

OH, WANTON WIND!

BY MILES O'BRIEN.

Oh, wanton wind! warm, kissing, kind,
Thy sighs turned my Laura's tresses;
Ruffled her hair with fragrance bland,
And even fanned those deep recesses.
Where love is seen, warm-coupled, serene,
Asleep between two summer billows;
Oh, heedless wind! to beauty blind,
Where couldst thou find more tempting pillows?
The lily bell, whose anthers tell
The time so well, by you set ringing;
The rital rose, wherein repose
Queen Mab, and those unto her clinging;
The violet sweet, the daisy neat—
Should I repeat each fragrant blossom—
Oh, careless wind! could all combined
To please thy mind as Laura's bosom?
Intense still! hence, hence and still
Thou wilt sell of my bright vestal!
And yet—ah, stay! ere hence you stray;
Leave me, I pray, your right to nestle;
Give me to seek her dainty cheek,
And whispering speak what thou seest dreamst;
For me to lie one moment nigh
Her heart and die, were bliss supremest!

License duties of the Internal Revenue Law.

General Provisions.—Licenses are granted for one year from the first day of May, or for a portion of a year proportionately, and no license authorizes doing business in any place except that mentioned in the application, except for lawyers, physicians, surgeons, dentists, cattle brokers, horse dealers, peddlers and auctioneers. Where more than one kind of business is carried on by the same person, separate licenses are required. Payment of license under this Act is no exemption from State or Territorial licenses.

Bankers, (excepting savings banks without capital stock) if capital is not over \$50,000, \$100; and for each additional \$1,000, \$2.

Wholesale dealers, whose annual sales are not \$50,000, \$50, and for every additional \$1,000, \$1. Persons whose annual sales, including wines, spirits and malt liquors, exceed \$25,000 are wholesale dealers, nor shall such dealer pay less license than for his sales for the previous year, except on some proposal of change in business which in the judgment of the Assessor will reduce his annual sales.

Retail dealers \$10. Persons selling goods of domestic manufacture, except wines, spirits or malt liquors, are retail dealers.

Wholesale dealers in liquors, when annual sales exceed \$50,000, \$50; and one dollar for every additional \$1,000. Every person who shall sell more than three gallons at one time to the same person, or whose annual sales, including other merchandise, exceeds \$25,000, is a wholesale dealer.

Retail dealers in liquors, \$25.

Lodger ticket dealers, \$100.

Horse dealers.—Any person whose business is to buy or sell horses, \$10. No keeper of livery stables shall pay extra tax as a horse dealer.

Livery stable keepers, \$10.

Brokers, \$50. No broker shall need additional license as a broker.

Pawnbrokers, if capital is not over \$50,000; \$50, and \$2 for every additional \$1,000.

Land Warrant Brokers, \$25.

Cattle Brokers, (dealers in cattle, hogs, and sheep) when sales do not exceed \$10,000, \$10; and for each additional \$1,000 \$1.

Produce Brokers same as cattle brokers.

Commercial Brokers, \$20.

Distillers, \$50. If less than 300 barrels per year are distilled, \$25.

Brewers, \$50. If less than 500 barrels per year, \$25.

Rectifiers, \$25.

Hotels, Inns and Taverns.—Where yearly rental does not exceed \$200, \$10; and for every additional \$100, \$5.

Eating houses and Confectioners, \$10.

Claim, Patent, and Real Estate Agents, Conveyancers, Patent Right and Insurance Agents, \$10, each.

Auctioneers, when sales do not exceed \$10,000, \$10; exceeding \$10,000, \$20.00.

Manufacturers, (persons manufacturing by hand or machinery) goods, etc., exceeding \$1,000 per year in value, \$10.

Peddlers traveling with two horses or mules, \$25; with more than two \$50; with one horse or mule \$15; on foot \$10.

Peddlers of newspapers, Bibles or tracts not taxed.

Apothecaries, \$10.

Photographers \$10, when receipts do not exceed \$500; exceeding \$500, \$15; exceeding \$1,000, \$25.

Tobaccoists, \$10.

Butchers, \$10.

Proprietors of theatres, museums and concert halls, \$100.

Jugglers, \$20.

Bowling Alleys or Billiard Rooms, \$10, for each alley or table.

Proprietors of gift enterprises, \$50.

Owners of stallions and jacks, \$10.

Lawyers, physicians, surgeons, dentists, architects and engineers, \$10.

Builders and contractors, \$25, if contracts exceed 2,500 per year.

Plumbers and gas fitters, \$10.

Assayers of gold and silver, \$100.

License of \$10 required from any business not hereinbefore enumerated if gross receipts exceed \$1,000 per year.

If gross receipts of any apothecary, confectioner, eating house, tobaccoist, or retail dealer, except for liquors, do not exceed \$1,000 per year, no license is required.

The foregoing are the general features of the law. Particular and special cases, however, admit of some slight modifications which space does not permit us to publish, but which can be easily ascertained by application to the Collector or Assessor of Internal Revenue or any of their assistants.

"A roccer stone wall," says Hugh McMillan, "in any situation is an object of interest to a thoughtful mind. The different shapes of the stones, their varied mineral character, the diversity of tints, textures, and lines which occur in them, are all suggestive of inquiry and reflection. Sermons may thus be found in stones more profitable, perhaps, than many printed or spoken ones, which he who runs may read. The smallest appearance link themselves with the grandest phenomena; a minute speck supplies a text around which may cluster many a striking thought; and by means of a hint from a mere hue or line in a little stone—almost imperceptible to the general eye—may be reconstructed seas and continents that passed away thousands of ages ago—visions of landscape scenery to which the present aspect of the globe presents no parallel. This flexure of the stone tells me of violent volcanic eruptions, by which the soft, newly-deposited stratum—the muddy

precipitate of ocean waters—heaved and undulated like corn in the breeze; that lamination, of which the dark lines regularly alternate with the grey, speaks eloquently of gentle waves rippling musically over sandy shores; and the irregular protuberances which I see here and there over the stone, are the casts of hollows or cracks produced in ancient tide-beaches by shrinkage—similar appearances being often seen under our feet, as we walk over the pavement of any of our towns. Yonder smooth and striated surface is the Runic writing of the northern Frost-king, transporting me back in fancy to that wonderful age of ice when glaciers slid over mountain-rocks, and flowed through lowland valleys, where corn now grows, and the snow seldom falls. And if there be a block of sandstone, it may chance to exhibit not only ripple-marks of ancient seas, but foot-prints of unknown birds and strange tortoises that sought their food along the water's edge; and sometimes memorials of former things more accidental and shadowy than even these—such as fossil rain-drops, little circular and oval hollows, with their casts—supposed to be impressions produced by rain and hail, indicating by their various appearances the character of the shower, and the direction of the wind when it was falling. Every one has heard of the crazy Greek who went about exhibiting a brick as a specimen of the building which he wished to sell; but in the structure of each geological specimen every stone is significant of the whole. Each fragment, however minute, is a record of the terrestrial changes that occurred when it was formed; ingrained in every hue and line is the story of the physical conditions under which it was produced. The ten commandments were not more clearly engraved on the two tables of stone than the laws of nature that operated in its formation are impressed upon the smallest pebble by the wayside. Its materials furnish a unmistakable clue to its origin, and its shape unfolds its subsequent history. God has impressed the marks of the revolutions of the earth not merely upon large tracts of country and enormous strata of rock and mountain range—difficult of access and inconvenient for study—but even upon the smallest stone, so that the annals of creation are multiplied by myriads of copies, and can never be lost."

Something New.

The new railway coach on the Old Colony Road is a startling innovation in this country, and excites much attention on the road. People flock to the depots to see the wonder, and appear as much interested as passengers themselves. It is about the usual length, but entirely unlike the ordinary passenger car, being divided into separate apartments, with side doors to each and seats extending across the car, like a succession of stage coaches arranged on a platform. There are five apartments, to accommodate eight persons each, and one for twelve, with a centre-table, and all the conveniences of a family parlor. In point of style and superb finish, nothing has been built in the car line in this country that can compare with it; the upholstery (which is of different material and colors for each apartment) alone cost \$5,000. The cost of the car was about \$14,000. It reflects much credit on Superintendent J. A. Holmes, who drafted the plan from the English Railway carriage, while recently in Europe. The car is intended for the new colony New York route, via Newport. —Old Colony (Mass.) Memorial.

Luther used to say that he was once whipped fourteen times in one forenoon.—The old German schools were frightful dens of barbarism. An obituary in one of their school journals, as late as 1782, contains the following singular statement of educational exertions: "Hauberie, assistant teacher in a village in Suabia. During the 51 years 7 months of his official life, he had by a moderate computation, inflicted 111,527 blows with a cane, 124,010 blows with a rod, 20,989 blows and raps with a ruler, 136,715 blows with the hand, 10,535 blows over the mouth, 7,905 boxes on the ear, 1,115,800 raps on the head, and 22,783 notabenes (i. e., knocks) with the Bible, catechism, singing-book, and grammar.—He had 777 times made boys kneel on pens, and 613 times on a three-cornered piece of wood; had made 5001 'wear the jackass,' and 1707 hold the rod up; not to enumerate various more unusual punishments which he contrived on the spur of the moment. He had about three hundred expressions to scold with, of which he had found two-thirds ready-made in his native language, and the rest he had invented."

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Virginia City, M. T., Sept. 10, 1864.

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SUMMONS.

Beaver Head County, Bannack City, in the Territory of Montana.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of said county: You are hereby commanded to summon Patrick Y. Florida if he shall be found within your county, to appear before the undersigned, one of the Justices of the Peace in and for said county at my office in said city, on the 2nd day of January, A. D., 1865, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, to answer to James Mansfield plaintiff, in an action on contract for the direct payment of money, for the sum of Ninety (\$90 00) dollars, for which amount said plaintiff will take judgment against you if you fail to appear and answer the plaintiff's complaint. Hereof fail not at your peril.

Given under my hand at Bannack City, this 21st day of November, A. D., 1864.

E. W. WESTON, Justice of the Peace.

TO THE PUBLIC.

THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE VIRGINIA CITY and Summit City Wagon Road Company, will meet at Allen & Millard's Bank on Wallace (or Main) street Virginia City, on Saturday evening of each week, at 7 o'clock, P. M.—Persons having business with the Company are requested to confer with them at the above time and place. By order of the Board.

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