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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR THE COUNTY OF SHERMAN

The W. M. Barnett Bank, a corporation, and Independent Warehouse and Milling Company a corporation, Plaintiffs,

vs
H. B. Thornberry and Mabel A. Thornberry, husband and wife, De Tweede Northwestern and Pacific Hypotheekbank, a corporation, Pacific Grain Company, a corporation, Walthers-Williams Company, a corporation, J. P. Yates, doing business under the name and style of Wasco Lumber Company, F. R. Fortner and Anabelle Fortner, husband and wife, Robert B. Hailey and Estelle Ford Hailey, husband and wife, and Jim Shaw, Defendants.

To the above named defendants, H. B. Thornberry and Mabel A. Thornberry, husband and wife:

In the Name of the State of Oregon: You and each of you are hereby required to appear and answer the answer of the defendants above named, Robert B. Hailey and Estelle Ford Hailey, filed against you in the above entitled suit, which answer is in the nature of a complaint in equity, wherein the said Robert B. Hailey and Estelle Ford Hailey pray for affirmative relief, within six weeks from the date of the first publication of this summons, to wit, on or before the 13th day of May, 1922, and if you fail to do so for want thereof said defendants, Robert B. Hailey and Estelle Ford Hailey, will apply to the court for the relief demanded in their said answer, to wit, that in decreeing a foreclosure of plaintiff's liens it be decreed that the defendant, Robert B. Hailey, has a valid and unexpired lease upon the premises described in said lease, to wit, the Southwest quarter of Section 14, the Northeast quarter of Section 22, five hundred and forty (540) acres in Section 23, the South half and the Northwest quarter of Section 24, about forty (40) acres in the Northeast quarter of Section 26, about three hundred and fifty (350) acres in Section 25, all in Township 2 North, Range 16 East, Willamette Meridian and the Northwest quarter of Section 30 in Township 2 North, Range 17 East, Willamette Meridian, known as the "Grebe Farm," situated in Sherman County, State of Oregon, and the DeLoe Lighting Plant and the Ice and Cold Storage Plant located thereon, and that said lease will not expire by its terms until six years from September 1st, 1921; that the defendant's said lease is subject only to the second and third mortgages being foreclosed and to the first mortgage held by the defendant, De Tweede Northwestern and Pacific Hypotheekbank.

That the claimed liens of said defendants, Pacific Grain Company, a corporation, Walthers-Williams Company, a corporation, J. P. Yates, doing business under the name and style of Wasco Lumber Company and Jim Shaw, be ascertained and determined and that each and all be decreed to be subsequent to and subject to the lease to the said Hailey, aforesaid. That the interest of the said defendant, Mabel A. Thornberry, be ascertained and determined and that it be decreed to be subject to said lease. That it be decreed that the said defendants, F. R. Fortner and Anabelle Fortner, have no right, title or interest in or to the said premises so leased to said Hailey. That a decree be entered herein adjudging and decreeing that as against those claiming under liens prior to the lease of the said Hailey, aforesaid, said defendant, Robert B. Hailey, has the right of possession of the leased premises during the period of redemption and that as against all others and H. B. Thornberry during the life of said lease. That defendants answering have judgment for their costs and disbursements made and expended herein and for such other and further relief as to the court may seem just and equitable. Service of this summons is made upon you by publication of the same in the Sherman County Observer for a period of six consecutive weeks by virtue of an order made by the Hon. E. D. McKee, County Judge of Sherman County, State of Oregon, on the 29th day of March, 1922, said period of publication being the period prescribed by said order and the date of the first publication is the 31st day of March, 1922 and the date of the last publication being the 12th day of May, 1922.

Huntington, Wilson & Huntington, Attorneys for defendants, Robert B. Hailey and Estelle Ford Hailey. Post Office address of said attorneys, 810-813 Lewis Building, Portland, Oregon.

Practice of Righteousness. Skill in advising others is easily attained by men; but to practice righteousness themselves is what only a few can succeed in doing.—Hippocrates.

SPANIEL GETS GOLF BALLS

English Dog Source of Considerable Revenue to Small Boy, His Owner and Colleagues.

The Manx seagull who seized a golf ball from under the very nibble of a player, was a sport as well as a gourmand. His conduct can be extenuated only on the plea of defective education. Very different it is with the spaniel who piles a steady trade on certain links in Cornwall, England. The course lies along the cliff top, with a steep upward slope strewn with loose rocks and thick with gorse and all kinds of tangled growth. Many a ball goes bouncing down. From the doorstep of a cottage looking on the links, an amiable spaniel watches. Is it fancy which sees his brown eyes glisten when a new ball is abandoned? When the last golfer hies home, the spaniel's hour comes. Unhasting, systematic, he works that bank of rock and heather, where four feet have no great an advantage in security, and the nose is a safer guide than the eye. His accomplice, a mere boy, who acts as a storkkeeper and accountant, receives the proceeds on the brink. Up and down trots the traveling member of the firm, till darkness is complete, and he lodges homeward behind his colleague, whose pockets bulge with treasure to be exchanged tomorrow with its former owners or their friends for coin.

BUSY MAN GATHERS NICKELS

New York Street Musician Might Be Said to Be a Whole Concert in Himself.

A whole choir seems to burst forth into music along Chambers street these evenings like a street organ which the owner is operating with one hand. With the other hand he holds a megaphone through which he sings. No one would imagine for a moment that one human being could be responsible for all this music.

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Smuggling in "Merrie England." Smuggling and illicit trading were common enough in England a century ago, according to the journals of the day—but more often than not the smugglers were in things to eat. This was especially true of oysters, which were very scarce in town and seldom offered for sale. That is, it was not offered openly except at holiday time, but none the less, hare and game birds appeared on many dinner tables.

The place to buy was at the end of a stage line of the driver, as a rule, who had understanding with the porters throughout the territory, and who managed to keep supplies on hand for good customers, in spite of the game warden.

Seizures of game off the Sunday platters of families that were weary of the taste of the everlasting beef and mutton and pork are not recorded in any prominent way, but some of the news notes are nothing less than ancient family portraits of old men Human Nature.

Rival for the Skunk.

Muskrats force themselves occasionally upon one's attention in India by their habit of entering a bungalow and ambulating slowly round the rooms, talking loudly to themselves all the time in a chattering voice.

Although unlike the muskrat is not really a rat, but a large shrew, protected by an extreme degree of offensive odor like sickeningly strong musk which it emits at will.

If not interfered with it will spillover round the room, picking up insects attracted by the light, and wander out again; but let anyone assault it, and the room will scarcely be habitable for a time. Dog or cat only attacks a muskrat once in its life, and the mongoose moves politely out of its way.

That is the meaning of the continuous noise which it makes as it goes along—a sort of alarm bell to let all concerned know that something is coming which is best left alone.

Cradle Boards.

There are nine different kinds of cradle boards used by the various tribes of North American Indians. The Eskimos did not use such a board. The baby was wrapped in the hood of the mother's fur coat. In the most southern tribes the baby was merely bound to the mother's back by a strip of cloth long enough to hold it.

OREGON NEWS NOTES OF GENERAL INTEREST

Principal Events of the Week Briefly Sketched for Information of Our Readers.

Umatilla county Legion posts will organize a county council in Pendleton on April 14.

The Sweet Home and Foster public schools were closed last week on account of influenza.

Thirty-five school teachers of north-east Deschutes county attended the recent teachers' institute held at the Redmond union high school.

Approximately \$3,000,000 of the so-called soldiers' bonus bonds sold recently to a Portland bidder will be delivered to the purchaser April 1.

The Oregon Export Lumber company at Coquille has made a satisfactory adjustment of its affairs with its creditors and will start operations in a few days.

Hood River orchardists, according to data gathered from dealers in implements, will spend approximately \$25,000 in the purchase of new high-powered spray rigs.

It is said that the residents of West Salem probably will abandon their recent efforts to obtain a postoffice which will require the renaming of the municipality.

Fred A. Williams, after serving more than three years as a member of the Oregon public service commission, has announced that he will not be a candidate for re-election.

Lawrence Stafford, an employee at the Hammond Lumber company's mill in Astoria, committed suicide at his home by shooting himself in the left temple with a revolver.

Small shipments of gold are being received almost daily by the First National bank of Grants Pass, the largest of these since the first of the year weighing nearly 60 ounces.

A. W. Sims, 63, a member of the city council, county road appraiser and appraiser for Lane county for the Veterans' state aid commission, died last week at his home in Eugene.

In anticipation of increased business for the coming season, the Producers' Canning & Packing company at Salem will begin work immediately on a \$250,000 addition to the plant.

Fire of undetermined origin swept through the Olympic cereal mill of the Portland Flouring Mills company in Portland, and caused damage estimated at approximately \$250,000.

Dr. W. H. Lyle, state veterinarian, reports that the appropriation authorized by the 1921 legislature for indemnifying owners of cattle killed because of tuberculosis has been exhausted.

The tug Sea Rover, for which the Port of Coos Bay has been paying a rental of \$25,200 a year, has been sold by the navy to the Crowley Lumber company of San Francisco for \$23,700.

The Shell Oil company of California has sent to the secretary of state a check for \$317,717, representing tax on the corporation's sales of gas oil and distillate in Oregon in February.

Because of the small amount of forage available, the opening date of the grazing season on the Five Mile cattle range of the Umatilla national forest has been changed from May 1 to May 15.

The Salem Kings Products company has started the work of doubling the capacity of its local plant. New buildings will be erected and it was estimated that the improvements will cost approximately \$25,000.

Pending only the decision of the state attorney-general's office upon legal points, the state desert land board has passed favorably upon the application of Tumalo Irrigation district application for storage rights at Crescent lake.

Definite plans for the erection of a Protestant hospital, to cost approximately \$200,000, was accepted at Pendleton by a committee of 35 citizens of Umatilla county. Construction will be started within 90 days and the building will be completed before next fall, according to present plans.

A decrease from 9.7 acre feet of water to 4.5 acre feet, with a saving of \$40,000, in the Umatilla Irrigation project, was shown by a report of 1921 as compared with that of 1911, sent out by J. T. Jardine, director of the Oregon Agricultural experiment stations.

There were two fatalities during the week ending March 23, according to a report prepared by the state industrial accident commission. The victims were John Smith, bucker, of Boring, and L. W. Gillahan, logger, of Portland. A

total of 384 accidents were reported for the week.

Secretary Sompoff of the Columbia River Fishermen's league, has sent letters to the various packers on the river asking them to meet in conference with the directors of the league at Astoria on the afternoon of Monday, April 3, to discuss the prices to be paid for salmon during the season that opens May 1.

With the exception of two brief stretches where a one-way path between towering cliffs of solid ice has been left as a tourist attraction, the Columbia river highway has been cleared for practically its full width from Portland to Hood River.

Frank Alley of Portland, but formerly of Roseburg, indicted some years ago in the Oregon land fraud cases, is soon to be free. Attorney-General Daugherty has sent a recommendation to the federal court at Portland for the dismissal of the indictments against Alley.

In a spectacular fire at Oregon City the Busch & Son building, at Eleventh and Main streets, and the Claokamas County Auto & Tractor company's garage which it housed were entirely destroyed and an adjoining apartment house damaged, with a total loss estimated at \$101,000.

Commander Gaylord Church, in charge of the activities at the Tongue point naval base, has received an official letter from the department in Washington confirming the recent announcement by Admiral Gregory that construction work at the base will be begun in the immediate future.

The original patent issued December 4, 1893, by the government to Philip Glover, for a 320-acre donation land claim near Stayton, has been filed in the Marion county recorder's office. The document bears the name of Abraham Lincoln, president, and is signed by W. O. Stoddard, secretary.

Favorable consideration is given to a plan under which it is proposed to irrigate 25,000 acres of land in the Owyhee project, located in Malheur county, Oregon, and in western Idaho, at an estimated cost of \$282,813, or approximately \$113 an acre, in a report prepared by the United States reclamation service.

The latest information received from Crater national park is that there is 16 feet of snow at the lake rim, 13 feet at Government camp and more than 12 feet at Anna-spring camp, which is two feet more than in this region at this time last year. The snow is soft and lightly packed, however, and probably will go away with warm weather in time for the opening of the Crater lake season July 1.

Money received by the secretary of state from motor vehicle licenses and kindred fees during the period September 15, 1921, to March 15, 1922, has been apportioned to the various counties and to the state. The amount totaled \$2,334,741.33. The apportionment was made on the basis of 25 per cent to the counties from which the registrations and licenses were received and 75 per cent to the state highway fund.

By a vote of 86 to 14 at a special election, land owners of the Langell valley and Horsey irrigation districts in Klamath county ratified the proposed government contract for construction of canals, laterals and diversion dams in the two districts which will ultimately provide irrigation and drainage for approximately 40,000 acres of land. Approval by Langell

owners was 83 to 5, and by Horsey owners, 83 to 5. Early completion of the Horsey reservoir, with a storage capacity of 100,000 acre-feet and draining approximately 200 square miles, is now expected. An \$11,000,000 road program has been mapped out by the state highway commission, and this will practically bring the obligations up to the constitutional limitation. The program means, when the money is spent, the completion of the Columbia highway, Pacific highway, John Day highway, The Dalles-California highway, McKenzie highway, Tillamook-Astoria highway, Crater lake road, Mount Hood loop, the Klamath and the Sisters highways. Of the \$11,000,000 about \$6,000,000 is for work to be let, the other \$5,000,000 being under contract or commitment.

SYNOPSIS OF THE ANNUAL STATEMENT OF THE OCCIDENTAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY

of Los Angeles, in the State of California, on the 31st day of December, 1921, made to the insurance commissioner of the State of Oregon, pursuant to law.

Amount of capital stock paid up	\$ 250,000.00
INCOME	
Total premium income for the year	\$ 1,779,907.51
Interest, dividends and rents received during the year	98,684.35
Income from other sources received during the year	90,684.35
Total income	\$ 2,269,276.21
DISBURSEMENTS	
Paid for losses, endowments, annuities and surrenders	\$ 535,155.45
Dividends paid to policyholders during the year	134,855.45
Dividends paid on capital stock during the year	24,275.42
Commissions and salaries paid during the year	460,773.78
Taxes, license and fees paid during the year	53,284.58
Amount of all other expenditures	143,862.95
Total disbursements	\$ 1,292,207.53
ASSETS	
Value of real estate owned (market value)	\$ 686,560.17
Value of stocks and bonds owned (market or amortized value)	3,192,508.84
Loans on mortgages and collateral, etc.	743,205.42
Premium notes and policy loans	1,206,519.87
Cash in banks and on hand	200,319.25
Uncollected and deferred premiums	318,412.48
Interest and rents due and accrued	57,435.48
Other assets (net)	0.00
Total admitted assets	\$ 6,795,258.51
LIABILITIES	
Net reserves	\$ 5,571,185.09
Gross claims for losses unpaid	74,212.22
All other liabilities	652,218.07
Unassigned funds (surplus)	247,333.20
Total liabilities, exclusive of capital stock of \$250,000.00	\$ 6,795,258.51
BUSINESS IN OREGON FOR THE YEAR	
Gross premiums received during the year	75,934.47
Premiums and dividends returned during the year	12,615.75
Losses paid during the year	
WEST COAST LIFE INS. CO.	
John A. Koster, President	Gordon Thomson, Secretary
Statutory resident attorney for service: J. W. Stewart, Gasco Bldg., Portland, Oregon.	

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To the above named defendants, H. B. Thornberry and Mabel A. Thornberry, husband and wife:

In the Name of the State of Oregon: You and each of you are hereby required to appear and answer the answer of the defendants above named, F. R. Fortner and Anabelle Fortner, filed against you in the above entitled suit, which answer is in the nature of a complaint in equity, wherein the said F. R. Fortner and Anabelle Fortner pray for affirmative relief, within six weeks from the date of the first publication of this summons, to wit, on or before the 13th day of May, 1922, and if you fail to do so for want thereof said defendants, F. R. Fortner and Anabelle Fortner, will apply to the court for the relief demanded in their said answer, to wit, that in decreeing a foreclosure of the plaintiff's liens it be decreed that the defendant, F. R. Fortner, has a valid and unexpired lease upon the premises described in said lease, to wit, the South half of Section 18, the Southeast quarter of the Northeast quarter of said Section 18 and the North half of Section 17, Township 2 North, Range 16 East, Willamette Meridian, situated in Sherman County, Oregon, and that said lease will not expire by its terms until October 1, 1923; that the defendant's said lease is subject only to the second and third mortgages being foreclosed and to the first mortgage held by the defendant, De Tweede Northwestern and Pacific Hypotheekbank.

That the claimed liens of the said defendants, Pacific Grain Company, a corporation, Walthers-Williams Company, a corporation, J. P. Yates, doing business under the name and style of Wasco Lumber Company and Jim Shaw, be ascertained and determined and that each and all be decreed to be subsequent to and subject to the lease to the said Fortner, aforesaid.

That the interest of the said defendant, Mabel A. Thornberry, be ascertained and determined and that it be decreed to be subject to said lease. That it be decreed that the said defendants, Robert B. Hailey and Estelle Ford Hailey, have no right, title or interest in or to the said premises so leased to said Fortner. That a decree be entered herein adjudging and decreeing that as against those claiming under liens prior to the lease of the said Fortner, aforesaid, said defendant, F. R. Fortner, has the right of possession of the leased premises during the period of redemption and that as against all others and H. B. Thornberry during the life of said lease.

That defendants answering have judgment for their costs and disbursements made and expended herein and for such other and further relief as to the court may seem just and equitable. Service of this summons is made upon you by publication of the same in the Sherman County Observer for a period of six consecutive weeks by virtue of an order made by the Hon. E. D. McKee, County Judge of Sherman County, State of Oregon, on the 29th day of March, 1922, said period of publication being the period prescribed by said order and the date of the first publication is the 31st day of March, 1922, and the date of the last publication being the 12th day of May, 1922.

Huntington, Wilson & Huntington, Attorneys for defendants, F. R. Fortner and Anabelle Fortner. Post Office address of said attorneys, 810-813 Lewis Building, Portland, Oregon.

Raven Alva's Mischievous. The raven can be taught to articulate. It is mischievous when tamed, showing a disposition to hide things like its cousin, the crow.

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Bank of Wasco, a corporation, Plaintiff,

vs
H. B. Thornberry, Defendant.

To the above named defendant, H. B. Thornberry:

In the Name of the State of Oregon: You are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit within six weeks from the date of the first publication of this summons, to wit, on or before the 13th day of May, 1922, and if you fail to do so for want thereof, the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in its complaint, to wit, that plaintiff have judgment and decree of the court as follows: that the plaintiff have judgment against the defendant for the sum of \$9337.00 and the interest thereon at the rate of eight per cent per annum from June 9, 1921 and for \$780.00 attorney's fees and for the further sum of \$1135.39 and for its costs and disbursements herein incurred and that said amounts be adjudged to be a lien upon all of the property described in said complaint, to wit, 2 2-year old Jacks numbers 16 and 17; 4 3-year old Jacks numbers 2, 5, 4, and 1; 1 2-year old Jack, number 15; 4 6-year old Jennets, numbers 37, 7, 38 and 40; 1 8-year old Jennet number 50; 1 young Jennet number 22; 8 head 2-year old Jacks numbered 71, 74, 87, 75, 77, 10, 7 and 73; 17 head Jennets aged 2 to 8 years and numbered 4, 6, 70, 64, 43, 11, 57, 15, 1, 35, 18, 100, 101, 19, 10, 79, 25; 1 Jennet not numbered; 2 black mares weighing about 1500 pounds each, star in face; 1 roan mare weighing about 1100 pounds; 1 saddle; 1 sets farm harness; 1 Jersey cow; 1 spring tooth harrow and cultivator; 1 2-bottom gang plow; 3 walking plows; 1 disc harrow; 1 2-section iron harrow; 1 4-section wood harrow; 1 wagon and header box; 1 iron wheel wagon and farm bed; 1 wagon and grain rack; 1 steel tank and wagon; 1 Acme harrow and weeder; 1 slip scraper; 1 potato plow; 2 garden cultivators; 1 garden seeder; 1 1-horse garden cultivator; 1 old hack; 1 Peoria disc grain drill; 1 blacksmith outfit and tools; 1 box medicines and branding irons and vet tools; 3 log chains; 1 Toledo kitchen range; 1 telephone and set of shovels, saws, forks, curry combs and brushes; grind stone, salters, n-pe and halter chains, feed troughs, etc.; all of said property being in the possession of plaintiff in Sherman County, Oregon.

That the amount that plaintiff may be compelled to incur in caring for and feeding said livestock above described from the time of the filing of this complaint to the date of the entry of decree herein be determined and that plaintiff have judgment against defendant for the amount so determined and that said amount be adjudged to be a lien upon all said property.

That defendant be foreclosed of all right, title and interest in and to the said mortgaged property and that the said property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy plaintiff's claims, be sold as by law provided; that plaintiff be allowed to bid at such sale and that the proceeds of such sale be applied first, in payment of the costs and expenses of such sale and of the costs and disbursements of this suit and the amount incurred by plaintiff in caring for and feeding said livestock from the date of the filing of this complaint to the date of the entry of decree herein; second, in payment of the amount adjudged plaintiff for expenses incurred by it in caring for and feeding said livestock from October 17, 1921, to the date of the filing of this complaint; third, in payment of the amount found due upon said promissory note, including interest; and fourth, in payment of the amount allowed as attorney's fees for this foreclosure and that the balance of said proceeds, if any there be, be paid the clerk of this court for defendant.

That plaintiff have such other and further relief as to the court may deem just and equitable. Service of this summons is made upon you by publication of the same in the Sherman County Observer for a period of six consecutive weeks by virtue of an order made by the Hon. E. D. McKee, County Judge of Sherman County, State of Oregon, on the 29th day of March, 1922, said period of publication being the period prescribed by said order and the date of the first publication is the 31st day of March, 1922 and the date of the last publication being the 12th day of May, 1922.

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