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Order of Publication.

The Schwind Quarry Company, to the use, etc., vs. Peter H. Thumlert, et al.

In the Circuit Court for Kent County, in Equity.

No. 1959.

THE object of this suit is to procure a decree for the sale of real estate in Kent county, Maryland, held by Carey H. Thumlert, and to apply the proceeds to the payment of the claims of the plaintiffs. The bill shows that the Schwind Quarry Company on the 15th of November, 1905, recovered in the Superior Court of Baltimore city judgment for $124.00 against Peter H. Thumlert, Harry E. Barnes, Noah T. Stirling, Robert J. Bateman and Andrew J. Power, which has been entered to the use of Harry E. Barnes; that Shepperd G. Miller on the 24th of May, 1905, recovered in the Baltimore city court judgment for $369.77 against the same defendants, which has been entered to the use of Leonard F. Stirling, and certified copies of said judgment have been filed in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court for Kent county, Maryland; that Harry E. Barnes is entitled to receive from Peter H. Thumlert, one of the defendants, one-fifth of judgment entered to his use, but has never received the same, and that Leonard F. Stirling has never been paid any part of the judgment entered to his use which he is entitled to recover; that Peter H. Thumlert on the 24th day of November, 1913, purchased a tract of land in Kent county, Maryland, known as the Fleischmann property for $1,050.00, and paid the entire purchase price, but because of the said judgments took the title thereto by deed from Michael S. Fleischmann and wife, dated 30th December, 1913, and recorded among the land record of Kent county, Maryland, in liber J. T. D. No. 29, folio 144, in the name of his son, Carey H. Thumlert, who knew that the object of so taking the title was to protect it from said judgments, yet consented so to take it; that the said Peter H. Thumlert has no other property; that the action of the said defendants was to hinder and delay the said judgment creditors of the said Peter H. Thumlert in the recovery of their claims, and was a fraud upon their rights.

It is asked that the said deed from Fleischmann and wife to Carey H. Thumlert may be construed to be to the use of the said Peter H. Thumlert; that the property so conveyed may be held to be the property of the said Peter H. Thumlert and made subject to the claims of his creditors; that a trustee may be appointed to sell said land and apply the proceeds under the supervision of this court. That the said Carey H. Thumlert is a non-resident of the State of Maryland, having been returned non est upon two subpoenas issued for him in this cause, the plaintiffs have been by an order of this court dated October 30th, 1916, authorized to proceed against him as a non-resident of the State of Maryland.

It is thereupon, this 31st day of October, 1916, ordered by the Circuit Court for Kent county, Maryland, in equity, that the plaintiffs, by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in some newspaper published in said Kent county once in each of four successive weeks before the 4th day of December, 1916, giving notice to the said absent defendant, Carey H. Thumlert, of the object and substance of this bill, warning him to appear in this court in person, or by solicitor, on or before the 20th day of December next, to show cause, if any he has, why a decree ought not to pass as prayed.

A. PARKS RASIN, Clerk.

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A GOLD AND SILVER COMEDY

Tribulations of a More or Less Honest Citizen Who Was Stuck With Six Trade Dollars and Who Wanted to Exchange Them For a Gold Coin.

When a new treasurer of the United States takes office his predecessor hands over to him assets to the value of billions. But it is a varied lot of securities that come into his possession—bonds, securities of all kinds, gold bars and silver coin, base metals, gold notes, silver notes, gold in the reserve fund, governmental legal tender notes, national bank notes, fractional currency and subsidiary coin.

No two classes have the same qualities, no two exactly the same value, intrinsic or otherwise. Yet people are so eager to get anything with the stamp of Uncle Sam that they accept it anywhere at its face value unless it is required for some purpose which calls for the peculiar quality of a certain kind of money.

It is a mark of confidence in Uncle Sam that his beautiful silver certificates are taken at their face value, when in reality they bear about the same relation to gold dollars as adulterated food does to pure food—only, like the adulterated foods, a certain artificial value must be given to them.

When the food adulterater turns out his product, the government, in just horror, says it is wrong to tamper with food, and the person who does it must go to jail. When Uncle Sam sends out a silver disk stamped with his mark he has made a very good business stroke, for he has placed in circulation as a dollar 56 cents' worth of silver and put 44 cents' worth of bullion into his treasurer's charge and, like the adulterated food dealer, has made a good transaction.

A poor wreck of humanity with a grateful streak in his heart not long since found himself in possession of six trade dollars. His first inclination after the shock was to buy a whole lot of bait and go away off on a fishing trip, but remembrance of his mother came over him, and, like a good fellow, he resolved to send her a five dollar gold piece.

His first surprise came when he found that his trade dollars, which contained more silver than do the silver dollars, were valued only as bullion and his whole $6 was worth only $3.36. He had overlooked the fact that when those dollars were issued, back in 1873, Uncle Sam had omitted to indorse them or to give them any monetary value other than their silver content.

So he did with his $6 what his Uncle Samuel had done—he went through a little transaction in high finance which makes one blush for him. He mixed his dollars up with some "standard" silver dollars and persuaded a small storekeeper to give him bills for them. It happened that these bills were silver certificates.

He tried to induce the treasury department to take them in exchange for the gold piece intended for his mother, but the treasury department politely told him that, while the law provided that the secretary of the treasury should maintain gold and silver on a parity, the section had been construed to mean that silver certificates could not produce gold coin.

Thereupon wild thoughts of the bait and the fishing trip rushed upon him again, but his blood was now up, and he determined somehow to secure that gold piece for the mother, who was becoming momentarily dearer. He succeeded after a time in exchanging his silver certificates for a legal tender note for $5, and, although such notes are protected by a gold reserve equal to only about a third of the issue, the department without hesitation gave him the gold coin.

The narrator of the tale could not remember whether the gold piece ever reached the mother or was spent to celebrate the modern method of the transmutation of metals.—Washington Post.

MONSTER BLUE WHALES.

The Most Gigantic Creatures This World Has Ever Known.

It has been said that the first duty of a whale is to be large. The blue whale is then the most successful whale, for it is the largest creature which has ever existed on the earth or in its waters. Even those extinct giant reptiles, the dinosaurs, which splashed along the borders of the inland seas of Wyoming and Montana 3,000,000 years ago, could not approach a blue whale either in length or weight.

In 1903 a blue whale was weighed in sections at Newfoundland. The animal was seventy-eight feet long, thirty-five feet around the shoulders, the head was nineteen feet in length and the tail sixteen feet from tip to tip. The total weight was sixty-three tons. The flesh weighed forty tons, the blubber eight tons, the blood, viscera and baleen seven tons and the bones eight tons.

Exaggerated accounts of the size of blue whales are current even in reputable books on natural history, but the largest specimen which has yet been actually measured and recorded is 187 feet long, stranded a few years ago upon the coast of New Zealand. It must have weighed at least seventy-five tons.

Whales are able to attain such an enormous size because their bodies are supported by the water in which they live. A bird is limited to the weight which its wings can bear up in the air. A land animal if it becomes too large cannot hold its body off the ground or readily move about and is doomed to certain destruction. But a whale has to face none of these problems and can grow without restraint.

Because whales live in a supporting medium their young are of enormous size at birth, in some instances the calf being almost half the length of its mother. I once took a twenty-five foot baby, which weighed about eight tons, from an eighty-five foot blue whale.—Roy Chapman Andrews in New York Independent.

HOW TO SECURE A GOOD STAND

Proper Seeding Of Crimson Clover Is Essential To Successful Production.

NICKOLAS SCHMITZ

Maryland Agricultural Experiment Station.

The lack of rain in late summer and early fall is responsible for many failures of crimson clover, because the young seedlings are very easily killed by lack of moisture or hot sunshine. The seedbed, then, should be firm, moist and finely pulverized. Where sown in cultivated crops, such as corn and tomatoes, the cultivation necessary for these crops is usually sufficient for the clover; where following small grain the stubble should be plowed down as soon after harvest as possible, and the land well worked up. Then, after one or two good rains and a light surface-working, the field is ready for crimson clover seeding.

Of late years, preparing stubble land for crimson clover by discing thoroughly has been practiced, and under favorable conditions has given good results. This saves labor, but can not be recommended for hard clay soils.

Method Of Seeding.

The seed may be broadcasted by hand, or sown with one of the broadcasting machines found on the market, of which the wheel-barrow seeder is about the most satisfactory. In cultivated crops the seed may also be sown with one of the special single row horse-seeders, made for seeding intertilled crops; but, generally, the machine is best.

When sown in corn a rotary hand-seeder may be used on horse-back. This seeder should be supported a foot or so above the saddle horn, and the horse's ears covered to prevent the seed entering.

Time And Rate Of Seeding.

It is best to seed some time between the middle of July and the middle of September. Along the water-fronts in Southern Maryland and in the southern part of the Eastern Shore it may be safe to sow as late as the middle of September or a little later, but by far the best results are obtained if seeded a month or six weeks earlier. In the northern part of the Eastern Shore and in the crimson clover section of Harford, Baltimore, Howard and Montgomery counties, it should not be seeded later than September 1st, and preferably 4 or 5 weeks earlier. In Carroll county and in almost all of the lower altitudes of Frederick and Washington counties and in the Mountain Section it is seldom safe to sow after August 25th, and it may be seeded as early as July 15th.

The most common rate of seeding is 15 pounds per acre. A few use 20 pounds, while others use only 12 pounds per acre. If the weather and soil conditions are just right, 12 pounds is enough.

SHRUBS FOR HOME GROUNDS.

B. W. ANSPON

Maryland State College Of Agriculture.

According to their flowering habit, shrubs are divided into two groups. One group of shrubs produces flowers from buds that were formed the previous season. The other group produces flowers from buds that are formed on the new wood of the current season.

It is the first group in which the flower buds are prepared before hand, that we especially are interested in at this time. Among this group are the following shrubs:

Azaleas	Golden Bell
Calycanthus	Japan Quince
Daphne	Mock Orange
Deutzias	Mountain Laurel
Dogwoods	Privets
Dwarf Almond	Rhododendrons
Flowering Currant	Spireas (Spring Flowering)
Flowering Crab	
Flowering Peach	Viburnums

The growth of these shrubs can be controlled by pruning now. As soon as the flowers fade, shorten back the old wood. Old shoots that tend to crowd should be removed. Those growing out of the bounds should be cut back to conform to the general outline of the plant. By this method of pruning, strong shoots will develop, on which the flower-buds for the ensuing year will form. Where the growth of such shoots becomes too vigorous, pinch them back.

On Rhododedrons and Azaleas cut out the old flower heads as soon as they fade.

Climbing roses need little pruning, save cutting off the flower clusters after they are through flowering.

Evergreen trees, to develop into good specimens, should have the lowest limbs extending the greatest distance out from the trunks. When upper limbs are allowed to grow out beyond the lower limbs, serious injury results. The longer branches will shade the lower and also throw off the rain from them. Soon the lower limbs will drop their needles or leaves and die. All upper branches that extend beyond the lower limbs should be cut back until they are shorter than the ones directly beneath them. Always cut back to a strong bud, so as to leave no stub. Pinching out the terminal bud will check growth in that direction, when the branch tends to grow out of bounds.

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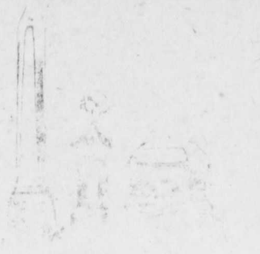

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*Stop on Signal.

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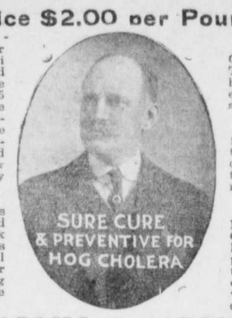

Mr. George Hatcherson, near Chestertown, had forty hogs. They all died but eight. When he began giving it to the jewelers, four were down. All are up and well now.

Mr. Frank Skirven, a few miles from Chestertown, says he had twenty hogs, lost ten. I heard of your remedy and tried it on the other ten. Lost one and the rest are all right.

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All persons having claims against said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the proper vouchers thereof, to the undersigned on or before the 18th day of May, 1917, otherwise they may be excluded by law from all benefits of said estate. Given under my hand and seal this 9th day of November, 1916.

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