

CHINESE MUSIC IN COURT.

An Attempt to Decide Whether It Hath Charms or Hathn't.

The case brought by J. C. Clunie and others asking for an injunction forbidding the erection of the new Chinese theater came on yesterday before Judge Cooper, L. A. Thurston for the plaintiffs, and A. S. Hartwell for the defendants, says the Pacific Commercial Advertiser. The grounds on which the injunction was asked were that all Chinese performances necessarily include an instrumental performance, and that the orchestra—if the theater were erected—would give such dismal, hideous and unearthly music that it would constitute a nuisance and make life in the neighborhood not worth living. After taking the evidence of J. L. Kaulukou, who testified to the horrid music of the old theater, Mr. Thurston, who had summoned into court the entire Chinese band, with their instruments, offered a "performance" in evidence. He proved by one of the actors that the music was an integral part of all Chinese plays, and claimed that the court could fully appreciate the character of the music only by hearing it. Mr. Hartwell opposed its introduction as being contrary to the rules of evidence and utterly irregular. He asked if the case went up on appeal how could the music be preserved so that the supreme court could hear it. Mr. Thurston replied that it could be preserved in the phonograph, if there was one, and besides, he claimed that the music was not for the supreme court, but for Judge Cooper to hear, in order to settle the question of fact. After due consideration Judge Cooper admitted the performance in evidence. The instruments were tuned, and, at the word of command, the five gongs, two cymbals, big bass drum and several other effective, but indescribable instruments, went off. Such music had never before been heard in the court-room. It rattled and screamed and bellowed and thundered around the room and tried to burst the windows. The full bench of the supreme court, sitting in another room, promptly adjourned and hurried in. The meeting of the board of health in the room below came to a dead standstill, and the audience, including the cabinet, rushed out in bewilderment. Mr. Maraden, in the agricultural department below, became wild, it is said, and tried to get out of the window; but immediately recovered himself and exclaimed that he had now found a new remedy for the Japanese beetle. The portraits of the eminent justices, now departed, which adorn the walls of the court-room, were disturbed, and presented the ghastly spectacle of lifting up their hands and closing their ears. After five minutes the court ordered the noise to abate and the trial proceeded.

Where Three Empires Meet.

There is in the southeastern part of the Prussian province, Silesia, a spot where the frontiers of Germany, Russia and Austria meet. This point, which is called "The Three Emperors' Corner," is in the heart of a great coal and iron region. Count Schwalow, the new governor-general of Poland, recently made a trip of inspection through the iron and industrial districts of Russian-Poland, and upon this occasion made a visit to this historical spot, where once the three emperors of Russia, Germany and Austria met and spoke to each other, while each stood in his own country. The party was heartily welcomed by a large number of German mine workers, who happened to see the cavalcade and the array of carriages on the other side. After a short stay the governor continued upon his trip, but not before having called over to a German engineer who had taken a snap shot of the brilliant company across the brook, to send him a copy of a picture made in Germany, taking in a Russian governor and his staff, with an Austrian landscape as the background.

Bath Recommended.

The following is the horror perpetrated by a well-known Scottish baronet: A sportsman said to him the other day: "Talking about dogs with keen scent, I have one that will compare favorably with any you have in England." "Very remarkable dog, I suppose?" yawned the listener. "I should say so. The other day after I left home he broke his chain and, although I had been away for hours, he tracked me and found me merely by scent. What do you think of that?" "I think you ought to take a bath," replied the Caledonian, turning calmly away.—Life's Calendar.

Progress of Christian Endeavor.

The latest denomination to make Christian Endeavor its official young people's society is the African M. E. Zion church. The board of bishops, at its recent conference in St. Louis, unanimously passed a resolution endorsing the Y. P. S. C. E. and making Christian Endeavor the denominational young people's society. The board also recommended that Christian Endeavor societies be organized in every church throughout the A. M. E. Zion connection.

Dromedaries as Camels.

Dromedaries are swifter than camels and without a load go eight miles an hour for ten or twelve hours. Caravans consist of from 1,000 to 4,000, and many Arabs possess from 400 to 500. They cast their hair every year, and it is made into clothes, stockings, shawls, carpets, etc. Dromedaries live from forty to fifty years.

Woman Appointed County Physician.

Dr. Mabel Spencer, a Kansas City woman, has been appointed county physician of Riley county, the first woman in Kansas to receive such an appointment.

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It is a truth in medicine that the smallest dose that performs a cure is the best. DeWitt's Little Early Risers are the smallest pills, will perform a cure, and are the best. For sale by Morris and Co. Druggists.

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A. G. Bartley of Magic, Pa., writes: I feel it a duty of mine to inform you and the public that DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve cured me of a very bad case of eczema. It also cured my boy of a running sore on his leg. For sale by Morris and Co. Druggists.

An Old Soldier's Recommendation.

In the late war I was a soldier in the First Maryland Volunteers, company G. During my term of service I contracted chronic diarrhoea. Since then I have used a great amount of medicine, but when I found any that would give me relief it would injure my stomach, until Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea remedy was brought to my notice. I used it and will say it is the only remedy that gave me permanent relief and no bad results follow. I take pleasure in recommending this preparation to all of my old comrades, who, while giving their services to their country, contracted this dreadful disease as I did, from eating unwholesome and uncooked food. Yours truly, A. E. BENDING, Halsey, Oregon. For sale by P. C. Corrigan, druggist.

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS.

In the County Court of Holt county, Neb. Lydia J. DeYarman, plaintiff, vs. Charles Odell, defendant.

Charles Odell will take notice that on the 23rd day of December, 1895, G. A. MacCallahan, county judge of Holt county, Nebraska, issued an order of attachment for the sum of \$47.15 in an action pending before him, wherein Lydia J. DeYarman is plaintiff and Charles Odell, as defendant; that property of yours consisting of about 300 three hundred bushel of corn has been attached under said order.

You are notified that said cause was continued to the 15th day of February, 1896, at 10 o'clock A. M. Dated December 23, 1895. 25-3 LYDIA J. DEYARMAN, Plaintiff.

In the District Court of Holt county, Neb. C. C. Cuyler, Benjamin Graham and James Orr, plaintiffs, vs. James K. Jones and wife, Sarah Jane Jones, Elliot G. Drake and wife, Nellie M. Drake, Globe Investment Company, a corporation, H. A. Wyman, as receiver of the Globe Investment Company, Dakota Mortgage Loan Corporation and H. Rust, defendants.

The above named defendants will take notice that on the second day of January, 1896, the above named plaintiffs filed their petition in the district court of Holt county, Nebraska, against the above named defendants. The object and prayer of said petition being to foreclose a certain mortgage deed, executed by the defendants, James K. Jones and wife, Sarah Jane Jones, to the Dakota Mortgage Loan Corporation, upon the following described real estate, situated in Holt county, Nebraska, to-wit: The northeast quarter of section twenty-three, township thirty-one, range ten, west of the 6th P. M., said mortgage deed being given to secure the payment of a certain note or bond of \$700.00, dated February 18, 1892, due March 1, 1893. Plaintiffs allege that they are the owners of said bond and mortgage deed, and that there is now due thereon the sum of \$1,000.00 for which sum with interest from this date, plaintiffs pray for a decree that the defendants be required to pay the same or that the said premises may be sold to satisfy the amount found due. Plaintiffs also pray that the lien of interest of the defendants, if any they have in said premises, be decreed to be subject to the lien of plaintiffs mortgage and for other equitable relief.

You are required to answer said petition on or before the 10th day of February, 1896. Dated this 2nd day of January, 1896. 25-4 R. H. DICKSON, Attorney for Plaintiff.

NOTICE. Notice is hereby given that the Elkhorn Irrigation and Land Company was organized on the 8th day of November, A. D. 1895, under and in accordance with the laws of the state of Nebraska, made and provided.

Its principal place of transacting business is O'Neill, Holt county, Nebraska. The general nature of the business to be transacted is to construct, purchase, lease, maintain, operate, and control the rights, franchises and property of the Elkhorn Irrigation company, O'Neill, Neb., and to furnish water for irrigation, power, stock and domestic purposes, and to carry on a general irrigation, farming and stockraising business. Also to own, buy, sell and convey real estate lying under and contiguous to its irrigation canal or canals.

The amount of authorized capital stock of said company is \$150,000, divided into 1500 shares of \$100 each, \$5,000 of which was subscribed and ten per cent. paid in before beginning business.

Said corporation began business November 13, 1895, and is to continue in business for ninety-nine years unless sooner dissolved by due process of law.

The highest amount of indebtedness said corporation can at any time subject itself shall not exceed two-thirds of its capital stock.

The business of said corporation shall be conducted by a board of directors, from whose numbers shall be elected a president, vice president, secretary, treasurer and such other officers as shall be deemed advisable by said directors.

THE ELKHORN IRRIGATION AND LAND COMPANY. [SEAL]

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. LAND OFFICE AT O'NEILL, NEB. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Register and Receiver at O'Neill, Neb., on January 4, 1896, viz:

P. E. Chang, guardian of the minor heirs of Jacob Harper, deceased, H. E. N. 14294, for the SE SW 1/4 Sec. 19, Twp. 26n, range 27w.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: Robert Glines, George E. Hunter, Doran Hunt, Alaska Lines all of Page, Neb.

JOHN A. HARMON, Register.

NOTICE TO NON-RESIDENT DEFENDANTS.

Marian W. Barnes, William L. Weller and Mary Weller, his wife, will take notice that on the 16th day of December, 1895, Edward B. Gaskell, executor of the last will and testament of Mrs. E. H. Gaskell, deceased, filed his amended and substituted petition in the district court of Holt county, Nebraska, against said defendants, the object and prayer of which are to foreclose a certain mortgage executed by Marian W. Barnes and Prusilla J. Barnett to the American Loan and Trust Company, on June 1, 1887, upon the northeast quarter of section seventeen (17) township thirty-two (32), range seven (7) in the county of Holt, state of Nebraska, to secure the payment of a mortgage bond for the sum of \$500.00 with coupons attached, due and payable June 1, 1892, which said bond and mortgage were duly assigned for value before maturity to Mrs. E. H. Gaskell, and that the plaintiff is the duly appointed, acting and qualified executor of the last will and testament of Mrs. E. H. Gaskell, deceased. Plaintiff alleges that there is now due and payable upon said mortgage indebtedness from the defendants to the plaintiff the sum of \$517.50, with interest at ten per cent from December 1, 1890, and prays for a decree that defendants be required to pay said sum, with interest and costs, in default thereof, that the said mortgaged premises may be sold to satisfy the amount due, with interest and costs.

You and each of you are required to answer said petition on or before the 3rd day of February, 1896. EDWARD B. GASKELL, Executor of the last will and testament of Mrs. E. H. Gaskell, deceased, plaintiff. By E. H. Benedict and Montgomery & Hall, Attorneys.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF HOLT COUNTY, NEBRASKA C. I. Rawling, plaintiff, vs. Alfred Precourt, defendant.

Notice to Non-resident Defendant. To Alfred Precourt: You are hereby notified that on the 15th day of December, 1895, the above named plaintiff, C. I. Rawling, filed in the office of the district court of the state of Nebraska, in and for Holt county, his petition against you, the object and prayer of which is to foreclose a certain mortgage executed and delivered by you to plaintiff on the 25th day of November, 1888, to secure the payment of \$400.00 and interest upon the following described premises to-wit: The northwest quarter of section number twenty-nine, in township number thirty-one, north of range number thirteen west of the 6th P. M., in Holt county, Nebraska, and filed for record in the office of the county clerk of Holt county, Nebraska, on the 25th day of November, 1888, and recorded in book twenty of mortgages at page number 228.

Plaintiff further alleges that there is now due and owing upon the notes that said mortgage was given to secure and for taxes paid to protect his security, the sum of \$1,000.00.

You are further notified that unless you answer said petition on or before the 10th day of February, 1896, the petition of plaintiff will be taken as true and judgment and decree entered accordingly.

Dated at O'Neill, Nebraska, this 31st day of December, 1895. C. I. RAWLING, Plaintiff. By B. W. Johnson and E. H. Benedict, His Attorneys.

In the District Court of Holt county, Neb. Robert R. Dickson, plaintiff, vs. Ann Brennan, John T. Smith and D. E. Dickson, defendants.

The above named defendants and each of them will take notice that on the 31st day of December, 1895, the above named plaintiff filed his petition in the district court of Holt county, Nebraska, against you and each of you, the object and prayer of said petition being to foreclose a certain tax sale certificate, issued by the county treasurer of Holt county, Nebraska, to him on the 8th day of May, 1895, for the delinquent taxes on lot twenty-eight, in block twenty-one, in the city of O'Neill, in the county of Holt and state of Nebraska. Said certificate being for delinquent taxes on said lot for the year 1890, also to foreclose certain tax sale receipts issued to the plaintiff on the 8th day of May, 1893, and the 12th day of December, 1894, for the delinquent taxes on said lot for the years 1891, 1892 and 1893.

Plaintiff alleges that he is the owner of said certificate and receipts and that the same on the several dates become and still are a lien on said lot and that there is due him by reason of said sale and subsequent taxes paid the sum of \$100.00, together with the sum of \$10.00 attorney fees.

The plaintiff prays for decree declaring said taxes to be a first lien on said premises and prays that the defendants be required to pay the same or that said premises may be sold to satisfy the amount due, and further prays that the interest of each and all the defendants may be decreed to be subject, junior and inferior to plaintiff's lien.

You are required to answer said petition on or before the 10th day of February, 1896. Dated this 30th day of December, 1895. R. R. DICKSON, Plaintiff.

In the District Court of Holt County, Neb. Simon D. Paddock, plaintiff, vs. B. A. Sherwood, and husband, W. A. Sherwood, Nellie Trickett, and husband, S. Trickett, W. A. Elliott, and wife, Mrs. W. A. Elliott, Frank Plummer, and wife, Mrs. Frank Plummer, defendants.

The above named defendants and each of them will take notice that on the 15th day of January, 1896, the plaintiff herein filed his petition in the district court of Holt county, Nebraska, alleging that he is the owner of the following described real estate situated in Holt county, Nebraska, to-wit: The southwest quarter of the northwest quarter, and the northwest quarter of the southwest quarter of section four, and the north half of the northeast quarter of section five, all in township thirty-two, range fifteen west of the 6th P. M.

The plaintiff alleges that on the 15th day of September, 1891, the American Investment Company began an action in the district court of Holt county, Nebraska, against James Segary, and others, to foreclose a certain trust deed, given to secure certain interest coupons then owned by the plaintiff.

Plaintiff alleges that a decree of foreclosure was entered in said cause on the 24th day of November, 1891, for the sum of \$238.50, and \$7.35 costs, and that said premises was sold as masters commission deeds and delivered to C. F. Bliven, trustee, and that plaintiff acquired title from Bliven. Plaintiff alleges that by an error and oversight, that the defendants herein had title made and styled in said petition as Frickett but that said defendants Trickett and wife and the other defendants herein had full knowledge and notice of the pendency of said action and the issuance and delivery of said sheriff's deed.

Plaintiff alleges that the defendants herein claim to have some interest in said premises, but that the same is subject and inferior to that of plaintiff's.

Plaintiff prays in said petition that the defendants be required to pay into this court within thirty days for the use of the plaintiff the amount of said decree and costs with interest within thirty days or that the title to said premises be quieted in the plaintiff and that the defendants be decreed to have no interest in said premises and for other equitable relief.

You are required to answer said petition on or before the 23rd day of February, 1896. Dated this 15th day of January, 1896. R. H. DICKSON, Attorney for Plaintiff.

In the District Court of Holt county, Neb. George S. Comfort, plaintiff, vs. Benjamin Nicholson and wife, Martha J. Nicholson, Arthur Melrose, single, C. H. Scott, Durbin and wife, Mrs. C. H. Scott Durbin, defendants.

NOTICE. The above named defendants and each of them will take notice that on the 15th day of December, 1895, the above named plaintiff filed his petition in the district court of Holt county, Nebraska, against said defendants, the object and prayer being to foreclose a certain mortgage executed by the defendants Benjamin Nicholson and wife, Martha J. Nicholson, to the Western Farm Mortgage Trust Company upon the southwest quarter of section twenty-three, township twenty-eight, range ten, in Holt county, Nebraska, and to secure the note or bond of said Nicholson and wife for eight hundred dollars (\$800) dated July 1, 1893, due July 1, 1894, with interest at ten per cent per annum. Said note being given to said Western Farm Mortgage Trust Company and sold to plaintiff.

Plaintiff alleges that there is now due him upon said note and mortgage the sum of \$1,200, and the further sum of \$50.00 taxes paid by plaintiff to protect his security, for which sums with interest from this date plaintiff prays for a decree that the defendants be required to pay the same or that said premises may be sold to satisfy the amount found due, and that the interest of all the defendants in the real estate be decreed to be subject to the lien of said mortgage.

You are required to answer said petition on or before the 10th day of February, 1896. Dated this 30th day of December, 1895. R. H. DICKSON, Attorney for Plaintiff.

In the District Court of Holt county, Neb. George S. Comfort, plaintiff, vs. Benjamin Nicholson and wife, Martha J. Nicholson, Arthur Melrose, single, C. H. Scott, Durbin and wife, Mrs. C. H. Scott Durbin, defendants.

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You are required to answer said petition on or before the 10th day of February, 1896. Dated this 30th day of December, 1895. R. H. DICKSON, Attorney for Plaintiff.

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You are required to answer said petition on or before the 10th day of February, 1896. Dated this 30th day of December, 1895. R. H. DICKSON, Attorney for Plaintiff.

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