in Volume
98 at page 456 of the Records of Deeds
for Marion County, Oregon, thence
south 3 deg. 21 min. east 14.98 chains,
to the most easterly north-east corner
of the aforesaid Alexander tract, thence
south 86 deg. 39 min. west 79.41 chains,
thence north 3 deg. 21 min. west 31.98
chains to the place of beginning, con-
taining 82 acres of land more or less
situated in Marion County, State of
Oregon.

According to the respective rights of
the parties plaintiff and defendant, or
if a partition can not be had without
material injury to those rights, then for
a sale of the said premises and division
of the proceeds between the parties
according to their rights and for plaintiff's
costs and disbursements and such
other or further relief as to this court
shall seem meet with principles of equi-
ty.

You are hereby further notified that
this summons is ordered to be served
on you by publication thereof in the
Stayton Mail, a newspaper of general
circulation, printed and published in
Stayton, Marion County, State of Ore-
gon, namely from the 26th day of No-
vember 1914 to the 7th day of January
1915 pursuant to the order of Hon-
orable William Galloway, Judge of said
court, made on the 24th day of Novem-
ber 1914. Walter L. Spalding
Attorney for plaintiff.

A BURNED BARRIER

The Lover Laid His Pride at
His Sweetheart's Feet.

By MARIE MONTROSE.

Down the dust white country road
Doxy, palpitating and panic
stricken, her eyes bent on a volume of
smoke that was rolling up from the
sheep dotted pasture. She went "cross
hairs" and came to the charred remains
of the old farmhouse, where a knot of
neighbors, helpless and wondering,
gathered round the pathetically small
pile of rescued household effects.

Doxy was not a young woman, but
she was of the type that time touched
gently. Her eyes were soft and gray
and expressive of a past but unforget-
ten time. Her optimistic fatalism was
not wanting in this hour of trouble.

"I don't see how you managed to
save so many things," she said to her
friends, each of whom at this encour-
agement began to point out what he
had snatched from the flames.

"See, Miss Barton," cried a lad, tri-
umphantly thrusting a tin can into her
hand, "I heard you say as how this
ere was yer bank, so I grabbed it fast
thing."

"Oh, Jim, there is \$50 in it!"

Her father, Seth Barton, now arriv-
ed upon the scene. His heart was full
of memories which were smothered in
the philosophical remark, "Never could
have saved her in this wind!"

"You and Doxy 'll come right home
with us and stay," cordially invited
the nearest neighbor.

The others followed suit in this pro-
ffer of hospitality, tendering wide open
doors.

"You are so kind, but we'll stay
right here," said Doxy in response to
each invitation. "Our barn upstairs is
dotted up snug as a fressie, you know."

Her father's stolid face brightened.
He had a certain clinging to home-
not from love of every heart beat for
it, as in Doxy's case, but because he
could not bear the thought of uproot-
ing and transplanting.

The neighbors carried the goods and
shuttles to the barn and helped Doxy
arrange a temporary home. While the
men were aiding in the evening work
their wives prepared supper. Any
event, joyful or calamitous, in the dis-
trict was deemed an "occasion" wor-
thy of a general repast. After supper
they departed for their homes. Seth
settled down to his evening pipe and
weekly paper as if nothing had hap-
pened.

Then Doxy in the soft shadows of
the dusk stole out and went through
the garden to the blackened ruins of
trotting walls and crumbled mortar.
All the volves of long ago called to her,
most persistently the voice of the youth
who ten years before had loved her.

There had been the lovers' quarrel,
and Jed Knox in a moment of hot
headed anger had sworn he would nev-
er again cross the Barton threshold.

Time and events showed him that he
was entirely in the wrong and that the
quarrel had been of his own making,
but he held stubbornly to his oath.
With quiet and firm dignity Doxy had
refused to see him elsewhere than in
her own home.

As Jed's stubbornness increased he
grew bitter and morose, avoiding all
mention of Doxy.

She started at sight of a man com-
ing from out the ruins, but in an in-
stant she recognized Sol Opper, the
village carpenter, early in line for a
contract.

"Sol," said Doxy briskly, "I want
you to build me a house as near like
this as you can."

"Want, Miss Barton, tell me how
much you can put into a house."

"There's the \$50 Jim saved, the bank
account, a little insurance, some that
Bobbie owes us."

After a mental accounting she gave
the total of her capital. Sol shook his
head disencouragingly.

"You can't do it no ways for that
money."

"Knock out the cellar," commanded
Doxy, "and take off the blinds. In the
fall I will use the turkeys for blinds."

"The turkeys?" repeated Sol wonder-
ingly.

"The money I get for selling them,
I mean."

When the blinds were off, the bay
window deducted, the gables torn off,
the back porch taken away, the stairs
removed and a general clearing of fire-
place, attic, plaster, lath and parti-
tions had been effected the amount
of cash available was triumphantly
reached.

The architecture appealed to Sol as
easy to build, but was not in accord-
ance with his ideas of what a dwelling
should be.

"Your house won't have no inides,
Miss Barton, but I'll be on hand to-
morrow to begin," said he disappoint-
ingly.

When he had gone she again resum-
ed her twilight reveries.

"Miss Doxy."

She started and, turning, saw the
figure of a lad so like the youth of the
long ago that there was a momentary
stuttering in her heart like pain.

"Don't you remember me—Laurie
Knox?"

He was Jed's young nephew, who
had been used as a child to spend his
summer vacations with his uncle.

"Little Laurie! A man!"

"I hope so," he replied, taking her
hand "I came today for a visit after



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having claims against said Estate are
hereby required to present them, with
the proper vouchers, within six months
from the date of this notice, to Eph-
raim Shepherd at the law office of V.
A. Goode, Roy Building, Stayton, Ore-
gon.

Ephraim Shepherd, Administrator of
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1-14.

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