

BOOTH'S DRAWING POWERS.

The Famous Tragedian Was a Star Money Maker. A retired theater manager said the other day: "It is not generally known that Edwin Booth received 50 per cent of the gross receipts of his performances while under the management of Messrs. Brooks & Dixon. There never was a star on the stage who could draw the money that Booth could to a theater. There were no spasms about his business. It was as steady as Gibraltar. We could bank on it. Out of their half of the receipts Brooks & Dixon paid the rent for theaters, paid the salaries of the company, the railroad and hotel bills and the advertising throughout the country and made big profits, which they shared with Horace McVicker, to whom Booth entrusted his affairs at the start and who afterward associated himself with Brooks & Dixon.

Where Blood Tells.

It was in one of the farming districts of New England. The young folks had banded themselves together for monthly jollifications during the winter and were about to celebrate the last dance of the season as well as a couple of engagements which had resulted from the assemblies. Ben Hawkins, the local Paganini, and his Stradivarius had been engaged to lead them through the mazes of the country dance, and all were looking forward to the "time of their life."

But death inconsiderately claimed Mrs. Hawkins for his own on the afternoon of the eventful party. The young people gathered as arranged, but bemused the absence of Old Ben, and games were being substituted for the dancing when, lo, Hawkins and his fiddle appeared on the scene.

Yet He Loved the Sea.

It is said that Bryan Waller Procter, known as Barry Cornwall, who wrote the well known poem—

"I'm on the sea! I'm on the sea! I am where I would ever be!"—was the very worst of sailors. When we read that he was so seaisick that he could scarcely bear the sound of a human voice it becomes apparent that his wife's conduct during his affliction could scarcely have been reassuring.

As he lay on the deck of a channel boat, covered with shawls and a tarpaulin, she had the pleasing habit of humming a strain of his jovial sea song. The poet who loved the sea, but loved it best at a distance, had very little life just then, but what force he had was used in the entreaty: "Don't, my dear! Oh, don't!" Yet no doubt he loved the sea.

A Rude Awakening.

The Centerview (Mo.) Record tells of a young man who had been writing a girl in Minneapolis for three years, intending some day to ask her to marry him. The other day he received a letter and a picture from her. The letter announced that she had been married two years, and the picture was of her baby. "My husband and I have enjoyed your letters very much," she wrote, "but I guess you'd better stop writing now, as I have to spend all my time caring for the baby." The Record says the words the young man used after reading the letter would shock a field of oats.

Snakes.

Mr. Bolker in McClure's robs us of some misconceptions as to snakes. When a snake is decapitated it is dead. The tail will remain sensitive for some hours without reference to sundown. The rattlesnake does not suicide by biting itself. No snake is susceptible to the poison of its own kind. That the black snake will swallow its young in time of danger is true, and they are then digested, making the mother a cannibal of the worst sort.

Hopes.

Teas—It was Dr. Killiam who attended the late Mr. Oldgold, wasn't it?

Jeas—Yes. He was called in only a few days before the old gentleman died. Why do you ask?

Teas—Old Mr. Roxley was taken slightly ill yesterday and his young wife sent for Dr. Killiam at once.—Philadelphia Press.

Did the Best She Could.

Mrs. Uppmann—I must tell you, DeMa, that I was displeased at your entertaining that policeman in the kitchen last night.

Della—Faith, I did ax him into the parlor, ma'am, but he wouldn't go.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Framing an Excuse.

Little Boy—Please, Mrs. Grumpy, mother wants to know if you will lend her your washtub.

Mrs. Grumpy (gruffly)—No, I can't. The hoops are off, the bottom's out and it's full of water.—Glasgow Times.

When a fool has made up his mind the market has gone by.—Spanish Proverb.

WE MUST GROW OR DIE.

Constant Study is Necessary to Keep Pace With the Times.

A passion for growth, a yearning for a larger life, is characteristic of all great souls. A man is measured by his power to grow, to become larger, broader, nobler. The intensity of his desire to reach out and up defines his capacity for development.

Any one, young or old, possessed by a passion for growth is constantly adding to his knowledge, always pushing his horizon a little further. Every day he gains additional wisdom, every night he is a little larger than he was in the morning. He keeps growing as long as he lives. Even in old age he is still stretching out for larger things, reaching up to greater heights.

We often find plants and trees that are not fully developed, but have reached the limit of their growth. They cannot be made to respond to the wooing of enriched soil or copious watering. The power for the extension of cell life seems to have departed.

There are many human plants of similar nature. Early in life they settle into grooves, from which nothing can displace them. They are dead to enterprise, to advancement along any line. New movements, new systems of business, larger conceptions of life and similar things in the living, moving present do not appeal to them. Immovably bound to the past, they can step only just so far this way, only so far that way. There is no further growth, no more progress for them. They have reached their goal.

Employees often think that they are kept back designedly and that others less deserving are pushed ahead of them, when the real trouble is with themselves. They have ceased to grow. They continue to move in a circle. They have not kept pace with the trend of the times.

"Forward" is the bugle call of the twentieth century. The young man or woman or the old man or woman who has ceased to grow is to be pitied. Life holds nothing more for either—Success.

THE LAU MELOMELO.

How Hawaiian Natives Go After the Finny Tribe.

"Lau melomelo" is the name of a decoy used by the native fishermen of Hawaii. It is made of the hardest wood to be found on the islands and is carved and rubbed till it assumes the shape of a club with a little knob at the smaller end, to which the line is tied.

The club is from one to three feet long. A village sorcerer performs certain rites over it over a sacred fire. After this is done the club is magic, and the fisherman must be extremely careful of it. If a woman should step over it or enter a canoe in which it lies, the club would lose all its power, and would be useless ever afterward.

After the club has been charmed the fisherman mixes candlenut and coconut meat, bakes it and ties the mixture in a wrapper of cocconut fiber.

At the fishing grounds the club is covered with the oily juice of the stuff and is then lowered carefully to the bottom. The scent of the baked nut meat attracts certain kinds of fish, which soon gather and begin to nibble at the club. As soon as enough fish are around the decoy a small bag shaped net is lowered very gently until its mouth is just over the club. The latter is then pulled up carefully and cunningly till it is within the bag. The fish are so eager for the stuff with which the club is covered that they follow it into the net without fear. As soon as all the fish are in a fisherman dives and closes the mouth of the net, whereupon the rest haul it up quickly.—Washington Post.

Later in the Game.

"Ah, me," sighed the drug clerk, "how women do change!"

"What's tangled in your wheels now?" asked the boss.

"When I was doing the courtship stunt with Cordelia," said the d. c., "she declared that if I should pass my checks she would also die without delay. And now—"

"Well, what now?" queried the boss.

"We have been married only six months," continued the assistant pill compiler, "and she is dropping hints around to the effect that I ought to get my life insured."—Chicago News.

Odors of Sickness.

In gout the skin secretions take a special odor, which Sydenham compares to that of whey. In jaundice the odor is that of muck; in opilation, of vinegar; of sour bread in scrofula, of warm bread in intermittent fever. In diabetes, when there is perspiration, the smell is of hay or, rather, of acetone; but, according to Bouchardat, midway between aldehyde and acetone, being due to mixture in variable proportions of these two bodies.

A Bashful Man's Ruse.

A bashful young man who was afraid to propose to his sweetheart induced her to fire at him with a pistol which he assured her was only loaded with powder, and after she had done so he fell down and pretended to be dead. She threw herself wildly upon the body, called him her darling and her beloved, whereupon he got up and married her.—London Tit-Bits.

The Cow.

"Johnny," said the teacher, "write a sentence containing the word 'contents.'" "After a few moments' hard labor Johnny submitted the following: "The contents of a cow is milk."—Chicago News.

Don't guy people. It's not much fun for you, and the people whom you guy will hate you and lay for a chance to get even.—Athleten Globe.

LIGHT AND DARK.

Day and night, sunshine and shadow are not more different from each other than a healthy from a sickly woman. The healthy woman carries light and sunshine with her wherever she goes.



The woman who suffers from ill-health casts a shadow on her own happiness and the happiness of others. She cannot help it. Those who suffer cannot smile and sing. Ill-health in a woman is generally traceable to disease of the delicate womanly organism. Many women have been restored to happiness by the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. If there is an invalid woman, suffering from female weakness, prolapsus, or falling of womb, or from leucorrhoea who has used Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription without complete success Dr. Pierce would like to hear from such person—and it will be to her advantage to write as he offers, in perfect good faith, a reward of \$500 for any case of the above maladies which he cannot cure.

"I feel it my duty to inform you that I had been a sufferer for many years from nervousness with all its symptoms and complications," writes Mrs. N. Fisher, of 161 Lexington Ave., New York, N. Y. "I was constantly going to a physician. I was induced to ask Dr. Pierce's advice. I then took five bottles of 'Favorite Prescription.' I am not now cross and irritable, and I have a good color in my face; have also gained about ten pounds in weight and am assured of comfort, for I am a new woman once more."

The dealer who offers a substitute for "Favorite Prescription" does so to gain the little more profit on the sale of less meritorious medicines.

Dr. Pierce's Common Sense Medical Adviser is sent free on receipt of stamps to pay expense of mailing only. Send 21 one-cent stamps for the paper-covered book, or 31 stamps for the cloth-bound.

Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

Legal Notices.

CITATION. In the County Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Clackamas.

In the Matter of the Guardianship of Irwin Leslie Gordon, a Minor. Now on this day comes Andrew Gordon, the guardian of the estate of Irwin Leslie Gordon, a minor, and files his duly verified petition in the above Court and asking for a license to sell the following described real estate belonging to said ward, situated in the State of Oregon, and described as follows, to-wit:

- AN undivided one-third interest in the northwest quarter of the southeast quarter of Section 20, T. 3, S. 9 W. of the Willamette Meridian in Tillamook County, Oregon, containing 40 acres, and subject to the life estate of Dr. John Gordon.
- AN undivided one-third interest in the northeast quarter of the northwest quarter of Section 16, T. 12, S. 9 W. of the Willamette Meridian, and containing 40 acres, and subject to the life estate of Dr. John Gordon.
- AN undivided one-third interest in Lots 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5, in Block 29, in Peninsula Addition No. 2, to the City of Portland, in Multnomah County, Oregon, and subject to the life estate of Dr. John Gordon.

The petition represents that it is necessary and expedient that the interest which said minor has in said real estate be sold, and it appearing that John Gordon, Carolina Irwin Gordon and John Dowling Gordon are the next of kin of said minor, and the Court being fully advised, it is ordered and decreed that a copy of this order be served on said next of kin, by publication in the Oregon City Enterprise, a newspaper published in Clackamas County, Oregon, for three successive weeks before said date.

THOS. F. RYAN, County Judge of Clackamas County. Dated Aug. 25, 1903. H. E. Cross, Attorney for Guardian.

Summons.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Clackamas. Alice Dumas, Plaintiff, vs. James M. Dumas, Defendant.

To the defendant James M. Dumas. You are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled Court and cause on or before the 24th day of October, 1903, and if you fail so to appear or answer within said time the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief prayed for in said complaint, to-wit: That the bonds of matrimony existing between the plaintiff and defendant be dissolved and for general relief. This summons is published pursuant to an order made by Hon. Thos. F. Ryan, Judge of the County Court of the State of Oregon for Clackamas County, made and entered September 10th, 1903. The time prescribed by said order for said publication is once a week for six consecutive weeks, the first publication being September 11, 1903 and the last on October 23, 1903.

AURIN CRAIG, Attorney for Plaintiff.

SUMMONS.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for Clackamas County. Maud Harris, Plaintiff, vs. L. E. Harris, Defendant.

To L. E. Harris, 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, on or before the 24th day of October, A. D. 1903, and if you fail so to appear and answer said complaint on or before said date the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in her complaint in said suit to-wit:

For a decree against you dissolving the bonds of matrimony heretofore and now existing between said plaintiff and yourself, and allowing her to resume her maiden name, and for such other and further relief as may be equitable.

This summons is published by order of the County Judge of Clackamas County, State of Oregon, duly made on the 10th day of September, 1903 directing said summons to be published once a week for six successive and consecutive weeks in the Oregon City Enterprise, a weekly newspaper published in said County and State, the first publication to appear in the issue of said newspaper on the 11th day of September 1903.

V. K. STRODE, Attorney for Plaintiff.

Saloon License.

Notice is hereby given that we will apply at the regular September meeting to the City Council for a liquor license on Seventh street at the Southern Pacific right way known as the Depot saloon.

ROTHS & BAKER.

NOTICE OF ASSESSMENT.

for Improvement of Jackson Street from the Southern Line of Fifth Street to the Southern Line of Thirteenth Street, Oregon City, Oregon.

Notice is hereby given that the Council of Oregon City, Oregon, at a meeting held on the 2nd day of September, 1903, declared the assessment by Ordinance No. 250 for the improvement of Jackson Street from the Southern line of Fifth street to the Southern line of Thirteenth Street in Oregon City, Oregon, in the manner provided by Ordinance No. 235, upon each lot, part of lot and tract of land benefited, to be as follows, viz:

Lot	Block	Name	Amount
1	152	Oregon City	\$61 18
1	152	Oregon City	71 97
3	152	Oregon City	89 87
4	152	Oregon City	131 80
1	153	Dan Lyons	109 62
2	153	Dan Lyons	73 70
3	153	Dan Lyons	71 25
4	153	Dan Lyons	111 50
1	154	M. R. Howell	114 60
2	154	M. R. Howell	71 27
3	154	M. R. Howell	115 97
1	155	Susan McKee Est.	120 44
2	155	Susan McKee Est.	76 20
3	155	Lena Rigler	66 61
4	155	Lena Rigler	94 80
1	156	Charlotte Dresser	94 60
2	156	Benj Jaggard	66 15
3	156	Sunset Land Co.	70 64
4	156	Sunset Land Co.	111 06
1	157	Minnie Graham	110 06
2	157	August Holden	91 64
3	157	Francis Welch	31 65
W ^{1/2} of 4 157	J. D. Renner	40 97	
W ^{1/2} of 4 157	Maggie Cross	16 40	
W ^{1/2} of 1 158	Margaret Scott	42 61	
W ^{1/2} of 1 158	J. W. & Ann Jones	16 75	
W ^{1/2} of 2 158	J. W. & Ann Jones	19 38	
W ^{1/2} of 2 158	Margaret Scott	48 58	
W ^{1/2} of 3 158	E. Matthews	54 56	
W ^{1/2} of 3 158	L. O. Moore	21 74	
W ^{1/2} of 4 158	L. O. Moore	36 80	
W ^{1/2} of 4 158	E. Matthews	92 31	
W ^{1/2} of 1 159	Geo. & M. E. Reddaway	212 47	
W ^{1/2} of 1 159	W. W. Myers	84 71	
W ^{1/2} of 2 159	W. W. Myers	140 51	
W ^{1/2} of 2 159	Geo. & M. E. Reddaway	352 32	
3	159	Oregon City	301 00
4	159	Oregon City	137 36
5	163	Oregon City	167 27
6	163	Oregon City	318 72
7	163	John Welch	548 10
8	163	John Welch	221 33
9	164	G. J. Trullinger	178 31
6	164	G. J. Trullinger	150 63
7	164	Alison Pease	185 03
8	164	Alison Pease	70 80
9	165	Fred Meyer	36 72
6	165	Fred J. Meyer	73 35
7	165	G. B. Dimick	70 16
8	165	G. B. Dimick	101 52
5	169	James W. Chase	100 72
6	169	James W. Chase	68 00
7	169	James W. Chase	60 04
8	169	James W. Chase	104 18
9	167	E. E. & T. C. Howell	102 07
6	167	E. E. & T. C. Howell	63 97
7	167	P. F. Metcfe	64 47
8	167	P. F. Metcfe	108 83
1	168	Caroline Grazier	114 79
2	168	Caroline Grazier	32 36
N ^{1/2} of 1 168	Fannie G & Kate I Porter	22 36	
6	168	Fannie G & Kate I Porter	110 96
5	169	Dan Lyons	128 15
9	169	Geo Jackson	105 58
7	169	J. D. Renner	98 94
8	169	J. D. Renner	130 88
3	170	Ed R. Whitlock	115 20
6	170	Ed R. Whitlock	74 46
7	170	Ed R. Whitlock	73 29
8	170	Ed R. Whitlock	83 29

A statement of aforesaid assessment has been entered in the docket of City Office, and is now due and payable at the office of the City Treasurer of Oregon City, Oregon, in lawful money of the United States and if not paid within twenty (20) days from the first publication of this notice such proceedings will be taken for the collection of the same as are provided by the Charter of Oregon City.

The above assessment will bear interest 20 days after the first publication of this notice. Oregon City, Oregon, September 5, 1903. BRUCE C. CURRY, Recorder of Oregon City. Date of first publication of this notice Friday, September 11, 1903. Sept 18

SUMMONS.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Clackamas. M. S. Riley, Plaintiff, vs. T. L. Lawrence and Fannie E. Lawrence, Defendants.

To T. L. Lawrence and Fannie E. Lawrence. You are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled Court and cause on or before the 19th day of October, 1903, which is six weeks after August 25th, 1903, the date ordered by the Court for the first publication of this notice, and if you fail to so appear and answer, the Plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief prayed for in the complaint, to-wit: For a judgment on a promissory note against Defendants for the sum of \$96.40 and an attorney's fee of \$30.00 and for a decree foreclosing a certain mortgage, executed May 18th, 1897, by T. L. Lawrence and Fannie E. Lawrence to Moore Brothers and assigned by Moore Brothers to Plaintiff and covering the southeast quarter of section five in township three S. E. of range seven E. of the Willamette Meridian in Clackamas County, Oregon, and for the sale of said premises according to law, and the application of the proceeds to the payment of the amount of such judgment and for such other and further relief as to the Court seems meet and just.

This Summons is published by order of the Honorable T. F. Ryan, County Judge of the State of Oregon, entered on the 29th day of August, 1903, and the date of the first publication of this Summons is August 28th, 1903, and the date of the last publication will be October 9, 1903. E. F. & F. B. RILEY, Attorneys for Plaintiff.

Notice to Creditors.

In the County Court of the State of Oregon, for and in Clackamas County. In the matter of the estate of John Alfred Strowbridge, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed by the County Court of the State of Oregon for and in Clackamas County, administratrix of the estate of John Alfred Strowbridge, late of Sandy Post Office, Clackamas County, State of Oregon.

All persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same to me properly verified, and the date of such claims to be presented, as by law required, at my house and farm, where I am and have been residing about two miles East of Sandy Post Office, Clackamas County, Oregon, within six months from the date thereof. Dated, Sandy Post Office, September 4, 1903.

SADIE E. STROWBRIDGE, Administratrix of the estate of John Alfred Strowbridge, Deceased. J. A. STROWBRIDGE, Jr., Attorney for Administratrix, Portland, Oregon.

Guardian's Sale.

In the matter of the estate of Pearl Marie Hartnagel, a minor.

Notice is hereby given that, pursuant to an order of the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Clackamas County, made and entered on the 23rd day of November, 1902, I will from and after the 10th day of September, 1903, proceed to sell at private sale to the highest bidder at room 608, Chamber of Commerce Building, Portland, Oregon, all the right, title and interest of the said ward in and to the following described parcel of real estate, situated in Clackamas County, State of Oregon, to-wit:

Beginning 22 50 chains east of the quarter section corner on township line west of section thirty (30), in township one (1) south, of range three (3) east, of the Willamette Meridian; thence east 17 30 chains to Achorn's west line; thence south 3 chains to Achorn's southwest corner; thence east 3 chains to the west side of the southeast quarter of section thirty (30); thence south 20 50 chains; thence north 20 chains to the place of beginning, containing forty (40) acres, more or less.

The terms of the sale to be as follows: The entire purchase price to be paid in cash, or one-fourth in cash and the remainder in two or in three yearly installments, secured by mortgage on the land.

Dated August 21, 1903. SIX PER CENT INTEREST ON DEFERRED PAYMENTS.

SUSAN HARTNAGEL, Guardian of the person and property of Pearl Marie Hartnagel, a minor. E. F. & F. B. RILEY, Attorneys for Guardian. August 21, 1903.

SUMMONS.

In the Circuit Court for the State of Oregon, for Clackamas County. John A. Loquist, Plaintiff, vs. Sosie Loquist, Defendant.

To Sosie Loquist, 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 Court and cause within six weeks from the date of the first publication of this summons, which time expires on the 2nd day of October, 1903, and if you fail to so appear and answer the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief prayed for in the complaint, to-wit: For a decree that the bonds of matrimony heretofore and now existing between plaintiff and defendant be annulled and forever dissolved, and that plaintiff be decreed the care and custody of the minor children, Walter, Elsie and Mary, and for such other relief as the Court may deem just and proper.

This summons is published by order of the Honorable Thos. F. Ryan, Judge of the County Court for the County of Clackamas and State of Oregon, which order was duly made and entered on the 18th day of August, 1903, in the above entitled Court, and the date of the first publication hereof is the 21st day of August, 1903 and the date of the last publication thereof being 2nd day of October, 1903.

This summons is published by order of the Honorable Thos. F. Ryan, Judge of the County Court for the County of Clackamas and State of Oregon, which order was duly made and entered on the 18th day of August, 1903, in the above entitled Court, and the date of the first publication hereof is the 21st day of August, 1903 and the date of the last publication thereof being 2nd day of October, 1903.

RYAN & GALLOWAY, Attorneys for Plaintiff.

Notice for Publication.

Timber Land, Act June 5, 1878. United States Land Office, Oregon City, Oregon, Aug. 28, 1903.

Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 5, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington Territory," as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892, Dora E. Coles, of Portland, county of Multnomah, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office her sworn statement No. 0250, for the purchase of the Northeast 1/4 of Section No. 13 in Township No. 2 S. Range No. 7 E. and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish her claim to said land before the Register and Receiver of this office at Oregon City, Ore., on Wednesday, the 19th day of November, 1903.

She names as witnesses: Charles Smith, Charles Osborn, Frank G. Kelly, David L. Kelly, all of Portland, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 19th day of November, 1903.

ALGERNON S. DRESSER, Register.

Notice for Publication.

Department of the Interior, Land Office at Oregon City, Oregon, August 3, 1903.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final