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vs.
JOHN D. MULLEN as administrator of the Estate of John W. Negithon, deceased, et al.,
Alfreda Negithon, John Doe and Mary Doe and all heirs known and unknown of John W. Negithon, deceased, Defendants.

To Alfreda Negithon, John Doe and Mary Doe and all heirs, known and unknown of John W. Negithon, deceased, In the Name of the State of Oregon You and each of you are hereby notified that you are required to appear and answer the Complaint filed against you, in the above entitled Court and cause, within six weeks from the date of the first publication of this summons, to wit: within six weeks from the 16th day of November 1915 and if you fail to appear on or before the 23d day of December 1915, said date being the last day of the time prescribed in the order for publication, judgment will be taken against you in favor of the plaintiff, for want thereof for the relief demanded in plaintiff's complaint, a succinct statement of which is as follows:

That plaintiff recovers from the above named defendant John G. Mullen as Administrator, the sum of Six Hundred Dollars together with interest thereon at the rate of 8 per cent per annum from the 1st day of June 1914 to date, and the sum of Seventy Five Dollars as an attorney fee herein together with the costs and disbursements of this suit. That a decree of foreclosure issue as against all said defendants and all persons interested in the hereinafter described real property. That the following real property be sold by the manner prescribed by law to wit, The west one half (1/2) of the south-west quarter (sw 1/4) of section three (3), the north east quarter (ne 1/4) of the south east quarter (se 1/4) of section four (4) and lot four (4) of section (10) in Township twenty-five (25) south, range twelve (12) west of the Willamette Meridian, Coos County, Oregon. That all of the indebtedness of each of them and of all persons claiming by or under them in the above described real property be forever barred and foreclosed. That the plaintiff have judgment and execution against the defendant John G. Mullen as administrator of the estate of John W. Negithon, deceased, for any deficiency which may remain after the proceeds of the sale of the above described real property have been applied to the satisfaction of said judgment herein. That Plaintiff or any other party to this suit may become a purchaser at the sale of said real property; that the sheriff execute deed to the purchaser and said purchaser let in to the possession of said real property forthwith.

Service of this summons is made by publication in pursuance of an order made by the Hon. James Watson, County Judge for Coos County, Oregon, dated the 1st day of Sept., 1915, directing that service thereof be made by publication in the Coquille Herald, a weekly newspaper, published in the City of Coquille, Coos County, Oregon, once a week for a period of six weeks.

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Natural Life.
The legal phrase "natural life" is a sort of a puzzle to some people, who wonder if the law recognizes any "unnatural life." It does not, but the old common law did recognize an unnatural death as well as a natural one. When a man or woman takes the moanistic vow people still speak of it as "leaving the world." In medieval times that was considered a form of death, and the phrase "natural life" came into use to describe an existence terminated by the grave, not by the convent or the abbey.—New York Mail.

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He Showed Them How to Do It

By DONALD CHAMBERLIN

During the latter part of the last century a great deal of whisky was distilled in the Tennessee mountains on which no tax was paid. One day a man appeared among the government officials who were endeavoring to hunt down a man named Hardwick, who had been for some time running a still concealed in the mountains and had thus far defied every effort on the part of the officials to trap him.

"What's the matter with you fellows," said the newcomer, "that you haven't got Hardwick? He's got to be taken and right away."

"All right, Mr. Barker," said Williams, the man addressed; "we'll do the job under your direction. Lead on."

Half a dozen men having been collected for the purpose, Barker started up the mountain side, followed by the others, and after a long and difficult ascent came upon a woman sitting on a rock crying bitterly.

"What's the matter?" asked Barker.

"Matter? Matter enough. Look a-yere." Pulling up her sleeve, she showed a welt that had evidently been made by a lash.

"Who did that?" asked Barker.

"My husband."

"Who is your husband?"

"Jim Hardwick."

Barker opened his eyes and looked knowingly at his men.

"Where is Hardwick?" he asked the woman.

"Reckon he's gone up to the"—She checked herself. "Who air you uns anyway?"

"I don't mind your knowing that we're revenue men, and we're going to get Jim Hardwick dead or alive!"

The woman stopped crying and looked fixedly at the men.

"I don't want you to kill him," she said, "but—"

"You mean," said Barker, "that you'd like to see him punished for his treatment of you?"

"Reckon I would."

"I'll tell you what I'll do. You help us get him and we'll give you \$100."

The woman's face took on a covertous look. Barker followed up his advantage. "Show us the way to the still and keep him talking till we can surround it."

"What'll you do with him?"

"We'll turn him over to you."

He counted out ten crisp treasury notes and handed them to the woman. She took them hesitatingly, as though she did not quite like the job.

Half an hour later the revenue men, led by the woman, had come to a ravine. She paused and said: "The still's up thar. Ef you uns stop this end of the ravin' he can't git out; you got him shore." Barker dashed forward, ordering the others to follow. Williams called to him to wait a moment—perhaps the woman was deceiving them—but Barker paid no attention to him, and he went on with the rest. They found the climbing difficult, but pushed on, Barker displaying an energy that put the rest to shame. Williams alone hung back, bringing up the rear. But nothing like a still appeared. Then the men began to tire of the difficult climb and one by one fell to the rear. Barker, coming to a perpendicular cliff, stopped, waiting till the others came up. Nothing was said till Williams joined them.

"Waal?" he said doubtfully.

"Where's the woman?" asked Barker. All looked about for her, but she was not to be seen.

"I tell you, Mr. Barker," said Williams, "where I reckon she is."

"Where?"

"With that hundred dollars you give her. And I reckon the hundred dollars is whar the still is. And I don't reckon the still is in this yere ravin' neither."

There was an ominous silence.

"I reckon," said Williams, "that we uns might as well go home. Before we could find the still—and I reckon we couldn't—the hull thing would be cleaned out."

"Do you think so?" asked Barker absently. He was thinking of the hundred dollars that he had given the woman and that he had intended to charge up to the government, but that now he would not dare to mention it and it would be a dead loss to himself. He was soon convinced by the others that to try to find either the still or Hardwick or his wife would be like hunting for a needle in a haystack. Mournfully he led the way down the mountain that he had climbed with such high hopes. When he came to the place where he had first seen the woman, there she was in her cabin near by washing dishes as unconcernedly as if nothing unusual had happened.

"Did you uns git him?" she asked, with well affected interest.

No reply was made, and she continued:

"Waal, I reckon you didn't or you would have brought him along. Since I didn't help you out I reckon I orter give you back the money." She handed Barker the hundred dollars, which he took shamefacedly, then without a word continued the descent.

"Gittin' moonshiners," said Williams to Barker, "ain't such easy work, after all."

"No," said the man who had come to Tennessee to show them how to do it; "I can't say it is. Don't you fellows say anything about this affair, and I'll report to Washington that you work under serious disadvantages."



The illustration shows the interior of a pen in a laying house used at the United States government poultry farm at Beltsville, Md. The roosts, dropping board and laying nests are of simple and inexpensive construction, but well adapted for the intended purposes.

bother." He will "bother" to keep a few hens in a half hearted way and become disgusted with them because they do not furnish enough eggs for his household use, while a little extra care in doing things right would double the egg yield.

Another case of false economy is the way some people house their fowls. I know a man who has about 600 hens with suitable accommodations for not more than 100. He thinks he cannot afford to build more houses or repair what he has and make them free from drafts because his hens do not lay. And no wonder. If he would put up proper buildings for the whole flock the increased profits in the first year would doubtless pay for them. To keep poultry for the best profit one must do it right, just right, and not neglect any of the little points, and never skimp on feed.

There is a limit to expenditures. Fancy houses do not bring better stock or even more eggs, and expensive feeds do not always prove profitable. But where one makes a mistake in the direction of overexpenditure a dozen practice an economy which is in the end more expensive.

Selecting Breeding Hens.
When selecting yearling hens for breeders for another year, or even for laying purposes, watch them carefully during the molt. It is not only the early molters that you want to select, but the hens that get through the process quickly and without any apparent drawback to their constitution. Now and then you will see a hen in the molt and her comb will be almost white, and she will mope around and not seem to care to eat. This is not the kind of hen that you want to keep over, as she is too weak.

Keep Hens Healthy.
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