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JAMES E. BERING, Plaintiff, vs. MARY BERING, Defendant. -Summons.

TO MARY BERING:-

IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF OREGON, you are hereby required to appear and answer unto the complaint filed against you in the above entitled Court and cause by Monday, the 24th day of April, 1911, which date is subsequent to the expiration of six weeks after the date of 11th day of March, 1911, which is the date of the first publication of this summons, it being prescribed in the order for aforesaid publication that said summons be published once a week for six successive weeks in the Coos Bay Times, a newspaper of general circulation, and if you fall so to appear the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the complaint to-wit: That the bonds of matrimony existing between the plaintiff and defendant be dissolved.

This summons is published pursuant to an order of the Honorable John S. Coke, Judge of the above entitled court made and entered March, the 9th, 1911.

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(continued from last week)

mate of the Chinese as a people from what we see of them in this country. It is almost unnecessary to say that of the quarter of a million of Chinese in this land only a very small percentage are really representative of the Chinese found on their own soil. Practically all of the working class of Chinese in this land come from Canton or its vicinity. The Cantonese are the migratory class of China, and do not truly represent the Chinese people as a whole,

finds that his opinion formed of the Chinese from those seen in this land has to undergo a radical readjustment. There he is brought in contact with a people, many of whom are cultured and refined, and few of whom have not a native instinct for politeness and affability. Nor does a people who are naturally gentle day. With more than four thousand early as the fifth century A. D. unobtrusive. He finds that, instead of having to carry there apparently has come to them vention of printing was prompted by firearms to protect himself (as most no diminution of strength, no abate- the knowledge that something simiforeigners at home think it is neces- ment of natural vigor. Where, we lar existed in the Flowery Kingdom. sary to do) he is really safer than might ask is there is a people which For seven hundred years the art had on his own soil in many instances. He can boast of so ancient a lineage? been practiced there, not in secret, haz no fear in going anywhere so Long before the Christian era they as he and Faustus practiced it, but as long as he attends to his own affairs, developed a comparatively high civi- a popular industry. The origin of With the exception of some sections lization of their own, and while they Chinese printing came about in a rein the extreme western part of the may not have added much to this markable way. A tyrant, in an encountry, where the people have not progress, yet they have at least deavor to uproot the principles of been brought in contact with civiliz- brought it along with them out of Confucius had all his writings desation or come to know the foreigner the past with but slight impairment. sufficiently well, it is quite safe, even The Egyptian, the Babylonian, the ever partly from memory and partly for a woman, to travel from one end Assyrian, the Greek, the Roman have from imperfect copies found in the of the country to the other. Many each developed their own civiliza- walls of an old house. In the year

similar journeys in this land.

ples, often blind us to the good qual- are looking down upon us." China, a land romarkable for its ities in our brethren across the waextent and its resources, is perhaps ters. Our Oriental friends, and not on the pathway to progress and en- unmistakable mark of Chinese origin. lightenment, yet there are somethings to teach us.

The foreigner on going to China infinite patience.

ply to the educated, scholarly class, off past they have come down to this cretly sent among the ships, soon years of history behind them, yet It is thought that Gutenberg's inwomen missionaries go off on long tion, only to pass away to make 627 A. D. the Emperor Tai Tsung, to trips alone into isolated sections of room for another. They are all mere guard against a similar occurrence, the country, and they tell us that names on the pages of history. But had all the writings of the great they have nothing to fear. They the Chinese is still with us, altho' his Sage engraved on slabs of stone. One would not be half so safe in taking civilization ante-dates some of those hundred and seventy of these sla's, we have mentioned. They are made bearing on their faces the text of the All these facts force upon us the venerable by age, if nothing else, thirteen classics, are still extant. conclusion that our over-exageration There is a saying that we should re- Later on the idea arose of having of things Western and our pride in spect the young because they have a rubbings made from these slabs so as

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because they have already travelled a long way. One feels thus regarding the Chinese. They carry us through the longest continuous stretch of authentic history of any race of people who have ever lived. Even Christianity seems to them a new thing compared with the early beginnings of their race. I felt this whenever I passed through their walled cities, the foundations of many of which were laid hundreds of years before Christ was born. One feels himself in the spirit of Napoleon's words to his troops before the pyramids. "In truth, forty centuries

The genius of Chinese civilization is shown in that it has developed the still more remarkable on account of the least among them the Chinese. lines, and yet, that civilization has the people that inhabit it. We are have some things which we may not been entirely devoid of inventive with profit take home to ourselves, talent. Some evidence of it has If the West can boast of her higher come to the western world in discocivilization in pointing other peoples veries and inventions which bear an

The honor for the discovery of which we need an Oriental Gamaliel gun powder is contested by English, German, Arab and Hindu, but we The characteristics of the Chinese pass over the ones to whom the crewhich we would do well to study dit is really due, to the Chinese. They are: their love of peace and high were the first experimenters in the regard for law; the absence of all field of alchemy, and as the ingreclass distinctions and the prevalence dients for gunpowder require no fixed of a democratic spirit; respect for proportion, it was inevitable that the superiors, whether in age, position happy accident should have occurred or intellect; domination by the his- among them first. Nor is the evitoric instinct to such an extent that dence for this discovery wanting. As the past is not only reverenced but early as 767 A. D. there is mention is a wholesome check upon unwar- made of the use of cannons capable ranted innovations; a native suavity, of throwing stones and also mention gentleness and courtesy; and lastly, of the use of mines. Another authority relates that in 1131 A. D. a pira-In origin, the Chinese people are tical fleet on the river Yangste was this apply, as some might think, sim- not of yesterday. From the dim far- destroyed by a "thunder bomb," se-

It applies as well to the business day with a history remarkable for its Again, China's claim to the disman, the official class and the day length and its smoothness. Migrat- covery of the Mariner's compass is laborer. The Chinese take life more ing from Central Asia, a small tribe uncontested. The magnet was not easily than we do. No pursuit is al- like the tribes of Israel, they settled unknown at an early epoch to both lowed to become such an absorbing on the banks of the Yellow river, and Greeks and Egyptians, but it was the parsion with them that they must in extending their boundaries south- Chinese who first discovered its didiscense with the common laws of ward, they came in contact with the rective properties. The popularity of couriesy and kindness. The ideal aborigines whom they drove out, the needle was used by them long begentleman or gentle woman held up There is no means of knowing just fore the Christian era. There is an before them in their class is one when they left their home in Asia, unvarying statement among them who has been trained in the civilities except that it occurred sometime be- that magnetic needles were given to and the courtesies of life, one who tween 3,000 and 2,300 years before ambassadors from a southern counmoves along leisurely with plenty of the Christian era. They evidently try to enable them to find their way time to be gentle and hospitable and came to stay, for they have been a home, 1100 B. C. The same needle gracious in demeanor. He sees there permanent fixture in the land to this was used at sea in coasting vessels as

troyed. They were restored, the achievements of Western peo- long way to travel, and also the ol 1, to make them accessible to Chinese scholars. Here was the idea of printing in embryo.

Other discoveries, scarcely less important, are to be credited to the Chinese; for example, the art of porcelain making, the manufacture of silk, and discoveries in the sciences of astronomy, mathematics and physics. It is supposed that the substance of ether was known to the Chinese a thousand years ago.

One thing is to be noted in all the discoveries and inventions of the Chinese. They need to be transplanted to other soil in order to attain their highest development, most tikely because of the intense conservatism of the Chinese, their willingness to rest upon the laurels of their ancestors and to go no further. Still. if the beginning was theirs, it places upon them, as a people, no inferio: mark in the scale of civilization and enlightenment, and that at a time when western peoples had made intle or no advance along the lines of

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