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Still on the lips of all we question
The finger of God's silence lies;
Will the lost hands in ours be folded?
Will the shut eyelids ever rise?
O friend! no proof beyond this yearning,
This outreach of our hearts we need;
God will not mock the hope he giveth,
No love he prompts shall vainly plead.

J. G. Whittier.

CAN CHANGE HIS SKIN.

"Can the Ethiopian change his skin, or the leopard his spots?" wrote the holy man in sacred writ. Prof Blake, a Kansas scientist, says the Ethiopian can do that very thing and he will take the job of making a white man out of a darkey without the least doubt of his ability to successfully perform the feat.

The Prof says the color of the negro is due to a carbon pigment underlying the skin and can be so transrormed by electricity as to leave the subject with a fair complexion. This will be done by the decomposi ion of the molecules of carbon. It only remains to find a practicable method for applying the electricity to be able to wipe out the color line for all time.

"WX ROPX."

Said an article in a western paper apologetically, "that our rxadxrs will pardon this wxxks issux and thx sxxmingly mystxrious abexncx of a cxrtain lxttxr. Shooting Sam Bibbxr camx into our officx yxstxrday and statxd that as hx was going hunting and had no ammunition hx would likx to borrow somx of our typx. Bxforx wx could prxvxnt it hx had graboxd all thx lxttxrs out of thx most important box and disappxarxd. Our subscribxrs can hxlp rxplxnish our stock if all thosx who arx shot by Sam will savx thx chargx whxn it is pickxd out of thxm and rxturn it to us. Nxvxr mind if it is battxrxd a littlx."—Press and Printer.

Senator Mark Hanna evidently believes he is still engineering a presidential or some other political campaign, as he continues to send out ready made editorials to the republican press. The motives of the arch-boodler are manifest when it is considered these appeals are made in the interest of monopolies and leeches upon the body politic. The old man is simply carrying out his ante-election contracts. The monopolies delivered the goods last November and now the people are called upon to make payment.

For the first time in twenty-eight years Ohio has two republican representatives in the United States senate. Invariably republican on national issues, and generally so in state contests, it has been Ohio's strange fortune that her representation in the senate has been uniformly divided between the parties for nearly thirty years.

General Coxey says the people's party is practically dead. He states that a new party, name unknown at present, will be organized at Nashville next July. Its principles will be the government control of railroads and the issue of non interest-bearing bonds, abolishing gold.

Governor Budd of California is not holding down the gubernatorial chair as a matter of fun. The other day he got his pen into use and promptly vetoed over $2,000,000 of unnecessary appropriations that had been made by a complacent easy going legislature. A governor like that earns his salary.

Local election returns from Ohio and Michigan show an almost unbroken series of democratic victories. Cincinnati may be given as a sample. In November the city gave McKinley 20,000 plurality; now it is democratic by over 7,000, while the vote is but 13,000 short of the presidential vote.

Stratton, the Cripple Creek millionaire, refuses to go into any money making schemes. "What I am trying to do," says he to promoters, "is to keep my income down within the limits of decency."

The Lebanon Advance says the woman who thinks more of the ballot than she does of her baby will never boost this old nation forward many notches.

Sometimes an apparently dead man may be revived—may be resuscitated. Sometimes it is often hard to tell whether the man is dead or alive. We hear of people who have been buried alive. A man must be completely dead before hope should be abandoned. It used to be true that when a man found he had consumption, he gave up immediately. Consumption was considered a necessarily fatal disease. It was considered incurable. As soon as it developed enough so that a physician could decide that it was really consumption, the patient was considered as good as dead. Years ago, Dr. Pierce found out that consumption was not incurable, that it was not necessarily fatal. He not only found this out, but he found out a way to cure consumption. He introduced his "Golden Medical Discovery." The "Discovery" will cure 98 per cent. of all cases of consumption if it is taken according to directions. Consumption is a disease of the blood. It is caused by impoverishment of the blood, and by the existence of disease-germs in the system. If the body is perfectly strong and healthy, and the blood perfectly pure, germs are easily thrown off. If the body is weak, if the tissues are incapable of much resistance, the germs find a resting place and develop. That's the way consumption begins.

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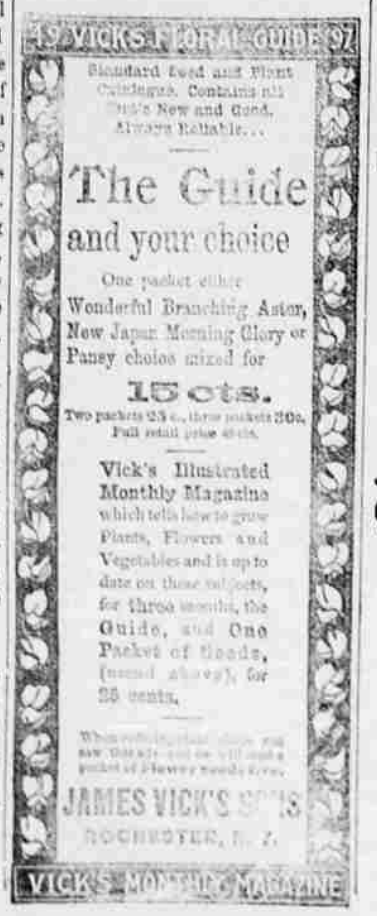

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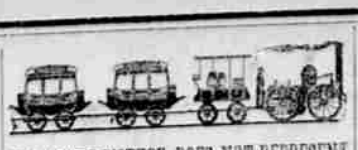

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been by the County Court of Lane County, Oregon, appointed Administrator of the estate of William Weber, deceased and all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same to me duly verified, at my place of business in Junction City, Oregon, or at the law office of E. R. Skipworth in Eugene, Oregon, within six months from the date hereof.

Dated at Eugene, Oregon, February 27th, 1897.

ROBERT CLOW, Administrator.

E. R. SKIPWORTH, Attorney for Admr.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been by the county court of Lane county duly appointed administrator of the estate of William Gearhart, deceased, and all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified and required to present the same to me, duly verified, at my residence in Lane county, or at the office of E R Skipworth, within six months from the date hereof.

Dated at Eugene, Or, March 27, 1897.

JAS. M. GEARHART, Administrator of said estate.

E R SKIPWORTH, Attorney for Admr.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Notice is hereby given that W S Lee has been appointed by the county court of Lane county, Oregon, administrator of the estate of E W Ross, deceased, and all persons having claims against said estate are hereby requested to present the same to me duly verified at my place of business in Junction City Oregon, or at the office of E R Skipworth in Eugene, Oregon, within six months from the date thereof.

Dated at Eugene, Oregon, Dec. 22d, 1896.

W S LEE, Administrator of said estate.

E R SKIPWORTH, Atty for Administrator.

Notice to Creditors.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed administratrix of the Estate of G. C. Roe, deceased, by the County Court of Lane County, Oregon All persons holding claims against the said Estate will please present the same to the undersigned within six months from this date.

January 26, 1897.

IDA B. ROE, Administratrix.

JOSHUA J. WALTON Attorney for Estate.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that Mary A Griffin and George W Griffin have been duly appointed executrix and executor of the estate of Gilbert P Griffin, deceased. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same to the executor at the store of the Griffin Hardware Company at Eugene, Oregon, within six months from the date of this notice.

March 15, 1897.

MARY A. GRIFFIN and G. W. GRIFFIN, Executrix and Executor.

GEO. B DUNNIS, Atty for estate.

J. F. FORD,

(Evangelist,)

Of Des Moines, Iowa, writes under date of March 23, 1893:

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Notice for Publication.

Land Office at Roseburg, Oregon, March 5, 1897.

Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before Joel Ware, U S C C Commissioner, at Eugene, Lane county, Oregon, on April 17, 1897, viz: John C Rodgers on H E No 6604 for the se ¼ se ¼ and lots 1, 2 and 3, of sec 3, tp 16 s, r 2 east.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of, said land, viz:

John M Davis, of Springfield, Oregon, Karnes Wade, Charles Ream, and Casper Thomson, all of Leaburg Oregon.

R M VEATCH, Register.

Notice for Publication.

Land Office at Roseburg, Oregon, March 3, 1897.

Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before Joel Ware, U S C C Commissioner, at Eugene, Oregon, on April 12, 1897, viz: Ella Hayden on H E No 8[illegible] for the sw ¼ of sec 20, tp 16 s, r 1 w.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of, said land, viz:

William Duryee, Jefferson Waugh, Richard Gossett, and Warden Gossett, all of Isabel, Oregon.

R M VEATCH, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Land Office at Roseburg, Oregon, March 27, 1897.

Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before Joel Ware, U S C C Commissioner, at Eugene, Oregon, on May 28, 1897, viz: Andrew J Carson, father and heir of John W Carson, deceased, on homestead entry No 5551 for the s ½ of ¼, s ½ ne ¼, sec 8, tp 19 s, r 4 west.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of, said land, viz:

E Anderson, George T Ware, H H Vanslyke, and Holl McCollum, all of Eugene, Lane county, Oregon.

R M VEATCH, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Land Office at Roseburg, Oregon, March 25, 1897.

Notice is hereby given that the following-named person has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before Joel Ware, U S C C Commissioner, at Eugene, Oregon, on May 8, 1897, viz: James M Parker, for the lots 1, 2 and 3 sec 7, tp 19 s, r 1 w.

He names the following witnesses to prove his right to purchase said tract under the fifth section of the Act of March 3, 1887, viz:

Joseph D Matlock and Lowry B Ireland of Eugene, Robert E Caudill of Springfield and James A Pavin of Dexter Oregon.

R M VEATCH, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Land Office at Roseburg, Or. March 9, 1897.

Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before Joel Ware, U S C C Commissioner, at Eugene, Lane county, Oregon, on May 5, 1897, viz: Fred W Blondin on H E No 8715 for the lots 9, 15, 5 and 16 of sec 9 tp 16 s, r 2 east.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of, said land, viz:

Frank H Wood, Ira P Hower, Winfield Thomson and Clarence Thomson, all of Leaburg, Oregon.

R M VEATCH, Register.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been by the county court of Lane County Oregon, appointed Administrator of the estate of W V Henderson, deceased and all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified and required to present the same to me duly verified at my place of business in Eugene, Oregon, or at the law office of E R Skipworth in Eugene, Oregon, within six months from the date hereof.

Dated at Eugene, Oregon, March 26, 1897.

E K HENDERSON, Administrator of the estate of W V Henderson, deceased.

E R SKIPWORTH, Atty. for Admr.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Land Office at Roseburg, Oregon, February 9, 1897.

Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before Joel Ware, U. S. C. C. Commissioner, at Eugene, Oregon, on March 22, 1897, viz: James L. Holgate on H E No 8848, for the s½ ne¼ and n½ se¼, sec 34, tp 15 s, r 6 west.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land viz:

Joseph H Ferguson, of Monroe, Oregon, and Alvin W Darrow, Oliver P Mays and Frank Williams, of Junction City, Oregon.

R. M. VEATCH, Register.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE OF SALE

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of an order of the County Court of Lane county, Oregon, made on the first day of February, 1897, the undersigned on Saturday, the 6th day of March, 1897, at one o'clock in the afternoon of said day at the Court House door in Eugene, Lane county, Oregon, will offer for sale and sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, the following described real property to wit: The w ½ of the w ½ of sec 6, and the w ½ of the w ½ of sec 18, in tp 18 s, r 2 w w m; the e ½ of the e ½ of section 1, and the e ½ of the e ½ of section 12, in tp 18 s, r 3 w w m, containing 80 acres, in Lane county, Oregon. Lots 1, 2 and 10 of block 2, lots 3, 4, and 5 of block 3, and 4 and 5 of block 2, lots 3, 6 and 8 in block 1 and lots 6, 7, 8 and 9 in block 3, all in Wheeney's Addition to Eugene, Lane county, Oregon, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the claims against said estate and the expenses of administration.

Dated February 4th, 1897.

E H WHITNEY, Administrator of the Estate of M Whitney deceased.