VALLEY RECORD.

The People's Paper.

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The decision of the supreme court that the marriage of persons divorced in this state to a third party within six months of the granting of the decree of divorce, places a number of people in an unenviable position. Under the law they can be indicted for adultery, lewd cohabitation or any other crime chargeable to improper relations of the sexes. The decision of the court is exhaustive and fixes the legal status of such parties. The woman has no property rights in her supposed husband's possessions, and her children are illegitimate. The decision applies to marriages contracted in other states where the divorce decree to either of the parties was granted in Oregon. A few of our people better get married again.

Electricity and the Human Skin.

Nikola Tesla is reported as saying that the human skin is covered constantly with hurtful microbes that fall upon it from the air and wriggle into it even through the clothing. These evil little beasts feed upon the skin and multiply with unspeakable rapidity, producing whole families that also feed upon the skin. Tesla is again reported to have said that he has seen through a powerful microscope these microbes at their deadly work. It is in consequence of their ravages that the skin gets tough and yellow and wrinkled and loses the brightness and bloom that characterize it in babyhood and early childhood. The microbes, too, are the creatures that make the hair turn gray and fall out.

No amount of soap and water will remove the germs from the skin. Even persons the most cleanly who boil and scrape themselves, so to speak, are afflicted with these microbes, although not to the extent of uncleanly people. Clean people have fairer, brighter skin than the unclean.

Tesla, however, is of opinion that he has invented an electrical apparatus which will literally make the skin of any human being, no matter how old, tawny or wrinkled the person may be, as clear and beautiful as that of a child. He charges the patient with a tremendous current of static electricity, so powerful that the microbes, wornout scales, lint, dust and all other foreign substances fly off the skin in flakes, leaving it pure and fair as a baby's, that, too, without injuring it. Skin diseases of all kinds will vanish as by magic. Such we understand to be the astonishing claim made by this great electrician.

Abdul Hamid.

In his contribution to The Century ex-Minister A. W. Terrell says the Turkish ruler is no more of an oriental despot than the late czar of Russia was. Possibly, but that is not saying much. Mr. Terrell further declares the sultan possessed of a high order of intellectual ability. We are glad to be informed that Abdul Hamid is trying his best to clean up Constantinople and purify his empire from filth and disease. He has done, moreover, more for the education of his people than all the other sultans put together.

It opens our eyes somewhat to learn from the following extract what Turkey could do in a square, stand up fight:

> In (the Turkish) is a race full of contradictions, for it is the most gentle and the most cruel, the most hospitable and the most exclusive, the most tolerant and yet the most fanatical that can be found in any land.
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> The ruler of this strange race has been called the "sick man." He has 1,000,000 of improved magazine rifles, has purchased 1,000,000 more and has trained to use them soldiers who are fatalists and who see heaven through the smoke of battle. If he should ever be forced in desperate extremity, to visit Seraglio Point and give to the breeze the mantle of the prophet which is there guarded, summoning to its defense all the 150,000,000 of the faithful, he would soon be regarded as the most vigorous invalid of modern times.

There are signs that the detestable dog fad now overwhelming the cities of fashion will be checked. This craze for keeping miserable little brutes penned up unnaturally in living rooms with men, women and children originated in Paris and spread over the earth, even to the United States. In Paris it is likely to end because of the great hydrophobic scare that is on there. Frequently the dogs, gone mad from their unnatural mode of life, have bitten their owners and others and caused hydrophobia. Nobody knows whose turn will come next, and the dog owners are getting rid of their pets. In the Madeleine quarter a general slaughter of canines has been ordered by the police.

In order to prevent the remains of George M. Pullman from being stolen out of his tomb the coffin was incased in a frame of steel bars filled in with solid asphalt and concrete. The mass altogether is so thick and secure that it would take a ton of dynamite to blow it up, an expert says. Outwardly the grave looks like other sod covered mounds, but beneath the turf the coffin rests as in a fortress of solid rock. If the soul of George M. Pullman is as secure as his body, then the great millionaire is indeed well off.

Dr. H. R. Moore is lying at his home in Los Angeles suffering from a bullet wound in the back of his head, the result of a shot from a revolver fired by Winford Glover, a 15-year-old boy. Glover is under arrest and confessed having committed the crime, saying he tried to kill the doctor in order to rob him.

In the case of J. S. Bell vs G. Stoothe, involving the title of Los Alamos rancho, Santa Barbara, Cal., valued at $200,000, a decision has been rendered giving plaintiff the title, the ranch being subject to a debt of $110,000.

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CASTORIA.

The fac-simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper.

Expert examination of the accounts of ex-State Treasurer Bartley of Nebraska proves the exact amount of his defalcation to be $870,000.

Charles Page Bryan of Chicago has been appointed as minister to China, to succeed Charles Denby.

The value of the estate left by Charles A. Dana is estimated at over $1,000,000.

Whitecaps at Oakdale, O., whipped two young women so badly that their recovery is doubtful.

Robert T. Lincoln has been elected to the vacancy caused by the death of George M. Pullman in the Pullman Palace Car company.

President J. C. Darragh found guilty of wrecking the Kansas City Safe Deposit and Savings bank of Independence, Mo., has been sentenced to two years in prison.

A gasoline explosion in the basement of the Alcott building at Fostoria, O. caused a disastrous fire. The loss will reach $50,000.

It is said that a bill will be introduced in the New York legislature providing for the creation of a new state to be known as the state of Manhatten.

The Marion (Ind.) lodge of Elks has been suspended because of an alleged violation of the laws of the order in the manner of initiating Robert Fitzsimmons.

The trust deed given by the Chicago and Northwestern railway to the United States Trust company of New York for $163,000,000 has been filed for record at Chicago.

At Brownsville, Tex., Barnardo Salazar, a Mexican boy, aged 16, shot and probably fatally wounded two old women and two little girls.

The manufacturers of pulp paper have formed a national association to improve the trade and have pooled export business. The parties represent 90 per cent or more of the total pulp paper output of the United States.

Chinese coal miners are to take the place of Americans in the Northern Illinois district. An attempt will be made to break the strike that exists, and 800 skilled Celestials have been picked for the work.

The state department has received estimates of the amount of sugar to be produced in Europe from beets in the year 1897–98 at 4,500,000 tons, against 4,915,749 tons for the previous year.

The schooners James D. Sewell, Commerce and Henry Lippett arrived at Vineyard Haven, Mass., Sunday, in badly damaged conditions as the result of severe Atlantic storms.

John H. Weathers of the failed Bank of English, Ind., has offered to return and pay 75 per cent if the depositors will protect him from injury. It is thought that this proposition will be accepted.

Fire in the Chicago factory of the Nutriment company of Philadelphia, manufacturing chemists, destroyed two buildings, causing a loss of $75,000 to $100,000.

A Piece of Parchment

When unwritten on, is not more colorless than the cadaverous countenances of the unfortunate persons whom we are accustomed to call "confirmed invalids." What a misnomer! implying, too, despair, a giving up for lost! As long as the vivifying power of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters can be felt, and that is possible so long as there is no absolute collapse of the faculties, fresh vitality can be infused into wasted, feeble frames; color and flesh can be brought back to wasted, pallid cheeks with this grand sheet anchor of the debilitated and the sickly. It is a tonic of the greatest potency and the utmost purity, and a remedy for and preventive of dyspepsia, biliousness, malarious, rheumatic, nervous and kidney complaints. Appetite and sleep are greatly aided by it; it counteracts the effects of undue fatigue, or excitement, and nullifies the often perilous consequences of exposure in inclement weather or damp clothing.

Alfred H. Brooks, head of the United States internal revenue department in New York, is dead of cancer of the tongue, caused by poison administered to him in an illicit distillery upon which he made a raid three years ago.

The 250 weavers employed by F. A. Bachman & Co. of Philadelphia, who struck about two weeks ago for higher wages, have returned to work, the firm granting them an advance of from 5 to 8 per cent.

Charles Van Buskirk of Venice, Ill., was robbed and mysteriously murdered in the Big Four railroad yards at St. Louis at an early hour last Wednesday. His body was then thrown across the railroad tracks and mangled by numerous trains.

The National City bank of New York has deposited $9,600,000 in government bonds as security for government deposits under the Union Pacific plan. The Bank of the Republic has deposited bonds to the amount of $2,000,000 for the same purpose.

The receivers of the Bay State Beneficiary association of Westfield, Mass., have broken the deadlock which the recent injunction caused and have agreed to a transfer of the members. There is about $20,000,000 of business covering the lives of 10,000 members.

The English bank at English, Ind., failed to open its doors Saturday. Nearly every farmer and business man in Crawford and Perry counties is said to be concerned in the failure for amounts ranging from $200 to $5,000.

In regard to the reported formation of a smelter trust to regulate the price of smelting ores, etc., one of the largest mine managers of the Leadville district says: "The object of the smelter meeting is known to the mine-owners and mine managers, and as a result there is prospect of a bitter fight with the smelters arrayed on one side and the mine managers and owners on the other."

Alex Coudet, an Indian half-breed, Paul Holytrack and Philip Ireland, full-blooded Indians, the first of whom were sentenced to death for the murder of six members of the Spicer family at their home near Winona, S. D., last February, and had just been granted a new trial by the supreme court, and the latter two self-confessed accessories in the murders, were taken from the jail in Emmons county Sunday night and lynched by a mob.

J. C. Berry, one of the best known citizens of Spencer, Mo., testifies that he cured himself of the worst kind of piles by using a few boxes of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. He had been troubled with piles for over thirty years and had used many different kinds of so-called cures; but DeWitt's was the one that did the work and he will verify this statement if any one wishes to write him. Eugene A. Sherwin.

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MINES AND MINING.

Progress and Doings In and About the Mines of the Coast.

The mill on the McLanes mine, near Mokelumne Hill, Calaveras county, has started.

At the Diamond mine, El Dorado county, work on a 200-foot shaft has begun.

The annual meeting of the Southern Oregon mining association is called for November 17th, at Grants Pass.

Twenty men are at work on the Lone Star mine, in West Point district, Calaveras county. The shaft will be sunk 500 feet.

Work of sinking from the 300 to the 400-foot level at the Gentle Annie mine, in El Dorado county, is completed.

At the Reddick mine in Nevada county, the drift is in 70 feet from the foot of the 500-foot incline. The prospects are favorable.

A clean-up of $1940 is reported at the Unity mine, Nevada county, as the result of three weeks run. The ore pays $18.50 per ton.

Out of the 500 location notices made during the summer's rush into the Coffee creek section, Trinity county, assessment work has been recorded on 300 of them.

It is reported that negotiations are pending with New York capitalists for the sale of the Wimer Bros.' hydraulic mines in Waldo district, Josephine county, Oregon.

In Plymouth district, Amador county, the 350-foot shaft in the Centennial mine will be repaired and sunk 650 feet farther before running any levels.

On the Forget-Me-Not mine, Trinity county, G. L. Carr took out 50 tons of rock at a depth of 175 feet, which he ran through an arrastra, and he claims it netted him $115 per ton.

The Banner blue gravel mine, on the Table Mountain channel, Calaveras county, was bonded to Colorado parties last week for $28,000, development work to begin immediately.

A. C. Widbur of San Francisco has contracted for the purchase of the Pine Nut claims, near Grass valley, Nevada county. In all likelihood a 20-stamp mill will soon be on the ground.

The Boston Mining and Milling company, San Bernardino county, has begun the wall for a 10-stamp mill, with concentrator. It is proposed to handle all quantities and grades of ore.

The Live Oak mine, in El Dorado district, Calaveras county, owned by W. B. Swank, now has a two-stamp prospect mill operating under a 75-foot head of water. One hundred tons of ore are on the dump that averages $8 in free gold and 1½ per cent sulphrets.

A company has been organized in Kern county, known as the Double Standard Mining company, which will work half a dozen claims in Soledad mountains that make a big surface showing. An offer has been made to work the dump of two of the claims of the group at the rate of $50 per ton.

At the Shores ledge, Siskiyou county, Major Myers has finished crushing the ore from tunnel No. 3 since May 1st. The yield was over $22 per ton. In addition, he cleaned up with mortor and pestle from the same tunnel about $4000.

A tale vien has been opened at the south fork of the Salmon river, Siskiyou county, varying from two inches to two feet in thickness and yielding $208 per ton, worked in an arrastra run by horse power.

C. B. Poole's quartz mine west of Cole's, Siskiyon county, has been sold for $30,000. The first payment of $5000 has been made and the purchasers are preparing to give it a thorough development this winter.

F. L. Dimock and others of Trinity Center, Trinity county, have run a 150-foot tunnel, expecting to tap the ledge within 20 additional feet. The croppings average 160 feet in width, and 15 assays yielded an average of $15. The ore is copper and gold.

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A STAY OF PROCEEDINGS.

Murderer Durrant Temporarily Saved By His Energetic Attorneys.

The day for the execution of Theodore Durrant, who murdered Blanche Lamont in San Francisco over two years ago, was set for Friday, November 13th—four days after the receipt of the news that the United States supreme court had denied the writ of habeas corpus, but within 20 hours of the time fixed for execution his attorneys succeeded in getting a stay of proceedings by making application for a writ of probable cause. The attorneys contended that the superior court had no official notice of the action of the supreme court, in denying the writ and therefore Judge Bahrs erred in ordering Durrant executed before the remittur arrived. The application was granted and the execution postponed. Lawyers are divided in their opinions as to the delay that will now take place. Some hold that an appeal can now be taken and that it will have to take it place on the docket and months will lapse before it is heard from, while others claim that as soon as the remittur arrives from Washington, in about 30 days, the objection will be removed and the case can be brought to an end.

Charles E. Fell has been appointed postmaster at Pendleton, Or.

Captain Frank Smith, a lumberman, well-known all over the coast, died at Seattle last week.

The ship Sierra Nevada sailed from Tacoma last week with a cargo of flour valued at $95,000, for China.

R. A. Jones, a prominent real estate dealer of San Diego, Cal., is under arrest on a charge of perjury. The arrest grew out of trouble caused by a real estate transaction.

The Coming Woman

Who goes to the club while her husband tends the baby, as well as the good old fashioned woman who looks after her home will both at times get run down in health. They will be troubled with loss of appetite, headaches, sleeplessness, fainting or dizzy spells. The most wonderful remedy for these women is Electric Bitters. Thousands of sufferers from Lame Back and Weak Kidneys rise up and call it blessed. It is the medicine for women. Female complaints and Nervous troubles of all kinds are soon relieved by the use of Electric Bitters. Delicate women should keep this remedy on hand to build up the system. Only 50c. per bottle. For sale by E. A. Sherwin.

SHOT TO DEATH BY A BOY.

Attorney Charles Jones of Nevada Meets a Tragic End.

United States District Attorney Charles A. Jones of Carson city, Nev., was shot and instantly killed by Julian Guinan, a 16-year-old boy. Jones, who was married, insisted in paying attentions to Miss Jessie Guinan, although forbidden to do so by the girl's father. Guinan threatened to shoot Jones if he continued his flirtations and, in the presence of the boy, Jones said he would kill Guinan if he tried it. The day of the shooting Jones and the girl were talking at the gate of the Guinan residence and the father came along. Some words passed between the men and Jones made a motion as if to draw a pistol. The boy was watching the proceedings from a window, and thinking his father was going to be killed, shot at Jones with a rifle, the bullet striking him in the head causing intant death.

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Secretary Alger has recovered from a severe attack of tonsilitis.

Capitalist Cornelius O'Connor died at San Francisco last week.

San Francisco police officers made a raid on two Chinese gambling houses and captured 150 players.

Martin Devine, a well-known young attorney of Sacramento, Cal., fell dead while ascending the stairs of his home.

The farmers of Napa valley, Cal., held a harvest festival and barbecue at St. Helena, Saturday, as a joyous thanksgiving for the large crops and good prices of the past season.

Two prominent Chinese merchants of San Francisco have received letters from a highbinder society, informing them that unless they divided certain money with the society, death would be their lot. An outbreak among the Chinese is expected at any moment.

A man named Brown alias Neely is in jail at San Francisco on a charge of burglary. There is considerable evidence against him as being one of the Ukiah stage robbers. He has been identified as one of the two men seen near the scene of the robbery and murder the morning it was committed.

The advance of the Anglo-Egyptian expeditions toward Omdurman, on the Nile, opposite the site of Khartoum, where the Khalifa has concentrated his troops for a final stand, will be resumed in January.

Miss Frances Willard in an interview said that the National Woman's Temperance Union convention did not indorse any political party. This is a new departure, the convention having for years declared that its practices and sympathy were with the Prohibition party.

The National Grange is in session at Harrisburg, Pa.

There is nothing to cause anxiety as to the condition of Prince Bismarck.

Colonel J. J. Ayers, one of the pioneers of Pacific coast journalism and for 25 years indentified with Los Angeles' interests as a citizen, editor and publisher, died Friday at his home in Azusa, of asthma.

The Bridgeport (Mass.) carpet company's woolen mills, employing 300 persons, have shut down on account of the depression in the carpet business.

A fire in the six-story iron building at 394 Broadway, New York, occupied by a number of firms engaged in the manufacture of men's apparel, did damage to the amount of $40,000.

It is definately settled that there will be no southwestern tariff association. The executive officers of the Chicago roads interested in the business have refused to sign the agreement.

Inspector Dockery has resumed his raids on peddlers of impure milk in San Francisco. A large amount of milk that was below the standard was thrown in the streets and several milkmen have been arrested.

The movement to create a department of mines and mining in the presidential cabinet has been revived.

Harry E. Arnett, who murdered his 16-year-old wife at Angels Camp, Cal., last July, has been convicted of murder in the first degree, and the jury fixed the penalty at life imprisonment.

Suit has been commenced at Visalia, Cal., to restrain the supervisors from appropriating money to defray the expense of a primary election in accordance with an act passed by the last legislature. It is alleged that the act is unconstitutional.

Joe McCrib, a young man belonging in Oakland, Cal., was crushed to death in a snowslide at Sandon, B. C.

An alleged German nobleman giving the name of Count Otto Spannt-Wechelen disappeared suddenly from Santa Clara county, Cal., leaving many creditors and a fair young bride. He borrowed considerable money, went on a big spree and has not been heard of since.

An unsuccessful attempt was made to burn the building occupied by the Capital City company at Sacramento, Cal. The fire was extinguished before any damage was done.

The body of Engineer Daniel Donahue was found floating in the bay at Seattle. About two weeks ago he fell overboard from the steamer Portland and was drowned. His home was in San Francisco.

Two informations for forgery have filed against Charles L. Wilde, ex-secretary of the American fraternal league, which has its national headquarters at Los Angeles. He is said to have raised a check from $1 25 to $81 25 and another one from $5 80 to $155 80, while secretary of the league.

Mrs. Mary A. Monroe was run over and killed by an electric car at San Diego. She was deaf and did not hear the car coming.

Disfigurement for life by burns or scalds may be avoided by using DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, the great remedy for piles and for all kinds of sores and skin troubles. Eugene A. Sherwin.

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An alliance of the companies engaged in the manufacture of insulated wire and cables for electrical purposes is being organized.

Former Judge Vincent, who conducted the defense in the first trial of Adolph L. Luetgert, has withdrawn from the case.

There has been a complete rupture of political negotiations between the National and Conservative parties of Colombia.

X rays played an important part in a damage suit in Brooklyn. A boy's alleged injuries were under examination.

In Silver Creek, N. Y., three men blew open the safe in Heines' bank, securing $10,000 in money and $4000 in jewelry.

Joseph E. Kelly has pleaded guilty to the murder of Cashier Stickney of the National bank at Summersville, Ill.

The Costa Rican legation denies that President Iglesias has exiled his predecessor, ex-President Mora. The latter is not living.

A receiver has been named for Seyfang, Prentiss & Co., bicycle manufacturers of Buffalo, N. Y. The assets double the liabilities.

Miss Francis E. Willard, president of the W. C. T. U., will contribute $3000 to start the fund of $300,000 necessary to hold control of the temple property in Chicago.

Frauds in payment for tobacco and liquor taxes in New York and supposed irregularities on the part of the government officials are under investigation.

The criminal courts of appeal of Texas has declared the cold-storage law passed by the last legislature unconstitutional. This is a victory for the liquor men.

The blast furnace operators of the Mahoning valley, O., have agreed upon an advance of 10 per cent in wages to their employes. At least 3000 men will be benefited.

Three thousand steers and 20 head of cattle were burned to death in Crosby county, Tex., by a prairie fire which is sweeping over range of the panhandle country.

As a result of a political quarrel at Hydon, Ky., John Sebree shot and killed Henry Davis, and Sebree was shot and mortally wounded by Mollie Davis, a sister of Henry.

A. G. Gilliam, manager of the Jones-Nixon Publishing company of St. Louis and Democratic candidate for state senator at last election, has committed suicide.

The Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers has bought for $17,450 250 acres of land at Mattoon, Ill., on which to establish a home for dependent engineers, their widows and orphans.

The Wheeling Iron and Steel company, operators at Benwood, O., has agreed upon an advance of 10 per cent in wages to their 2000 employes after November 15th.

The miners' covention at Streator, Ill., has declared in favor of submitting the entire strike question to an arbitration board composed of three members wholly outside of the state board of arbitration.

Miss Ruth Colvin stepped on what is supposed to have been on signal torpedo on the sidewalk at Evanston, Ill. It exploded, almost severing her right foot foot from the ankle. The injury may result fatally.

James A. Allen, one of the most prominent business men of Painesville, O., committed suicide by shooting himself. Despondency caused by the death of his wife led him to kill himself.

Richard Watson Gilder presided at a meeting of nine members of the executative committee of the Citizens' Union in New York, and ruled that the Citizens' Union would not go into state politics nor take any part in next year's congressional contests.

LURED TO DEATH BY A WOMAN.

Mrs. Nack Makes a Confession Regarding Guldensuppe's Death.

There was an extraordinary turn of affairs last week in the Thorn murder trial in Long Island city, N. Y. Mrs. Augustus Nack, who was indicted together with her erstwhile paramour, Martin Thorn, for the murder of her former lover, William Guldensuppe, whose body was found in several sections in different parts of New York, appeared in the role of state witness against Thorn, and stated she had induced Guldensuppe to accompany her to inspect a house in order that Thorn might kill him. Guldensuppe fell into the trap and when they reached the house and entered Thorn shot and killed him. The woman said that the body was cut into small pieces and one at a time thrown into the river. Thorn's attorney claims that the confession is true enough except that it was Mrs. Nack instead of Thorn who shot the man. One of the jurors on the case was taken seriously ill and the jury was discharged. A new jury is selected and the case is now being started again.

A LITTLE SUFFERER

Face, Hands and Arms Covered With Scrofulous Humors—How a Cure Was Effected.

"When five years old my little boy had scrofula on his face, hands and arms. It was worst on his chin, although the sores on his cheeks and hands were very bad. It appeared in the form of red pimples which would fester, break open and run and then scab over. After disappearing they would break out again. They caused intense itching and the little sufferer had to be watched continually to keep him from scratching the sores. We became greatly alarmed at his condition. My wife's mother had had scrofula and the only medicine which had helped her was Hood's Sarsaparilla. We decided to give it to our boy and we noted an improvement in his case very soon. After giving him four bottles of Hood's Sarsaparilla the humor had all been driven out of his blood and it has never since returned." WILLIAM BARTZ, 416 South Williams St., South Bend, Indiana.

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The eruption on Mount Vesuvius which began last week is increasing in activity.

The condition of Benjamin Butterworth, patent commissioner, is greatly improved.

William J. Bryan has contributed $100 to the Henry George memorial fund of New York.

Alfred C. Ficklin, a lawyer and broker of Charleston, Ill., accused of forgery, has been sent to the insane asylum.

Mrs. Margaret Boughan, perhaps the oldest person in Massachuetts, is dead. She claimed to be 124 years of age.

Fire has destroyed the department store of W. A. Wieboldt & Co., known as The Lion, in Chicago. Loss, $165,000.

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SUMMONS.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Jackson county.

Richard Beswick, Plaintiff, vs. Margaret J. Engle, James M. Engle and G. W. Stockwell, Defendants.

To Margaret J. Engle, James M. Engle and G. W. Stockwell, Defendants:

IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF OREGON, you and each of you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled court by the first day of the term of the said court following the expiration of the time prescribed in the order for the publication of this Summons, on to wit,

MONDAY, THE 13TH DAY OF DECEMBER, 1897,

And if you fail to answer on or before the said time the plaintiff will take a default against you and apply to the said court for the relief prayed for in the said complaint, which is as follows, to-wit: First, that the plaintiff will take judgment against said defendants Margaret J Engle and James M Engle, her husband, for the sum of $400, with interest thereon at the rate of ten per cent. per annum from the 4th day of September, 1896, together with the sum of $60 as reasonable attorney's fees therein and for his costs and disbursements herein. Second, for a decree foreclosing that certain mortgage recorded in Book No. 12, at page 151 of Mortgage Records for Jackson County, Oregon, and that the property described in said mortgage be sold in the manner provided by law, which said property is described as follows: Commencing at a point 30 rods south of the N E corner of the N W quarter of the N E quarter of Section 8, in township 39 south of range 1 east of W. M., in Jackson county, Oregon, running thence south 22 rods thence west 72 rods thence north 22 rods, thence east 72 rods to place of beginning, containing nine and nine-tenths acres together with the tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging. And that the proceeds of said sale be applied to the payment of the costs and disbursements of this suit and to the payment of costs and disbursements and expenses of said sale and to the payment of the sums found due the plaintiff herein, and for a further decree in the premises decreeing that the interests of the said defendant G. W. Stockwell is subsequent to and subject to plaintiff's said mortgage lien thereon and that the interests of each and all of the said defendants in and to the said property and all of their right, title and interest therein be foreclosed and of all equity of redemption therein except the statutory right of redemption and that the plaintiff have judgment against said defendants Margaret J. Engle and James M. Engle for any sum that may remain unpaid after the application of the proceeds of the said sale and for such other and further relief as to the said court shall seem just and equitable in the premises.

This Summons is published by order of Hon. H. K. Hanna, one of the judges of the above entitled court made the 26th day of October, 1897.

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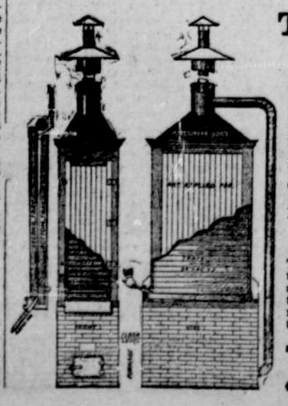

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