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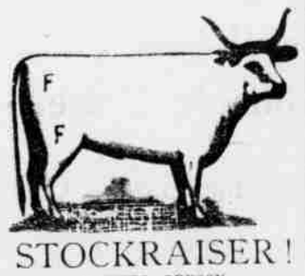

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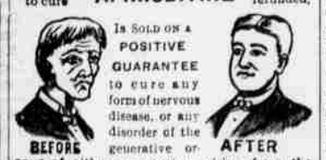

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SUMMONS.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF Oregon, for the County of Morrow.
T. J. Owens, Plff. }
vs.
M. E. Owens, Deft. }
To M. E. Owens, the above-named Deft.:
In the name of the State of Oregon you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint of Plff. filed in the above entitled court and suit against you on or before the first day of the next term of said court, to-wit: the 28th day of March, 1892. Deft. will take notice that if she fails to appear or answer, the Plff. will take a decree dissolving the bonds of matrimony now existing between Plff. and Deft., and for the care and custody of Thomas Cleveland Owens and Flora Owens, minor children of Plff. and Deft.
This summons is published by order of Hon. Judge Bradshaw, Judge of the 7th Judicial district of the state of Oregon.
Dated 10th February, 1892. G. W. REA, Plff.'s Attorney.
64-74.

AUSTRALIAN BALLOT.

Section 69. Any officer upon whom a duty is imposed by this act, who shall disclose to any person the name of any candidate for whom any elector has voted, or give any information by which it can be ascertained for whom any elector has voted, or any judge or clerk of election or other officer about the polls who shall do any electioneering on election day, or any person who shall do any electioneering on election day within any polling place, or within fifty feet of any polling place, or any person who shall remove any white ballot from any polling place before the closing of the polls, or any person who shall knowingly apply for or receive any white ballot in any polling place other than that in which he is entitled to vote, or any person who shall show his ballot after it is marked to any person in such a way as to reveal the contents thereof or the name of the candidate or candidates for whom he has marked his ballot, or any person (except the chairman of election) who shall receive from any voter the ballot prepared for voting, or any person who shall contrary to this act ask another at a polling place for whom he intends to vote, or who shall examine his ballot or solicit the voter to show the same, or any elector who shall knowingly receive any white ballot from any other person than one of the election clerks, or any person who shall print or circulate or knowingly have in his possession any imitation of the official white or colored ballots, or any person other than a clerk of the election who shall deliver any white ballot to an elector, or any elector who shall deliver any ballot to the chairman to be voted, except the one he received from the first election clerk, or any elector or any one who shall, contrary to the provisions of this act, place any mark upon or do anything to his or any white ballot by which it may be afterwards identified as the one voted by any particular individual, upon conviction shall be punished by a fine of not less than $50 and not more than $500, or by imprisonment in the county jail not less than three months nor more than one year, or both, in the discretion of the court.

Section 70. Any judge or clerk of election who shall wilfully disregard any of the provisions of this act, or who shall negligently fail to enforce any of the provisions of this act, or who shall in the counting of the ballots or making the returns thereof, wilfully disregard any of the directions or requirements of this act, or any person who shall wilfully or fraudulently alter or destroy any white ballot cast at any election or any of the returns of any election regulated by this act, or who shall introduce among the genuine ballots a fraudulent ballot, or any person who shall falsely write the initials of the chairman, or any writing upon the ballot or ballot stub purporting to be written by the clerk or chairman, or any person who shall steal any of the ballots or returns, or wilfully or fraudulently hinder or delay the delivery of any of the election returns to the county clerk or wilfully break open any of such sealed returns of any election regulated by this act, upon conviction shall be punished by imprisonment in the penitentiary not less than one year nor more than three years, or by fine not less than $500 nor more than $2,000, or both such fine and imprisonment.

Section 71. Any person who shall, prior to or during an election, wilfully deface, tear down, remove or destroy any list of candidates or other notice posted in accordance with the provisions of this act, or who, during an election, shall wilfully deface, tear down, remove or destroy any card of instruction or specimen ballot posted under the provisions of this act for the instruction of voters, or who shall deface, tear down, remove, alter or destroy any certificate of the result of the election posted under the provisions of this act, or who shall, during an election, wilfully remove or destroy any of the official white or sample ballots, supplies or conveniences furnished to enable a voter to prepare his ballot, or who shall wilfully break the seals or open any of the sealed packages containing any of the supplies for the polling places contrary to the provisions of this act, upon conviction shall be punished by a fine of not less than $50 nor more than $500, or by imprisonment in the county jail not more than one year, or by both such fine and imprisonment in the discretion of the court.

The End!!!

SEATTLE NEWS.

From your paper it may be seen that political enthusiasm has not died out in Morrow county.

Seattle had a surprise last Tuesday at the municipal election. The city is considered to be about 600 to 1,000 republican, but in this contest the majority was democratic by from 1,500 to 2,000. The republicans only elected two delegates out of nine and the rest of the ticket went democratic without an exception. The defeat is attributed to some elements in the management of the party, but was probably caused, to some extent, by the disaffection resulting from a great city indebtedness incurred by the damages of the fire of 1889 and other causes. The debt is between $2,000,000 and $3,000,000, and while all acknowledge great expenditures were necessary on account of the growth of the city, the expenses of the fire and building up a fire department, there still were many dissatisfied with the management, and voted for the other side. The vote as cast shows quite an increase in population since 1890. The registration for 1890 was 7,722, and for 1892, was 10,841. The vote polled in 1890 was 5,057, and in 1892 was 8,294, being a gain in the vote of 3,237.

The U. S. ships Nipsic and Mohican arrived last night and will be here three or four days laying in coal and provisions. The Nipsic will then take her station at the Port Orchard naval station to be used as a storehouse and for quarters for the officers in charge of the navy yard. She is a small vessel and badly damaged by the Samoan disaster. Her engines are only capable of four or five knots an hour, and she was towed from San Francisco by the Mohican. She has only four guns. The Mohican is a very fine wooden vessel and she can steam about eleven knots an hour. She carries quite a strong battery of nine-inch guns and one eight-inch rifle and other smaller rifles, with one gattling gun and four Hotchkiss cannon. Quite a crowd are continually going on board to see the novelty of a man-of-war. Although not nearly so fine a vessel as the Charleston and some of the other boats that sometimes visit the sound, she still is an object of considerable interest.

Yours truly, C. L. ANDREWS.
SEATTLE, March 16, 1892.

THE SHAMROCK.

Three leaves of shamrock, the
Irishman's shamrock,
From his own darling sister, her
Blessing too, she gave,
Take them to my brother, for
I have no one other,
And these are the shamrocks from
His dear old mother's grave. —Id.

LEXINGTON'S LOCALS.

The horse fair held at this place Saturday brought in a large number of farmers. We are glad to note the interest taken in *horses* that can be called *horses*.

For years and years this country has suffered from an excess of the beautiful animals called the horse. Why is this thus? You know that a good horse in any part of the world is just as staple as wheat, hardware or groceries; that no country ever suffered from an over supply of good horses. The horse of the past, the wild, untamed bunch-grass pony or cayuse is a funny job. He is low and snugly built. He weighs about 450 pounds when in good order, but he puts on more airs than a common school examiner. He will try to make you think he weighs a ton.

Put him into harness for three days or under the saddle half that time and he will be reduced in flesh and spirit so much that his great big stump head will entirely over-balance the south end of his body. Of course this is no serious inconvenience to the owner, but at times very uncomfortable for the venerable beast, and often in riding through the country one will note the gay and festive cayuse feeding on the green hillside with only two feet on the ground.

Cayuses are said to have a specific value, but I don't believe it They are generally sold or traded in job lots, and if you are not careful your horse merchant prince will "job" you by running in fourteen or fifteen for a dozen.

It's a relief, I say, after gazing for weeks on the greatest curse that ever beset this fair land, to look upon some fine specimens of thoroughbred horses. Success to the enterprising gentlemen who make an effort to introduce new stock.

The rain Friday night and the shower Saturday night have sealed the bond of security for another good crop. Everybody seems cheerful and very much encouraged. Combined with the salutory effect of the recent rains, the rays of the sun are nursing the verdure on hillside and plain, until the earth, in its new green dress, seems dearer than ever.

Rev. Powell, of Sand Hollow, held forth last evening.

Rev. Galloway is, we understand, doing good work at Eight Mile center.

Chas. M. Doty, general agent, and Chas. H. Benton, his assistant, representing the E. F. Michael Mill Co., of Laporte, Ind., spent Sunday in Lexington, where they have a host of friends These gentlemen have for the last two years been selling the celebrated Michael separator and grain cleaner. They have in that time sold 8,000 mills in Eastern Oregon and Washington. They leave here today for Arlington, en route to their new field, California, and carry with them the best wishes of a host of farmers and business men, with whom their relations have been of the most satisfactory character. Success attend them in the new field.

Business has been picking up quite a lot lately. There is no reason why this town should remain in the background, for goods are being sold here in sharp competition with other distributing points.

If you want to have a pleasant time, come to Lexington and get acquainted. It has ever been a very popular resort for commercial travelers to Sunday in.

The other afternoon David Porter entertained a number of friends at his private parlors. The evening was "passed" in silent meditation, for it was the rule not to laugh, and he who violated it had to pay a forfeit for his folly. We are glad to note that there were only a few trifling violations of the rules which govern the Melancholy Club. As a result there was a good deal of hard, solid thinking done, and had it not been for a sudden attack of the grippe seizing our worthy host, the "afternoon" would have been the most pleasant of the season. Under the "watchful" care of Dr. Palmer Bro. Porter is rapidly convalescing and will no doubt be able to resume his duties behind the counter in a day or two. We herewith append a list of the members present yesterday at the meeting of the Melancholy Club, held at the parlors of David Porter: J. L. Gibson, Doc Palmer, Wm. Blair, N. A. Leach, Carl Crow, Philo Summers, Lee Padburg, M. Owens, Chas. Armstrong, H. Booher, Jerry Phillips, Chas. Barnett, Thos. Barnett, Chas. H. Benton, C. M. Doty, T. K. Roberts and others. There will be a business meeting of this order when arrangements will be made for a permanent organization. UBET.

LEXINGTON, Or., March 21, 1892.

They Say it Contains No Poison.

The celebrated chemists, whose opinions are above the price of gold, tell what they know.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 29, 1889.
Dear sirs: We have made an exhaustive chemical analysis of Wisdom's Robertine, obtained by us in the open market, and find it to be free from all poisons or deleterious ingredients, constituting a harmless preparation for the face. Yours truly,
THOMAS PRICE & SON,
Analytical Chemists.
To Messrs. W. M. Wisdom & Co.

LEXINGTON'S ALLIANCE.

They Meet in Secret Session at Lexington's Church.

A secret session of Lexington's Alliance was held in the church last Saturday afternoon, E. P. Sine and W. C. Metier having returned from the state convention at Oregon City. Mr. Sine was called upon to make a statement of what occurred at that gathering. He gave a very minute and interesting report, which, of course, was properly appreciated.

It was decided to meet on March 26th, at which time the date of holding the county convention will be settled.

Wisdom's Violet Cream.

Is the most exquisite preparation in the world for softening and whitening the the hands and face. It is not only a substitute for, but in every respect superior to glycerine, cold cream, vaseline and like preparations. Try it.

Wm. Blair was in town Friday morning.

Mrs. Jerry Cohn departed yesterday for Portland.

C. E. Boon, of Lexington, called Tuesday of last week.

Geo. Vincent was over from Galloway Wednesday of last week.

J. F. Davis, the teacher, returned Thursday from Silverton.

Clarence Brown is visiting his parents and other relatives below Heppner.

Mrs. Crow, of Astoria, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Borg.

Ernest Piper, who lives north of Lexington, called Tuesday of last week.

Peter Gleason got in from California Tuesday of last week in much better health.

Frank Deos and Dave Lipscomb were in attendance on the Holland-Male contest early last week.

Mrs. J. C. Hayes went down to Portland last week accompanied by little Olan Hayes, who is taken below for medical treatment.

Isaac Basey, the bright little son of Mrs. Sarah Basey, is carrying a badly burned hand in a sling, the result of attempting to remove the powder from a shotgun cartridge, last Wednesday.

Our Tuesday's paper will hereafter be six pages. Two of them will be devoted to telegraphic matter and the remainder will have more local news in it than any paper in the section, excepting, of course, our Friday's issue.

Seventeen persons signed the constitution and by-laws of the Heppner Hook and Ladder Co. Thursday evening. This is quite a falling off from what was expected. A firemen's ball is in the air to aid the company to procure equipments.

While a crowd of our townsmen were engaged in the innocent Scotch pastime of "putting" a car-link, otherwise seeing who could throw it the greater distance, last Wednesday, J. R. Grover, the delivery man, was struck in the head by the link, thrown at a distance of fifteen feet or more. Fortunately, he was not seriously hurt, though he received a pretty hard blow.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.
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