

COUNTY COURT.

PROBATE.

Sibley, J.

The Daniel Rundel estate was closed and the administrator discharged.

The guardian of Seth and Blanche Hawk was ordered to make deed to certain real property sold.

The administrator of the Nancy S. Parker estate was authorized to sell personal property and to distribute household goods among heirs.

The seventh semi-annual account of the Cyrus Jones estate was approved.

The R. L. Skinner estate matter was continued to October 23rd, and that of the Daniel Vanhuskirk estate to November 4th.

Guardian's sale of real property of Claud and Lulu Dempsey was approved.

The executor of the Abigail Ball estate was authorized to turn over to the heirs the real property of the estate.

Administrator's sale of real property of the R. Enes estate was confirmed.

C. W. Thrasher was made administrator of the Cora M. Jordan estate and W. F. Nichols, H. C. Eakin and J. C. Uglow are to appraise the property.

COMMISSIONERS.

John Teal. Seth Riggs.

The commissioners court was in session last week and transacted business as follows:

The new Elhi road near Airline was declared a public highway and ordered opened.

Wilson Bump was ordered to move a fence from a public road.

The treasurer was credited with \$7,163.68 in cancelled warrants.

The sheriff was credited with wrong assessments.

BILLS ALLOWED.

Glass & Prudhomme, blanks.	\$ 17.50
Irvin Hodson Co., same.	30.90
Holt & Cherrington, mds.	6.15
Western Clay Co.	68.54
Martin Bros., lumber.	10.20
Capital Lumbering Co.	34.52
J. D. Smith, viewing road.	5.00
J. J. Hayter, same.	5.00
J. J. Williams, same.	5.00
J. M. Woodan, superfluous.	44.09
F. A. Doney, pauper ad.	16.00
E. W. Cooper, same.	13.00
J. D. Irvine, same.	5.00
E. M. Smith, tax rebate.	5.67
M. D. Ellis, lights.	17.70
Enterprise, printing.	1.30
John Auer, road ad.	3.12
C. L. Starr, salary and exp.	86.88
J. G. Van Orsdel, same.	141.38
U. S. Laundry, same.	151.83
J. T. Ford, same.	50.00
W. F. Nichols, same.	50.00
E. V. Dalton, same.	62.50
Milo Woods, same.	40.00
F. E. Myer, same.	92.50
Tracy State, same.	65.50
E. W. Fuller, commissioners ad.	3.00
J. S. Talbot, same.	77.00
L. E. Bralley, bridge work.	187.50

CHAMP CLARK STORIES

Gathered In and About the Halls of Congress.

Method of Seating Members of the House—Anecdotes of Judge Culberson, the "Sleeping Samson"—How He Turned the Laugh on a Fellow Member—When Crisp Arrested Reed—Bill's Liquid Argument—Salary Came Regular.

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Every once in awhile it is announced that some newly elected congressman has gone to Washington to select his seat in advance. If that's his purpose in going, he might as well stay at home. He doesn't select it, for the all sufficient reason that he can't. For better or for worse, he gets it by a species of lottery, in which a greenhorn has the same chance as a veteran.

The seat drawn has some influence on a member's career. In this matter I was extremely lucky when I first came to Washington a member of the Fifty-third congress, being the fifth to select. I picked the best on the Democratic side, having no idea who would sit near me.

David Browning Culberson.

I shall always consider it among the greatest blessings of my life that David Browning Culberson of Texas was my closest neighbor on the left—"Old Dave," as he was affectionately called by Texas papers—"Colonel," as he was generally addressed; "Colonel," as a few ex-soldiers named him; "The Sleeping Samson," as some fanciful newspaper man dubbed him.

His wealth of dark brown curly hair, the style of his beard and his frontal development recalled to me the pictures of Charles Dickens when the great novelist was in his best estate, only the Texas was cast in a larger mold. He stood 6 feet 2 inches and weighed 230 pounds and was a splendid type of physical and intellectual manhood in its rich and golden autumn. Judge Culberson was a big bodied, large headed and warm hearted man.

To us younger members he was a sort of congressional father. We went to him when in doubt, especially on any legal proposition, and he generously gave us from his inexhaustible store of wisdom and law learning. He didn't make as much noise and get into the papers as often as Reed, Burrows, Crisp and many others, but when he did speak it was an event in the house. His colleagues always heard him gladly. He was willing to unselfishly furnish ammunition for "the boys" and delighted to see their winning honors and golden opinions.

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There was a massiveness about him very suggestive of reserve power, of which he had more than any other man in congress. I had for years heard much of his prodigious ability, but after sitting by his side for three months and seeing him take absolutely no part in the fierce parliamentary contests raging around him, I concluded that he had been overrated.

One day, however, he spoke on the Torrey bankruptcy bill, and when he finished that measure was wounded past all surgery. Others had crippled it, but Culberson gave it its coup de grace.

"You'd Drive the Crowd Away!"

It was a great speech, worthy of his towering reputation. I never in my life saw such a complete transfiguration and sublimation of the human body by the activities of the human intellect. He looked ten years younger, a head taller and infinitely handsomer. Were Judge Culberson alive today he would probably not thank me for placing him in the category of humorists, yet a humorist he was, and in that great speech he consciously exercised that great faculty.

Mr. Boatner of Louisiana insisted that Judge Culberson should yield to him for a question, which he declined to do. Boatner persisted, but Culberson waved him off, saying: "No, no! You'd drive the crowd away!" The effect was electrical, and the house roared. Judge Boatner himself joining in the merriment.

Judge Culberson's tenderness for others caused him to regret that happy shot, and in his printed speech he so modified it as to dull its point materially.

When the Sherman law was repealed, Judge Culberson summed up his disgust in the sententious and enigmatical remark:

"A lot of free niggers could have done better!" an utterance luminous to us who have passed our lives in the slave states and can remember to a period back of the war. But all the bright young Faber slashers exercised their wits for weeks to discover why he said "free niggers" and not simply "niggers."

Jumbo and His Stake.

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SORES AND ULCERS.

Sores and Ulcers never become chronic unless the blood is in poor condition—is sluggish, weak and unable to throw off the poisons that accumulate in it. The system must be relieved of the unhealthy matter through the sores, and great danger to life would follow should it heal before the blood has been made pure and healthy and impurities eliminated from the system. S. S. S. begins the cure by first cleansing and invigorating the blood, building up the general health and removing from the system a constant drain upon the system.

When this has been accomplished the discharge gradually ceases, and the sore or ulcer heals. It is the tendency of these old indolent sores to grow worse and worse, and eventually to destroy the bones. Local applications, while soothing and to some extent alleviating pain, cannot reach the seat of the trouble. S. S. S. does, and no matter how apparently hopeless your condition, even though your constitution has broken down, it will bring relief when nothing else can. It supplies the rich, pure blood necessary to heal the sores, and nourish the debilitated, diseased body.

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Culberson, "You got that wrong! I didn't desire to extend my remarks. What I want is leave to withdraw all I have said!"

This was such an unheard of performance that it knocked the speaker all of a heap, and it was several seconds before he stated Culberson's strange request. The members laughed and whooped till they nearly cracked the glass roof.

"Powerful Regular."

Contrary to the general belief, there is little pecuniary profit in serving in congress. It is easy enough to say and is frequently true that many congressmen and senators would not make \$5,000 per annum at home. But the difference in living expenses, the necessary and legitimate outlay in campaigning and other incidental costs more than eat up the surplus.

So that a common performance for members to fall to talking of the unprofitableness of the whole business, voicing in many ways old King Solomon's undying wail, "Vanity of vanities; all is vanity!" One morning some members were indulging in logorhythmic talk about the smallness of congressional salaries, etc. Culberson listened awhile and then cheered them up by saying, "Yes, boys, the pay ain't very big, but you must remember that it is powerful regular," which cured them of ennui, temporarily at least.

Thomas Brackett Reed is a rare judge of men, and while he is a bitter partisan in politics and says many biting things, I think that he tries to be fair and is fair in his estimate of his fellows. When he heard that Judge Culberson was sick unto death, he paid the great Texan this tribute, and I have no doubt that it came straight and warm from his heart:

"Judge Culberson has done more to soften the asperities of the civil war than any man who was ever in congress, and during his long and honorable term of office he has ever been a great conservative force. He has been the architect of nearly all of the general statute laws enacted in congress since 1875."

It seems to me that that paragraph would make a splendid epitaph for the illustrious jurist.

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Beet salad is especially good when tender new beets are used. Boil the beets and when cool cut them into dice. Cover them with tartare sauce made as follows: Chop very fine a small piece of onion, a sprig of parsley and one or two pickles, depending upon their size. Add to these a cupful of mayonnaise dressing and a little finely chopped tarragon.

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Administratrix' Notice.

In the county court of the state of Oregon for Marion county.

In the matter of the estate of J. B. Stump, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE UNDERSIGNED has been duly appointed by the county court of the state of Oregon for Marion county, administratrix of the estate of J. B. Stump, deceased. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same to me, duly verified, as by law required, at Salem, Oregon, within six months from the date hereof. Dated this 6th day of October, 1901.

MRS. M. A. STUMP, administratrix of the estate of J. B. Stump, deceased.

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The Campbell family came from Iowa in 1853 and settled on Salt Creek. The seven children had not all been together for many years until this week when they all met here and had a family group picture taken. They are Mrs. Sarah Black, Mrs. Orpha Doshier, J. M. and W. G. Campbell, of Dallas, T. J. Campbell, of Monmouth, Mr. A. B. Frazer, of Independence, and Mrs. Eliza Kennedy, of Eastern Washington.

Summons.

In the circuit court of the state of Oregon for Polk county—Department No. 2.

Chenetska lodge, No. 1, Incorporated, Plaintiff, vs. Wm. A. Smith, Adm'r of the estate of Thomas M. Hunter, deceased, Defendant.

Byron Hunter and Sadie Hunter, his wife; Ida M. Hunter, Nora B. Hunter, Julia A. Smith, Alice Bell and F. L. Bell, her husband; and F. L. Bell, her husband; willis L. Thomas and Lena Shaddock, administrators of the estate of Thomas M. Hunter, deceased.

The above-named defendants, Byron Hunter and Sadie Hunter, his wife, Ida M. Hunter, Nora B. Hunter, Julia A. Smith, Alice Bell and F. L. Bell, her husband, willis L. Thomas and Lena Shaddock, administrators of the estate of Thomas M. Hunter, deceased.

IN THIS NAME OF THE STATE OF Oregon, you and each of you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled court and cause, within six weeks of the date of the publication of this summons, to-wit: the 23rd day of October, 1901, and if you fail so to appear and answer said complaint, the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in its complaint, to-wit: For a decree foreclosing plaintiff's mortgage upon the following described real property, to-wit: The west half of the following tract of land: Commencing at a point 70 links west and 7.73 chains south of Monument No. 3, situated at the southeast corner of block No. 11 in the town of Monmouth, county of Polk and state of Oregon, running thence west 5.71 chains, then south 1.75 chains, then east 1.75 chains, and containing one acre of land, more or less. To secure the payment of the money now certain and due to the plaintiff by the defendant, to-wit: E. A. Arthur, promisor and agreed to pay to the order of plaintiff the sum of \$350 three years after date, with interest at the rate of 10 per cent per annum, and in case suit or action be instituted to collect said note or any portion thereof, promised therein to pay such sum as the court might