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SUMMONS

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

The Taylor Hardware Company, a corporation, Plaintiff, vs. John S. Kees, Marie T. Kees, his wife, and Manuel Pedro, as executor of the last will of Charles Cunningham, deceased, Defendants.

To John S. Kees and Marie T. Kees, two of the above named defendants:

In the Name of the State of Oregon, You, and each of you, are hereby summoned and required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit and Court within six weeks from the date of the first publication of this summons against you; and you are notified that if you fail to answer, plead or otherwise appear to said complaint and in said cause within that time, the plaintiff above named will apply to the above entitled Circuit Court for the relief demanded and prayed for against you as stated in its complaint, to-wit: that the Court make an examination and determination of whatever rights, titles, estates, interests or liens the said defendants, or any of them, claim or shall make or assert in, to or upon the following described real property situated in The City of Pendleton,

Umatilla County, Oregon, to-wit: Commencing at a point 126.04 feet North 70° East from the Southeast corner of Lot 7, Block 10, Switzer's Addition to Pendleton, for a place of beginning, thence North 20° West 114.45 feet, thence North 70° East 50 feet, thence South 20° East 114.45 feet, thence South 70° West 50 feet to place of beginning, containing 5722.50 square feet, adversely to plaintiff and its interest and estate in said real property, and that the Court shall render a decree herein declaring that none of the defendants, nor any person claiming or to claim, by, through, or under them, or any of them, have, or has, any right, title, interest, estate or lien adverse to plaintiff and its interest and estate in said real property, nor in, to or upon any part therein; that plaintiff have and recover its costs and disbursements of said suit against defendants, and for such further relief as to the Court shall seem equitable.

This summons is published pursuant to order of the above entitled Circuit Court made on the 24th day of March, 1917, and the first publication thereof against you is made in the "Weston Leader" newspaper on March 30, 1917.

CARTER & SMYTHE,
Plaintiff's Attorneys.

Bed Spring Poem

E. O. DeMoss, the Furniture King,
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Linoleums and rugs to cover your floor—
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And for the kitchen a swell cabinet.
Carriages for baby, and high chairs too.
Ironing boards, sweepers—we have a few.
Folding tables, for the young and the old;
Wall papers—all colors, from green to old gold.
A mattress, a spring, complete bed or cot;
Window shades, picture frames—and goodness,
what not?

A library table, chiffonier—perhaps
A book case, or desk, to fill up the gaps.
Now the prices are right—come in when you can.
Yours truly, DEMOSS, the Furniture Man.

The Leader prints Butter Wraps

BREVITIES

"Hamp" Booher was called to Pendleton Monday to serve as a juror.

Mr. and Mrs. John Barnes and infant son were visiting in Weston Sunday from Athena.

G. A. R. McGrew came up from Portland Saturday to commune with nature and visit his children at the McGrew ranch.

J. R. English will leave next week for the Cascades to begin his work as government surveyor in the O. & C. land grant.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Reynolds became the parents of a baby boy April 5 at the home of Mrs. E. Reynolds on Broad street.

Mrs. Henry Copeland, a pioneer resident of Walla Walla and a sister of Mrs. I. E. Saling of this city, died Monday after a protracted illness.

A daughter was born recently to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Rose at Portland, being the second girl in the family. Mrs. Rose was formerly Miss Pauline Simpson of Weston.

J. E. Stanfield has succeeded Joe Blomgren as sexton at the Masonic and Odd Fellows cemeteries and janitor of Society hall. Mr. and Mrs. Blomgren having moved to their farm above town.

L. B. Davis left yesterday for Walla Walla with the avowed purpose of investing in a Ford auto truck for the local draying firm of Ellis & Davis. Lou is pretty well satisfied that a "tin Liz" will not lay down on him and die of spasmodic colic.

Jack Sheets began blacksmithing "on his own" in Athena this week, having secured the old Bolling stand. He has been succeeded at Snider's blacksmith shop by John Harper, who is also a mechanic of skill and experience. Mr. Sheets will maintain his residence in Weston until next fall.

Mrs. S. Morton, widow of the late General Morton of the United States army, was in Weston Tuesday in the interests of the Red Cross. Mrs. Morton is actively identified with the Red Cross movement in this county, and was one of the leaders in the recent patriotic demonstration at Pendleton.

According to the Echo News the Jacob Wattenburger shearing crew started the season Tuesday at the big Echo plant. Twenty-four shearing machines and a full crew of operators are employed, and between 3000 and 4000 sheep will be handled daily by this plant, which is the best equipped in the Northwest.

Watts & Rogers mobilized one Titan and three Moguls Saturday and made a grand assault on the field of Bud Nelson near town. Bud pursued a Fabian policy, and as a reward for his non-resistance got a big strip of plowing done for nothing. Rain and mud did not bother the tractors, and they walked right along with gang plows and disc—showing that horse feed is rather a poor investment in these days of modern farming methods. Many farmers came to town in automobiles and witnessed the successful demonstration. The big Titan was borrowed for the occasion from Frank Greer.

The Ladies' Guild held its annual election of officers on Easter Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. R. Proudfoot. The incumbent officers were retained, as follows: Mrs. L. S. Wood, president; Mrs. L. I. O'Harra, vice president; Mrs. A. James, secretary; Mrs. E. M. Warren, treasurer. In addition to the membership Mrs. J. F. Snider and Mrs. R. L. Reynaud were present as guests. The hostess was assisted in serving an excellent and bountiful luncheon by Mrs. C. H. Smith and Mrs. Frank Graham. The next meeting will be held the first Thursday afternoon in May at the home of Mrs. E. M. Warren.

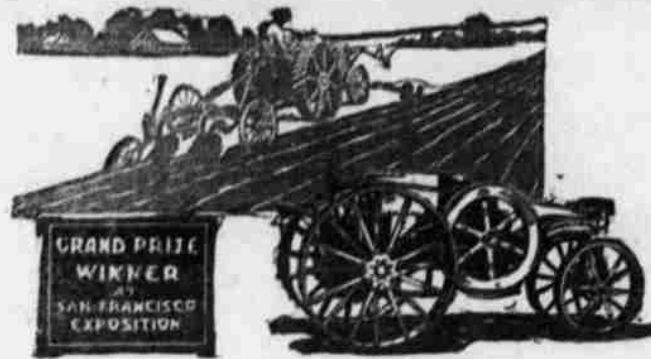
The W. C. T. U. held its regular meeting at the home of Mrs. Kennard Tuesday afternoon. After the business session a very interesting program of songs, readings, and discussion was enjoyed by those present. The union decided to offer its services to the Red Cross society at Pendleton. It was also decided to invite the Milton union to hold its silver medal contest next Tuesday evening, April 17, at 7:30 p. m. at the school house here, music also to be furnished by the visiting union. The meeting closed with each lady present gathering orange blossoms from a tree planted and grown in Weston. The next meeting will be held April 24 at 2:30 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Clara Harbour, with Mrs. Alice Price as leader.

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SUMMONS

At ten o'clock next Tuesday morning a meeting will be held at the Methodist church for the purpose of organizing a Weston branch of the Red Cross. Officers of the society will be present from Pendleton. Local ladies of prominence have interested themselves in the movement, and it is expected that the branch will start with a large membership.

By unanimous decision of the committee the name of Home Store Advocate was selected from among fifty or more submitted for the Weston Mercantile Co.'s new trade paper. This name was given in by Miss Gladys Smith, who received the prize of \$5.00 offered by the company for the winning name.

Joseph W. McMorris, an early resident of Walla Walla, 82 years old, died April 7 at his home in that city, from apoplexy. He was a brother of the late Lewis McMorris, one of the best known pioneers in the Northwest.

Jake Narkaus returned yesterday from the Hudson Bay district, where he left his cattle to pasture in the Oregon hills. He found good range there, with the bunchgrass several inches high.

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F. A. Phelps has handed in his resignation as pastor of the United Brethren church in this city.

Arkey NorDean, one of Spokane's finest, is here for a visit with "the old folks at home."

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

Myrta M. Barto, Plaintiff, vs. Jackson Barto, Defendant.

To Jackson Barto, Defendant above named:—

In the Name of the State of Oregon, You are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint of the plaintiff filed against you in the above entitled suit, within six weeks of the date of the first publication of this summons, to-wit: on or before Friday, the 27th day of April, 1917; and you will take notice that if you fail to appear and answer the said complaint or otherwise plead thereto within said time, the plaintiff for want thereof will apply to the Court for the relief prayed for and demanded in plaintiff's said complaint, namely, for a decree of the Court forever dissolving the bonds of matrimony now and heretofore existing between plaintiff and defendant, and for other equitable relief.

This summons is published pursuant to an order made in this cause by Honorable Gilbert W. Phelps, Circuit Judge of the above entitled Court. The first publication of this summons will be made in the Weston Leader on Friday the 16th day of March, 1917, and the last publication will be made on Friday the 27th day of April, 1917.

Dated at Pendleton, Oregon, this 14th day of March, 1917.
WILL M. PETERSON,
Attorney for Plaintiff.
Postoffice address: Pendleton, Ore.

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