

Stirs on the Soil.

That discovery by actual experiment of the great fertility of the soil of Long Island will not open a new state to the country, but the bit is a good one for other localities.

If the soil of Long Island is good for bananas and coffee, as the experiment is said to prove, and also general farming and dairying purposes, there is no reason to suppose but other localities have neglected lands that are suffering from bad reputation and nothing worse.

Russia's One War Hero.

If General Stoessel had died rather than surrender, as he originally gave out that he would when charged with the defense of Port Arthur, he would surely have been canonized and the world spared the spectacle of a real hero being placed on the rack by bureaucrats who never smelled powder.

But if Stoessel failed to give us a modern Leonidas or another Travis at the Texas Alamo, which, unlike Thermopylae, had no messenger of defeat, he made a fight which removes him forever from the roster of cowards in uniform deserving the coward's doom.

Half a Loaf at the Polls.

One of the last acts of George Jacob Holyoake, the famous English radical, who died recently, was a vigorous attack upon man's monopoly of the ballot, coupled with a plan for the extension of the suffrage to Englishwomen.

After sketching the political and legal status of woman in England, Mr. Holyoake observed that Harriet Martineau and Emily Faithful, whose ideas influence British cabinets, never took part in any woman suffrage movement.

Why should not women who desire the suffrage form an electoral college in every borough and ask that every hundred women members of the college should be legally entitled to nominate one of their order to vote in the election of members of parliament for their borough?

To some ardent suffragists this proposal to give the ballot to one woman in one hundred would seem like a cowardly compromise, but Mr. Holyoake evidently looked upon the scheme as an entering wedge.

A Modern Jacobin.

In the person of M. Clemenceau we have before us a Jacobin, says W. T. Stead, writing in the Review of Reviews. To quote:

M. Clemenceau is to me the most authentic incarnation of the revolution of 1789 now extant in Europe. He is the revolution in bloc. He shares its hatreds; he has lost none of its enthusiasms.

France is no longer the land of startling dramas and moves so steadily that comparison of modern careers or events with the era of the great revolution seems far-fetched. But the French revolution itself moved slowly.

That discovery by a parole officer that the reading of poetry to prisoners stimulates a craving to lead better lives after they get out of jail suggests a new vocation for budding talent.

It is becoming more and more difficult every day to secure material for that series of articles on "Self Made Men of the Nation" without colliding with the report of some grand jury or investigating committee.

Another good thing about the product of the hen is its delivery in the original package. No chance for middle men to ring in on the consumer a substitute "equally as good."

Author George Moore's "Memories of My Dead Self" is a book rightly named. The Moore yogue is nearly moribund in his native England as well as in America.

Finish every day and be done with it. You have done what you could. Some blunders and absurdities no doubt crept in. Forget them as soon as you can.

Blameworth Speech.

Whitlow Reed, our ambassador to England, tells the people over there not to encourage Americans in the use of slang by either imitation or admiration.

Very recently the English at home were lectured on their lax speech, and the schoolmaster declared that even the language of the stage is everything but what it should be.

The Vanished Wild Pigeon.

It is said that the passenger pigeon, once the characteristic bird of the American woods, especially in the region of the great lakes, and which almost wholly disappeared about forty years ago, is again in evidence.

In the first half of the nineteenth century it was no uncommon sight to see closely packed columns of the passenger pigeons miles in length. Naturalists of that time reported the snapping of the limbs of stout staves under their weight when roosting.

Natives in the track of the Vesuvius disasters seem to turn the eruption to good account. Rations were dealt out to the "needy" for weeks after the event, and contributions poured in from the outside and from the swarms of foreign visitors.

What the douma members want is a constitutional machine that will keep up a continuous performance whether the parliament is in session or not.

The fact that 10,000 Americans registered themselves among the visitors at Shakespeare's birthplace last year shows that the people over here honor the divine William even if they do not run after his drama on the stage or in books.

In the hall where the douma holds forth the chairs, desks and inkstands are screwed down. Still, if the members only let their names fly when they get in a mood to throw things there will be a chance for a crop of cracked heads.

Since Mark Twain insists that he does his best writing while lying in bed it is simple kindness to state that he has not been compelled to lie in bed much of late or else his publishers are in a conspiracy to down him.

The truly full name of the galkwar of Baroda is about a yard long, and from the viewpoint of the simplified spellers it is sadly in need of a course of Carnegie treatment.

Summons

In the County Court of the State of Oregon for Polk County, S. E. Irvine, Plaintiff, vs Eli A. Strehlow, Defendant: In the name of the State of Oregon you are hereby summoned and required to appear and answer the complaint of the plaintiff in the above entitled suit now on file in the office of the Clerk in the above entitled Court on or before the last day mentioned and named or prescribed in the order for publication of this summons made by the County Judge of Polk County, State of Oregon, being the County where the above entitled suit is pending in the County Court of said County and State, which said order is hereinafter referred to, to-wit, on or before six weeks from the day of the first publication thereof, and you are hereby notified that if you fail to appear and answer the said complaint as herein required, the plaintiff will apply to the above entitled Court for the relief demanded in his complaint, namely, that the defendant be foreclosed of all interests in said property, and equity of redemption in said mortgaged property.

This summons is published in the West Side Enterprise once a week for six successive weeks beginning with the issue of Friday, June 22nd, 1906, and ending with the issue of Friday, August 3, 1906, under and in pursuance of the directions contained in an order made by the Hon. Ed. F. Coak, County Judge of Polk County, Oregon, being the County where the above entitled suit is pending in the above entitled Court.

Dated this 20th day of June, 1906.

Date of first publication thereof, June 22, 1906.

B. F. Jones, Attorney for Plaintiff.

Summons

In the Justice Court for the Justice of the Peace and Constable District No. 5, Polk County, State of Oregon.

Ross H. Nelson, Plaintiff, vs A. O. Griswold, Defendant.

To A. O. Griswold, Defendant: In the name of the State of Oregon you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint of the plaintiff in the above entitled action on file in the office of the Justice of the Peace in the above entitled Court, on or before the 10th day of August, 1906, the day named or prescribed in the Order for Publication of this Summons, made by the Justice of the Peace in the Justice Court for the Justice of the Peace and Constable District No. 5, Polk County, State of Oregon, being the County and Precinct where the above entitled action is pending, and you are hereby notified that if you fail to appear and answer the said complaint as herein required, for want thereof the plaintiff will apply to the above entitled Court for the relief demanded in said complaint, namely, for a judgment against you for the sum of \$30.00, and costs and disbursements therein.

This Summons is published in the West Side Enterprise for six consecutive and successive weeks, beginning with the issue of June 29th, 1906, and ending with the issue of August 10th, 1906, under and in pursuance of the directions contained in an order made by B. Wilson, Justice of the Peace in the Justice Court for the Justice of the Peace and Constable District No. 5, Polk County, State of Oregon.

Dated this 28th day of June, 1906. Date of first publication, June 29th, 1906.

B. F. Jones, Attorney for Plaintiff.

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John Calahan, Prop.

Notice to Creditors

In the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Polk County, in the matter of the estate of Mary Menerva Davidson, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that Mary E. Chappell has been duly appointed by the County Court of Polk County, Oregon, as Executrix of the estate of Mary Menerva Davidson, deceased.

Executrix of the estate of Mary Menerva Davidson, deceased. Dated July 10, 1906.

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