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Summons.

In the Circuit Court of the state of Oregon, for Benton county:
J. W. WRIGHTMAN, Plaintiff,
vs.
J. R. Rainwater and Lucy Rainwater, his wife; William Rainwater and Sarah Rainwater, his wife; Anna Kling and Peter Kling, her husband; Daniel Rainwater and Emma Rainwater, his wife; Emmet Rainwater and Mary Rainwater, his wife; Mary Clark and Merton Clark, her husband; Anna Duley and Frank Duley, her husband; Emma Laughhead and C. H. Laughhead, her husband; and Leo Cohen, Benjamin Miller and Paul Muller her husband, defendants.

To Bessie Muller, Emmet Rainwater, and Mary Rainwater, his wife, the above named defendants:
In the name of the state of Oregon, you and each of you are hereby summoned and required to appear and answer the complaint of the plaintiff in the above entitled suit now on file with the clerk of the above entitled court, on or before the last day of the time prescribed in the order for publication of this summons, hereinafter referred to, to-wit, on or before November 23, 1906, and you are hereby notified that if you fail so to appear and answer the said complaint as herein required, for want thereof the plaintiff will apply to the above entitled court for the relief demanded in his said complaint, to-wit: that he be decreed to be the owner in fee simple of the following described real property, to-wit: Beginning at the N. W. corner of the D. L. C. of A. M. Rainwater, Not. No. 697, Cl. 61 & 39 in T. 11 S. R. 3 and 4 W. of Will. Mer., Benton county, Oregon, and running thence S. 26.94 chains, thence E. 12.27 chains, thence S. 88 deg., E. 3.10 chains, thence N. 29.14 chains to the N. boundary of said claim, thence S. 82 deg. 15 min. W. along said N. boundary to place of beginning, containing 26.20 acres, more or less, all in Benton county, Oregon, save and except 13.18 acres heretofore sold and conveyed to S. E. Rainwater described as follows: Beginning at the N. W. corner of D. L. C. Not. 697, Cl. 61 and 39 T. 11 S. R. 3 and 4 W. Will. Mer., Benton county, Oregon, and running thence S. 88 deg., E. 3.10 chains, thence N. 29.14 chains, thence S. 82 deg. 15 min. W. along said west boundary to place of beginning, containing 13.18 acres, more or less, all in Benton county, Oregon, and the plaintiff shall operate in lieu of such deed, and the plaintiff shall pay the costs and disbursements, and for general relief.
This summons is published in THE CORVALLIS TIMES newspaper once a week for six successive and consecutive weeks, beginning with the issue of October 12, 1906, and ending with the issue of November 23, 1906, under and in pursuance of the directions contained in an order made by the Hon. E. Woodward, judge of the county court of Benton county, state of Oregon, dated October 11, 1906. Date of first publication hereof is October 12, 1906.

L. H. MONTANYS & E. E. WILSON,
Attorneys for Plaintiff.

Winter Rates To Yaquina Bay

A low round trip rate of \$3.50 from Albany and \$3.25 from Corvallis and Philomath to Yaquina has been put in effect by the Corvallis & Eastern during the entire winter and spring, until May 31, 1907. Tickets good for return 65 days from date of sale. Splendid accommodations for all, at low rates. Full information from G. & E. Agents or Conductors, of J. C. Mayo, Gen. Pass Agent, Albany. Tickets on sale daily.

E. E. WILSON,
ATTORNEY AT LAW.

Summons.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Benton county:
GARRISON SHELTON, Plaintiff,
vs.
ELLA W. SHELTON, Defendant.

To Ella W. Shelton, the above named defendant:
In the name of the state of Oregon, you are hereby summoned and required to appear and answer the complaint of the plaintiff in the above entitled suit in the above entitled court, now on file in the office of the clerk of said court, on or before six weeks from the day of the first publication hereof, to-wit: on or before November 19, 1906, and you are hereby notified that if you fail so to appear and answer the said complaint as herein required, for want thereof the plaintiff will apply to the above entitled court for the relief demanded in his said complaint, namely, for a decree of divorce from the said defendant, forever dissolving the marriage contract existing between the plaintiff and defendant, and for such other further and different relief, order or decree as to the court may seem proper.
This summons is published in the Corvallis Times newspaper once a week for six successive and consecutive weeks, beginning with the issue of said newspaper of October 2, 1906, and ending with the issue of November 19, 1906, under and in pursuance of the directions contained in an order made by the Hon. E. Woodward, county judge of Benton county, Oregon, being the county where the above entitled suit is pending in the above entitled circuit court, dated September 28, 1906. The date of the first publication hereof is October 2, 1906.

E. E. WILSON,
Attorney for Plaintiff.

E. R. Bryson,
Attorney At Law.

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2 Daily Trains 2
Duluth, Minneapolis, St. Paul
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2 Trains Daily 2
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Exceeds all Former Purchasing IN Quantity, Quality & Variety

Our store has never held such a line
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Received this week a big line of Mens' Clothing,
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right.

Our line of Men and Boys Shoes fill the department
to overflow; you can always find in our shoe depart-
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ANOTHER TRIAL

SUPREME COURT SAYS ER- ROR WAS COMMITTED IN TRIAL OF JENNINGS.

Josephine County Youth Convicted of Killing Father Gets Another Chance for Life.

Salem, Or., Nov. 21.—In the case of the state of Oregon, respondent, against Jasper Jennings, appellant, an appeal from Josephine county, H. K. Hanna, judge, of the lower court, is reversed by Judge Hailey. Jasper Jennings and his sister Dora were jointly informed against by the district attorney of the third judicial district for the alleged killing of their father, Newton N. Jennings, September 7, 1903, in Josephine county. In January, 1906, Jasper was tried separately, convicted of murder in the first degree and sentenced to be hanged. He appealed to the state supreme court.

Five assignments of error are specified. There being error in the admission of the opinionated testimony of Witness Wickersham, the judgment of the lower court will be reversed and a new trial ordered, says the opinion. Wickersham was one of the first persons to arrive at the house after the discovery of the homicide and was called as a witness for the state at the trial. The court holds it was an error to permit witness to give his conclusions as to the place from which the shot was fired. He should have been asked to detail conditions as they were and the jury allowed to draw its own conclusions from the facts detailed.

Hood River, Nov. 21.—A big sensation was produced here today when Charles T. Early, superintendent of the Mount Hood railroad, offered a reward of \$500 for the arrest and conviction of the person or persons who attempted to dynamite its train Sunday night. The only reason that the attempt was unsuccessful was the fact that the dynamite was frozen and did not explode.

In all 20 sticks of powder were placed on the track, five of which were laid across the rail and the rest in bunches on each side. At present there is said to be no clue.

The discovery was made by a carpenter Sunday morning on his way to work, and he found the pile of dynamite in a deep cut near what is known as Paasch's bridge. As soon as possible he communicated with Mr. Early, who cautioned him to keep quiet, and in company with an officer visited the spot and afterward made an investigation in the neighborhood to ascertain if any one had been seen in the vicinity of the place during the day. The powder used was what is known as No. 1, has a much higher explosive quality than that usually employed by men in blowing out stumps, and is used most in railroad construction. It is said that no dealer in Hood River keeps this variety of explosive, and that enough of it was on the track to have blown the train to atoms.

After an unsuccessful attempt to discover any evidence that would lead to arrest, Superintendent Early decided to publicly offer a reward. He will not say that he has no suspicion, but says he will not implicate any one until he is more fully satisfied of guilt.

When the train passed over the big bunch of dynamite it was dark, and the trainmen knew nothing about the affair until yesterday, when they were told of their narrow escape. The train consisted of a mixed one, with a passenger on the rear end in which there were 20 or 30 passengers.

The point where the power was placed is a lonely one, and cannot be seen from the surrounding country.

Boston, Mass. Nov. 21.—The bursting of a giant meteor a few feet above the tips of the masts nearly killed the crew of the American bark Harry Morse with fright. The old bark arrived here last night after a most sensational voyage from Portland, Oregon. Adventures upon adventures were encountered on the trip and more than once did the navigators who had cast their luck with the old bark abandon all hope of ever reaching port. Despite her rough usage the bark arrived in port in fairly good shape with her lumber cargo intact.

The Harry Morse left Portland April 12, this year. She encountered fairly good weather for a start, but off Cape Horn she fell into some terrific storms and no one thought she would last through the blow. Her seams opened so that the pumps had to be kept going continually, but the planking held together and she finally reached the Atlantic side of the promontory. Proceeding north she ran into a series of storms and for weeks after weeks drifted about on the glaring waters of the tropics until her crew was nearly blinded by the reflecting rays of the sun.

In the latitude of the gulf of Mexico the bark was hit by hurricane after hurricane and again it was feared that she would go down, although it was thought the worst of the voyage had been covered. She drove before the gale under bare poles for hours with the wind speeding along at the rate of at least 100 miles an hour. It was shortly after one of these storms that the ball of fire descended from the heavens one night and threatened to fall upon the heads of the seamen. Luckily it burst in mid-air. A shower of fire fell all about the craft and the sailors say the sight was enough to make the strongest man tremble with fear.

Salem, Or., Nov. 21.—That the state of Oregon has not a dollar of debt of any kind, that every warrant has been paid when presented within the past two years and that every county except Malheur has paid its state taxes when due, are facts set forth by the biennial report of State Treasurer Moore, which was made public today.

Among the important recommendations made by the state treasurer are, that the inheritance tax be amended so as to apply to estate of \$5,000 instead of estate of \$10,000, and that the exemption of \$50,000 to direct heirs be reduced to \$25,000. Mr. Moore believes that the income from the inheritance tax could thus be doubled. The revenue thus derived in the last two years was \$38,481.61. It is also recommended that, in view of the two tax laws enacted under initiative last June, an inheritance tax department be created, similar to the corporation department, under the supervision of the State Treasurer.

The other recommendation made by the treasurer is that the act of 1903, requiring relatives to pay \$10 a month for the maintenance of insane patients, if able, be repealed.

Huntington, Or., Nov. 21.—Because, with the aid of a supposedly spurious check, the bunked local saloon keepers out of a large-sized "jag," and connected with a number of traveling bags which did not belong to him, Tony Peterson a well-known character of Baker City is under arrest here.

Peterson, upon his arrival in Huntington last night, made a round of the saloons. He had in his possession a check for \$100. This he offered in payments for drinks which he ordered, but it was refused in each instance, the banks being closed and the bartenders doubting its validity.

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DIED FROM POISON

STRYCHNINE FOUND IN MRS CREFFIELD'S STOMACH.

Esther Mitchell Declares Her Call Mate Did Not Commit Suicide Coroner Accepts the Re- Port of the Commission. Other News.

Seattle, Wash., Nov. 20.—Despite the fact that Drs. Ward and Rubenstein formerly reported to Coroner Carroll this afternoon that Maud Creffield died from strychnine poisoning and that the coroner had accepted the chemist's report to mean she committed suicide, Esther Mitchell persists that Mrs. Creffield did not kill herself. Miss Mitchell challenges the truth of the coroner's findings. When told of the result she said:

"Maud never took poison; we were very intimate and knew each other's innermost secrets. If Maud had panned to take poison, I certainly would have known about it, and she never told me anything of it."

"Maud Creffield believed suicide was cowardly and always insisted that she could not take her own life. I do not believe she could have changed her views. It would have been impossible for Maud to have taken poison without my knowing it, unless she did it that night when she went out to take a footbath. She was only gone a few minutes and this was the only time she was out of my sight. She certainly did not take the poison when I was around."

Mae Hurt, sister of Mrs. Creffield, and Mrs. Levins called at the jail this afternoon to see Esther Mitchell. Mrs. Levins had seen Mrs. Creffield the afternoon before she died. "I saw Mrs. Creffield, but certainly I did not bring her any poison," said Mrs. Levins. "Maud Creffield did not want poison. We had talked several times of suicide and Mrs. Creffield always said that self-destruction was cowardice. But for the fact that it was cowardly and that God had forbidden her to commit suicide, Mrs. Creffield often said she would like to kill herself, for she had no desire to live. But she always told me that it was her duty to live and meet whatever punishment was given to her, and declared she was going to do it."

Five different color tests were applied by the chemist making the analysis of Mrs. Creffield's stomach. Traces of 0.00001 of a grain were discovered in the most sensitive of the tests. By use of a powerful microscope the crystals of the poison were developed tonight.

The authorities have not as yet made any attempt to detain Mrs. Levins, the cousin of Mrs. Creffield, and her last caller, but there will be an investigation and arrests may follow. The sheriff's office is keeping special watch on Esther Mitchell.

—All colors of pyrograph leather at Ingle & Tozier's.

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Something new every week.
A Sherman county wheat farm of 320 acres to exchange for Benton county dairy or stock ranch.
A fine 20 acre tract value \$1200 adjoining good town to trade for foot hill ranch.
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