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Summons.
In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Sherman.

William N. Ruggles as guardian of the estate of Kathleen McDonald, Joseph Ralph McDonald, William Byron McDonald and Patrick McDonald, minors, plaintiffs,

vs.
O. N. Ruggles, administrator of the estate of Phillip M. Ruggles, deceased;
O. N. Ruggles and Alice Ruggles, his wife;
E. S. Ruggles and Cassie Ruggles, his wife;
W. A. Ruggles and Ola Ruggles, his wife;
Lucy Ruggles, unmarried;
Lola Olds and W. R. Olds, her husband;
Lucy S. Ruggles, a widow;
Eva Landry and J. N. Landry, her husband;
Sara Ruggles, unmarried;
Florence Frey, a widow;
Mable Justice and Thomas Justice, her husband;
Charles Frey, unmarried;
Daisy Farra and Samuel Farra, her husband;
Elton Frey, unmarried;
Feryl Frey, unmarried;
defendants.

To defendants, Daisy Farra and Samuel Farra, her husband:

In the name of the State of Oregon, you and each of you are hereby required to appear in the above entitled court and cause and answer the amended complaint of plaintiff filed herein on or before the 21st day of October, 1916, that being the day fixed by order of court for you to appear and answer, and more than six weeks from the date of the first publication of this summons; and if you fail to so appear and answer, the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in his amended complaint, to-wit: For judgment against the defendant, O. N. Ruggles, as administrator of the estate of Phillip M. Ruggles, deceased, and Lucy S. Ruggles, for the sum of one thousand dollars (\$1000.00), together with interest thereon at the rate of eight per cent per annum from the 7th day of November, 1909, and for four hundred dollars (\$400.00) attorney's fees and costs of disbursements herein;

For a decree foreclosing that certain mortgage made, executed and delivered by Phillip M. Ruggles and Lucy S. Ruggles, his wife, to C. K. Cochran as administrator with the will annexed of the estate of P. W. McDonald, deceased, on the 8th day of November, 1907, and duly assigned by said administrator to the plaintiff herein, and covering the following described real property located in the counties of Sherman and Gilliam, State of Oregon, to-wit: Lots two (2), five (5) and six (6) in section thirty-one (31) and lot eleven (11) in section thirty (30) all in township 1 south of range 19 east of the Willamette Meridian, which said mortgage is more fully described and set forth in the amended complaint of plaintiff on file herein, in the manner prescribed by law, and that the said above described property in said mortgage set forth be sold by the sheriff of Sherman county, Oregon, and the proceeds thereof be applied to the payment of the sums of money found to be due the plaintiff herein; and

For a decree foreclosing that certain chattel mortgage made, executed and delivered by Phillip M. Ruggles to C. K. Cochran as administrator with the will annexed of the estate of P. W. McDonald, deceased, and dated the 7th day of November, 1907, duly assigned to the plaintiff herein, and covering certain personal property located in and upon the real property herein described, which said chattel mortgage was recorded on the 8th day of November, 1907, in book 7 at page 601 of chattel mortgage Records of Sherman county, Oregon, which said chattel mortgage and the personal property covered thereby are more particularly described in plaintiff's amended complaint herein.

That the plaintiff's said real property mortgage be decreed a first lien upon the real property and that the plaintiff's said chattel mortgage be decreed to be a first lien upon the said personal property, and that each and all of the said defendants be forever barred and foreclosed from all right, title and interest in and to the same and every part and parcel thereof, save and except the statutory right of redemption, and for such other and further relief as may to the court seem just and equitable.

This summons is served upon you by publication thereof once a week for six consecutive weeks in the Sherman County Observer, by order of the Hon. D. R. Parker, Judge of the above entitled court, made and entered on the 22d day of September, 1916.

Robert J. Upton,
Attorney for Plaintiff.
Date of first publication September 8th, 1916.
Date of last publication October 20th, 1916.

Notice to Creditors.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed executrix for the estate of Henry Smith, deceased, by the county court of the State of Oregon for Sherman county and has qualified as such. All persons having claims against the said estate are hereby notified to present the same duly verified, together with the proper vouchers therefor, to the undersigned executrix at the law offices of Bright & Bryant in the City of Moro, in said county, within six months from the date of this notice.

Dated and first published August 25, 1916.

Isabell H. Smith,
Executrix of the Estate of Henry Smith, deceased.

Bright & Bryant Attorneys for Estate.

RUSSIANS IN GALICIA RESUME OFFENSIVE

Czar's Armies Begin Another Advance on Lemberg and Make Some Gains.

London.—Successful resumption by the Russians of their offensive in Galicia draws attention anew to the eastern war theater, in which the operations have been apparently of comparatively small importance since General Brussiloff's drive for Lemberg was held up some time ago.

The fighting along the southwestern front has reached another of its periodic climaxes, which has turned in favor of the Russians, yielding them a large number of prisoners, and has again threatened Lemberg from two important directions—along the main railway from Brody to Lemberg and from Brzezany.

Thus along a 60-mile front the Russians again appear to be closing in on the Galician capital.

Berlin and Vienna concede that advantages have been gained by the Russians, who are attacking from both northeast and southeast of the Galician capital and have gained ground south of Brzezany in the latter district and along the Brody-Zlochoff road in the former.

On the Somme front a period of determined counter attacks by the Germans appears to have set in. They have been striking back strongly at the British along the Pozières-Bapaume road, working their way back into the village of Eaucourt-L'Abbaye and are reported by Paris to have attempted heavy strokes at the French lines near Rancourt, north of Peronne.

They were unable, however, to debouch from the St. Pierre Vaast wood, northeast of Rancourt, Paris declared, being checked by the French curtain of fire and machine guns.

ROUMANIANS DRIVEN BACK BY TEUTONS

Berlin.—Teuton troops under General Von Falkenhayn, former chief of the general staff, have won their first important victory over the Roumanians in Transylvania.

Using the same encircling tactics that caused the rout of the Russo-Roumanians in Dobruja, von Falkenhayn has won a four-day battle in the region of Hermannstadt, former capital of Transylvania. Part of the Roumanian force that pressed northward and occupied the city has been driven southward in disorder. The Austro-Germans are sweeping eastward, and it is believed that Hermannstadt already has been evacuated by the Roumanians.

The second Roumanian army attempted to stiffen the retreating enemy forces, but was thrown back by the Bavarians. A large number of prisoners and much booty has been taken.

ROUMANIANS CROSS DANUBE

May Constitute Serious Menace to Teutonic Forces in Dobruja.

London.—Field Marshal von Mackensen, who commands the forces of the central powers operating against the Roumanians and Russians in the province of Dobruja, has ordered the evacuation of the Danube fortresses of Silistria and Turkuhal, recently captured by the Teuton, Bulgarian and Turkish forces, says a dispatch from Rome to the Wireless Press.

Roumania's stroke against the central powers in throwing a force across the Danube into Bulgaria is the outstanding feature in the current war news.

Should this army prove to be of formidable size, it will constitute a serious menace to Field Marshal von Mackensen's left flank and might easily force his retirement from the present front south of the Constanza-Tchernavoda railway.

Mexicans Expel American.
Washington.—Burton Wilson, an American citizen, president of the foreign citizens' committee and the American Club, Mexico City, who recently was imprisoned on charges of "pernicious activity" by Mexican government officials, has been released and ordered to leave the country.

Bank Robbed of \$8000.

Mooselaw, Sask.—Six masked and heavily armed robbers gained entrance to the Caron branch of the Bank of Hamilton and after binding and gagging the night watchman and his bed fellow, blew the two inner safes and made away in a stolen automobile with \$8000 in currency.

Zeppelin is Destroyed.

London.—Ten Zeppelins took part in another raid over England Saturday night. Two of them attempted to attack London. One was driven away and the other was destroyed.

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AMERICA IS MAKING HER OWN DYESTUFFS

Washington.—Figures just compiled by the bureau of foreign and domestic commerce show that in the last two years there has been an astounding growth in the United States in the manufacture of dyestuffs, the American market for which in the past has been monopolized by Germany. Two years ago a single firm made aniline on a small scale, and six companies were making artificial dyestuffs from intermediaries imported from Europe. Today 18 companies are manufacturing synthetic carbolic acid and more than 40 are producing aniline and other intermediaries.

American coal tar now is yielding, according to the department figures, no less than three-fourths of all the artificial colors required in the manufacture of textile, paper and other materials. Two years ago the United States produced one-tenth of the synthetic colors consumed here by assembling foreign and semi-manufactured material.

OFFICER SHOT AT NOGALES

Mexicans Say Bullet Was Intended for Fugitive.

Nogales, Ariz.—Captain H. W. Wilson, of the 2d Infantry, Idaho national guard medical corps, was shot in the left thigh Sunday afternoon while in front of the Southern Pacific station checking his baggage to return to his home in Idaho. The bullet came from the Mexican side of the line. Captain Wilson's condition is not serious. He is in the hospital.

Many witnesses declared that the shooting of Captain Wilson was deliberate and intentional, but the Mexican version of the affair is that a prisoner escaped from his guard and ran across the international line near the depot, and that the guard's shot, intended for the fleeing man, hit Wilson. It is reported that the Mexican guard was executed.

Plant Planned to Manufacture Potash

San Francisco.—The United States government will establish a plant, either at Long Beach or San Diego, for manufacturing potash from kelp, according to J. W. Turrittin, scientist of the United States department of agriculture.

Strike Authorized by R. R. Shopmen.
Kansas City, Mo.—A vote to strike has been carried in the referendum of 40,000 members of the six shopmen's unions on 20 western railroads. It was announced by union officers in session here.

Senator Clarke of Arkansas Dies.
Little Rock, Ark.—United States Senator James P. Clarke, president pro tempore of the United States senate, died at his home here from a stroke of apoplexy.

THE MARKETS

Portland.
Wheat—Club, \$1.26; bluestem \$1.34; red Russian, \$1.23; forty-fold, \$1.27; red rife, \$1.28.
Hay—Timothy, \$18 per ton; alfalfa, \$15.50.
Barley—No. 1 Feed, \$33 per ton.
Butter—Creamery, 35c.
Eggs—Ranch, 37c.
Wool—Eastern Oregon, 32c; valley, 32c.
Hops—1916 crop, 3/4 @ 11 1/2c.

Seattle.
Wheat—Bluestem, \$1.33; club \$1.28; red Russian, \$1.26; forty-fold, \$1.27; rife, \$1.29; turkey red, \$1.40.
Barley—\$35 per ton.
Butter—Creamery, 35c.
Eggs—37c.

FEDERAL FARM LOAN BOARD IS SATISFIED

Law May Be Put Into Operation by February 1—Farmers Are Warned.

Washington.—The federal farm loan board returned to Washington after a tour through 29 states to gather information for its guidance in dividing the country into 12 farm loan districts and designating the sites of the 12 banks authorized under the rural credits law.

In a statement the board expressed satisfaction over the results of the hearings, and predicted that the plan of putting farm loan banks into operation before February 1 next could be carried out.

"The keenest interest in the federal farm loan act was manifested by farmers and every class of people in the communities visited," said the statement.

"The need for the federal farm loan law was especially emphasized by the wide inequalities in interest rates disclosed in the hearings, the rates ranging from 5 per cent per annum to 5 per cent a month.

"In several states it was called to the attention of the board that the joint stock land banks were being organized by questionable means by stock salesmen or promoters who are taking advantage of the farmers' desire for loans on the amortization plan to sell stock to farmers. Farmers are advised that there is no necessity for subscribing to the stock of any private corporation."

ALLEGED POSTOFFICE ROBBERS CAPTURED

Kennewick, Wash.—Three men, thought to be desperate characters, captured by Sheriff Duffy, are in the county jail at Pasco charged with the blowing of the safe and the robbery of the postoffice at Richland. The men were taken after a chase west of Richland along the Yakima river for four miles, and incriminating articles have been found by searching parties scattered along the entire route of the chase, consisting of revolvers, two bottles of nitro-glycerine, soft soap, three pairs of kid gloves, cotton, fuses, money, flashlights, candles and caps, all part of burglars' equipment. Sixty-three dollars were found, part of which had been buried.

WOMAN SHOTS POLITICIAN

Miss Ethel Colby, Formerly of Spokane, Fires Fatal Shots.

Thompson Falls, Mont.—A. C. Thomas, chairman of the republican central committee of Sanders county, died in a hospital at Missoula from a pistol shot fired by Miss Edith Colby, a reporter on a local paper.

J. Manire, recently from Kentucky, and editor of the paper which employed Miss Colby, is also in jail. Miss Colby is reported to have said that Manire urged her to shoot Thomas. Before she was arrested Miss Colby said that Thomas had made false statements as to her character. The newspaper edited by Manire opposed Thomas politically. Miss Edith Colby was former assistant city labor agent of Spokane.

CHINA TO GET RAILWAYS

Work on 2000-Mile System to be Begun at Once by Americans.

Peking.—The Chinese government has concluded an agreement with the Siemens-Carey company, of St. Paul, Minn., financed by the American International corporation for the construction of more than 2000 miles of railways. The probable cost of this work will be more than \$100,000,000 and construction will begin immediately.

This is the largest single railway contract ever signed by China. The lines will traverse the most productive parts of Shensi, Kansu, Hunan, Kwangsi, Kwangtung and Chekiang, densely populated and rich in mining and agricultural provinces.

Danes Will Vote on Sale of Islands

Copenhagen, via London.—Both houses of the Danish parliament passed the bill providing for a plebiscite on the sale of the Danish West Indies to the United States. It is believed the matter will be settled by the end of November.

Norwegians Lose Many Ships

London.—Twenty Norwegian vessels, valued at \$5,552,000, were either blown up by mines or sunk by submarines during September.

British Gains Costly

London.—British losses in September were at the rate of more than 2800 a day. The casualties on all fronts reported in this month were: Officers, 5439; men, 114,110.