

February 13, 1890.

If it be true as reported that President Harrison, over in Virginia mistook a pig for a raccoon and shot it, he still has a valid excuse for his mistake. Virginia pigs are the only kind that can climb trees.

Senator Blair is sure that his appropriation of \$70,000,000 to turn the schools over to Federal control would pass if it were not for the Jesuits. This is the first good thing that has been said for the Jesuits this year.

It has been found in Ohio that as insane asylums multiply in number insanity becomes more prevalent. Raise a big poor fund and paupers will become more numerous, but it is queer that people should go crazy in order to fill up asylums.

The Pennsylvania supreme court has decided that a patron of a restaurant has a right to gather up the remnants of a meal served him and paid for, and carry away what he has not eaten. In other words, when a man buys a meal and his stomach is under size, he can fill his pockets as well.

A good many people are busy just now trying to devise a new kind of dollar which shall pass in all the countries. What people really need is a dollar that can be had when it is wanted and in the number desired. Give us that and nobody will bother much with the question of its university.

The commissioner of the general land office rules that a single woman must get a homestead filing recorded at the local office before marrying in order to make legal entry. A woman who marries after filing a homestead application, but before it reaches the land office, cannot hold the land.

It is the positive but not altogether disinterested opinion of physicians and undertakers that people are never buried alive, except during epidemics, when burials are necessarily performed with great haste. The change of position in the coffin which a dead body sometimes makes after burial is attributed to the generation within it of gases which by greatly bloating it sometimes turn it entirely over.

A conference of twenty primitive Baptist preachers was held at Brush Mountain, Western North Carolina, last week, in which the preachers debated on the coming of Christ, on the end of the world, and finally agreed to preach that the world would surely come to an end during the year. The preaching has greatly stirred up the more ignorant class among the farm people, who believe it is no use to make any preparations ahead for crops.

A project which concerns the United States in the Russian plan for bridging over the Behring Straights, and thus connecting America with Asia by means of a railroad. The narrowest part of the gulf which separates Siberia from Alaska does not exceed sixty miles, and there are a number of islands in a straight line which would serve as points of division, and reduce each portion of the bridge to a length considerably less than that of the proposed English Channel Bridge from Dover to Calais. The Behring Strait project has aroused much enthusiasm throughout Russia.

Nearly everybody turns to the almanac at the new year to see what eclipses it may have in store. The year 1890 is not fruitful of these phenomena. There are two eclipses of the sun, neither total and neither visible on this continent. There will be a partial eclipse of the moon, visible only in that portion of the United States west of the Dakotas, on November 26; and a lunar eclipse on the night of June 2. That is, the moon will approach very near to the black cone of the earth's shadow, and perhaps even touch it. Therefore, a "lunar apse" is an embryonic eclipse. Its nearest point of approach will be at 45 minutes past midnight of June 3; and the almanac adds the following remark: "The nearness of the approach and uncertainty as to the effect of the earth's atmosphere render it doubtful whether the moon will enter the shadow of the earth, causing a partial eclipse, or not."

Leading New York dealers believe that Europe has no other place to draw upon for her supplies of wheat than the United States for the next six months, except the Argentine Republic, which never exported over 8,000,000 bushels.

If some of those religious denunciations in the East who are spending their thousands and millions for show, would donate a small portion of it for charitable purposes, they would be acting more in keeping with their teachings and give the cold and cruel minions of skepticism a less cause for doubting their sincerity. Since the 1st of January, 1888, the enormous sum of \$5,000,000 has been spent in the construction of church buildings in New York city. The Episcopal church leads in this expenditure, having spent \$1,485,000; The Catholic follows with \$1,124,000; the Presbyterian with \$480,000, and the Methodist with \$275,000.

NEW TO-DAY.

School Teachers' Examination. Notice is hereby given that for the purpose of making an examination of all persons who may offer themselves as candidates for teachers of the schools of this county, the county school superintendent thereof will hold a public examination at the court house in Canyon City, Or., beginning at noon of Wed. Feb. 26, 1890.

N. B.—All persons eligible for State certificates or State Diploma's and desiring to obtain the same must make application at that time, or else wait until the May examination. Dated this 13th day of Feb. A. D. 1890. E. HAYES, County School Superintendent of Grant County, Or.

Sealed Proposals

Will be received by the county court of Grant county Oregon at the office of the county clerk until Wednesday March 5th, 1890 at one o'clock p. m. for sealed plans, specifications, strain diagrams and bids for a bridge to be built across the John Day river at a point where the county road leading from John Day City to Long Creek crosses the said John Day river being at the west line of B. C. Trowbridge's farm and about 1/2 mile north of John Day City.

Each bidder will be required to deposit with his bid five per cent of the amount of such bid, to be forfeited to the county in case the contract is awarded to him, and he fails, neglects or refuses for the period of two days, after such award is made to enter into a contract and file his bond in the manner required by and to the satisfaction of the board of county commissioners of said Grant county, Oregon.

The county court reserves the right to reject any and all bids. By order of the County Court. PHIL METSCHAN, County Clerk, Canyon City, Feb. 3, 1890.

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Petition for Liqueur License

To the Hon. the county court of the state of Oregon for Grant county: We the undersigned your petitioners respectfully represent that we are each and all residents and legal voters of John Day precinct in said county, and we ask that a license be granted to J. H. Sollinger, to sell and dispose of spirituous vinous and malt liquors in said precinct in less quantities than one gallon for a period of six months from the 8th day of March, A. D. 1890.

M. E. Timms, E. Mosir, C. H. Timms, T. H. Curl, J. D. Combs, F. E. White, G. H. Cattanaeh, Wm. Whitney, J. A. Frank Foster, J. F. Wolfinger, Geo. Hagney, H. E. Allen, Adam Gordon, J. H. Kelley, S. J. Elliott, W. H. Kelley, E. A. Knight, W. P. Duncan, H. E. Middleworth, J. E. Masterson, B. Wells Burt Stone, W. W. Bann, Edw. Hall, E. Sheffield, S. P. Morgan, T. Reeves, R. J. Ambler, Geo. W. Derby, C. B. Cobb, John Newcomer, J. C. Cattanaeh, Francis Wallace, Theodore McLellan, John E. Duncan, Frank Hampton, C. H. Thompson, Wm. P. McClure, A. C. Young, J. S. Johnson.

Notice is hereby given that on the 8th day of March, 1890, the undersigned will apply to the county court of the state of Oregon for Grant county, for the issuance of the license mentioned in the foregoing petition. J. H. SOLLINGER, Applicant.

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SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of an execution issued out of the circuit court of the state of Oregon for the county of Grant on the 16th day of January, A. D. 1890, upon a judgement rendered in said court on the 11th day of September, A. D. 1889, in favor of Frank Courwell, plaintiff, and against John Carrey, defendant, for the sum of one dollar, and the further sum of one hundred and eleven and 17/100 dollars costs together with accruing costs. I did on the 18th day of January A. D. 1890, seize and levy upon the following described real property of the defendant John Carrey, to-wit:

The S 1/2 of the SE 1/4; the NW 1/4 of the SE 1/4 and the NE 1/4 of the SW 1/4 of Sec. 27, in Tp 11, S. R. 29 E. W. M., and containing 160 acres together with all and singular the tenements hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging.

Notice is hereby given that on Friday the 21st day of February 1890, at one o'clock p. m. of said day, and at the front door of the court house in Canyon City, Grant county, state of Oregon, I will sell at public auction the above described premises, together with the appurtenances and all of the right, title and interest which the said John Carrey had in or to the same on the said 11th day of September, 1889, or at any time thereafter.

Terms of sale cash. Dated at Canyon City, Grant county, Oregon, this 21st day of January, A. D. 1890. W. P. GRAY, Sheriff of Grant Co. Or. By J. J. McCULLOUGH, Deputy Sheriff.

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SUMMONS

In the circuit court of the state of Oregon, for Grant county, Annie R. Parrish, P'f, vs. Peter Von Aspern, Def't. To Peter Von Aspern, Defendant.

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 first day of the next regular term of said court to-wit: On Monday the 3rd day of March, A. D. 1890, and if you fail so to answer for want thereof, the plaintiff will take judgment against you for the relief prayed for in the complaint, viz: For the sum of \$150 with interest thereon from the 26th day of November 1888 at the rate of ten per cent per annum, and for the sum of \$20 attorney's fees as provided in the note mentioned in said complaint, and for the costs and disbursements of this suit, and for a decree foreclosing the mortgage mentioned in said complaint and decreeing the mortgaged premises mentioned in said complaint to be sold and the proceeds of such sale applied upon expenses of sale and in satisfaction of said judgment and for such other and further relief as to equity may seem meet.

You will take notice that this summons is published by order of the Hon. M. D. Clifford, one of the judges of said court. PARRISH & COZAD, Att'ys for P'f.

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NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT

In the county court of the state of Oregon, for Grant county. In the matter of the estate of James M. Bright, deceased. To all whom it may concern: Notice is hereby given that Jasper Davis, administrator of the estate of James M. Bright, deceased, has filed his final account, and by an order of the Hon. County Court of the state of Oregon, for Grant county, Monday the 3rd day of March 1890, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, the same being the first judicial day of the next regular term of said court, has been appointed as the time and the county court room in Canyon City, Grant county, Oregon, as the place where said account shall be heard; at which time and place all heirs, creditors or other persons interested in said estate may appear and file their objections, and show cause, if any there be, why the said final account should not be allowed and approved and the administration of said estate closed and the administrator and his bondsmen discharged.

Dated this 7th day of January, 1890. Published by order of the above named court for four successive weeks in the GRANT COUNTY NEWS, printed and published at Canyon City, Oregon. JASPER DAVIS, Administrator.

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SUMMONS

In the circuit court of the state of Oregon, for Grant county, C. S. Miller, Plaintiff, vs. Harvey Robbins, Perlina Robbins and M. Stevens, Defendants.

To Harvey Robbins and Perlina Robbins, defendants above named: An order having been made on the 26th day of December, 1889, by the Hon. J. A. Fee, judge of said court, for the service of summons upon you in the above entitled suit by publication therefore.

In the name of the state of Oregon, you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in said suit on or before the 1st day of the next regular term of said court, to-wit: March 3d, 1890, and if you fail to answer, the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief prayed for in the complaint, to-wit: For a judgment against the defendant, Harvey Robbins, for the sum of \$1701.85 with interest thereon at the rate of eight per cent per annum from the 14th day of October, 1880, and for a decree foreclosing that certain mortgage made and executed on the 31st day of December, 1879 by said defendants, Perlina Robbins and Harvey Robbins in favor of S. R. Parrish and E. J. W. Stemme and for the costs and disbursements of said suit, and for such further relief as to equity may seem meet.

PARRISH & COZAD, P'f's. Att'ys. This summons ordered to be served by publication in the GRANT COUNTY NEWS, by order of Hon. Jas. A. Fee, made at Pendleton, Oregon, and in Chambers, bearing date January 7th, 1890. 42 48

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Canyon City, Or. This popular resort has been reopened to the public, and now, as in the past, keeps nothing but the best Wines, Liquors & Cigars. G. D. RICKARD, Prop'r.

SUMMONS

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Grant county, E. Stewart, Plaintiff, vs. James T. Thorp, and Ella M. Noble, Defendants. To the above named defendant James T. Thorp: You are hereby summoned and required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you and the other defendant Ella M. Noble in the above entitled court in the above entitled suit on or before the first day of the next regular term of said court, to-wit: March 3rd, 1890, or for want thereof plaintiff will take a decree of said court against you for the relief prayed for in his complaint, to-wit: For the sum of One Thousand Six Hundred Dollars, Gold coin of the United States, with interest thereon in like gold coin at the rate of ten per cent. per annum from May 19th, 1884, and the further sum of One Hundred Dollars as attorney's fees, and the costs and disbursements of this suit. And the plaintiff's mortgage on the following described premises may be foreclosed, to-wit: The south half of the north west quarter, the south west quarter of the north east quarter and the north west quarter of the southwest quarter of Sec. 11, Tp 13, S of Range 27, E. W. M., containing 160 acres. And that said premises may be sold and the proceeds thereof applied towards the payment of said sum, attorney's fees and the costs of this suit, and that plaintiff may have a decree against said defendants and any and all persons claiming by, through or under them since the execution of said mortgage may be forever barred and foreclosed of all right, title or equity of redemption in or to said premises or any part thereof, and for such other and further relief as may be just and equitable. M. D. CLIFFORD, Attorney for P'f. This summons ordered to be served by publication in the GRANT COUNTY NEWS, by order of Hon. Jas. A. Fee, made at Pendleton, Oregon, and in Chambers, bearing date January 7th, 1890. 42 48

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