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ADMINISTRATOR'S FINAL NOTICE

Notice is hereby give that the undersigned, as the administrator of the estate of C. D. Carter, deceased, has filed his Final Account in Said Estate Matter with the county clerk of Linn county, Oregon, and the county court has by order fixed Monday, the 2nd day of May, 1921, at the hour of 1 o'clock p. m. of said day for the final hearing of said account and settlement of said estate. Any and all persons having objections thereto are hereby notified to be present at said time and present the same.

W. G. Carter, Administrator.
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DYED

By NELLIE F. BROWN.

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The rural delivery had just come. There were no letters today; the farm paper for dad, a circular for Dick, advertising chick feed, the daily paper from the city, and two magazines.

Mrs. Merritt glanced over the headlines of the news, and then picked up one of the magazines for a peep at its contents. It was charmingly illustrated, but after a moment or two Mrs. Merritt flung it down with something like a snort of disgust.

"I'd like, for once, to read something real good and homelike," she exclaimed. "A body would think, from all the magazines nowadays, that everyone lived in New York city or on a Western ranch. Why don't they ever write stories about real people—people that live in New England, like us, for instance, or—"

"Because," flashed Lucille stormily, not waiting for her mother to finish, "because nothing ever happens in this dead-and-alive town. We wash on Monday and iron Tuesday, and go to the Ladies' Aid once a month Wednesday, and we boil sap in spring and pick berries in summer and make pickles in the fall—"

"Mercy! What a blue streak you are in!" expostulated her mother good naturedly. "And with a party at Rose Wilder's this very night!"

"That's just it!" wailed Lucille. "I haven't a thing to wear, and there'll be all the summer folks."

"Your green bailliste is pretty," said her mother.

"That!" cried Lucille. "I've had it three years, and everyone knows it was white with a pink figure once, and that I boiled it out and dyed it green. And those soap-dyes fade so, everyone knows when it has been freshly washed and dyed again. I couldn't find any green only in a new kind the last time I went to the city, and this kind has to be boiled."

"I'm sorry," said Mrs. Merritt, "but what can't be cured must be endured. You know we decided this summer that we'd go without everything we could to buy the washing machine. Go get your dress and do the best you can with it. I'm sorry I haven't had time to fix your white dress, but that's torn pretty bad."

Mrs. Merritt's philosophy was always to make the best of things, and Lucille tried to make it hers as she brought down her seersucker bailliste, ripped off the wide white collar and cuffs, and surveyed rather scornfully its faded green folds.

The mixing of the dye was rather "messy," but at length it was ready, and Lucille dropped the dress in, damp from washing. The directions said, "stir constantly," but who ever follows dyeing rules explicitly?

Besides, Lucille had the dishes to wash, so contented herself with a poke now and then with her wooden dye-sticks.

But alas, the dishes done, she lifted out the dress and found it mottled with all shades of green, from light yellow-green to deep olive.

"Oh, for pity's sake," ejaculated the girl. "It's ruined now. And at least it was whole, and I could have got lots more wear out of it."

"Never mind," cheerily said Mrs. Merritt, called upon to comfort, console and counsel. "Put it in strong soapuds and boil it out white and start again."

But Lucille was discouraged. She shook her head, bit her lip to hold back the lump in her throat, and hurried off toward the barn.

"Poor child," murmured her mother sympathetically. And splash, went the kettle of green dye down the sink-spout, hiss went a stream of hot water into a tin tub, sizzlers of strong yellow soap followed, and pop went the dress again, into a soap bath this time.

When Lucille came back from her walk down the lane her head was high and her eyes bright, but they shone brighter yet as Mrs. Merritt lifted from the hot suds the wet, clinging folds of a dainty blue gown—the soft dull blue of old rugs and tapestries.

"Why, mother, how did you do it?" cried Lucille, and "Did you ever!" burst from Mrs. Merritt.

"Why, it's a real pastel shade," exclaimed Lucille, who had caught the light through a single thickness, which, as everyone knows, shows the shade the goods will be when dry.

"Take it out, quick, before it turns anything else."

"It will be lovely—"

"No one would ever guess—"

"With my lace fichu—"

"And some flowers—"

"Japanese honeysuckle—"

"You've got a blue feather just that shade—"

"I'll retrim my white hat—"

"There," said her mother. "Don't ever say nothing happens in this place. I'm sure this is good enough for a story."

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That in compliance with the provisions and directions of the last Will and Testament of Seba H. Harker deceased as admitted to probate by the County Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Linn and recorded in the Record of Wills of said County, the undersigned as such Executor will from and after Saturday, the 30th Day of April, 1921, at his place of business in the City of Halsey in said county, proceed to sell at private sale for cash, subject to confirmation of said Court the following real property of said estate, to wit:

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Dated March 31, 1921.

Wm. F. White,
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