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BUSINESS TO LIE.

The commission appointed by Roosevelt to investigate and report as arbitrators in the dispute between the miners and the mine owners have found that the operators have intentionally lied as to their wage scale, and it is reported that Judge Gray looked "very grave" when these facts were established. This is an age of business, and it appears that the big trusts find that business means lying. They have wilfully lied, but they are protected in this by the big guns who are in politics for the "stuff." The common people have been told that there were no trusts; then that there were no trusts as a result of the Dingley bill; then that there were no bad trusts; and then that there was no duty on anthracite coal—and this same duty being of vital value to the coal trust; then they were told that Knox was to prepare a bill against the trusts; then that Roosevelt was to rip them up in his message; and so on, ad infinitum. The people, or, that balance which throws a majority, believed these lies, and the trusts have laughed in their sleeves. That the coal trust, which is the biggest and most important, should lie to the commission, is nothing unexpected. The fact that the operators have lied, is hardly given to the public, owing to the fact that the Associated Press gave the case but scant mention. It remains for the Hearst papers and the measly "Bryan," Little American "skulking," country papers to give the news to the public.

LEWIS AND CLARKE.

A Complete Analysis by Henry E. Reed, of Portland.

A writer in the Edinburg Review, in 1843, described Oregon as the last corner on earth left free for the occupation of a civilized race. "When Oregon shall be colonized," he declared, "the map of the world may be considered as filled up." This was written at the time the boundary question was pending between the United States and Great Britain, terminating June 15, 1846, in the addition of the territory between the 42nd and 49th parallels, and west of the Rocky Mountains to our national domain. Fifty-one years before Captain Gray had discovered the Columbia river and thirty-eight years before Lewis and Clarke had completed their expedition across the continent by making camp on the Pacific.

The one hundredth anniversary of the arrival of the Lewis and Clark party in Oregon will be commemorated in 1905, by an exposition which will be representative of American, European and Oriental life, customs and industry. Preparations for this event are now actively under way. A company with $500,000 capital has been incorporated at Portland, the site has been selected near the very point on the Willamette reached by Captain Clark in April, 1806, and the various State Legislatures and Congress will be asked to make appropriations. Our Lewis and Clark exposition will be national in scope and importance.

Nothing that has occurred since the discovery of gold in California will so attract attention to the Pacific West and its wonderful capabilities for home building and industry as to the Lewis and Clark Exposition of 1905. The East, now well filled with people, and seeking the cheap land that in generations past was its chief inducement to the homeseeker, now appreciates the West, and realizes its value to an expanding country. The great task that the West had to overcome, the prejudice against it, was due to the fact that for forty years following the purchase of Louisiana, the land was not needed for settlement, and the people of the United States were as a loss to know what to do with their new possession. Between 1802 and 1853, purchase, exploration and war added 2,138,488 square miles to our national extent, over two and one half times as large an area as Great Britain by the treaty of 1783 declared to be "free, sovereign and independent states." All this vast territory is west of the Mississippi river, and the day when it began to be needed for settlement is within the memory of men yet in the prime of life.

The Oregon country, which the expedition of Lewis and Clark assured to American sovereignty, comprises all of the present states of Oregon, Washington and Idaho, the western part of Montana and the southwestern part of Wyoming. It had, in 1850, an area of 307,000 square miles and a population of less than 14 000. It now has 1,500,000 people, with room for 15,000,000 more, and an aggregate wealth, all classes of property included, of approximately $2,000,000,000. Its two great cities, Portland and Seattle have over 100,000 population each, and three others, Tacoma, Spokane and Butte have nearly 50,000 each. Captain Clark found near Portland in 1806, a few miserable Indian huts. Today there is at the junction of the Willamette and Columbia rivers, the 42nd city of the Union with a jobbing business of $135,000,000 a year, banking power of $25,000,000, mercantile capital of $50,000,000, and foreign commerce of $12,000,000. Lewis and Clark, it will be remembered, faced starvation many a time, and but for the dogs, berries and roots obtained from the Indians, must surely have perished. In the very route that they followed are to be found today some of the world's greatest grain fields, orchards, fisheries and cattle ranges. The City of Portland, near which Clark, in 1806, was compelled to bluff a few roots from the Indians shipped in the ten years ended June 30, 1901, over 81,500,000 bushels of wheat and 5,300,000 barrels of wheat flour. In Oregon, Washington and Idaho, where the skilled hunters of Lewis and Clark, 100 years ago, could not find meat enough to keep the shadow of famine away from their tents, there are today over 10,000,000 domestic cattle.

The main purpose of the Exposition will be to advertise the resources and possibilities of the Pacific Northwest, with the view to encouraging settlers and industries. In a word, the Northwest itself will be on exhibition with all its matchless scenery, and its products of farm, forest, factory and mines. The Exposition will not be local or sectional in any sense.

Low railroad rates will be in effect between the East and the West in 1905, which will insure large and representative attendance. Specially low rates will prevail in the Northwest to enable the visitors to go to other towns and sections of interest. All who wish to visit any place in Oregon, for the purpose of looking up land, or investigating locations for industrial plants—no matter whether it be in the remotest section of the state—will have the privilege of settlers' or investors' rates. There will thus be opportunities to see the Upper and Lower Columbia river, Northwestern Oregon, Tillamook, the Willamette Valley, Southwestern Oregon, Southern Oregon, and all of the state east of the Cascade Mountains. This will be one of the most important features of the Exposition, for the excursions of the eastern visitors to those parts of Oregon which greatly need development, will certainly result in a large increase in population through settlement and the investment of enormous sums of money in the state.

The appropriation to be made by the legislature for the exposition will be expended under the direction of a state commission which will be required to submit a full report of its doings to the legislature, which will meet after the close of the exposition. No part of the money will be expended in any other way.

LUCKY BALDWIN, of San Francisco, once worth his millions, now lies ill with cancer in the Golden Gate City. His great fortune is about dissipated and his retreat is in a secluded part of the city—a practical illustration of Fortune's toboggan slide.

FOR Chas. Fulton these are very anxious days. Binger Hermann's entrance into the senatorial fight is bound to take Southern Oregon aid away from the Clatsop man and ultimately mean a possible defeat. The Argus serenely suggests the Rt. Hon. 'Jock' Matthews as [illegible]

NOT A COLLECTION AGENCY.

It is a notorious fact that litigants all over the state of Oregon do not pay sufficient costs to the county to remunerate the actual costs of the court machinery. This is not as it should be. These actual costs should be met by litigants, and not by tax-payers at large. No commonwealth should resolve itself into an agency for the collection of debt, and bear expenses for such collection. The fees in the circuit court do not begin to cover the actual cost of litigation. This is a matter that should be corrected. Let the fees be made commensurate with the costs.

IT is more than amusing to note the wonderfully patriotic tone of the political upstarts in congress who are afraid they will hurt the feelings of a trust, and, to paraphase their words, 'ruin the industries of the country." You can wager that a trust collar is around the neck of every one of these chaps who are so fearful that the country will be ruined. Meanwhile, the big money eaters sit back and laugh at the pantomime at their puppets.

BROTHER HOGE, of the Forest Grove Times, is running for Mayor of that bailiwick. These Nebraska newspaper men are great runners, and, coming from a dry country, Hoge should understand running in a dry town. The Argus anxiously awaits returns, and assures the good brother that the Grove always puts up a "scrappy fight."

Miss Kate Rose has gone to San Francisco to accept a position with a millinery establishment.

The Multnomah county clerk has granted marriage license to E. C. Cornelius and Miss Mae Michael, of Portland. Mr. Cornelius is a son of the late Jesse Cornelius, and is well known in this vicinity.

Mrs. Irvine Ballard, of Seattle, and Mrs. Wm. Beagle, of Pendleton, arrived this evening, and are the guests of their sister, Mrs. J. A. Imbrie.

District Deputy R H. Greer has installed the following I. O. O. F. officers: Montezuma Lodge, Hillsboro, L E Wilkes, N G; R Beamish, V G; E L McCormick, Secretary; C Jack Jr, Treasurer.—Wapato Lodge, Gaston: H L Russell, N G; E J Ward, V G; H V Stott, Secretary; W B Gilpin, Treasurer.—Washington Lodge, Forest Grove, T H Adams, N G; L S Foster, Vice; R M Taylor, Secretary; W S Hudson, Treasurer.

Notice.

After January 1, 1903, all persons, other than our guests, will be charged a 10-cent fare for riding in the 'bus to or from the depot.

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J. NORTHRUP, Hillsboro Hotel.

SUMMONS.

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON, FOR WASHINGTON COUNTY.

J. P. Tamiesie, Plaintiff,
vs.
Jennie Annans, Defendant.

To Jennie Annans, the above named defendant:

In the name of the State of Oregon, you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed herein within six weeks from the date of the first publication, or of the date of the personal service of this summons upon you, and if you fail so to appear and answer, the plaintiff will take judgment against you for the sum of $116.00, with interest thereon at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum since the 1st day of August 1902, and for his costs and disbursements of said action. And also an order and decree authorizing and directing that certain real estate belonging to you be sold in the manner prescribed by law, and that the proceeds thereof be applied to the satisfaction of said judgment, said real estate being described as follows, to-wit:

Being known as a part of the southeast quarter of the northeast quarter of section 33 T 1 S R 3 W of the Will. Mer., and commencing at the southeast corner of the southeast quarter of the northeast quarter of section 33 T 1 S R 3 W, and running west 80 rods, thence north 80 rods; thence east to the county road; thence southeast on line of said road until crossing Cedar Creek, 2 rods; thence east to east line; thence south to place of beginning, containing 34 acres.

The date of the first publication of this summons is the 1st day of January, 1903, and the order authorizing the service of this summons by publication requires you to appear and answer on or before the expiration of six weeks from said date.

This summons is served upon you by publication by order of the Honorable L. A. Rood, Judge of the above named Court, by an order made and dated at Chambers at Hillsboro, Oregon, on the 12th day of November, 1902.

JOHN M. WALL,
Attorney for Plaintiff.

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE OF AN EXECUTION, decree and order of sale, issued out of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for Washington County, in favor of Leo Friede and against Michael C Lyons et al for the sum of $57.75 costs, and for the further sum of $4051.84 U S gold coin, with interest thereon at the rate of 8 per cent per annum from the 18th day of February, 1902, and the sum of $225.00 with interest thereon at the rate of 6 per cent per annum from the 26th day of November, 1902, and for the further sum of $57.75, cost and expense of sale and of said writ:

Now, therefore, by virtue and in pursuance of said judgment, decree and order of sale, I will, on Monday, the 2nd day of February, 1903, at the south door of the Court House in Hillsboro, Washington County, Oregon, at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, the following described real property, to wit:

The east ½ of the N E ¼, the East ½ of S E ¼ section 27, the N E ¼ of the N E ¼ of Sec 34, the N ½ of the N W ¼ of Sec 35, the N W ¼ of the N E ¼ of Sec 35, all in Township 2 North Range 2 West of the Willamette Meridian, situated in Washington County, Oregon, to satisfy the hereinbefore named sums, and for the costs and expenses of said sale.

Said property will be sold subject to redemption as per statute of Oregon.

Witness my hand hereto set this 31st day of December, 1902.

J. W. SEWELL,
Sheriff of Washington County, Oregon.
Cotton, Teal & Minor,
Attorneys for Plaintiff.

Four English setter pups for [illegible]

Notice of Final Settlement.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, executor of the last will and testament of A. G. Anderson, deceased, has filed in the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Washington County, his final account as such executor of said estate, and that Monday, the 2d day of February, 1903, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m., has been fixed by said Court as the time for hearing of objections to said report, and the settlement thereof.

W. H. WEHRUNG,
Executor of the last will and testament of A. G. Anderson, deceased.
John M. Wall, Attorney for Executor

Executor's Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has by the County Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Washington, been duly appointed and qualified Executor of the last will and testament of T. G. Sewell, deceased. Therefore, all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present them to me, with proper vouchers at the law office of John M. Wall, in Hillsboro, Oregon, within six months from this date.

Dated at Hillsboro, Oregon, this January 1, 1903.

JAMES H. SEWELL,
Executor of the last will and testament of T. G. Sewell, deceased.

Go to F. R Dailey's Bicycle Store for guns and ammunition and bicycle sundries and repairing. —F. R. Dailey, Main Street, Hillsboro.

School began again Monday

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of an order made and entered by the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Washington County, dated the 5th day of January, 1903, authorizing the sale of the real estate hereinafter described.

Now, therefore, the undersigned administrator of the estate of Rachel E. Graham, deceased, will, on Saturday, the 31st day of January, 1903, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the front door of the Court House, at Hillsboro, Oregon, sell to the highest bidder for cash in hand, the following described real estate, to-wit:

Being part of the south ½ of the south ½ of section twenty (20) in Township two (2) north of Range three (3) west of the Will. Mer., and beginning at a point 19.40 chains north of the quarter section corner between sections 20 and 29, running thence west 0.60 chs; thence north 0.60 chs; thence west 5.91 chs; thence south 10 chs; thence east 10.26 chs; thence north 9.40 chs; thence west 3.75 chs to the place of beginning, containing ten acres of land, be the same more or less, as prayed for in the petition of the administrator herein filed.

Dated at Hillsboro, Oregon, this 6th day of January, 1903.

JOHN M. WALL,
Administrator of the Estate of Rachel E. Graham, deceased.

SUMMONS.

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

Augusta Kruger and Conrad K. Schmeltzer, Plaintiffs,
vs.
George L Grinstead, Thompson Grinstead, Emeline Grinstead, Jesse A Grinstead, Sarah M. Grinstead, Charles Rice, Maria Rice, George Moore, Frances Moore, Elizabeth Jackson, James Rice, Phebe Rice, Catherine Grinstead, Emeline Robinson, Agnes Walker, ——— Walker, Viola G. Smith, ——— Smith, Florence L. Robinson, R. A. Robinson, ——— Robinson, Defendants.

To George L. Grinstead, Thompson Grinstead, Emeline Grinstead Jesse A. Grinstead, Sarah M. Grinstead, Charles Rice, Maria Rice, George Moore, Frances Moore, James Rice, Phebe Rice and Catharine Grinstead, the above named defendants:

In the name of the State of Oregon: You, and each of you, are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed herein, within six weeks from the date of first publication of this summons, and if you fail so to appear and answer the plaintiffs will ask for the relief prayed for in plaintiffs' complaint, to-wit: For a decree forever barring any claim or interest which you, or each of you, may have in the following described real estate, to-wit:

Commencing at the corner of Sections 21, 22, 27 and 28 T 2 S R 2 W Will. Mer., thence East on said section line 20 chains, thence South 42 chains to the county road, thence West 19.08 chains to the county road, thence North 21½ degrees West 45.09 chains to the section line in the center of the county road, thence East on the section line 14.95 chains to the place of beginning, containing 113.40 acres.

The West half of the West half of Section 27, and the East half of the East half of Section 28, all in T 2 S R 2 W Will. Mer., excepting the tract of land above described belonging to the said Aususta Kruger, and for such other and further relief as may to the Court appear equitable.

The date of the first publication of this summons is the 25th day of December, 1902, and the order authorizing the service of this summons by publication requires you to appear and answer the complaint on or before the expiration of six weeks from said date.

This summons is served upon you by publication by order of the Honorable L. A. Rood, Judge of the above named Court, by an order made and dated at Chambers at Hillsboro, Oregon, on the 22nd day of December, 1902.

JOHN M. WALL,
Attorneys for Plaintiffs.

Notice of Final Settlement.

Notice is hereby given, that the undersigned has filed in the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Washington County, the final account in the matter of estate of E. F. Sutherland, deceased, and said Court has set Monday, the 26th day of January, 1903, at 1 o'clock p. m., at the Court room in Hillsboro, Oregon as the time and place of hearing objections to said final account, and for the final settlement of said estate.

Dated this December 23, 1902.

MARY J. SUTHERLAND,
Administratrix of the Estate of E. F. Sutherland, deceased.

Blooded Swine for Sale.

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Executrix's Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been by the County Court of the State of Oregon for Washington County duly appointed Executrix of the estate of Anderson Reynolds, deceased, and has duly qualified as such.

Therefore, all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same with proper vouchers attached thereto, to me, at the law office of W. N. Barrett, in Hillsboro, Oregon, within six months from the date hereof.

Dated at Hillsboro, Oregon, this 10th day of December, 1902.

SUSAN REYNOLDS,
Executrix of the Estate of Anderson Reynolds, deceased.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been by the County Court of Washington County, Oregon, duly appointed administrator of the estate of Carlton Tupper, deceased, and that he has duly qualified and entered upon the discharge of his duties as such. Now, therefore, all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same to the undersigned administrator, at the law office of Geo. R. Bagley, in Hillsboro, Oregon, together with proper vouchers, within six months from date hereof.

Dated at Hillsboro, Oregon, December 2, 1902.

E. X. HARDING,
Administrator of the estate of Carlton Tupper, deceased.
Geo. R. Bagley, Attorney for the Administrator.

SUMMONS.

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

George Schmidt, Plaintiff.
vs.
Less Schmidt, Defendant.

To Less Schmidt, defendant above named:

In the name of the State of Oregon, you are hereby notified that the Plaintiff herein has filed a complaint against you in the above entitled Court and cause, and you are hereby required to appear and answer said complaint on or before the last day of the time prescribed by order of publication hereof, to wit: On or before the 30th day of January, 1903; you are further notified that if you fail to appear and answer the complaint herein or to plead thereto, the plaintiff will cause your default to be entered, and will apply to the Court above mentioned for the relief prayed for in the complaint herein, that is to say, for a decree forever dissolving the bonds of matrimony that may be existing between plaintiff and defendant hereto, and for such other relief as to the Court may seem meet and just. The date of the first publication of this summons is Thursday, December 11, 1902, and the last publication thereof, Thursday, January 22, 1903, and the said summons shall be published on the said Thursday of each week for a period of six weeks between said dates.

This summons is published by order of Hon. Thomas A. McBride, judge of said Court, made in chambers in said cause, and dated the 5th day of December, 1902.

CHAS. J. SCHNABEL,
Attorney for Plaintiff.

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