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Lila Mitchell.

Frank Lynn and wife, of Perrydale, were Saturday visitors here.

Mr. Lefors has relative here from Oklahoma, who intend to locate in the valley.

Mrs. Fred Cooper is visiting her mother at Liberty.

Mrs. Armstrong visited her daughter, Mrs. Homer Conlee, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Shewey went to Brooks to see their daughter, Mrs. Sturguess, whose little child is seriously ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Orin Kearns visited at her parents' Sunday, before returning to Silverton, where he is in business.

Will Shewey is visiting at Brooks.

Mrs. George Richmond was a weekend visitor in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Craven and son, Walter, spent a few days in Sheridan with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tylersmith.

Dick Paul, of Falls City, was in town Friday.

Arthur Starr, of Portland, was in town Saturday.

Ed. Watson has been working in the sawmill.

Mrs. Annie Robinson and children visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Watson, Sunday.

George and Chester Mitty visited their sister near Salem.

Mrs. Mitty visited her daughter, Mrs Sherwood, in Dallas, last week.

The saw mill has been shut down on account of the scarcity of logs.

Dick Lateon is working at Airlie.

Wilbur Whittington, of Buell, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Barber, Sunday.

Mr. Hayes, of Rickreall, was in town Saturday.

Charles Poling returned to Portland last week.

Mrs. L. D. Brown is on the sick list.

Miss Flora McCallon is on the sick list.

Mrs. Peter Berg was quite sick the first of the week.

Mrs. Jane Hodson of Tualatin spent a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Al. Longnecker.

Al. Longnecker received the sad news of the death of his brother, Jeff. Longnecker, at Chicago.

Miss Mabel Poling returned to Portland, after several days spent in Dallas.

Sam. Martin, of Salem, is visiting his son, Charles Martin.

W A. Martin, of Salem, made a business trip to Dallas Monday.

L. R. Adams and wife visited their son, Ray, at Monmouth, and report him doing nicely, after a severe illness with pneumonia.

Many friends of Mrs. Al. Longnecker will be glad to hear that she is improving.

Bill Kearsey is quite ill.

Mrs. H. A. Lee, of Perrydale, and Mrs. J. G. Brown attended the W. C. T. U. meeting Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Miller and son have returned to their home at Oakdale. The little fellow is doing nicely after his operation.

Mrs. Robt. Sacthler and Reta Wilson are on the sick list this week

Pauline Miller.

Mrs. L. A. Bollman went to Halsey Friday and returned Monday, bringing her mother, who is sick.

Mrs. Lydia Miller went to Forest Grove Wednesday to stay a few days with Mrs. Dolly Byerly.

The packing house shipped a car load of prunes to New York Friday.

Miss Beulah Balderree attended the teachers' institute at Monmouth Saturday.

Dr. Horn, of Dallas, has been testing cows for W. F. Calkins, Frank Holman and W. P. Miller and found them free from tuberculosis.

Mrs. O. S. Clark is visiting her sister in Salt Lake City.

Miss Nellie Keyt of Perrydale has been visiting Miss Ethel VanNortwick

Miss Serr visited her mother in Portland last week.

Mrs. Curtis is sick

Mr. Paul, of Falls City was in Dallas Saturday.

Mrs. Clarence Shultz was operated on at the Dallas hospital Monday.

Mrs. Lazenby has returned to their home in Idaho for her health.

The recent high water has done considerable damage to the banks of La Creole east of town.

On account of the change in the train schedule, Mrs. Roland Holman is unable to go back and forth each day to her school at Bridgeport, so is boarding there.

The W. C. T. U. held a county institute at the Presbyterian church last Tuesday.

Chester Siefarth and wife have returned from California.

Dr. Bollman was a Lewisville visitor the last of the week.

On Monday afternoon Rev. Lewtas gave a very interesting and instructive talk on London and Westminster Abby to the pupils at the high school building.

Mr. and Mrs. Asher Coovert moved to Salem last week.

The high school seniors will have a party tonight.

Summons.

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

F. S. Wilson and Lettie Wilson, his wife Plaintiffs, vs. Earl Mitchell and Dewey Lloyd Mitchell, Defendants.

To Earl Mitchell and Dewey Lloyd Mitchell, the above named defendants:

In the name of the State of Oregon your are required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled Court and suit within six weeks from the date of the first publication of this summons, to-wit: On or before the 13th day of March, 1914, and if you fail so to answer, for want thereof, the plaintiffs will apply to said Court and take a decree against you for the relief demanded and payed for in said complaint, viz:

1. For a sale of that parcel of land described as Lots No. 5 and 6 in Block Numbered 27 in E. A. Thorp's Town of Independence, in Polk County, State of Oregon,

now held by plaintiffs and defendants as tenants in common, and a division and distribution of the proceeds of said sale, between the parties to this suit according to their respective rights; 2. That the general costs of this suit, together with fees of referees and other disbursements shall be paid out of the proceeds of such sale. 3. That the plaintiffs may have such other and further relief as to the Court may seem equitable.

This sumons, by order of the Honorable J. B. Teal, County Judge of Polk County, Oregon made at Chambers in the City of Dallas, on the 26th day of January, 1914, is served upon you by the publication thereof for a period of six consecutive weeks immediately prior to the 13th day of March, 1914, in the Polk County Itemizer, a newspaper of general circulation published at Dallas, in said county of Polk. The date of the first publication of this summons is January 29th, 1914.

BROWN & BIBLEY,
Attorneys for Plaintiffs.

Summons.

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

Sheridan State Bank of Sheridan, Oregon, a corporation, Plaintiff, vs. R. A. Campbell and Minnie A. Campbell, his wife, and Norman Barnett, Defendants.

To R. A. Campbell and Minnie A Campbell, 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 and court on or before six weeks from the date of the first publication of this summons, which answer and appearance must be made on or before the 26th day of February, 1914, and if you fail so to appear and answer the said complaint, the plaintiff will apply to the court aforesaid for the relief prayed for in its complaint, now filed in the above entitled court, and which relief briefly is as follows:

For a judgment and decree of this court that the plaintiff recover from the defendants, R. A. Campbell and Minnie A. Campbell, the sum of $2465.65, with interest at 8 per cent per annum from January 2nd, 1913, until paid; the further sum of $250.00 as plaintiff's reasonable attorney fee and the costs and disbursements of this suit and for a decree foreclosing that certain mortgage executed by the said defendants, R. A. Campbell and Minnie A. Campbell, to plaintiff on January 2nd, 1912, which is recorded February 29th, 1912, Volume 29, page 29, of the Records of Mortgages for Polk County, State of Oregon, and for a decree that said mortgaged premises, described as follows:

"Lot one (1), beginning at an iron pipe 1½ inches by 24 inches, driven 20 inches in ground on South side of the County Road leading from Ballston to Broadmead, said pipe being S. 1 degree West 17.28 chains and South 89 degrees 16 minutes East 10.68 chains from the Northwest corner of the J. K. DeLashmutt D. L. C. No. 40 in Township 6 South, Range 5 West of the Will. Mer. in Polk County, Oregon; and running thence South 1 degree West 37.62 chains to an iron pipe 1½ inches by 24 inches, driven 20 inches in the ground; thence East 10.55 chains to an iron pipe 1½ inches by 24 inches, driven 20 inches in the ground; thence North 1 degree East 37.62 chains to an iron pipe on the South side of the County road; thence North 89 degrees, 16 minutes West 10.55 chains to the place of beginning and containing 39.68 acres more or less. Reserving and excepting a strip of land 20 feet wide lying along the end parallel with the West side of the above described tract of land to be used in common for road purposes.

The tract hereby intended to be described being the tract set over to R A. Campbell by the decree in a certain partition suit made and entered in the Circuit Court of Polk County, Oregon, on the 12th day of January 1912."

be sold by the Sheriff of Polk County, Oregon, and the proceeds of such sale be applied to the payment of the plaintiff's demands; that upon such sale, plaintiff or any other person may become the purchaser of said premises and that the purchaser be let into the immediate possession thereof by the Sheriff of Polk County, Oregon; that such decree debar and terminate all the interest of the defendants herein; that if such premises do not sell for a sum sufficient to pay all the demands of the plaintiff together with accruing costs, that plaintiff then have a deficiency judgment against the said defendants, R. A. Campbell and Minnie A. Campbell, his wife; and for such other and further relief as to the court may seem meet and proper in the premises, including costs and disbursements of said suit.

This summons is published for six consecutive and successive weeks by the order of the Hon. J. B. Teal, Judge of the County Court of the State of Oregon for Polk County, made on January 13, 1914.

The date of the first publication of this summons is January 15th, 1914.

B. A KLIKS,
Attorney for the Plaintiff.

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God's Typical Kingdom—Overturned 606 B. C.—Great Line of World-Empires—"The Times of the Gentiles." Israel's "Seven Times" of Chastisement—The Two Synchronous—About to Expire—Now—The Fifth Universal Empire — Spiritual, Invisible — The "Better Resurrection" at Hand—"The Desire of All Peoples" Is Jerusalem and Messiah.

Atlantic City, N. J., Jan. 25.—Pastor Russell is here today. We report his sermon from the text: "Remove the diadem, and take off the crown: this shall not be the same. * * * I will overturn, overturn it: * * * until He comes whose right it is; and I will give it Him."—Ezekiel 21:26, 27.

The Pastor pointed out that according to Scripture Messiah was to be of King David's lineage. For several centuries the royal family of David's line had a precarious course. King Zedekiah, the last of the line, lost his crown in 606 B. C. He is the king referred to in our text. Since then there has been no king of David's lineage. Neither the Maccabees nor the Herods were Jews at all. The kingdom is still overturned, the foreordained time for its re-establishment not having come.

"Times of the Gentiles."

Then the Pastor explained that although there were Gentile kingdoms long before Israel became a monarchy, yet God recognized none of them, but entered into covenant relationship with Israel only. After the verdict of our text was given against Israel, to hold good until Messiah's Reign, then Divine providence recognized one great line of world-empires. These were given leasehold privileges covering the period of Israel's overturning—until the time for Messiah's Kingdom.

The speaker then pointed out that Moses had prophesied Israel's chastisement, and in symbolic numbers foretold that it would last "seven times." The Gentile Times, or years, are likewise seven. Both periods begin to count at the same time, and will end simultaneously. When these end, Messiah's Kingdom will begin its Reign. Israel will be associated with Messiah's Empire as His earthly people—Abraham, Isaac, Jacob and all the Prophets being made princes in all the earth, as promised in Psalm 45:16.

Next the Pastor declared that God through the Prophet Daniel gave us two pictures of the "seven times" of Gentile supremacy. One was a vision given King Nebuchadnezzar, who overthrew King Zedekiah. It gives the worldly view of Gentile governments. The whole period was represented by a glorious image, whose head was of gold, etc.

Given the pointer that Babylonia represented the head of gold, any school boy could show that Medo-Persia, Greece and Rome were the other Empires. The feet represented Rome ecclesiastical, with her daughters dominating Europe today. Messiah's Kingdom is symbolized by the stone which struck the image on its feet and demolished it.

The other picture was a vision given the Prophet Daniel., in which these Gentile kingdoms were pictured as beastly. In contrast, Messiah's Kingdom was represented as human.

Where Are We Now?

The Pastor then showed that in Scripture a "time" is a symbolic year, i. e., each of its days is symbolic of a year, lunar time—360 days. Hence "seven times" equal 2520 years. Reckoning from the date of Zedekiah's dethronement, we have 1915 A. D. This indicates that in 1915 Messiah's invisible Kingdom will be in power, the Gentile leave will have expired and Israel's disfavor will have ended. The Prophet Daniel foretold a great Time of Trouble at that time. See Daniel 12:1.

The Scriptures teach that for centuries Satan, a spirit being, has exercised great power amongst men—an evil influence—which God has permitted, with certain limitations. Satan's reign has been one of sin; Messiah's will be one of righteousness. Both Empires are spiritual, invisible to men; both operate through man.

The Pastor then set forth the Scriptural proofs that the Jewish "fathers" are to be "princes in all the earth." This implies their resurrection at no distant day. They will be raised perfect, examples of what mankind may attain. The prospect of this "better resurrection" stimulated them to heroic lives of faith and obedience to God.

According to Scripture, said the Pastor, there will be no more war after the great trouble of 1915. The princes of Israel will have dictatorial powers backed by the spiritual Kingdom—just what the world needs.

The Law Covenant will be in power, but not as before. That will be the regime of the New Law Covenant, with Messiah as Mediator. Gradually the stony condition of heart common to humanity will give place to tender-heartedness—the true human nature, as before Adam fell, will prevail. All who refuse to make progress, after one hundred years' probation, will be counted unworthy of future favors, and will be utterly destroyed.

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