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Summons,

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Linn County.

R. S. Wallace, Plaintiff.
vs.
John Heighsle, Wm England and George Williams, Defendants.

To John Heighsle, Wm England and George Williams, Defendants.

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

the 25th day of June, 1888,

that being the first day of the next regular term of said Court following the publication of this Summons, and if you fail to so answer, said Plaintiff will apply to said Court for a decree against the said Defendant, John Heighsle for the sum of two thousand dollars with interest thereon at the rate of ten per cent per annum since the 25th day of September, 1886, as money due Plaintiff on a promissory note be made by said John Heighsle, to Plaintiff, and also a decree against said Defendants for the foreclosure of a mortgage made by said Defendant, John Heighsle to said Plaintiff to secure the payment of aid sum and interest and for the sale of the mortgaged premises or land mortgaged, described to-wit: The west ½ of S E ¼ and east ½ of S W ¼ of section 20 in Township 9 south of range 2 east of the Willamette meridian, in Linn county, Oregon, and against said Defendant, John Heighsle for $200 Attorneys fees and costs and disbursements and also that the proceeds of such sale be applied in payment of said principal and interest, Attorney's fees and disbursements.

This Summons is served by publication thereof six successive weeks in the STATE RIGHTS DEMOCRAT by order of Hon. R. P. Boise, Judge of said Court, made at Chambers and bearing date the 9th day of May, 1888

SHAW & GREGG,
Attorneys for Plaintiff.

Notice for Publication.

Land Office at Roseburg, Or., April 16th, 1888.

Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Register or Receiver of the U. S. Land Office, at Roseburg, Or., on

Thursday, June 7th, 1888,

viz: Reuben A Leach, Preemption D S No 5181 for the E ½ of N E ¼ Sec. 4, Tp. 14 S R 1 west, W. M. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Herbert E Cady, of Sweet Home, Linn county, Or., Peleg Truitt, George Hoeflein, J W McDaniel, all of Crawfordsville, Linn county, Or.

CHAS. W. JOHNSTON, Register.

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Summons.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Linn.

Martha Houston, Plaintiff.
vs.
Josie E. Timmerman, Defendant.

To Josie E. Timmerman, the above named Defendant.

IN the name of the State of Oregon: You are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint of the above named Plaintiff in the above entitled Court now on file with the Clerk of said Court, within ten days from the date of the service of this Summons upon you, if served in Linn county, Oregon, but if served in any other county in this State then within twenty days from the date of the service upon you, or if served on you out of the State or by publication, then by the first day of the June term of the Circuit Court following such service, to-wit:

the 25th day of June, 1888,

and you are hereby notified that if you fail to appear and answer said complaint as hereby required the Plaintiff will take judgment against you for the sum of $454.33 and interest thereon from May 5th, 1888, at 8 per cent per annum and for the further sum of $362.35 with interest thereon at the rate of 8 per cent per annum from the 2nd day of May, 1885, and for the costs and disbursements to be taxed and for an order of the Court to sell the property attached in the above entitled action to satisfy any judgment obtained, to-wit. Lot 71 in the city of Scio, Linn county, Oregon, excepting the following: Beginning at the S E corner of said lot 71, thence W 50 feet; thence N 16 feet; thence E 50 feet; thence S 16 feet to the place of beginning. Also the E ½ of lot 70 in Scio, Linn Co, Or Also commencing at the S E corner of Lot 70 in the city of Scio, Linn county, Oregon, and running, thence W 25 feet; thence S 32 feet to the north bank of Thomas Creek; thence easterly along the north bank of said Creek to a point opposite and on a line with the east boundary line of said Lot 70; thence N 31 feet to the place of beginning, at a point 14 88 chains E of the N E corner of Sec. 22, Tp. 10 S R 2 w; thence E 5.12 chains; thence S 29 chains; thence S 89° 48' E 40.54 chains; thence S 32 80 chains; thence W 45 66 chains; thence N 52.80 chains to the place of beginning, containing 160 acres, in Linn county, Oregon.

This is published by order of the Hon. R. P. Boise, made at Chambers the 10th day of May, 1888.

J. K. WEATHERFORD,
Attorney for Plaintiff.

Notice for Publication,

Land Office at Oregon City, Or., May 17th, 1888.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Judge or in case of his absence the County Clerk of Linn county, Oregon, at Albany, Oregon, on

Monday, July 9th, 1888,

viz: John M. Flaugher, Homestead Entry No. 4870 for the N ½ of N E ¼ and N ½ of N W ¼ of Sec. 32, Tp 11 S R 1 E. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of, said land, viz: Jess M South, John O Boyd, Thomas Crockett, William Ray, all of Lebanon, Linn county, Oregon.

W. T. BURNEY, Register.

Administrator's Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been, by order of the County Court of Linn county, Oregon, made April 24th, 1888, duly appointed Administrator of the estate of Samuel R Duncan, deceased. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present them duly verified to the undersigned at his residence in Albany, within six months from the date hereof.

April 27th, 1888.

S. M. PENNINGTON, Administrator.
T. J. STITES, Attorney for Administrator.

Summons.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Linn:

Mary A Broadwell, Plaintiff.
vs.
Jacob C Broadwell, Defendant.

To Jacob C. Broadwell the above named Defendant.

IN the name of the State of Oregon: You are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint of the above named Plaintiff in the above entitled Court now on file with the Clerk of said Court within ten days from the date of the service of this Summons upon you, if served in Linn county, Oregon, but if served in any other county in the State of Oregon, then within twenty days of the service, of this Summons upon you, or if served outside of the State or by publication then by the first day of the next regular term of Court following, to wit:

the 25th day of June, 1888,

and you are hereby notified if you fail to answer said complaint as hereby required the Plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in this complaint, to-wit: A decree dissolving the bonds of matrimony now existing and for the care, custody and control of minor children named in the complaint and for the costs and disbursements and such other relief as may be equitable.

This Summons is published by the order of the Hon. R. P. Boise, Judge of said Court made May 3rd, 1888.

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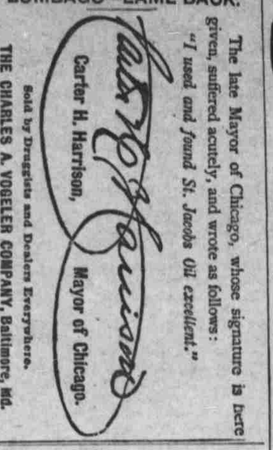

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Land Office at Oregon City, Or., April 30th, 1888.

NOTICE is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the County Clerk of Linn county, Or., at Albany, Or., on

Monday, June 12th, 1888,

viz: John W Cox, pre-emption D S No. 5171 for Lot 1, Sec. 34, Tp. 11 S R 1 W. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of said land, viz. John O Boyd, R Tucker, B Powell, A J Fitzwater, all of Lebanon Or.

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TEMPERANCE COLUMN.

Edited by Albany W. C. T. U.

California now has five cities under local option rule, namely: Pasadena, Riverside, Tustin, Woodland and El Modena. This speaks volumes for a State, which exports as much wine as California and is a prophecy of the future, in that it shows an awakening of the people to the great evils, directly traceable to the use of the native wine. Thorough work is being done by the W.C.T.U. women and others, in many localities, and we hope to hear of many more of those beautiful cities, being added to this list.

Joseph Cook says: We shall never be able to dethrone the liquor traffic in American politics until we cease to be silent partners in its gains.

The Catholic Total Abstinence Union in 1887, included twenty-two subordinate unions, 754 societies, and a membership of over 50,000. A personal, voluntary pledge is exacted from the members to abstain from all intoxicants for a stated time, to discourage the use of stimulants, and to do all that is possible to destroy the vice of drunkenness.

Cardinal Manning in England and Bishops Ireland and Keane of this country are cited as the leaders in this wide-spread Catholic temperance movement.

The Union does not assume to deal with the legislative aspect of the temperance reform, and is absolutely non-political.

It fills an important place among the influential temperance agencies of our time and country.

Ohio.

The Senate, on the 13th ult., passed the Owens Sunday Closing Bill by a vote of 25 to 2. It takes from councils of municipal organizations the power to decide whether intoxicating liquors shall be sold or not on Sunday, and prohibits all sales of liquor on Sunday.

Illinois.

The Cook County Grank Jury for the month of March, after investigating sundry Chicago murder cases, made the following significant report:

"On investigation of the murder cases has impressed us to the degree that we deem it our official duty to call the attention of the Court to the following facts in the hope that it may have some little effect on future legislation regarding the liquor traffic: We find that in every case of murder or manslaughter (except one) the cause leading to the crime came direct from the saloon. Furthermore, it came not from the higher and better class of saloons, but from those in the poorer and lower portions of our city, and consequently from the lower grade of saloons. It seems to us that a long step toward solving this problem is a uniform license of $1,000 payable annually in advance, to be exacted of all saloon-keepers."

The link between the saloon and murder is close. The $1,000 remedy proposed would quite certainly prove inadequate and disappointing.

TAXED Democracy shouts for CLEVELAND, the Mills Bill, free trade with Mexico and down with the Surplus! A voice is also raised for Roger Q. Mills for Vice-President. The fact is, Texas is proud of its Mills.

REAL ESTATE SALES.

As recorded in the County Clerk's office of Linn county, Oregon:

David Swan to Francis M Miller, 4 lots, Lebanon	$ 400
Martin Wertz to Sarah Luper, 5 lots, Tangent	
J R South to Louisa South, all of his farm except 160 acres	1
J R South to Wm R South, 160 acres	1
J R South to Mary Smith, 320 acres	1
Jos S Ames to Elwood Dean, 1 acre 13 E 1	25
J B Jenks to G C Turner, 12 acres. 11 w 4	75
Thos Davis to Mary A Davis, 60 acres, 12 w 3	1000
Ames Ames to Golena Mining and Smelting Co. of Portland, Blue Bell claim on Santiam	1
Margaret Hardman et al to Philip Ritter, 145 acres 11, 12 w 2	600
Martha Follis to Philip Ritter, same as last	300
U S to Robert Kent, 160 acres, 13 w 2	patent
U S to Wm J O'Hara, 320 acres, 9 w 1	patent

NOTES.

The greatest good to the greatest number is a cardinal democratic principle, hence the party favors a reduction of high taxation.

As hades is said to know no fury like that of a woman scorned, so the world hath no greater liar than the campaign slanderer defeated.

The most egregiously mistaken man in the county is the one who thinks tariff reduction will never win.

It seems as though the Republicans will not be satisfied unless Mr. Blaine publishes his withdrawal in the form of an affidavit. But why this lack of confidence in the word of this most prominent candidate?

Solicitor Jenks made a profound remark the other day when he declared that "very many people are Democrats who are not aware of it." As the clearing away of the clouds shows the mariner the stars and enables him to determine where he is, so the present discussion of economic question dissipates the fog of partisanship and discloses the path of safety.

Protection benefits a dozen people and cheats a hundred. A uniform tariff regulated to the needs of industry and producing a sufficient amount of revenue to meet the just demands of the government economically administered is all the protection which fair minded people can ask, and the people will never be satisfied until it is reduced to that point.

In 1884 the Pennsylvania democrats, under the leadership of Randall, and on a platform dictated by him, had a majority of 81,000 against them. This year they follow another leader and a different policy, and the republican majority will show a serious shrinkage.

The Democratic party, in its leader, the President, has taken firm ground on the side of patriotism, peace and duty. He has demanded a return to the ways of peace.

The price of wool has declined and the republicans papers are quick to attribute it to the Mills bill. But the *Oregonian* said Tuesday that the price of range cattle is lower than ever before. Yet there is no wool on cattle.

Phil Sheridan Friday was made General of the army.

THAT $10 SUIT OF CLOTHES.

During the tariff debate in the house Friday, Mr. McKinley of Ohio, to the astonishment of all and the discomfiture of Mr. Morse of Boston, who had been interrupting the speaker, dramatically unrolled and held up for inspection a $10 suit of "all wool clothes" bought at the Boston clothing house of the third district congressman. Mr. McKinley then went on to shake this suit of "all wool" in the faces of the democrats in refutation of the oft-repeated assertion that the tariff on woolen goods enhanced the prices of those products manufactured in this country, and he asserted in his turn that the laborer paid no more for his clothing in this than in any other country. The New York *Tribune* now takes the $10 suit and reasserts that "the clothes worn by workingmen are as cheap here with protective duties as they would be if the same goods could be imported free of duty." Such claims have been made very frequently during the tariff agitation. Nor do we pretend to deny them.

But the war tariff advocates should be consistent. If these claims are true, then it follows: Either, that the efficiency of American labor employed in the woolen manufacturing industry is great enough to overcome any difference in wages here and abroad; or, American labor is paid no more in that industry than English labor. What, therefore? Why, the tariff is absolutely useless in either case as a protection against pauper labor. There is no escape from this dilemma. The war tariff men must either admit that the duties enhance the price not only of products imported, but of those of domestic manufacture; or they must admit that American labor needs no protection. More than all this, they must admit that, if duties of 80 and 100 per cent are needed on these same woolen clothes—which they so strenuously claim—to afford protection to labor, that is, make up the difference in the cost of labor here and abroad, then the amount of these duties must be added to the price of the product to save the manufacturer from loss.

Do they admit it? Not much. Then of what use is an 80 or 100 per cent tariff on woolen goods? On the other hand they say clothing can be made as cheap here as anywhere. Then labor must be as cheap here as anywhere, its efficiency making good any difference in the nominal rate here and in England. Consistency is a precious jewel and exceeding rare in this partisan round at the tariff.—Springfield *Republican*, (Rep.)

John Dunlap, the millionaire tin-plate manufacturer, of Pittsburg, Pa., has published a letter indorsing President Cleveland's tariff ideas, and says Mr. Cleveland deserves the thanks of the country for the prosperous administration he has given the people. In politics Mr. Dunlap has been an independent, although his leanings were to the republican party. He did not vote for President Cleveland, but as he sat in his cosy office on Second avenue and reviewed the administration of the Chief Executive he concluded by saying: "I will vote for President Cleveland. He has given us the best administration of public affairs that we have ever had; and I wish to add also that I am most earnestly in favor of the Mills bill, and am convinced that it will be a blessing to this country."

"During my fifty years' experience as a business man," he added, "the questions of duties, tariffs, etc., have been a source of continual agitation. How many blatant, frothy demagogues have ridden this hack into seats in Congress, and now assist in continuing the agitation in order to continue in their places! They have no desire to permanently settle the vexed question, no desire to extract the thorn that produced the inflammation, for if it were not for these yearly turmoils what would become of the aspiring politician? I am satisfied that in case the Mills bill is passed, with some changes in relation to certain kinds of glass and iron, all the fretting and yearly clamor about protection will be ended.

"The present tariff laws are unjust and unequal. Why should there be a duty of some 35 per cent. on tin plate. It is not made in our country, nor is it desirable to make it, but it affects many of our interests, from the cans that contain our oil and meats for exportation and home use down to tin cup found in both palace and hovel."

Senator Gorman chats freely about New York and national democratic politics. Said he: "The united condition of the democracy in New York seems to give the republicans the idea that there is trouble underneath. They say that the democracy always does best when it quarrels most fiercely internally, and the observation is true enough, but I apprehend there will be quarreling enough on local matters among the democratic leaders to make up for any lack of it on larger matters, and that the results will be eminently satisfactory to us. In our party there is really but one presidential candidate. There is no opposition to him, and his re-election may be safely predicted. Mr. Cleveland will be elected easily—I say easily advisedly. He has made an issue on the reduction of taxation without disturbance of the labor or industries of the country. On such issue no man has ever been defeated. I recognize Mr. Blaine as the strongest republican candidate, and believe he will be renominated, but he cannot defeat Mr. Cleveland. There will, of course, be a fight. The republican party is an enormous, great organization, full of vigor and vitality, and will not give up without a struggle, but it cannot win this time."

It is now the Republicans who are afraid of the tariff issue. They decline the proposition of the Democratic leaders in the House to take an immediate vote on the Mills Bill. For two months they have been denouncing this as a "Free-Trade" measure, sure to ruin the country. When the President raised the issue the Republican leaders cried: "Aha! we have them now!" But when brought to a test their confidence oozes away like Bob Acre's courage. They wish to obstruct and delay and dodge. The defense of surplus-creating war taxes does not promise as well as they imagined it would.

The Republicans in the senate appear to be hedging in their opposition to the confirmation of Melville W. Fuller to be chief justice. A man whom Robert T. Lincoln, Judge Gresham and Walker Blaine had recommended to the president is not the sort of man for Republicans to kick against effectively, although it is by no means clear why Walker Blaine should have felt called upon to tender his opinion on such a subject.

Congressman Springer's idea of placing those articles on the free list which are particularly liable to be controlled by trusts, is not exactly new, but it is a good one for all that.

Crop Prospects.

ST. PAUL, May 29.—Notwithstanding the fact that rains throughout the Northwest have lately been severe, culminating Sunday in a general downpour, advices indicate that crops have not been in the least injured. Throughout the Red river valley in Northern Dakota and Minnesota, rains were needed. It is estimated that the wheat output in that region will be largely increased, and will reach 50,000,000 bushels.

For Thurman.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 30.—The *Examiner* will print to-morrow interviews with a large number of leading democrats of the Pacific coast, regarding the feasibility of nominating Judge Thurman, of Ohio, for vice-president on the democratic ticket. The general sentiment seems to be one of enthusiasm in favor of Thurman for the place.

Sheridan.

WASHINGTON, May 30.—Midnight—Gen Sheridan's condition has again changed for the worse, and he is now as critically ill as at any time of his sickness.

TACOMA, May 30.—The First street car company in Tacoma ran its first car through the streets to-day. The tracks have been done for a long time, and the people have been impatiently waiting for the cars to begin running, and last night men were kept at work until a late hour, clearing the tracks and completing the switches. At 4 o'clock this morning the steam motor hitched to a car and successfully climbed from the wharf to the top of the hill.

Extraordinary Rainfall.

DENVER, Colo, May 30.—A marvellous rainfall, which is perhaps at its culmination to-day, has visited Colorado the past few weeks. Never before in the history of the state has one-fifth of such an amount fallen in a similar period. The last week has witnessed a downpour every afternoon, and something over a fortnight ago there was a steady fall of rain for thirty-six hours at a stretch.

A Suit.

SALEM, May 30. — The Silverton prohibitionists have begun suit in the circuit court to oust from office four of the members of the present council of that city. It will be remembered that the prohibitionists were counted out at the recent election on account of illegal ballots, and the citizens' ticket declared elected.

Drowned.

COLFAX W. T. May 30. — Cornelius Grady, a prominent stock man and rancher on Snake river, while crossing the Pennawawa ferry, en route to Walla Walla with a band of cattle, was crowded off the ferry by the cattle and lost his life. His body has not been recovered.

TELEGRAPHIC SUMMARY.

The Oregon and California delegation arrived at St. Louis Thursday, and are said to be solid for Cleveland and Thurman.

Senator Mitchell's joint resolution providing for the appointment by the Secretary of the navy of a commission composed of three competent naval officers, to select a suitable site for a naval station, navy yard and docks on the Pacific Coast, was on Thursday taken up in the Senate, and after being defended by Mitchell, who presented a lengthy letter from the admiral of the navy in its support, was passed.

The Union Pacific R R is threatened with a strike, as the result of recent arrangements allowing the Burlington to run Kansas City, St. Joseph & Council Bluffs night trains over the Union Pacific bridge at Omaha.

The Grant Memorial University, of Athens, Tennessee, at its commencement Thursday, conferred the degree of doctor of laws on Leland Stanford, Senator from California.

The residence of Mrs. Lee Jerome was entered by burglars Tuesday night and $10,000 worth of diamonds stolen. The inmates of the house were chloroformed. Mrs. Jerome caused a sensation some weeks ago by marrying the head waiter of a hotel. She is worth half a million.

General Sheridan's condition is very critical and he cannot live long.

At the Prohibition National Convention at Indianapolis Thursday Clinton B. Fiske, of New Jersey was nominated for President and John A. Brooks, of Kansas City for Vice President. The woman suffrage plank was nailed into the platform after a stormy debate.

A collision occurred on the Cheyenne & Northern branch of the Union Pacific, near Bordeaux, Thursday, between a work train and a passenger engine, which resulted in the death of Passenger Conductor Mayfield, and the probably fatal injury of Engineers Brooks and Marsden, and the serious injury of four other employes.

Word has just been received at Whatcom, W. T., from a reliable source that railroad building to connect Bellingham bay with the Canadian Pacific and Seattle will begin soon.

Seattle is to have a $2,000,000 steel and iron works.

Wheeler T. trotted 1 1-16 miles at St Louis Friday in 1:47½ fastest on record

Dr. Wm. Pepper, professor of the university of Pennsylvania, returned to Philadelphia Friday from his hasty visit to Washington, where he was called into consultation by the physicians attending Gen. Sheridan. Dr. Pepper expressed a somewhat hopeful view of the General's condition and says though desperately ill there is a chance for recovery.

Secretary Vilas Friday in the case of Lyons vs. Ivers, Lakeview land district, decided an important case, and one which involves the town site of Harney City. He holds that pre-emption cannot be made of lands upon which there is trade and business at the time of entry.

At Friday morning's session of the Reformed Presbyterian Synod of the United States, held at Pittsburg, a resolution was adopted deprecating the publication of Sunday newspapers, and instructing the Presbyterians to prosecute, by proper discipline, all members who advertise in the same.

Dr. Colvig, a dentist residing in Oregon, and father of Mrs. A. C. Cawley, who recently figured in the Faling murder case, at San Francisco, where the wife of Faling mortally wounded her husband, has to all appearances fallen in very lucky, and if all can be proved, as it is expected, he will become the possessor of a snug fortune of $200,000. This figure represents one-sixth of half a fortune left by the death of his grandfather, who died a number of years ago in France.

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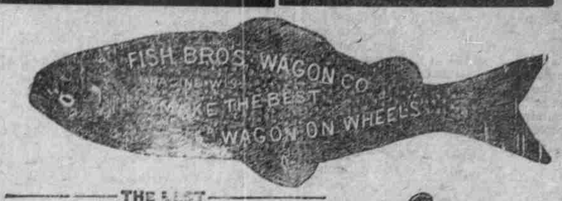

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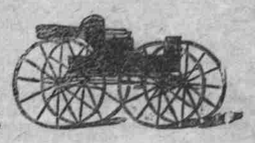

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