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THE OREGON LIBEL LAW.

The suit brought by a local lawyer against The Journal for \$5000 damages, for an alleged libel committed by publishing extracts from a pleading in a prominent divorce case, ended in a jury verdict for the paper.

The Journal had published an absolutely fair and unbiased report of both sides of the case, founded on the pleadings filed in the case, which are a public record, and no law forbids their publication.

In fact both sides of the case had been printed, that no injurious comment (in fact no comment whatever) was indulged in by the paper, that the plaintiff in the libel suit won her case, and was not prejudiced by such publication, had never requested any correction of the newspaper report, could not be got before the jury under the rulings of the court.

The publication, if it was a libel, was made inadvertently, without the knowledge of the publishers of the paper, and no opportunity had been given for a correction or retraction. None had been asked.

The publishers never pretended or claimed that the pleadings set forth the facts on either side. The article did not so represent. No malice could be inferred, for none existed. The publishers did not plead justification of the publication on account of the truth or otherwise.

The reporter who wrote the report stated on the witness stand that neither of the publishers had ever seen his report, and that he had made it in the ordinary course of copying items from the public records at the court house.

That any kind of a lawyer, for good motives or bad, should be able to bring such a suit and put his client to expense indicates that the Oregon law of libel is very primitive.

It should be amended so that the publisher would not be liable for the mistake of a reporter, who does not know law, and it should be amended so that the injured person should be compelled to at least ask a correction or retraction before bringing suit.

Employees in any kind of business are liable to make mistakes, and a newspaper publisher is as liable to be the victim of such blunders as a banker or lawyer, and as entitled to as fair a chance to correct the error.

The law of pleadings should require the plaintiff to at least state the exact terms on which to found an action for libel and not allow a loosely constructed charge of malice, copied from an

SILENCE!

The instinct of modesty natural to every woman is often a great hindrance to the cure of womanly diseases. Women shrink from the personal questions of the local physician which seem inadequate. The thought of examination is abhorrent to them, and so they endure in silence a condition of disease which surely progresses from bad to worse.

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old New York book of forms, to stand as a complaint in an action for damages.

One of the most conscientious judges of the supreme court is quoted as saying that the Oregon law of libel is a vicious law, and that it is the most unfair and stringent statute against publishers on the statute of any state.

There should be a general demand of the press to rectify the law of libel in this state, and in all states, so that a newspaper publisher should at least be on the same footing as any other citizen in this respect.

JOURNAL X-RAYS.

Young Rockefeller has concluded that he has accumulated so much property that he really cannot afford to pay his taxes.

Eastern Oregon legislators say they can find good senatorial timber if the members from this side absolutely give it up.

This is the 334 legislative day but unlike the masonic fraternity the legislature is going to raise that some seven degrees before electing a senator.

When the Czar and Emperor William and the Sultan all talk peace. It is time to grind up the battle ax and load the culverin with horse-shoe nails.

When England quarrels with the United States she may not be fighting her bread and butter but with the butter cut out the assertion becomes absolutely true.

A Spokane messenger boy who has been employed four months turns out to be a girl. She was suspected because she didn't chew tobacco, play marbles, swear or loaf.

Madame Patti has signed a contract with Grau, for a six months concert tour in this country next fall. She will appear in 60 concerts and get \$5000 for each besides 50 per cent of receipts over \$7,500 per night. This is her 'steenth farewell tour.

Baer made a speech before the coal commission Thursday in which he spoke of the laborers trying to manage the property in which they had no money, and classified the public, the coal consumers as meddlers. Baer really needs some hot towels on his head.

In London there is a temperance society whose members are simply pledged not to drink between meals. It is said half the citizens have, or will join it. Perhaps if it was amended so that they would be pledged not to drink between drinks the other half could be induced to join.

Last night the Shirley company played "Hold the Enemy," tomorrow night it will play "In the Hands of the Enemy." Some senatorial aspirants are well up in both plays, and Miss Shirley might get some valuable additions to her company by applying at the state house, say Saturday week.

According to the dispatches the Princess Louise was abandoned by Giron, and she wasn't. That he got \$100,000 for leaving her, and that he didn't; that the Princess tried to commit suicide, and she didn't try; that she has left Giron forever, and that she is going back to him never to be separated, that she is heart broken, and that she is happy; that her husband is a drunkard and a tyrant, and that he is a christian gentleman without guile and a model. And there you are.

Afraid of the Trusts.
A bill has been introduced in the Swedish riksdag to nationalize the iron mines. The government proposes to buy them and thus head off the trust. It recognizes that if the trust is permitted to own the mines the iron industry of Sweden will be at the mercy of a foreign syndicate. If the trust should find it expedient to stifle European competition by shutting down the mines, it would bring ruin to the Swedish iron industry, although it might swell the profits of the trust.

A Man's Head.
Mr. Geo. Waddle of Sweet Home, Tuesday, while near the Sanderson bridge, found the head and part of the back bone of a man. It is thought to have been those of Mr. Millard, drowned near Sweet Home a year ago. Mr. Waddle came to Albany today to notify the coroner, who, though, is out of the city—Albany Democrat.

Thinks Report False.

The Eugene Register, Wednesday, has the following: Lester Ogden, stage driver for E. Bangs, arrived from the head of tide at 1 o'clock this morning. He is of the opinion that the rumored death of Mrs. Lyons is unfounded. As he passed the place Tuesday, bound for this city, he was handed some letters by an attaché of the premises. In the perfunctory conversation that ensued, Mr. Ogden states nothing was said concerning the subject of the report. For this reason Mr. Ogden believes the report is false.

DRUGGISTS MUST BE CHARY.

They Sell All Kinds of Hair Preparations and Fear to Discriminate.

Druggists sell all kinds of hair preparations, and, as a rule, they are wisely chary of giving preference to any particular one, but many of them have come out plainly for Newbro's Herpicide, the new treatment that absolutely kills the dandruff germ. H. Swannell & Son, Champaign, Ill., say: "One customer of ours did not have a hair on top of his head when he began to use Herpicide now has a fair start toward a good head of hair. We believe Herpicide to be by far the best preparation of its kind on the market." Hundreds of similar testimonials from everywhere.

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Success With Formalin.

The new blood poison remedy, formalin, has been used with success in Bristol, Conn., in the case of Mrs. Napoleon Dube, when apparently she was dying. After the birth of a child the attending physician resorted to the use of well known remedies, but only temporary relief was gained.

On February 4, the doctor announced that death would come in three or four hours.

The patient was delicious, her temperature was 105 and her pulse 140. At 5:30 p. m., as an experiment, the doctor injected 650 cubic centimeters of formalin into a vein of the right arm near the elbow.

For one hour the temperature continued to rise then there was a steady gradual decrease until 6 o'clock the next morning, when it was normal, 98.5. The pulse, too, had fallen to 88. Since then the patient has improved steadily and is now pronounced out of danger.

Bed Time.
I take a pleasant herb drink, the next morning I feel bright and my complexion is better. My doctor says it acts gently on the stomach, liver and kidneys, and is a pleasant laxative. It is made of herbs, and is prepared as easily as tea. It is called Lane's medicine. All druggists sell it at 25c and 50c cents. Lane's Family Medicines moves the bowels each day. If you cannot get it, send for free samples. Address, Orator Woodward, Lefroy, N. Y.

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He Had Money Left.

G. J. Farley of The Dalles who has been in the city for several days left for home this evening. Apropos of his visit it is recalled that Mr. Farley was appointed by Gov. Penneyer and the board having the work in charge to superintend the construction of the railroad at the Cascades. There was an appropriation of \$60,000 for the work and it was asserted at the time that a second appropriation would be needed. Some unforeseen difficulties were encountered notably in driving piles at the lower incline, where the bottom of the river was a mass of boulders. In spite of this the road was speedily completed, and when everything was in running order, Mr. Farley still had \$3783 to the credit of the fund, which was covered back in the state treasury.

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Salem Market.

Hop Market.

Hops—22@25 1/2c.

Potatoes, Apples, Etc.

Potatoes—25@30c.

Onions—65c.

Dried Fruits.

Dried Apples—4 1/4 to 6 1/2c.

Italian prunes, 40s to 50s—5c.

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Wood, Fence Posts, Etc.

Big Fir—\$4.50.

Second Growth—\$4.00.

Ash—\$3.00 to \$3.75.

Body Oak—\$5.00.

Pole Oak—\$5.00.

Cedar Posts—10c.

Hides, Pelts and Furs.

Green Hides, No. 1—1@7c.

Green Hides, No. 2—2@5c.

Calf Skins—4 to 5c.

Sheep—75c.

Goat Skins—25c to \$1.00.

Gray Fox—25 to 50c.

Coon—10 to 40c.

Mink—25c to \$1.25.

Otter—\$1.00 to \$5.00.

Skunk—10 to 25c.

Muskrat—1 to 5c.

Wildcat—10 to 25c.

Grain and Flour.

Wheat—65c.

Oats—32c.

Barley—Brewing, 45c bushel; feed, \$21 per ton.

Flour—Wholesale, \$3.45.

Live Stock Market.

Steers—3 1/4 to 3 1/2c.

Cows—3 to 3 1/2c.

Sheep—\$3.50 gross to \$4.00.

Dressed Veal—6 1/2c.

Hogs, alive—5 1/2c.

Hogs, dressed—6 1/2c.

Wool and Mohair.

Coarse Wool—14c.

Fine—15c.

Mohair—25c.

Hay, Feed, Etc.

Baled Cheat—\$10.00@10.50.

Clover—\$10.00@10.50.

Brass—\$20.

Shorts—21.

Creamery and Dairy Products.

Good dairy butter—20@25c.

Creamery Butter—35c.

Cream, pan skimmed, at creamery—25c, at farm 22 1/2c.

Cream—separator skimmed, at Com. Creamery 32 1/2c, minus freight.

Portland Market.

Wheat—Walla Walla, 76@77c.

Wheat—Valley, 78@78 1/2c.

Flour—Portland, best grade, \$3.75.

Graham, \$3.45@3.85.

Oats—Choice White, \$1.15@1.20.

Barley—Feed, \$23.50 per ton; rolled, \$24.50.

Millfeed—Bran, \$19.

Hay—Timothy, \$11 to \$12 per ton.

Onions—75c to \$1 per cental.

Potatoes—40@45c per cental.

Butter—Best dairy, 20@22 1/2c; fancy creamery, 30@32 1/2c; store, 15@18c.

Eggs—Oregon ranch, 24@25c per dozen.

Poultry—Chickens, maxed 12@12 1/2c; pound; hens, 11 1/2@12c; turkeys, live, 15@16c.

Mutton—Gross, \$4.00@4.50.

Hogs—Gross, \$6.25.

Beef—Gross, \$3.00@3.75.

Veal—\$8@9c.

Hops—22@27c.

Wool—Valley, 12 1/2@15c; Eastern Oregon, 5@11 1/2c; Mohair 26@28c.

Hides—dry, 16 pounds and upwards, 15 to 15 1/2c.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease, and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven Catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

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