The New Northwest.

FRIDAY..............JANUARY 5, 1876.

HER TREASURES.

BY MARY AINGE DE VERE.

I keep them in the old, old box
  That Willie gave me years ago,
The time we parted on the rocks;
  His ship lay swinging to and fro,
At waiting in the lower bay,
I thought my heart would break, that day!

The picture with the pensive eyes
  Is Willie's? No, dear, that's young Blake,
Who took the West Point highest prize;
  He went half crazy for my sake.
Here are a lot of rhymes he wrote.
And here's a button off his coat.

Is this his ring? My dearest May,
  I never took a ring from him!
This was a gift from Howard Clay.
  Just see, the pearls are getting dim.
They say that pearls are tears—what stuff!
The setting looks a little rough.

He was as handsome as a prince—
  And jealous! But he went to Rome
Last fall. He's never written since.
  I used to visit at his home—
A lovely place beyond Fort Lee;
His mother thought the world of me!

Oh, no! I sent his letters back.
  These came to me from Washington,
But look, what a tremendous pack!
  He always wrote me three for one.
I know I used to treat him ill;
Poor Jack! he fell at Chancellorsville.

The vignettes—all that lot—are scalps
  I took in London, Naples, Nice,
At Paris, and among the Alps;
  Those foreign lovers act like geese.
But, dear, they are such handsome men.
We go to France next year, again!

This is the doctor's signet ring.
  These faded flowers? Oh, let me see;
Why, what a very curious thing!
  Who could have sent these flowers to me?
Ah! now I have it—Count de Twirl;
He married that fat Crosbie girl.

His hair was red. You need not look
  So sadly at that raven tress.
You know the head that lock forsook;
  You know, but you could never guess!
Nor would I tell you for the world
About whose brow that ringlet curled.

Why won't I tell? Well, partly, child,
  Because you like the man yourself;
But most, because—don't get so wild!
I have not laid him on the shelf—
He's not a bygone. In a year,
I'll tell you all about him, dear.
—[Scribner's Monthly.

Pilkins as a Benefactor.

Pilkins is looking for another office boy. He got a new one last week, but the youth has passed on to other scenes. The boy came to him in answer to an advertisement. He was neatly dressed, hair combed nicely, and shoes shiny. His appearance was engaging, and Pilkins thought as he gazed upon him that he had never before met with a boy who seemed so completely the ideal of what he had pictured would make him happy every time he had found it necessary to seek youthful assistance through the medium of the newspapers. He asked a few questions and received satisfactory answers, engaged the boy on the spot, after examining a specimen of his penmanship, which the youth had brought with him. It consisted of a verse of scripture and looked very neat. Everything was in ship-shape, and the words all properly spelled and punctuated. Pilkins went home that night a happy man. His heart was buoyant, and he felt on good terms with the whole human family. He kissed his wife for the first time in two years, gave her a twenty-dollar bill for pin-money, greeted his mother-in-law with much cordiality, and allowed his baby boy so many sweetmeats for tea that everybody in the house was kept up all night, taking turns in trotting him around, and skirmishing between the house and the corner drug store. In the course of a day or two, however, domestic affairs assumed the "even tenor," etc., the household's pride resumed its normal condition, and Pilkins was once more at liberty to seek happiness within, and many air castles did he build, the domes of all which upheld statues of the new boy at the office. He resolved that he would be a benefactor and a protector to him; he would win his confidence, and teach the child to love him. He would give him a good business education, and train him up in his own profession, and perhaps, in after years, when the father's mantle should have descended to the hero of the sweetmeats, the two might perpetuate the beautiful legend of David and Jonathan, and cement in a business union the kindred affections of father and benefactor.

Pilkins don't think exactly in that strain at the present writing. His feelings have undergone a singular revolution, and, as we remarked in the outset, he has advertised for another boy. The mightiest events find birth sometimes in the slightest and most trivial circumstances. The fate of Rome was decided by a flock of gabbling geese; the prosperity and happiness of Pilkin's boy was shattered by his murderous spelling. Had his orthography been equal to his appearance he might in time have risen to a summit so lofty that the eyes of a nation could behold him, and thousands of other boys yet unborn trace out in the sands of time his footprints to success. But as he killed his intended benefactor by assassinating the lexicon, his biographer will be likely to have an easy time of it, and if any of his tracks are ever found they will in all probability be discovered deeply imbedded in the mud of obscurity.

The duties into which the new boy was installed were manifold, but his success was fully up to the average in most of them. After he had been on triel two or three days, Pilkins laid before him a large pile of bills and invoices, and explained how he wished them folded up in a certain shape, of uniform size, and a slight indication of their contents written across the end. The boy said he comprehended the idea, and set to work with a vim that caused his kind-hearted employer to pat him on the head and remark that he was a good boy and deserved to get on in the world. About this time Pilkins was called out of the office and didn't return for a couple of hours; when he did so, he found the task completed and the boy anxious to submit the work for the approbation he felt sanguine it would receive. Pilkins talked patronizingly to the youngster while he wiped his glasses, but as soon as he had put them on and taken one square look at the papers before him, his suavity of manner ceased to be excessive. His brow darkened and his voice grew terrible as his eye quailed before such inscriptions as "frate bile on sum shooger," "pade for vittles and uther things," "bile on kole bot fur hows," "bile on a mann ho pute sum glas inter the orfiss winders," "pade fur fixen karridge," "bile fur sum close fur missus pilkuns," "munney give tew a niggore fur wotteren thee streats," "bile fur ate baruls uv pertayturs."

There was one brief, fleeting moment in which Pilkins might have been knocked down with a feather, but in the next instant he brought his clenched fist down on the desk with the force of a trip-hammer, splitting the panel, upsetting the ink-stand over the new ledger, and sending things spinning over the flour, while he poured forth ejaculations reproachful, indgnant and profane. Then he turned upon his shattered idol, seized him by the ears, lifted him up about three feet above the floor, brought him down with all the emphasis he could master, and bade him begone from his sight. "You blasphemous little wretch!" he yelled, "I couldn't have believed that any human being outside of Tophet could have spelled so infernally wickedly and maliciously as you have stumbled upon. You are a whited sepulcher of the most infamous description; to the eye you appear mild, harmless and even pleasing, but with a pen in your hand you could devastate the world, and turn the life of a saint into one horrid, crazing nightmare. The Bible itself, in your spelling, would shake Christianity to its base, and make men lunatics. You are a fraud and a delusion; a pitfall and a snare; as ungrateful as Satan, and as much to be dreaded as the seven plagues. You will grow up to be a house-breaker and a body-snatcher, and nothing but the school-room can save you from the gallows. Leave me! Clear out! Vamoose! before I strangle you! Run as fast as you can for the nearest school-house! Study, day and night, late and early—*all the time*—and try for heaven's sake with all your might to overcome the base instincts that seem to have been born in you. Never be caught without your spelling-book, for it is your only salvation. Try hard, prayerfully and unceasingly, and you may, possibly, by a hair's breadth, circumvent the terrible fate which now seems to be inevitable. Git! and never let me set eyes on you again till you can outspell Webster himself, or I shall shoot you on sight."

And this is how it comes that Pilkins wants another boy. No bad spellers need apply.—*Chicago Ledger*.

Character.

Character is a fortune. It pays a better dividend than bank or railroad stocks. The young man who goes forth in the world with an unimpeachable character, can never suffer permanent defeat. The blows which he receives from his antagonists will bound back from such a character, and all the injury they inflict will be upon him who gives them. In every emergency it is the man of character who is sought. Those lacking this beautiful jewel may for a time crowd themselves forward, and so long as nothing of importance is at stake, be permitted to enjoy prominence in state and social affairs; but when the crisis comes, when government is threatened, when society is menaced, when it is a special honor to be prominent, character is scrutinized, and only he whose character is spotless is selected to lead.

At such times, brilliant reputations fade as the meteor fades, and their possessors find that reputation is one thing and character quite another. They then regret that this important difference had not been thought of before. But the world seems to learn little from these lessons which individuals so often learn under severe circumstances.

The world, as a rule, is careful of its reputation. The question is not what I am, but what will the world think of me? With a knowledge of the advantages of character, may every young man who reads this, strive to live in such a way that he can respect himself, and be utterly regardless, so long as he is right, of the opinion of the world.

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WOMEN'S WORK.—Mrs. Robert Dale Owen asserts that more than half the work of the world is performed by women. She thinks that woman's work is not estimated in the expense of living. Every thousand dollars in money that comes into a house has two thousand added to it by her labor. All this vast amount of domestic work has to be done, and ought to be done well. There is no reason why it should not be held in as high estimation as esthetics, or why it should not be thought quite as respectable; and the only way to make it so is to preach it up as having a pecuniary and intrinsic value and to make every girl feel upon leaving school that she ought to select at once some life-work for herself, and unless she has some peculiar talent in another direction, domestic labor is as high and as elevated as any. No young woman should be willing to marry unless she is able to support herself, and can feel that she does not choose a husband that she might become a dependent. She does not approve, however, of married women earning their own living. She thought it would ruin all the men in America if their wives supported themselves; their domestic duties, properly performed, were enough for them to do, and should be recognized at their proper value.

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In California women were made eligible to the offices of school trustee by a law passed at the session of the legislature previous to the last; but the last legislature repealed the law. It had a Democratic majority; but we are unwilling to accept this fact as an adequate explanation of this petty meanness. Let us rather suppose that the greed of office is so strong in the masculine nature that it could not afford to lose the chance of a single honor—even that which brings distinction to the male possessor of the office of school trustee! —*New Age*.

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When a Bishop at a public meeting in England asked Professor Huxley, sneeringly, "Does the learned scientist really wish us to believe that he is descended from an ape?" the sharp rebuke was administered by Huxley, "I had rather be related to an ape than to a Bishop of the Church of England who can so misrepresent the votaries of science!"

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A clergyman's widow gave this advice to a young lady friend the other day: "Jane, if you ever marry a minister, marry one who in an emergency has enough of the grace of God in his heart to go from the pulpit to the kitchen and pare the potatoes for dinner without growling."

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SUMMONS.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE of Oregon, for the county of Multnomah.—Aleck Shelland, Plaintiff, vs. Annie Shelland, Defendant.—To Annie Shelland, the above named Defendant: You are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit within ten days from the date of the service of this summons upon you, if served within this county, or if served in any other county of this State, then within twenty days from the date of the service of this summons upon you, or if the same be served by this publication, then you are so required to appear and answer said complaint on or before the 12th day of February, 1877; and if you fail so to answer for want thereof, the Plaintiff will take a judgment and decree against you for the dissolution of the marriage contract and obligations now existing between yourself and said Plaintiff, and also for the care and custody of the minor child mentioned and described in Plaintiff's complaint, and for such other relief as shall be equitable and just.

This summons is published by order of Hon. E. D. Shattuck, Judge of said Court, which order was made and entered on the 14th of December, 1876. CAPLES & MULKEY,
dec22 Attorneys for Plaintiff.

SUMMONS.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE of Oregon for the county of Multnomah.—Freelove Shalbinou, Plaintiff, vs. Peter Shalbinou, Defendant.—To Peter Shalbinou, the above named Defendant: 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 ten days from the date of the service of this summons upon you, if served within this county, or if served in any other county of this State, then within twenty days from the date of the service of this summons upon you, and if served by publication, then you are required to appear and answer by the first day of the term following the expiration of the time prescribed in the order of publication, to-wit: the 12th day of February, 1877; and if you fail so to answer for want thereof, the Plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint, to-wit: for a decree dissolving the bonds of matrimony now existing between Plaintiff and Defendant, and for such other and further relief as pertains to law and equity.

Made by order of E. D. Shattuck, Judge of said Court, December 7, 1876, in open Court.
O. P. MASON,
dec15 Attorney for Plaintiff.

SUMMONS.

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF THE STATE of Oregon for the county of Multnomah.—Mary J. Powell, Plaintiff, vs. John Powell, Defendant.—To John Powell, the above named Defendant: 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 by the first day of the term of this Court, which will commence six weeks or more after the publication of this summons, to-wit: on the second Monday in February, A. D., 1877. And if you fail to answer for want thereof, the Plaintiff will apply to the Court for a judgment and decree dissolving the marriage contract existing between you and Plaintiff, on the ground of willful desertion, and for general relief.

This summons is published by order of the judge of said Court, made at chambers this 17th day of November, 1876.
CHARLES GARDINER,
dec1 Attorney for Plaintiff.

SUMMONS.

JUSTICE'S COURT FOR THE PRECINCT of Morrison, State of Oregon, county of Multnomah.—Geo. H. Clarke and M. W. Henderson, partners in business in firm name of Clarke & Henderson, Plaintiffs, vs. Tuckfield, whose first name is unknown.—To Tuckfield, the above named Defendant: In the name of the State of Oregon, you are hereby required to appear before the undersigned, a Justice of the Peace for the precinct aforesaid, on the 19th day of January, 1877, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the office of said Justice in said precinct, to answer the above named Plaintiffs in a civil action. The Defendant will take notice that, if he fail to answer the complaint herein, the Plaintiffs will take judgment against him for $19 02 U. S. gold coin and costs.

Given under my hand this 6th day of December, 1876. R. E. BYBEE,
dec8 Justice of the Peace.

SUMMONS.

JUSTICE'S COURT FOR THE PRECINCT of Morrison, State of Oregon, county of Multnomah.—L. S. Skiff, Plaintiff, vs. G. F. Tucker, Defendant.—To G. F. Tucker, the above named Defendant: In the name of the State of Oregon, you are hereby required to appear before the undersigned, a Justice of the Peace for the precinct aforesaid, on the 19th day of January, 1877, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon of said day at the office of said Justice in said precinct, to answer the above named Plaintiff in a civil action. The Defendant will take notice that if he fail to answer the complaint herein, the Plaintiff will take judgment against him for the sum of Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars and costs and disbursements.

Given under my hand this 6th day of December, 1876. R. E. BYBEE,
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SUMMONS.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE of Oregon for the county of Multnomah.—Angeline Buckman, Plaintiff, vs. John Nation and Matilda C. Nation, Defendants.—To John Nation and Matilda C. Nation, Defendants above named: 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 ten days from the date of the service of this summons upon you, if served within this county, or if served in any other county in this State, then within twenty days from the date of the service of this summons upon you, or in case service is made by this publication, then you are so required to answer said complaint on or before the first day of the next term of said court which shall convene after this notice shall have been published once a week for six consecutive weeks, to-wit: on the 12th day of February, 1877, and if you fail so to answer for want thereof, the Plaintiff will take judgment against Defendants for $652 79 in U. S. gold coin, with interest thereon at the rate of one per cent. per month in like coin from July 16th, 1876, and for costs and disbursements and for a decree of foreclosure of the mortgage described in the complaint, and for the sale of the following described lands, to satisfy said judgment and costs, to-wit: Lots one (1) and two (2) in Block L, and all of that portion of lots three (3) and four (4) lying west of fifty feet from the east line of said lots three (3) and four (4) in Block L; also all of that part of Block H bounded and described as follows: Commencing at the northwest corner of lot four (4) in Block I, running thence along west to low water mark, thence southerly along the meandering of the Willamette River to the north line of Block L, thence east along said line to a point directly south of the place of beginning, thence north to the place of beginning, being in Kern's Addition to the City of East Portland, Multnomah county, and State of Oregon.

This summons is published by order of said court, made and entered on the 25th of July, 1876. CAPLES & MULKEY,
dec8 Attorneys for Plaintiff.

SUMMONS.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE of Oregon for the county of Multnomah.—Sarah Welch, Plaintiff, vs. Russell Welch, Defendant.—Suit to dissolve the marriage contract.—To Russell Welch, Defendant: In the name of the State of Oregon, you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint of the above named Plaintiff against the above named Defendant filed in the above entitled suit by the first day of the term of said Court following the expiration of six weeks' publication of this summons, to-wit: the second Monday of February, 1877. If you fail so to answer, the Plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in said complaint, which is to dissolve the marriage contract existing between Plaintiff and Defendant, and for a decree vesting in the Plaintiff the title to one-third of the real property owned by the Defendant, and for such a sum of money for the future support of Plaintiff and minor child, Lane Welch, as to the Court shall seem just.

By order of Hon. E. D. Shattuck, Judge of said Court, made Dec. 11, 1876.
RICE & SMITH,
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