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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 Bach-
man, her husband, Emma D. Lingo
and Ira Lingo, her husband, Lizzie E.
Lyndon and Ora Lyndon, her husband,
Minnie Leaman 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 en-
titled Court for the relief demanded
in his said complaint, namely, for a
decree that the defendants may be re-
quired to set forth the nature of their
claims in and to the following de-
scribed lands, to-wit:

Lots numbered four and five of Section
thirty-one in Township eleven
south of range four west of the Wil-
lamette Meridian, Oregon, saving and
excepting therefrom twenty acres as
conveyed by deed from Fred G. Blum-
hart 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 Ore-
gon, 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 prop-
erty, 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 T. 11 S. R. 3
W. Will. Mer. Ore., running thence
N. 18 degrees E. 5.05 chains; thence
N. 3 1/2 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.
20.32 chs. to a point west of the be-
ginning; thence E. 18.39 chs. to be-
ginning, containing 34.70 acres, more
or less, in Linn County, Oregon.

All whom it may concern. Defendants
TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CON-
CERN:

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 dis-
puting the same.
(L. S.) W. L. MARKS, Clerk.
L. M. CURL, Applicant's Attorney.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the un-
designed 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 Janu-
ary, 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.

OIL EXPERT HERE.

Has Leas Several Thousand
Acres.

J. J. Yackley, an experienced oil man
in the city. As shown by the record,
recently published, he has leased 3485
acres of land a few miles east of Har-
risburg, and it is said expects to make
important development later, though
Mr. Yackley has nothing to say for pub-
lication at the present time. The fact
that he spent two or three months in
the valley making a thorough investi-
gation of conditions before making the
move speaks for itself. He came from
the Texas oil fields here, and has also
visited the California fields, an expert
on necessary conditions, locations,
geological formations, etc.
He believes there is oil here, that's
all.

Gage Hats Failed to Arrive.

Chambers & McCune wish to apolo-
gize for not being able to show the new
spring hats yesterday as advertised.
They expected one hundred "Gage"
hats last Tuesday and for some reason
better known to the railroad company
they failed to arrive.
They should be here on any train so
watch for announcement later—as be-
fore. Chambers & McCune will sell the
"Gage" hats and "Gage" millinery
exclusively in Albany.

Ben Clelan left yesterday for South-
ern Oregon.

F. A. Watrous, of Forest Grove, has
been in the city.

March 14 has been set by the supreme
court for hearing the U. O. referendum
case.

Samuel G. Blythe, the Who Is Who
editor of the Saturday Evening Post,
will be in Portland Sunday.

An effort is being made to secure a
lieutenant-governor for Oregon, so as
to furnish a place for politicians.

Mrs. Fluelia Turner this afternoon
left for Marshfield to resume her
position in Marshfield's leading store.

A Salem Chinese cook has rented the
Imperial restaurant, which is being
fitted over and will be run by him.

A traction engine worth \$2500 is to
be given up at Lethbridge, Alberta, for
the best bushel of wheat this fall.

Sixteen inches of snow and a forty
mile gale was the experience in Mis-
souri, and adjoining states yesterday, a
terror.

An irrigation congress began in Port-
land yesterday, with a good attendance,
none from Linn county, which is pretty
well irrigated.

BORN A BOY, to Mr. and Mrs. M.
G. Peters, on Wednesday evening, Feb.
21, and his name is J. Roderick, after
the famous doughnut king of Cottage
Grove.

W. Lair Thompson, of Lakeview, is
attending the irrigation congress at
Portland. A cartoon of him in the
Journal would indicate that he is get-
ting aged fast.

The O. A. C. is arranging for a poultry
demonstration to be sent out over
the S. P. lines. It will arrive in Cor-
vallis March 15, be equipped, and leave
on a schedule to be arranged.

Manager Jennings of Eugene and
Manager Morton of Albany, were at
Corvallis yesterday for a conference in
reference to the agitation there for
municipal ownership of the plant.

Houston, Texas, yesterday experi-
enced a disastrous fire, causing a loss
of \$7,000,000. It extended a mile and
a half, one thousand have been ren-
dered homeless and fortunes gone.

Upon the resignation of Mayor Wil-
son of Lebanon, Wm. H. McAtee was
elected mayor by the council. If the
council sustains the city treasurer in
his course, the whole council ought to
resign.

A. W. Beeson received a dispatch last
evening, telling of the death of his son,
G. P. Beeson, at Elgin, Neb., at the
age of 39 years. He leaves a wife and
three children. Mr. Beeson was here
two years ago on a visit.

Albany high will play Newberg high,
one of the best in the valley, tomorrow
night at the Alco gym. Admission 25
cents. One of the best games of the
season is expected, and with Carson
Bigbee at forward again look out for a
fast game.

Francis W. Albro, the musician, has
leased room 12 in the Schmitt block,
and next week will open a studio for
instruction in piano and harmony. He
is a graduate of the American Conserv-
atory of Music, of Chicago, a very com-
petent musician.

Albany and other people continue to
get propositions in reference to the old-
time Spanish syndicate, about the banker
in jail, etc., as barefaced a swindle as
was ever perpetrated, and it is strange
they ever make enough out of it to pay
the immense postage bill.

Recently there was a big fire at
Osaka, Japan. It had just reached the
residence of Rev. Geo. W. Hill, form-
erly of Albany, which was about to be
blown up to stop the progress of the
conflagration, when the wind changed
and the home of Mr. Hill was saved.

Mrs. M. E. Watson, of Eugene has
leased the Folly theatre to her partner,
Julius Goldsmith, who will run the busi-
ness, and Mrs. Watson will retire from
the moving picture business, and de-
vote more time to her family, reports
the Eugene Register. The theatre is
said to have done a very prosperous
business.

On Wednesday afternoon at the new
and beautiful home of Mr. and Mrs. W.
O. Simon 823 E. 3rd St., Mrs. Simon en-
tertained in a most pleasing manner,
a number of her neighbors and friends,
the occasion being in honor of Mrs.
Simon's birthday. Some of those present
were Mrs. C. Humphrey, Mrs. I. R.
Metzker, Mrs. John Spencer, Mrs. C.
Smeawestine, Mrs. L. Metzker, Mrs.
Willard Davis, Mrs. Clyde Peacock,
Mrs. Fannie Hostetter, Mrs. W. O.
Simon hostess. At 5 p. m. a dainty
and delicious lunch was served.

THE REUNION OF STATES BIG THING.

The second annual reunion of states,
given at the armory last night, under
the auspices of the Presbyterian church,
was a great success, and it is now un-
doubtedly thoroughly established as a
permanent affair, Albany people all
appreciate and want. The audience
was a large one, the armory proving an
ideal place for such a gathering, with
plenty of room.

A grand march of states led by F.
H. Pfeiffer as Uncle Sam, Mrs. R. E.
Mason as Liberty and Mrs. S. S. Train
as Martha Washington, splendidly
made up, was had Mayor Gilbert from
Mo. gave the address of welcome, when
a program was presented, opened with
music by Wilson's orchestra, followed by
stunts from representatives of different
states, as follows:

New England—Blowing the candle
out by Mrs. Dowd, splendidly rendered.

New York.—A yell: See! See! See!
Who are we? Once there was a stork,
hatched out in New York. We're from it.
We're from the state of Gotham all
great men came from, the land of
Roosevelt and Croker, David Hill
and Alton Parker, Roscoe Conkling and
Grover Cleveland, Tweed the boss, and
ALL of us.

Penn.—A tableau, Betay Ross making
the first flag, Mrs. Crowell, with read-
ing by Mrs. Gesebracht.

Canada.—A real roast pig-plum pud-
ding dinner, with Fred Dawson, J. C.
Way, Geo. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Shaw,
Bud Stover and family, Mrs. Archibald
and the rest of them doing their best.

Ohio.—A presentation of pictures
showing the products of the state, made
by Mr. Will Church, with an appropri-
ate song by him, Mrs. Winn
master of ceremonies.

Ind.—An oration by F. M. French,
born in the present center of population,
in Ind., which has furnished two
presidents and a splendid singer, Mrs.
Kio, who was heard in a song of Jas.
Wilcomb Riley, a Hoosier.

Ill.—An original poem by an Illinois
lady here, read by Geo. H. Crowell.

Oregon.—An Indian song, acted out,
composed by Mrs. Judge P. K. Kelly,
and sung by her and Misses Winnie
Austin, Madeline Rawlings, Genevieve
Irvine, Pauline and Margaret Penne-
backer, Lena Senders, Eva Hodick,
Miss Davis, Miss Burnett, and Keith
Van Winkle, in costume, making a hit.

Mo.—A historical sketch by Mrs. Dr.
Tracy.

Wis.—An appropriate song and
march led by Councilman J. R. Hul-
bert.

Kansas.—A tin can act by a couple
of natives, with a wagon, Kansas or
Bust.

Germany.—A war scene, in five acts,
with Prof. Wilson, A. C. Schmitt and
Lawrence Schmitt in the male parts
and J. T. May and W. F. Heckman, as
the females, all wearing stunning
costumes.

The judges, Judge Hewitt, Dr. Ellis
and Supt. Boettcher, awarded the
prize for the best program to Oregon.
Illinois took the prize for having the
largest attendance, forty-two, Oregon
barred, with Wis. and Iowa second,
each having 27.

A pointer for future reunions will be
to insist on short programs, with
no long affairs of any kind, the audi-
ence getting nervous and noisy as the
time gets late.

**News from Albany's Six Early
Trains.**

J. C. Lowe, manager of the Home
telephone office at Corvallis, arrived on
his way to Portland to attend the Home
Telephone banquet tonight, a big thing
in the interest of this fast growing in-
stitution. Mr. Lowe reported the Cor-
vallis exchange is a very prosperous
condition. It has 2100 phones on the
exchange, of which 1300 are in Cor-
vallis. He was joined here by Man-
ager Barnum, who will also attend the
banquet.

M. F. Wood went to Corvallis on a
business trip. He is a graduate of the
O. A. C. Mr. Wood stated that he will
again be a candidate for county record-
er, and will have something to say on
the subject in a few days.

B. T. George, a prominent Niagara
man, a pioneer up there, went to Sa-
lem.

Editor Kirkpatrick arrived from Leb-
anon.

George Hughes went to Corvallis.

Mrs. Royal Shaw and son returned
to Mill City.

Harold Jackson went down the road.
Frank W. Barrett went out to Leb-
anon.

Mrs. R. E. Mason went to Portland
on a visit with her folks.

W. H. Palm went to Lebanon.

W. B. McCormick arrived from
Shedd.

Mrs. Hattie Mansfield Gibbon went
to Salem.

Hugh Cummings left in the interest
of the Union Stock yards.

Mystic Rose Commended.

The Harrisburg Chronicle said:
"The Mystic Rose has set a mark in
the history of amateur theatricals in
this city. The performance last night
was an artistic achievement."

The Petaluma (Calif.) Argus said:
"How such marvellous results were
accomplished is incomprehensible. The
Mystic Rose compensates for many
disappointments in the past. We are
going again tonight, and in the mean-
time we doff our chapeau to Mr. Skil-
ling."

Bert Warford at Seattle.

A marked copy of a Seattle paper
received at the Democrat office tells of
the successful manner in which Bert
Warford, of this city, is promoting the
Los Angeles Land show to be held
March 12 to the 28th. He has been
making an effort to secure a Postlath
exhibition for the big show, which
generally has a total attendance of
150,000 people, an all-coast affair.

OBSERVED

By the Man About Town.

W. F. Howard got ahead of Dr. Hill
who is down in Mexico, and bought the
house at the corner of Lyon and Third
streets of Mr. Hesse, and Pete Ruetner
pulled it a flying down to the corner of
Third and Thurston streets, where it
has been set permanently.

The Young store has some fine Wash-
ington birthday windows, well put to-
gether by the Store's competent win-
dow man.

Banks and public offices closed today,
no schools; others working, and George
W. would be if alive.

These \$10 fines, payable in cash or in
a dirty old jail, with work on the streets,
is having a deterrent effect on the
drunk habit, which is what it is for.
There are different ways of attacking
law breaking.

The new St. Francis Hotel has already
brought a good many people here, who
would not have come otherwise, and
has caused some to remain longer, a
business creator.

CONVENTION OF R. F. D. MEN.

A convention of R. F. D. men of
Linn and Benton counties was begun
this afternoon, David Shearer in the
chair, E. B. Cornett secretary, and the
Albany men, H. C. Cummings, C.
Levee and L. B. Martin of Corvallis,
and E. L. Storm of Lebanon present.
They will talk over R. F. D. matters
and elect officers.

**The Electric Employees
Association**

Met last evening with about 25 in at-
tendance.

F. E. McKenna was elected Sec-
retary.

Prof. W. A. Hillebrand, of Corvallis,
professor of electrical engineering at
O. A. C., gave an interesting talk, out-
lining the work in engineering at the
O. A. C. and the improvements he hoped
to see accomplished there.

Manager Morton extended an invita-
tion, through Prof. Hillebrand, to the
professors and students of the college
to visit the O. F. Co's plants, both in
Albany and elsewhere in the valley.

An extremely interesting and valuable
talk on First Aid in case of Accidents,
was given by Dr. W. H. Davis, of this
city, explaining what to do. The Doc-
tor also gave a demonstration of
resuscitation methods on persons over-
come by gas, drowning or electric
shock.

Manager Morton read a paper which
was given at the recent Chicago con-
vention of the H. M. B. Co. by W.
H. Hooper, their publicity manager, en-
titled "When the Consumer and Com-
pany Meet."

Arrangements are being made for
another meeting to be held in about
two weeks.

Out of town guests were Professor
Hillebrand, Supt. A. S. Martin and Mr.
Lewis, of Corvallis.

Development of the Mystic Rose.

The general rehearsal for all adult
members of the Mystic Rose company
is tonight at 8 and also at 8 tomorrow
night.

It is believed that the interest in this
magnificent benefit opera is universal,
and that the entire newspaper-reading,
theater-going, and music-loving popu-
lation will attend, if the theater is large
enough.

Work on the Ballet of Flowers is in
progress every afternoon. Although
all is produced on the same principal as
a big city professional opera, the Ballet
is said to be more nearly perfect than
any other part, and clear out of the
amateur class in its appearance. It is
a great spectacular illusion produced by
stage effects, light effects, a gallery of
rainbow colors, and a hundred girls
gorgeously costumed, singing and per-
forming a succession of mystifying,
rhythmical dances and evolutions.

A Bad Check Artist Caught.

John Day, a professional check artist,
wanted at Portland, Tacoma, Hillsboro,
and other places, has just been cap-
tured. He was supposed to be a news-
paper man. Day is the principal wit-
ness against Bert Warford in the case
ag inst him, and it is easy to see what
his evidence is worth.

A Veteran R. F. D. Man.

L. F. Smith, of Tangent, R. F. D.
man No. 1 out of Tangent, was in the
city today. He was having a holiday.
Mr. Smith has been carrying the Tan-
gent route from the start, over ten
years. David Sherer, Linn county's
first carrier, then out of Shedd, is now
No. 2 at Tangent, which is his home.

A Station at Fry.

Upon complaint the R.R. commission
took up the matter of a station at Fry,
on the Lebanon road, and have just
been notified by General Superintendent
Campbell a station will be consti-
tuted there, an order has been placed
for the material, and it will be hurried
to completion.

FRIDAY.

The Weather.

Range of temperature 47-55.
Rainfall 37 inch.

The river is 94 feet and falling.
Prediction: fair tonight and Saturday

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WILL SHATTER BLUE ROCKS.

Gun Club Met.

The Albany Gun Club, now thirty
strong, met last night, with a good at-
tendance, and enthusiasm prevailing.
A fine Ideal Liggitt trap, the best
made, was ordered bought and 5,000
blue rocks. A lot near Hackleman's
grove is being contracted for as a shoot-
ing range. It is proposed to have a
shoot every Friday afternoon, and a
crack club of shots is anticipated.

About a Lateral Sewer.

Editor Democrat:

The City Council is certainly making
a serious mistake in allowing a 6-inch
lateral sewer to be put through the
block in which the new Presbyterian
church is located. When our sewer sys-
tem was installed the plan adopted was
that each of the new sewers should
drain a section two blocks wide on each
side, and it was expressly stated that
these laterals reaching out east and
west should be constructed of 8-inch
pipe. When this lateral, now being
constructed of 6-inch pipe, is extended
east into the next block, (as it surely
will be, for we all know that the Broad-
albin street sewer is already overloaded)
it will not be found large enough to
take care of the sewerage, and all this
present work will have to be torn out
and replaced at the property holders
expense. It certainly would be good
policy for the Council to look into this
matter before it is too late.

CITIZEN.

W. O. Nistey this noon returned from
Portland.

Mrs. Ida Owen, of Portland, is visit-
ing Mrs. Loomis, of the Hamilton Store.
G. F. Emery and C. M. McClenham,
of Corvallis, were in the city last evening.

Three democratic candidates for sher-
iff, all first class men, F. H. Pfeiffer,
Glen Junkin and Ed Schoel.

Chief of Police Daughtry today cap-
tured a reform school boy and held him
for an officer from the school.

Rube Walker, after a visit home,
yesterday left for Calgary, Alberta,
where he has some valuable holdings.

J. C. Gallagher, of the Eller House,
left today for Dallas, where he will be
for awhile in the interest of the house.

Ives G. Hoar and family, of Rock
Island, Ill., and G. H. Hoar and wife,
of Temple, Tex., spent last night at the
Hotel Revere.

A. W. Bowersox was in Eugene this
week, with his lecture, presenting
some Odd Fellow stereopticon views to
the O. F.'s of Eugene.

Mrs. D. C. Burkhart entertained the
Thursday afternoon Book Club yester-
day afternoon in a patriotic afternoon.
About sixteen members with invited
guests were present.

Misses Julia Crowell and Helen Hul-
bert this afternoon went to Eugene for
a visit with the large delegation of Al-
bany students attending the U. O., with
some pleasant social prospects ahead.

The Washington birthday dinner at
the Hotel Revere last night was a
great success. About one hundred en-
joyed the menu of turkey and many
other good things, while Wilson's or-
chestra furnished choice music, which
was also immensely appreciated.

Miss Walgren, an experienced mill-
iner, recently of Chicago, has been
secured by the Young Store, for its
millinery department, and is here in
charge of the work. In the big new
store this department will be a promi-
nent one, and is already well estab-
lished.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Robbins, of Eu-
gene, were in the city today, guests at
the St. Francis, while on their way to
Newport for an outing. They are old
Grinnell, Iowa, friends of Dr. and Mrs.
Billings. Mr. Robbins was secretary of
Iowa College for thirty or forty years.

The friends of Mr. and Mrs. David
Froman, Jr., pleasantly surprised them
Tuesday evening by going in a body at
6 o'clock with well laden baskets of
good things to eat. The occasion was
their marriage anniversary. Those
present were: Mr. and Mrs. Roy
Parker, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Cameron
Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Hockensmith, Mr.
and Mrs. Gus Stainkor, Mr. and Mrs.
R. G. Churchhill, Mr. and Mrs. Harry
Wilkins, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Burkhart,
Mr. and Mrs. Guy Whitlock, Mr. and
Mrs. C. G. Bryant and Miss Laura
Chambers.

DEATH OF PIONEER OF 1850.

W. J. Miller died yesterday at Shel-
burn at the age of 78 years. He was
born in Nova Scotia, coming from there
to Pennsylvania when young. In 1849
he left across the plains for Oregon,
getting here in 1850, settling at Shel-
burn, where he spent the remainder of
his life, a good citizen.

He leaves a wife and five children,
Hon. J. W. Miller, former county clerk,
and a member of the last legislature;
Malcolm Miller, and three daughters,
Kate, Lena and Nona.

The funeral was held today, Rev.
Knotts preaching the sermon.

**News From Albany's Six Early
Trains.**

Eugene Palmer and wife returned to
Portland, where Mr. Palmer is now ex-
tensively engaged in the real estate
business, doing well. He was once
famous in referendum cases. The office
is Palmer & Hill, 112 Killingsworth
Ave.

Mrs. Wheeler went to Shelburn to
attend the funeral of her cousin W. J.
Miller, who died yesterday, and Rev. I.
G. Knotts went to preach the funeral
sermon. Miss Agnes Gibbon, whose
sister is a daughter-in-law, also went
to attend the funeral.

Ben Clelan returned from a trip
south, how far has not been learned,
nor for what.

Miss Amy Olmstead, of the College
returned from Corvallis.

Miss Laura W