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SUMMONS.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Linn County.
J. B. Corrie, Plaintiff, vs. Mary L. Smith, Ella Bachman, and Ray Bachman, her husband, Emma D. Lingo and Ira Lingo, her husband, Lizzie E. Lyndon and Ora Lyndon, her husband, Minnie Lenman and Archie Leaman, her husband, Lee Elton Beach and Clara Beach, his wife, Clyde A. Beach and Grace Beach, his wife, and Grace Beach, guardian of Clyde A. Beach, Defendants.

To Ella Bachman, Ray Bachman, Lizzie E. Lyndon and Ora Lyndon, of the defendants above named:
In the name of the State of Oregon: You and each of you are hereby summoned and required to appear and answer the complaint of the plaintiff in the above entitled suit now on file with the Clerk of the above entitled Court on or before the 10th day of February, 1912; and each of you are hereby notified that if you fail so to appear and answer said complaint as herein required for want thereof the plaintiff will apply to the above entitled Court for the relief demanded in his said complaint, namely, for a decree that the defendants may be required to set forth the nature of their claims in and to the following described lands, to-wit:

Lots numbered four and five of Section thirty-one in Township eleven south of range four west of the Willamette Meridian, Oregon, saving and excepting therefrom twenty acres as conveyed by deed from Fred G. Blumhart and wife to Sarah Foster Hockett as appears of record at page 91 of Volume 73 Deed Records in and for Linn County, Oregon, containing 34.64 acres, more or less.

And that all adverse claims of the said defendants may be determined by the said decree, that the defendants be declared and adjudged to have no claim or interest whatsoever in the said property and that the plaintiff have title thereto in fee simple; that the defendants be forever barred and enjoined from asserting any claim therein adverse to the plaintiff and for such other and further relief as to the court may seem proper.

This summons is published in the Albany Democrat newspaper once a week for six successive and consecutive weeks beginning with the issue of the 29th day of December, 1911, and ending with the issue of the 9th day of February, 1912, under and in pursuance of the directions contained in an order made by the Honorable J. N. Duncan, Judge of the County Court of Linn County, State of Oregon, dated December 15th, 1911.

McFADDEN & CLARKE,
Attorneys for Plaintiff.
Date of first publication hereof is December 29th, 1911. Date of last publication hereof is February 9th, 1912.

REGISTRATION OF TITLE.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for Linn County, Department No. 2.

In the matter of the application of Lee Miller, Plaintiff, to register the title to the following described property, to-wit: Beginning at a point in the center of a county road which is N. 12 1/2 degrees E. 13.04 chains distant from the N. E. corner of the D. L. C. of Anderson Cox, and wife, Not. No. 696, and Cl. No. 49, in Tp. 11 S. R. 3 W. Will. Mer. Ore., running thence N. 18 degrees E. 5.05 chains; thence N. 34 degrees E. 11.69 chains; thence N. 8 degrees E. 3.34 chs.; thence W. 15.83 chs., thence S. 14 1/2 degrees W. 20.52 chs. to a point west of the beginning; thence E. 18.39 chs. to beginning, containing 34.70 acres, more or less, in Linn County, Oregon.

All whom it may concern, Defendants, TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Take Notice, that on the 23rd day of December, A. D. 1911, an application was filed by Lee Miller, in the Circuit Court of Linn County, Oregon, for initial registration of the title to the lands above described. Now unless you appear on or before the 29th day of January, 1912, and show cause why such application shall not be granted, the same will be taken as confessed and a decree will be entered according to the prayer of the application, and you will be forever barred from disputing the same.

W. L. MARKS, Clerk.
L. M. CURL, Applicant's Attorney.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned Executor of the last will and testament of John Haley, has filed his Final Account with the County Clerk of Linn County, Oregon, and the County Court of said County has fixed Tuesday, the 30th day of January, 1912, at the hour of one o'clock P. M. as the time for objections to said account and the Final Settlement of said estate.

Dated December 21, 1911.
HARRY HALEY,
Executor.

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THURSDAY. TWO OLD MEN HAVE FIERCE FIGHT.

A fierce and bloody fight occurred yesterday at 3:30 between Isaac Smith and George Volkhardt, better known as Dutch George. Smith has the old building just east of the opera house rented for a home, and Dutch George has one room in it leased. Yesterday afternoon a quarrel arose over a lock and the men clashed, Smith with a hatchet and Volkhardt with a long chisel. The men slashed and hacked each other in and out of the building, when Chief Engineer Hockapier, hearing of the trouble rushed around and took charge of the men, taking them to the recorder's office; but they needed doctors more. Volkhardt had a fierce cut in the head, slightly crushed, and Smith's neck was bleeding like a stuck hog. Volkhardt was taken to the hospital, and Smith went down home.

Volkhardt is getting along all right, not badly hurt, and will be out in a day or two. Smith was up street to day, well bandaged. Each lays the blame to the other. Probably some booze at the bottom of it.

Both men are over seventy. Smith gathers old bottles and sells them, and Dutch George does odd jobs.

A "Hearty" Party.

Miss Keith Van Winkle entertained a number of her friends last night in an unique way. The games consisted in throwing at hearts, matching hearts and piecing hearts together first finding the pieces of which the hearts were composed, appropriate prizes were given for the successful contestants. A dainty and toothsome lunch was served in the dining room which was decorated in red hearts. Those present were Beulah Hinesley, Golda Yates, Hazel Thompson, Agnes Willis, Dollie Bending, Pauline Liskey, Elma Ohling, Hazel Young, Claire Morgan, Inez Curl, Ruth Knowles, Bird Baker, Keith Van Winkle, Harold Archibald, Herman Abraham, Hiram Torbet, Burk Pic ens, Louis Jones, Arthur Hodgo, Floyd South, Charles Ohling, Clark Canfield, Evert Willard, Earl Canfield, Aleck McLean, Stanley Van Winkley, James and Lewis Van Winkle.

Better Look Out.

A man is reported to be around the city selling dress goods, who has stated privately they are smuggled, hence the cheapness of the price. This game has been worked all over the country. Besides the offerings of the men in such cases are generally cheap or back numbers, picked up from bargain counters or auction tables. You can't beat a man at his own game.

B. E. Martin was here from Alesca.
C. L. Ransom, of Mill City, has been in town.

Mat Craft went to Lebanon this afternoon.

Omar Hendricson, of Heppner, is in the city.

L. C. Parks, of Eugene, was in the city last evening.

Jack Brehany, advance agent of Paid in Full, was in the city yesterday.

Editor F. M. Brown and H. E. Hillery, live wires at Brownsville, were in the city.

Hotel registrations yesterday: Rovere 27, St. Francis 23, Vandran 19, St. Charles 15.

Under the new vehicle ordinance in Tacoma even baby buggies must have headlights.

The Junior Prom, the big social event of the year at the O.A.C. will occur on April 6.

Miss Nunley has returned from Brownsville, where she spent two or three weeks professionally.

Riley Lobaugh will sell tickets for the Spanish War Vet's banquet on the 15th. 50 cents a ticket. Get your ticket early.

Mrs. Henry Taft joined the Catholic church yesterday. Her husband and his brother, the president, are Unitarians.

One piece of property in Portland assessed at \$12,000 sold this week for \$48,000, and another assessed at \$60,150 sold for \$200,000.

The campaign to make Lincoln county dry has begun. The saloons at Newport are a disgrace during the summer months.

Tom DeArmond, of Reno, Nev., has been in the city. He has relatives around Independence, and in boyhood days himself resided in Linn county.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Nimmo left last night for St. Helena, Calif., called there by the dangerous illness of Mrs. Nimmo's father, a resident of that place.

The one hundredth birthday of Chas. Dickens, the novelist, has been celebrated this week. Many good things are being said about him and his splendid works.

A. J. Johnson, president of the Benton National Bank, says that the report that the bank had \$70,000 of bonds of the busted Columbia Orchard Co., is absolutely false.

Junction is growing. Twenty new houses were built last year, the postal receipts were \$4,262, an increase of 11 per cent, the city has four rural deliveries and 1,000 population is claimed.

N. A. Blodgett, of this city, has some remarkable hens. Three hens recently produced eggs with seven yolks altogether, one having three, which is about the record, and certainly very rare.

Robert Wakefield, who built the steel bridge at this city, has a bill against Portland for \$414,421 for building reservoirs; the bill including \$114,021 for extras. It probably means a suit.

Ben Olcott is a candidate for the republican nomination for secretary of state, so far a very efficient and competent official, as well as a popular man. His platform is: "Results talk. My record is before you. Believe in the Oregon system."

\$500 FINE AND 30 DAYS IN JAIL

Is the Result of Conviction for Blind Piggling by Al. Peacock.

The jury of representative business men, men of character, who sat on the case of Al Peacock, in Justice Swan's court yesterday afternoon, at 3:45, brought in a verdict of guilty, on the first ballot. It was a case as plain as one's nose.

This morning Justice Swan gave his sentence, which was the limit, called for by the record and reputation, \$500 fine and 30 days in jail. G. W. Wright, attorney for the defendant, gave notice of appeal, and the bonds of the defendant were placed at \$500.

Peacock furnished bonds and was released.

It is said this was the nineteenth time Mr. Peacock has been up under different charges, mostly in connection with violation of some liquor law, but this was the first conviction of violation of a liquor law. He has paid fines, though, for other things.

News From Albany's Six Early Trains.

Mayor Wilson and Councilmen McClain, Crandall and Wennersten, of Lebanon, arrived and left for Salem and Portland to examine pavement. The city council of Lebanon has decided to do some paving this year; but how much is to be decided later. Before-hand it is proposed to investigate the matter thoroughly. Lebanon proposes to be up with the procession.

The Graustark Co. left on the 4:18 train for Grants Pass, a long jump, speaking for the life of the actor. Atkins Lawrence, taking the part of the Baron, is really an old man, a veteran in the business.

J. D. Ellis went out the Springfield road on a hunt for potatoes. The present price is \$1 to \$1.25 a hundred, with the market pretty well gone over.

E. C. Armstrong, former fruit inspector of Marion and Linn counties, now a nurseryman, returned to Salem from a trip to Corvallis. He is building up a good business in all kinds of fruit trees and plants.

Meeting Electric Employees Association.

Mr. O. Larsen, engineer in charge of the Albany filtration plant, gave a very complete and interesting talk on the construction and operation of the Springfield plant last night. This is one of the most substantially constructed plants in the country, as attested by the fact that it was the only building which was not razed by the fire at the Booth-Kelly Lumber Co's mill last July. This plant is a typical example of the construction work done by H. M. Byllesby & Co.

After the adjournment of the meeting a few social games of 500 were played.

The O. E. and Corvallis.

President Carl Gray of the O. E. made this statement at Corvallis: "The Oregon Electric will give Corvallis a service from the east side of the river within eight or nine months. And as soon as our steel bridge across the river is built we shall cross into the city proper. That bridge will have to be designed, assembled in the east, brought to Corvallis and put together here. Such work will take considerable time. However, at the outside, Oregon Electric trains will be running into Corvallis within fifteen or sixteen months."

Died at Crowley.

John W. Gay, an uncle of Miss Freta Gay of this city, died at Crowley Feb. 1, at the age of 78 years. He was born in Paris, Mo., and came to Ore. in 1851. He went to the mines in 1856, returning and settling seven miles south east of Albany, where he lived until 1889, when he moved to Crowley. He leaves a wife and two children and three grand children. He was a member of the Baptist church, first joining the Oak Creek church in 1875.

Another Piano House.

W. O. Nisley has leased part of the store room of L. W. Ross, in the Brenner block, and will establish a regular piano house here, making Albany his headquarters for the part of the state. He has the Nisley, Mehlin and other pianos. Mr. Nisley is one of the most reliable piano dealers on the coast, reliable and capable, a big thing in the business.

Arrested at Eugene.

Chief of Police Daughtry went to Eugene this afternoon after the fellow who robbed the Bowman Rooming House, some time ago. He was arrested there yesterday, upon instructions from Albany. An overcoat and some laundry belonging to Jas. Curran, were taken. The man admitted his guilt.

Miss Matthews, the Milliner.

Miss Lucy Matthews, the milliner, formerly with the Hamilton Store and Chambers & McCune, on March last will open a millinery store in the room in the Odd Fellows temple, now occupied by Eiler.

Married.

Mr. Cecil Rowan, an employee of the P. E. & E. R. R., with headquarters at Monroe, and Miss Elsie Jones, of Halsey, were married this morning at the residence of an by Rev. Leach.

FRIDAY.

Geo. M. McDowell, right of way man on the O. E., has retired.

A divorce suit at Eugene is Emma Grace Cobb agt. Jas. O. Cobb, a couple married at Albany several years ago.

Mrs. Hattie Green, America's richest woman, is accused of attempting extortion on W. R. Hearst, as if such a thing were possible.

Grace Greenwood, a Portland vaudeville artist, 2 feet 8 1/2 inches tall, has the remarkable reach of 72 inches, 1/2 inch of that of Johnson.

The Weather.

Range of temperature 50-36.
Rainfall 21 inch.
The river is 6.6 feet and falling.
Prediction: fair tonight and Friday rain.

O. E. BY APRIL 1, And In Middle of 5th Street.

Chief Engineer Wickersham, of the O. E., arrived this noon and met with Mayor Gilbert. He stated emphatically that the 5th street track will be single, and in the middle of the street, that and the Water street track covering the field permanently. There will be a short double track by the depot.

He said that track laying will begin at Salem March 1, with a big force of men, and Albany will be reached in about eighteen days when 5th street will be attended to. Culverts, etc., will be fixed as desired by the city.

An Attractive Reception.

On tomorrow afternoon the Scholarship Loan Fund reception will be held at the home of Mrs. H. A. Nelson, to which both ladies and gentlemen are cordially invited.

It will be remembered that an offering of 25 cents is expected from each individual, this money to be turned into the general fund for the higher education of young women who desire a better equipment for life than they have means to obtain.

No effort has been spared to make the afternoon attractive. The following program will be called at 3:30:

Piano solo—Miss Sox.
Vocal solo—Miss Haight.
Japanese song in costume—Mrs. Davis.
Vocal solo—Mrs. Burkhart.
Pianola C Sharp Minor Chopin.
Spring Song, Singing—Mr. Albro.
Vocal solo—Mrs. Flo.
Reading—Miss Blackwell.
Vocal solo—Miss Ireland.
Vocal solo—Mrs. Watson.

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A GOOD FEED COMING.

The Spanish War Veterans are making great preparations for their first annual entertainment and supper to be held at the Armory on the evening of Feb. 15th. Tickets are on sale at Dawson's Drug Store, S. C. Worrell's grocery and Foshay & Mason's. The proceeds of the evening will be for the benefit of their relief fund and to defray expenses of the State Encampment of the Spanish War Veterans, which is to be held in Albany this summer.

Following the supper which will be from 6 to 7:30 p. m. they have prepared an interesting and original entertainment, in which many rare stereoscopic views of our troops in action and on the march in China, Cuba and the Philippines will be a prominent feature.

This organization is a patriotic one and is worthy of the support of all. Every one in Albany is invited to be present. The entire program will be published in a few days.

For Championship of Albany.

The high school basket ball team and Alco team, just organized, have arranged a series of three games for the championship of Albany, the first to be played next Wednesday evening at the Alco gym. The H. S. team will be as usual, the Alco team probably, Geo. Dooley and Park Stalaker forwards, Kennard center, Penland and Strickland, a former Idaho University player, now an O. E. surveyor, guards.

Eggs 27c, butter 25c up.
I. R. Tanner was here from Silverton.
J. P. Mertz, of Scio, has been in the city.

S. P. Davidson, of Hood River, has been in the city.
John McCormick, of Woodburn, has been in the city.

Bert and Harry Moo arrived from Portland last night on a visit.
L. H. McMahon, one of Salem's celebrated lawyers, passed through this noon.

Miss Kate Failing, daughter of Mrs. Jane Failing of Portland, is visiting at the home of H. F. Merrill.

Mr. Bert Stewart of Aberdeen, Wash., was in the city today on his way to Lincoln county to look up a timber proposition.

Dr. and Mrs. Chas. T. Chamberlain, of Portland, left Washington yesterday for home. They have been visiting the former's distinguished father.

Abe Kuel, the arch thief of the S. E. municipality, yesterday was permitted to visit his aged mother, who thought he had been in Europe on a trip.

W. N. Price and family are here from Oregon City, where they sold their place, on their way to Los Angeles, a trip they will make by team, perhaps taking a year.

The new Multnomah Hotel, of Portland, was formally opened last night, in a blaze of hostelry glory. H. L. Pitcock made the principal speech. Among those present was Gov. West.

C. C. Parker, now a resident of Boring, a Portland suburb, was in the city this noon on his way home from the O. A. C., where he went to study hogs. He has forty acres, which he is developing into a fine place.

The Valley Oil Co. will meet at the commercial club rooms at 7:30 tonight for organization. About 125 shares have been sold, mostly one share to an individual, making a large number interested in the oil development of the county.

The U. O. basket ball team, consisting of Jamison and Walker, forwards; Simms and Kader guards and Fenton center, passed through the city this afternoon on a tour north, playing at Portland, Tacoma, Seattle, Pullman, Moscow and Walla Walla. It is the best team the U. O. ever had.

Senator Geo. E. Chamberlain this week helped open the winter Chautauqua, at Binghamton, N. Y., with an address entitled "Oregon the Best of Them All." He not only boasted Oregon's system politically, but did some live talking for the state generally.

A GUN CLUB FOR ALBANY.

Albany has some of the most enthusiastic Nimrods in the valley, prominent men, who take an interest in guns and dogs, and the attendant sport that goes with hunting, for interest not surpassed by anything. And yet for several years, the city has not had a gun club at all.

Appreciating the fact that organization is needed a meeting will be held probably next Tuesday night, at the rooms of the commercial club, for taking the preliminary steps for an organization.

Over thirty have already signed the agreement to join.

With a club here Albany will be in a position to pull off some good shooting events.

News from Albany's Six Early Trains.

Rev. H. N. Mount, pastor of the Presbyterian church of Eugene, passed through on his way home from Corvallis, where he had been to attend a few special lectures in the short course, being personally interested in some features of agriculture. The O. A. C. has experts who are doing a splendid service in this work.

A. W. Bowersox made his regular trip to Portland, as one of the directors of the Odd Fellows home, which holds a meeting once a month. The home now has about fifty inmates, twenty odd people and thirty children. Among them is Ex-Marshal Andy Hunt of this city. It is a splendid feature in the work of Odd Fellowship.

One family of seven arrived on the early train from Oklahoma, and several others arrived from the middle east, coming out here for new homes, at least to investigate this valley.

W. H. Ingram and son, of Lebanon, arrived, the former stopping here, Oscar going further.

Isaac Whealdon, of Plainview, went to Corvallis.

Geo. E. Sanders returned from Lebanon.

Miss Alice Martin, of Bussard, returned home after an Albany visit of a week. She is a former member of the high school's champion basket ball team.

Prof. Head went to Portland after a car load of pianos direct from the factory.

A. B. Kelsey went up to Lyons on lumber business.

Harry Hoosier, a college student, left for his home at Stanfield, in E. O.

Several from here, Philomath and elsewhere left for Salem to attend the annual Christian Endeavor convention

Engagement Party.

Mrs. O. D. Austin last evening entertained about thirty of her lady friends in honor of her sister, Miss O. J. Ella Jones, head operator for the Pacific Telephone Co., pleasant affair. The decorations were tasty, delicious refreshments were served and an informal program was heard, consisting of piano solos by Mrs. Glen Junkin, Miss Hulbert, Mrs. Cahlor and Mrs. S. C. Worrell, vocal solos by Mrs. Nutting and Mrs. F. M. Powell and readings by Mrs. Collins and Miss Minnie Merrill.

During the evening each guest was presented with the following announcement: Mrs. O. D. Austin announces the engagement of her sister, Oda Ella Jones to David Jennings Ballantyne.

Both are popular young people of this city. The date of the event to follow has not yet been announced.

Gov. West Aggressive.

Gov. West is red hot on the campaign for good roads legislation. He has been speaking in Portland, on the streets and halls. Incidentally he speaks for the success of his honor system, declaring that the men are proving worthy of the trust put in them. But his main fight is on the good roads bills before the people.