The Times-Herald.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 22, 1910

SUBSCRIPTION RATES:

One Year	$2.00
Six Months	1.00
Three Months	.75

JULIAN BYRD — — — — Manager

It is hoped that those who predict an early spring are right. The hay is getting rather short, but with the breakup at the usual time no material loss is expected.

With hay at big prices it is likely there will be few more natural meadows plowed up this year, at least. We need more grain, but we have other land than meadow on which to raise it.

The descriptive literature exploiting Harney county recently gotten out by the Burns Commercial Club is being mailed out quite rapidly. We should receive good results from this publicity campaign, especially with railroad work now almost ready to add to our possibilities.

Judge Webster will speak all over Oregon on good roads, and he knows how to give more information about that subject than any farmer can remember. While he is doing so the farmer wants to remember that the heaviest burden of building good roads will rest on the man who is making use of his land, and the vast stretches of idle land in this state are what makes the roads so poor.—Ex.

The importance of regulating the water supply is becoming more apparent to the land owners of this section each season. To get best results it is necessary to use water with judgement and the method of flooding even the wild meadow has been found to be detrimental. The proper distribution of the waters of this county will come about naturally in the course of time, but we should hasten the time for the benefit of all. A careful observation of the effect of irrigation should convince all that too much water is being used by those who have the good fortune to have it to use.

All eyes are turned on Southeastern Oregon, aptly termed "The last frontier on the last great west." It seems almost incredible that such a vast territory as this, where the soil is so fertile and where there are so many streams and suitable reservoir sites, should have remained virgin so long. Of course, the one great drawback has been the lack of transportation facilities, but the Boise-Winnemucca road, the Lakeview branch together with the one from Ontario to the coast through Southern Oregon will bring in a crowd of homeseekers who will transform these sagebrush basins into fertile farms. A good many people have discerned the signs and are coming in, but the greater rush will not take place until warmer weather makes homesteading more endurable.—Jordan Valley Express.

DRUMMERS TAKE HAND.

Declaring that the mail order houses, and particularly those in Chicago, are in a fair way to ruin the country by destroying the cites and villages, the Michigan Knights of the Grip, in their convention here declared war on the firms that sell their goods through the medium of Uncle Sam's postoffice department. The resolution says:

"We concur that if done along logical lines, though common sense and good reason, consumers should be informed that the value of their farms depends to a certain extent on the nearness of the farms to a good live town and that any agricultural town depends for its prosperity on the support of the consumers.

"Further the consumer should be educated to the fact that a continual support of mail order houses means the anihilation of the hustling village and towns which on an average today pay about 30 percent of all taxes. If they succeed in destroying these towns and villages the consumer must pay this extra tax and charge it, prorata, to the cost of mail order goods."

SAGE BRUSH THE SAVIOR.

Recently the Silver State published an article on utilizing sagebrush by distillation. The suject will interest every Nevadan, some more than others. If it only solved the question of light, heat and power, by cutting the expense of these necessities more than half in two, it would go a long way towards lifting Nevada from a pitiable dependency upon the oil trust and railroads. It is possible that before another winter a great part of Nevada need not import one gallon of oil or gasolene or a ton of coal. Denatured alconol to take their place, "made in Nevada," largely out of useless waste.

A Winnemucca citizen, well up in science and quick to grasp a good idea, has been carefully investigating the manufacture of denatured alcohol from raw materials in Nevada and quick-growing plants. The industry, while affecting every family and every business in the state cannot become a monopoly or trust, for a few families can combine and own a still, or even one family can own a small still, with no governmental supervision, and at odd times manufacture alcohol for lighting, cooking and heating at small cost. If there should be a surplus, it will readily sell at good prices. If on the ranch or in town pumping of water is desirable, alcohol is a better fuel than oil or gasolene, and costs to manufacture about one-fourth what it costs to buy oil or gasoline. In domestic use it is well to know that it has few of the lurking dangers of oil and gasoline. If from a leaky pipe or otherwise a fire should occur water will instantly extinguish it, while water sprends and adds to the combustion of oil and gasoline.

MASK BALL FEBRUARY 11.

Friday, February 11, the annual masquerade ball will be given in Burns at Locher's hall. The costumes this year will be better than ever, as there is more competition for the prizes. All sorts of new characters will be impersonated. Prizes will be awarded to the best dressed lady, best dressed gentlemen, best sustained lady character, best austianed gentleman character, most comical lady and most comical gentleman. Don't fail to have your costume ready in time.

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WILL BE MORE LENIENT.

At a recent meeting of the Burns Commercial Club the matter of permits on the forest reserve for fuel was discussed and the secretary asked to take it up with the forest officers. It seems the policy of the ranger has been to issue free use permits for dead timber only. This is what local people objected to since the available dead timber is becoming scarce.

Supervisor Bingham referred the matter to the chief at Portland showing conditions and recommending a more lenient policy with the result that ranger Campbell of this place has been given permission to issue permits where warranted for mature living timber.

In his letter the chief states that only where it is really necessary should such privelege be given and the ranger should know certainly the applicant was entitled to it.

TEACHERS' EXAMINATIONS.

Notice is hereby given that the County School Superintendent of Harney County will hold the regular examination for applicants for state and county papers at Burns, Oregon, as follows:

FOR STATE PAPERS.

Commencing Wednesday, February 9th at 9 o'clock a. m. and continuing until Saturday 12th at 4 o'clock p. m.

Wednesday—Penmanship, History, Spelling, Physical Geography, Reading, Phychology.

Thursday—Written Arithmetic, Theory of Teaching, Grammar, Bookkeeping, Physics, Civil Government.

Friday—Physiology, Geography, Composition, Algebra, English Literature, School Law.

Saturday—Botany, Plane Geometry, General History.

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Thursday—Written Arithmetic, Theory of Teaching, Grammar, Physiology.

Friday—Geography, School Law, Civil government, English Literature.

L. M. HAMILTON,
County School Supt.

Irving Miller and wife returned last night from their trip to Silver Creek. They visited Buck Creek too, but not intentionally, They started to Wagontire but in a snow storm missed the road and landed up at Buck Creek. Irving says W. W. Brown has a fine new house, but wouldn't insure it, saying if it burned down he would build another.

Mistah Johnson suggests Ex-President Roosevelt as referee of the Johnson-Jeffries prize fight next summer. "Teddy" would shine there and we second the motion.

Welkers orchestra is going to give a social dance next Friday night, Jan. 28. The dancing public invited.

Sale of Men's and Boys' Sweater Coats and Sweaters at the Busy Corner Store.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE,
Burns, Oregon, January 10, 1910.

Notice is hereby given that the State of Oregon has filed in this office its application (Serial No. 0806) to select under the provisions of the Act of Congress, approved August 18, 1848, and acts emendatory thereto, the

Lots 1, 2 & 3, Section 30; Lot 5, Section 19; Lot 1, Section 20, Twp. 35 S., R. 28 E., W. M.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the lands described, or desiring to object because of the mineral character of the land, or for any other reason, to the disposal to applicant, should file their affidavits of protest in this office, on or before the expiration of the period of publication.

WM. FARRE, Register.

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CITATION NOTICE.

In the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Harney County.

In the matter of the Estate of Henry E. Jones, Chester Jones and Sylvia Jones, minors. } Citation.

To Henry E. Jones, Chester Jones and Sylvia Jones, and to Elma A. Jones, and to all persons interested in the above named estate:

You and each of you are hereby cited and required to appear before the above entitled Court at the court house in Burns, Oregon, on Monday the 7th day of February, 1910, at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, then and there to show cause if and you have why and order of this Court should not be made and entered authorizing and directing Elma A. Jones, Guardian of the estate of the above named minors to sell all of the right title and interest of said above named minors in and too certain real estate in the manner prayed for in her application and petition filed herein; said real estate being an undivided ¾ interest in and to the SE¼ of section 6; and N½ and SW¼ of section 8; all in township 23, S. R. 32, E., W. M., in Harney County, Oregon.

Witness the Hon. J. P. Rector Judge of the County Court of Harney county, Oregon, this 5th day of Jan., 1910.

J. P. RECTOR, County Judge.
Attest: Seal.
SAM MOTHERSHEAD County Clerk.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE,
Burns, Oregon, December 8, 1909.

Notice is hereby given that the State of Oregon has filed in this office its application (Serial No. 0699) to select, under the provision of the Act of congress, approved August 18, 1848, and acts amendatory thereto, the

SE¼SW¼, Sec. 24, and NE¼NW¼ Sec. 25, T. 25 S., R. 30 E., W. M.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the lands described, or desiring to object because of the mineral character of the land, or for any other reason, to the disposal to applicant, should file their affidavits of protest in this office, on or before the expiration of the period of publication.

WM. FARRE, Register.

First publication December 18, 1909.
Last publication January 22, 1910.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE
Burns, Oregon, November 17 1909.

Notice is hereby given that Mary A. Hutton, of Egli, Oregon, who, on December 27, 1906, made desert-land entry No. 856, Serial No. 01193, for N½SE¼, Section 22; N½ S½, SE¼SW¼ and SW¼SE¼, Section 24, Township 26 South, Range 24 East, Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before the Register and Receiver, at Burns, Oregon, on the 11th day of January, 1910.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Robert L. Hutton, James Sutherland both of Egli, Oregon, Isaac Constant, of Riley, Oregon. William A. Walker, of Egli, Oregon.

WM. FARRE, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE,
Burns, Oregon, January 19, 1910.

Notice is hereby given that Esper Greathouse of Burns, Oregon, who on May 27, 1908, made desert land entry No. 675, Serial No. 02768, for SW¼ NE¼ N½ SE¼ and SE¼ SE¼, Section 14, Township 21 South, Range 30 East, Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before the Register and Receiver, at Burns, Oregon, on the 24th day of February 1910.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Sam Motheshead, John Breedlove, Jap McKinnon, J. C Foley all of Burns, Oregon.

WM. FARRE, Register.

CONTEST NOTICE.

CONTEST NO. 38.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE,
Burns, Oregon, January 19, 1910.

A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by Mary E. Neal, contestant, against Homestead entry No. 1940, made May 19, 1905, Serial No. 01705, for SW¼NE¼, N½ SE¼ and SE¼SE¼ Section 33, Township 20 South, Range 29 East, Willamette Meridian, by William L. Longgood, Contestee, in which it is alleged that said William L. Longgood never established a residence upon said tract of land, never improved the same and never cultivated any portion thereof; that he merely erected a cabin on said tract and before establishing residence thereon and about the 18th day of November, 1905, said claimant died intestate; that said claimant was unmarried and left surviving him as his only heirs at law three brothers neither of whom resided then or now in the state of Oregon; that on the 24th day of November, 1905, letters of Administration duly issued to C. A. Sweek as Administrator of the estate of said William L. Longgood, who duly qualified as such and took possession of the personal and real property of said estate and duly administered the same and said estate has been finally settled; that neither the said administrator or either or any of the heirs of said deceased claimant ever made settlement on or cultivated any portion of said claim and none of the heirs or any person for them ever in any manner either in good faith or otherwise, cultivated any portion of said claim; that the said cabin so erected upon said claim by the deceased has long since been removed from said premises and the said claim has been wholly and absolutely abandoned for more than six months last past and the same is unoccupied, unimproved, uncultivated and unfenced and that said alleged absence from said land was not due to his employment in the Army, Navy or Marine Corps of the United States as a private soldier, officer, seaman or marine during the war with Spain, or during any other war in which the United States may be engaged; said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on March 7, 1910, before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office in Burns, Oregon.

The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed January 19, 1910, set forth facts which show that after due diligence personal service of this notice can not be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given by due and proper publication.

WM. FARRE, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE,
Burns, Oregon, January 15, 1910.

Notice is hereby given that Andrew J. Graves, of Narrows, Oregon, who, on July 6, 1908, made homestead entry No. 927, for Lots 3, 4, 5, & 6, Section 32, Township 26 South, Range 30 East, Willamette Meridian, South of Malheur Lake has filed notice of intention to make Final Commutation Proof to establish claim to the land above described, before the Register and Register at Burns, Oregon, on the 22th day of February, 1910.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Armenious C. Lynch, Andrew J. Graves, Jr., James Henderson, Harvey H. Elliott, all of Narrows, Oregon.

WM. FARRE, Register.

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12.50	"	8.95

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