



SOULS FOR SALE

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Remember Steddon, a pretty, unsophisticated girl, is the daughter of a kindly but narrow-minded minister in a small, mid-western town. Her father,

Rev. Doctor Steddon, violently opposed to what he considers "worldly things," accepts motion pictures as the cause for much of the evil of the present day. Troubled with a cough, Remember goes to see

Dr. Bretherick, an elderly physician who is astonished to find her in a bad plight. Pressed by the doctor, Remember admits her unfortunate affair with

Elwood Faranby, a poor boy, son of the town set. As Remember and Dr. Bretherick discuss the problem, a telephone message brings the news that Elwood has been killed in an accident. Dr. Bretherick persuades Remember to go West, her cough serving as a plausible excuse. Unable to bear the secret any longer, Remember goes to her mother and confesses.

Her mother agrees with the plan of the doctor. Mem leaves town. On the train Mem accidentally meets Tom Holby, movie star, traveling with Robina Teale, leading lady of the movies, who are the cynosure of all eyes. The train comes to an abrupt halt, a disaster having been narrowly avoided, and the passengers bet out and walk about.

Now Go On With the Story

The other passengers dawdled about, but Mem went farther and farther. She wanted to see what was on the other side of that butte as much as mankind has longed to see the other side of the moon.

When she started back the cool of the butte shadow made her rest awhile. The heat and the hypnosis of the shimmering sand sea put her asleep in spite of herself. She awoke with a start.

The train was moving, a new engine dragging it and its broken engine. She ran, fell, picked herself up, limped forward.

She was alone in the wilderness, and the train was already a toy running through the gap between two lofty buttes. Both mocked the girl unendurably and she stood panting in a suffocation of fright, her hands plucking at each other's finger nails.

Then for the first time Mem understood what the desert meant to those who had seen the last burro drop and found the canteen full of dry air.

For a trance-while Mem made a perfect allegory of helplessness on a monument. She heard a voice laughing with a kind of querying exclamation:

"Hello?"
The word was as unimportant as could be and it came from what she had just decreed the most useless thing on earth, a handsome moving picture actor. He went on:

"Here we are, eh?"
Tom Holby laughed at fate as in his pictures.

"I've nearly died of thirst in the desert half a dozen times," he said; but there was always a camera or two a few yards off and a grub wagon just outside. And the heroine usually comes galloping to the rescue and picked me up in time for the final clinch. I see the heroine, but the grub wagon's late."

"Wh-what are we going to do?"
"Well, I'm not going to act, anyway, as long as there's no camera on the job. Let's sit down and wait."

"For what?"
"Oh, I guess the train will come back, or another one will come along and we can flag it in plenty of time. Sit down on this handsome red divan, won't you? I'm Mr. Holby, by the way."

"Yes, I know," she said, and told him her name.
There was a long silence. Then he mused aloud:

"Remember," eh? Great! Robina would have preferred that to the one she chose. Do you know Robina?"
"I've seen her."

"On the screen?"
"On the train."

"Oh, then you haven't seen her. That isn't the real Robina that walks about. That's just a poor, plain, frightened, anxious little thing, a Cinderella who only begins to live when she puts on her glass slippers. She has to be so infernally noble all day long that you can hardly blame her for resting her overworked virtues when she's off the lot. I used to be a pretty decent fellow, too, before I began to be a hero by trade. But now—gosh—how I love my faults! When there's no camera on me I'm a mighty mean man."

"Really?"
"Oh, I'm a fiend. I'm thinking of playing villains for a while, so that I can be respectable at my own expense outside the factory. But I'm so mused up between my professional emotions and my personal ones that it's hard to keep from acting, on and off. Now look at this situation. If the camera gang were here, I'd know just what to do. I'd be Sir Walter Raleigh in a Stetson and chaps. But since there's just us two here and I have you in my power—or you have me in your power—I don't know just how to act. It depends on you. Are you a heroine or an adventuress?"

"Are you an onjanoo or a vamp?"
"I don't speak French."

"Then you must be an onjanoo," he said. "In that case I suppose I really ought to play the villain and—But here comes the train. Dog-on it! Just as we were working up a real plot. I hope I haven't compromised you. If you're afraid I have, I'll have to go back and hide until the next train comes along. Or you can, for I imagine it's Robina that reversed the engine. She probably missed me and suspected that I was out here with a prettier girl than she is—pardon me! Shall I go and hide?"

"Oh, no-no! I couldn't think of it. Nobody knows me. It can't make any difference what they say about me."

"Gosh! what an enviable position. Stick to your luck, Miss Steddon. May I help you down?"

That was a chapter in Mem's life.

Holby had guessed right. Robina had missed him and when the helpless conductor protested against the

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SUMMONS

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR THE COUNTY OF LANE.

Hortense I. Holdrege, Plaintiff, vs. Mrs. Lewis Harris, Amanda J. Moore now Amanda Bowen; Noble Trowbridge; the unknown heirs of Mrs. Augustus C. Herrick; Amanda C. Rigdon; the unknown heirs of John B. Rigdon, deceased; William McFarland and Etta McFarland, his wife; John McFarland; Albert McFarland and Abbie McFarland, his wife; J. I. Barbre and L. A. Barbre, his wife; Lucinda Thayer and John A. Thayer, her husband; James McFarland; Margaret Webb and Stephen M. Webb, her husband; Charles McFarland; Peter B. Guernsey and Clara J. Guernsey, his wife; Roy T. Guernsey; the unknown heirs of Cynthia Ann McFarland, deceased; the unknown heirs of Jonathan McFarland, deceased; Carrie Eccles; the unknown heirs of T. J. Eccles, deceased; Frank Adkins and — Adkins, his wife; Oliver Gates and — Gates, his wife; Robert Baker and — Baker, his wife; William Jordan and — Jordan, his wife; the unknown heirs of Mary J. Jordan, deceased; and all other persons or parties unknown, claiming any right, title, interest, lien or estate in the real property described in this complaint or claiming by, through or under any of the above named defendants; Defendants.

To Mrs. Lewis Harris; Noble Trowbridge; the unknown heirs of Mrs. Augustus C. Herrick; Amanda C. Rigdon; the unknown heirs of John B. Rigdon, deceased; William McFarland and Etta McFarland, his wife; John McFarland; Albert McFarland and Abbie McFarland, his wife; J. I. Barbre and L. A. Barbre, his wife; Lucinda Thayer and John A. Thayer, her husband; James McFarland; Margaret Webb and Stephen M. Webb, her husband; Charles McFarland; Peter B. Guernsey and Clara J. Guernsey, his wife; Roy T. Guernsey; the unknown heirs of Cynthia Ann McFarland, deceased; the unknown heirs of Jonathan McFarland, deceased; Carrie Eccles; the unknown heirs of T. J. Eccles, deceased; Frank Adkins and — Adkins, his wife; Oliver Gates and — Gates, his wife; Robert Baker and — Baker, his wife; William Jordan and — Jordan, his wife; the unknown heirs of Mary J. Jordan, deceased; and all other persons or parties unknown, claiming any right, title, interest, lien or estate in the real property described in the complaint herein, or claiming by, through or under any of the above named defendants; Defendants.

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 four weeks from the date of the first publication of this summons, and if you fail so to appear and answer, the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief prayed for in the complaint, to-wit:

FIRST: That the plaintiff is the owner in fee simple of the following described premises, to-wit: Commencing at a point 32.74 chains West of the Southeast corner of the John Stoops Donation Land Claim No. 41, Notif. 6505, Tp. 19 S. R. 1 W. W. M. in Lane County, Oregon, running thence North 24 degrees 23' East 8.37 Chains; thence North 23 degrees 40' West 17.15 chains; thence North 40 degrees 51' West 8.37 chains; thence North 44 degrees West 6.81 chains; thence North 40 degrees 55' West 10.28 chains; thence South 41 degrees 31' West 4.85 chains to a point 3.21 chains south of the most northerly northwest corner of the John Stoops Donation Land Claim No. 41, thence South 5.68 chains; thence West 21.92 chains; thence South 33.84 chains; thence East 47.82 chains to the place of beginning, containing 160 01-100 acres of land, more or less, together with all the right of ways and privileges thereunto belonging, all in the County of Lane and the State of Oregon.

Also the Southwest quarter of the Northeast quarter of Section 17, Township 19 South Range 1 West of the Willamette Meridian, containing 40 acres, all in Lane County, Oregon.

Also the South half of the Northwest quarter of Section 17, in Township 19 South, Range 1 West of the Willamette Meridian, containing 80 acres, in Lane County, Oregon.

SECOND: That the defendants have not, nor have any of them, any right, title, interest or lien upon said premises.

THIRD: That the title of the plaintiff in and to said premises be forever quieted against the defendants, and all persons claiming by, through or under them, or any of them.

FOURTH: That the plaintiff have such other and further relief herein as to the Court may seem meet in the premises.

This summons is published once each week for four successive weeks by order of the Hon. G. F. Skipworth, Judge of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Lane County.

The date of the first publication of this summons is October 10, 1929, and the last date of publication Nov. 7, 1929.

IMMEL & EVANS,
Attorneys for Plaintiff.
Residence and post office address:
Eugene, Oregon.

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UPPER WILLAMETTE

The girls of the Pleasant Hill high school gave the boys a chicken dinner last Friday as a reward for putting in the winter's supply of wood. A long table was placed in the hall of the high school building. Covers were laid for about 90. Place cards were colored autumn leaves with the names attached.

Mrs. O. H. Wangelin, who has been living the past four years with her daughter, Mrs. E. B. Tinker, left for Phoenix, Arizona, Tuesday night. She was accompanied by her daughter, Miss Etta May Wangelin, who came from Arizona last July. They will spend the winter in Arizona, returning next summer.

Miss Jessie Carothers is in the hospital at Eugene, where she was operated on last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Sheridan have purchased a Tudor Chevrolet Six.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Kilpatrick have purchased a Pontiac sedan.

Miss Nellie Jordan returned to her home in Springfield last Saturday.

NOTICE OF FINAL HEARING

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, A. C. Barrett, administrator of the estate of Emma J. Barrett, deceased, has filed his Final Account in the County Court of Lane County, Oregon, and that November 9th, 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon thereof at the County Court House in Eugene, Lane County, Oregon, has been fixed by said Court as the time and place for hearing and considering said account.

The date of first publication being October 10th, 1929.

A. C. BARRETT, Administrator.
ALTA KING, Attorney for Estate.
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CITATION

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR THE COUNTY OF LANE.

In the matter of the Estate of John J. Thomas, Deceased.

To Leora A. Harkins; Jasper W. Thomas; Elsie J. Marston; Albert M. Thomas; Lee D. Thomas; John Spores; Mary F. Smith; Frank Spores; Samuel Spores; Leila Rea- rick; Irene Renninger; Daniel Spores; Carrie Moore; Marvin Spores; William Powers; Mary Bol- ler; Frankie Powers; Kate Harkins and Mary Deadman—Greetings.

In the name of the State of Oregon, You are hereby cited and required to appear in the County Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of

THURSTON

The Ladies Aid met with Mrs. Charles Taylor last Thursday and worked on a quilt. They will meet again this week to complete the quilting.

The high school held the freshman reception last Friday evening at the high school building. At a late hour a large bonfire was lighted and refreshments of sandwiches, pickles, cake and punch were served.

Mr. and Mrs. William Henson returned from a trip to Klamath Falls last Thursday, where they visited Mrs. Henson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Herrington.

Rev. O'Brien filled the pulpit here last Sunday morning and Rev. Miller in the evening. Rev. Miller has been elected minister here for the coming year.

A Couple of Reasons

She: "I bobbed my hair to show my independence."
He: "What did you bob your skirt for?"

"Daddy, teacher inquired after you today."

"Really?"
"Yes; he said he would like to know what sort of a fool my father was."

By L. M. BRYSON, Deputy.
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REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE Commercial State Bank of Springfield

at Springfield, County of Lane, State of Oregon, at the close of business October 4th, 1929.

RESOURCES	
Loans and discounts	\$132,286.94
Overdrafts	157.30
Bonds, securities, etc.	42,680.75
Banking house \$14,900.00; furniture and fixtures \$3,500.00	18,400.00
Real estate owned other than banking house	10,668.31
Cash, due from banks and cash items	49,713.23
Total	\$253,906.54

LIABILITIES	
Capital stock paid in	\$ 30,000.00
Surplus	3,000.00
Undivided profits—net	2161.74
Demand deposits	175,351.74
Time certificates	24,190.61
Savings deposits	19,202.45
Total	\$253,906.54

State of Oregon, County of Lane, ss:
I, C. E. Kenyon, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

C. E. KENYON, Cashier.
Correct—Attest:
Welby Stevens, M. M. Perry—Directors.
Subscribed and sworn before me this 9th day of October, 1929.
I. M. PETERSON, Notary Public for Oregon.
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