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## ATHENA DAMAGE SUIT

HARVEY CATON SUES  
ED LA FAVE FOR \$2500

Alleges Defendant Drove Into His Team While Drunk—Revel Meeting Grew in Interest.

(Special Correspondence.)  
Athena, Ore., Dec. 22.—Mr. Harvey Caton has brought a damage suit through his lawyers, Peterson & Wilson, against Ed La Fave in the sum of \$2500 for injuries sustained by Mr. Caton in a recent collision which occurred near Athena between the teams of the opposing parties. The complaint alleges that while Mr. Caton was driving from his ranch late one Saturday night, heard a team coming towards him in full speed and drove out to one side of the road and stopped; that La Fave, an Indian on the reservation, was drunk and drove into his team, throwing him from the seat and dragging his horse backwards for several yards. On examination it was found that Mr. Caton had several ribs broken and that his nervous system was badly shocked.

The present school term will close next Friday at noon and will begin again the following Monday week. Several of the teachers, who live down in the valley, will leave Thursday morning in order to get home for Christmas Day. The majority of the teachers will spend the holidays in Athena.

The revival meeting at the Baptist church is growing in interest and the church is crowded at nearly every meeting. Many of the business men of the city are becoming interested and great good is being accomplished. Rev. and Mrs. Driver have won a place in the hearts of the people here and their singing at each meeting helps a great deal in preparing the audience for the strong sermon Rev. Driver preaches.

Rich Men's Gifts Are Poor beside this: "I want to go on record as saying that I regard Electric Bitters as one of the greatest gifts that God has made to woman, writes Mrs. O. Rhinevault of Vestal Center, N. Y. "I can never forget what it has done for me." This glorious medicine gives a woman buoyant spirits, vigor of body and jubilant health. It quickly cures nervousness, sleeplessness, melancholy, headache, backache, fainting, ailing and sickly. Try them. 50c at Tallman & Co.

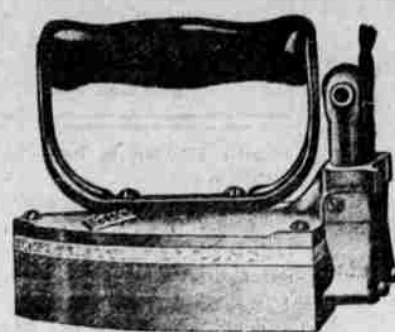
Sumpter Smelter to Open.  
Sumpter, Ore.—With the sale of the Sumpter smelter will come a reorganization, new capital and a new era in the development of the camp. The Oregon Smelting & Refining company has practically closed its affairs already, and the smelter has passed into the hands of W. G. Mennen, representing a syndicate of capitalists.

This means, according to mining men, the greatest thing that could happen to the Sumpter mining district, for many mines that heretofore could not be operated at a profit because of the long haul of ore to a smelter can now be assured of home treatment of the product which will net the operators a good return. Creditors will not receive quite 50 per cent of their claims against the institution, but they are pleased that the matter is settled, for many feel the operation of the smelter is of greater importance to the community than individual claims which stood against it.

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It Appears From Recent Investigations—Hopeless Cases Cured at Mineral Springs Lead to Comment.

In the days of Spain's splendor, when returning Spanish galleons brought precious cargoes of gold and other minerals back to Madrid, wild legends of springs of eternal life were told in every European court.

Ponce de Leon, a Spanish gentleman of great riches, fitted out an expedition and went in search of the spring of life. The ludicrous and pathetic ending of this expedition is known to every schoolboy, but it is very often called to mind by some new discovery of wonderful healing springs somewhere in the wilds of Africa, India or Asia.

The recent and practical demonstration of mineral springs which make marvelous cures has again brought forth the story abroad of Ponce de Leon's myth.

Paso Robles Hot Springs, California, are now the cause of universal wonderment because of the continued successful cures being made there.

But aside from any romantic feature of the springs, dealing with its Indian tradition or its occupancy by the Franciscan Monks, Paso Robles is today among medical men who know the cause of much interest and scientific investigation.

Many are not aware of what a place Paso Robles really is. The town is by all means one of the most thorough health towns in the world. It is given over to the cure of the sick. Its citizens regard its waters almost in an infallible light.

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A small book, neatly illustrated, has been recently published by the management telling the story of the Hot Springs in a most interesting manner and giving complete information. Send for it, either to Wm. McMurray, General Passenger Agent of the O. R. & N., Portland, Ore., or Dr. F. W. Sawyer, manager, Paso Robles, Cal.

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