

## MESSAGE FROM THE WEST the crop now on the same land looks welf. I have seen rye which I am told is volunteer and the sixth crop

J. B. Mason Writes Entertainingly of Klamsth County.

(The Eureka, Kas., Herald.)

Klamath Falls, Or., July 3, 1905. Dear Editor-Having promised tains next to the valley without irrf-several of my Greenwood County gation, yield well, but not heavily, friends, that I would write them a and that very little cultivation is reption of this part of the country, quired. This much I know, that doing that a description which there are plenty of last year's pota would give anything like an intelligent toes here now, and the quality I have alea of what is to be found here, never seen excelled. I am informed would require such lengthy letters, 1 that the yield can be largely increashave concluded to ask The Herald to ed by irrigation, but unless it be judi-publish a letter which they all and clously done, it will be at the exmany more may see. I have waited pense of the quality. in order to get better acquainted with the country and conditions here, be- barley and rye. I have been told of fore writing, and still hesitate, as I some very large yields of these grains never like to pass on a case until the under irrigation, the truth of which evidence is all in.

the evidence will continue, and in- Corn is not grown at all except the deed not cease to accumulate, I will sweet corn, which seems to do well. erefore now try to tell as nearly as In dry farming, i e., without uri-I can what this section of country has gation, stockmen grow a great deal of to offer the immigrant, as I see it on rye for hay, as it is easily produced. this short acquaintance.

mistakes, but I do not mean to, and on irrigated lands producing in two to if anyone shall come from there here three cuttings from four to six tons and will bring the paper containing per acre according to best reports obthis letter with him, I think he will tainable, and the feeding quality is tind it to be substantially correct. So of a very high order: Timothy is far at least as the statement of facts also excellent in these valleys, prois concerned. Klamath County is 72 ducing, it is said, two to four tons to miles wide from east to west in the the acre. central and southern part, by one Blue grass and white clover have hundred miles north and south only been grown on lawns and in through the central part.

It is more than four times the size apparently by accident, but where of the state of Rhode Island. It con- irrigated I have seen the tallest and variety of mountains and valleys, of especially the white clover, that 1 lakes and streams, of hot springs and ever saw anywhere. I showed this springs that are ice cold, of sage blue grass and white clover, to three brush plains and tule marshes, of pine strangers from California and Coloraforests abounding in wild game, and do. Men who understand irrigation,

In the north west part of the county like that would not support one good ath river.

The town has a population of about

being about the same size but having per acre. There is very little govmore of the blush. For appearance, ernment land left, and practically coloring and quality, they are very none under the irrigation system ex-The same tree has ap- cept several thousand acres of the August 15, 1903. Notice is hereby given that hard to beat. As last year. This is the 8th day of drawn from entry, and when they are of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An art July and these look like they might restored they will probably course in the sale of timber "ands in the states of July and these look like they might restored they will probably come in california. Oregon, Meyala, and Washington be kept until those on the tree shall like the "Rosebad Agency," in Dakobecome ripe. I have heard of the ta. Also according to the irrigation states by act of August 4, 1802. Ben Jamin Ro soundness of the apples here, and act, the Secretary of the Interior barge of Kiamath Falls. Courty of Kiamath, their freedom from worms remarked may cut down the amount of each state of Oregon, has this day aled in this of tipon and I speak of these at length entry under any irrigation project to fice his sworn statement No. 304, for the part in order to show that in this case at not less than 40 acres. Under irrigation the state of the State No. 304, for the part these of the State No. 304, for the part the state of the least there is truth in it. It seems to then here one does not need so much be confidently expected here, that land as the farming will be more inwhen the valley shall have been all tensive, and it seems to me that the irrigated, the danger from frost will intelligent, industrious farmer in be materially decreased.

since sowing, I have also seen volunteer wheat which promises a fair light crop and with more rain it would have been good. Also volunteer potatoes which promise a fairly good crop. I am told that potatoes on the slopes of the hills and mounvolving rake and then burned. The it short, that this locality is undoubtwell known to these people. There is cannot be excelled. only a small per cent of these lands in The people here are of an intellicultivation however.

The cercals grown are wheat, oats, places, which are covered a part of Scandinavians.

I have no reason to doubt, the largest Realizing in this case however, that being 63 bushels of wheat to the acre. growing a volunteer crop year after It is possible that I may make some year. Alfalfa appears to be very fine marshes, combine, it would seem to

can get.

root crops including sugar bects. small patches where they got started tains within its borders a marvelous I think the heaviest growth of both spring they get very muddy. the season.

akes and streams teaming with fish. and I asked them if this land seeded is Crater Lake National Park. Crater dairy cow to the acre, during the pas- and thus far. I have found that to be the town, and announced a few days Lake is one of the wonders of the ture scason. They said "It will sup- the case. The summer weather is de- since that it is now ready to begin Chehalis, State of Washington, swern state Pacific slope. The lake is said to be port more than two." Cows seem to lightful. Just now we are having the work of construction. This road about ten miles across and the water do exceedingly well here on the native some hot days, but it is pleasant in comes from Weed, about 80 miles about 2100 feet deep, the rim from grass, and the milk and butter is fine. the shade and the nights are cool. It south of here on the Southern Pacific. 1000 to 2000 feet above the water, All stock seem to do well. Horses in is said that the snow fall is somewhat The McCloud road is now under conand 9400 feet above the sea. Klam- a general way seem livelier than they larger here than in Kansas and for struction and has about 40 miles to ath Falls, the county seat, is situated do elsewhere that I have been. It is the last two winters the mercury has build, to reach Lairds, at the lower in the south west part of the county claimed by some that they can stand not fallen below zero, and to that end of the lower lake, where it will about one and a half inlies below the more work. If this is true it is point on two or three mornings only, meet transportation by water. These are some of the facts at Link River and the beautiful little tions and feed. They have the finest eighteen below. I have seen no hard them, and as they have been reported Rhoads, E & Spencer, E E Firch of Merrill, Lake Ewauna. Link River flows from and cleanest threshed oats that I ever storms here and it is claimed there to me from what seem to be reliable H E Turner of Salem, Ore, and W A Turner of pper Klamath lake into this lake, saw. Stock is said to do well on the are none, and very little thunder and sources. This country and climate Montsano, Wash. Any and all persons claim the outlet of this lake is Klam- range seven to nine months in the lightning. The country is claimed to will not suit everybody, but here is ing adversely the above-described lands are

Now let no reader conclude from The doctors say that children are very abundance of water to irrigate it, at 200 and it has a beautiful location, the foregoing that the writer means free from summer complaints. It very reasonable prices, nestling as it does in a cove of the foot to convey the idea that here is to be would seem that the marshes would The fact that the government is aills, which are "rock ribbed and found a place of perfection, or even produce malaria, but there seems to willing to expend in these valleys ancient as the sun." while in the dis- approaching it. The more I see of be scarcely any of it. The absence of \$4,400,000 shows the confidence itto be seen mountains, some this world, the more I am impressed it thought to be due to the elevation, has in these lands and waters after a Aug. 11, 1905. Notice is nereby given that of which are snow capped, the most with its beauties and wonders, and which is 4086 feet. An abundance of year's thorough investigation by a compliance with the provisions of the set of prominent Mount Shasta about one the ample provision made in it by "the good soft water is very easily obtained, corps of competent engineers. Peo- Congress of June 2, 1878, eatilied "An act for

these valleys will within a very few Some of the sage brush land can be years occupy a very enviable position. Falls, Oregon, on Saturday, the 4th day plowed without doing anything to it. The hills and mountains abound in November, 1966. He names as witnesse The larger sage brush will cost from the fihest saw timber awaiting the W. Carmichael, Sam A. Carmichael, W. O. \$2.00 to \$5.00 per acre to hire it mills to turn it into lumber. While cleared. There are machines here to all kinds of stock do well, I am conwhich 4, 6, or 8 horses are hitched and vinced especially since seeing what it takes a swath 6 or 8 feet wide, blue grass and white clover will do, Then the brush is raked with a re- with no mid-summer drouth to cut

land can be put in perfect order the edly adapted to a dairy business of a first plowing. Irrigation was begun very high order. This also seems to here some twenty years ago, and what be the home of the bee. Certainly it will do on these sage brush lands is the quality of honey produced here

gent enterprising and kind hearted The tule marsh lands are low level class, most of whom are Americans, lands along the river and lakes in with a few English, German and Stater by act of August 4, 1892, Emory Ph

The sparsely settled state of the Oregon, has this day filed in this office h the time, and some of them all the time, with water from a few inches community has necessarily rendered sworn statement No 2020, for the to a few feet deep, and have grown schools and churches somewhat scarce the ElySE'4, 4E', NE'4 Sec 9, SW'4, NW'4, Sec 10, up in tules -gigantic brushes. These but the fact that, in spite of diffeni- Tp 37 S R 11/2 E W M, and will offer proof to immense crops of vegetation decaying ties incident to lack of transportation, and mixing with the silt which is be- there is now under construction, in ing continually carried in from the the county seat, a county high school and before Geo. T. Baldwin, Judge of Klammountains by the water, together building at a cost of \$29,500 and a ath County, Oregon, at his office at Klamath with the myriads of water fowl, building for the grades at a cost of Falls, Oregon, on Saturday, the 28th day of which have for ages at certain times \$18,000 speaks well for the people October, 1908. He names as witnesses; W. O in the year literally swarm in these here from an educational standpoint. There is a Presbyterian church and to make these lands as rich as soil a Methodist church which have regu- persons elaiming adversely the above de ar preaching, and I am told that the scribed lands are requested to file their elation The tests of the government soll ex- Baptists are getting ready to organ-

pert show the marsh soil to be eight- ize and build. Other towns in the een teet in depth in many places and valley are Merrill, Whitelake City, nowhere it is shallow. It is believed Bonanza and Dairy. I am sorry to that these lands will excel in the pro-duction of timothy hay, red clover, think it necessary for them to have

oats, cabbage, celery, asparagus and saloons, but I hope to see the time when they will realize their mistake The roads are quite dusty and I am and be willing to correct it. I am told that in the winter and early told that a majority of the country act for the sale of timber lands in the States of people are in favor of this change. There are mosquitoes here, but no One of the great needs of this valley higgers nor chinch bugs. There are for all these years has been transporbut few flies as yet, but I am told tation. Now that Government irrithey will be quite plentiful later in gation is assured, there are two rail-

As to climate, the people here claim of these the California northeastern it is not subject to sudden changes, has purchased land for an addition to

These are some of the facts as I see of October, 1905. They name as witnesses year. Poultry does very well inden. be and seems to be quite healthful. rich soil very productive, with an requested to file their claims in this office of

10 to 20 ple are coming in every day by stage the sale of timber lands in the States of

TIMBER LAND, ACT JUNE 3, 1878.-- NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. United States Land Office, Lakeview, Oregon in compliance with the provisions of the act chase of the \$1,881, NE', SW14, Lots 3 and 4 of section No. 30 in Township No. 37 S. Range No. 112 E., W. M. and will offer proof to sho that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural pur poses, and to establish his claim to said land before Geo, Chastain, at his office at Klainath Smith, and Joseph Smith, all of Klamath Falls Oregon. Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or b fore said 4th day of November, 1903. C. U. Snider, Receiver.

TIMBER LAND, ACT JUNE 3, 1878. - NOTICE

FOR PUBLICATION. United States Land Office, Lakeview, Orego Aug. 15, 1905. Notice is hereby given that compliance with the provisions of the act Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of Calfornia, Oregon. Nevada, and Washington Territory," as extended to all the Public Land of Klamath Falls, County of Klamath, State show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to Smith, Harry Peliz, Jack Logan, Archie John ston, all of Klamath Falls, Ore. Any and all in this office on or before said 28th day of Oct-

J. N. Watson, Register. ober, 1905 TIMBERILAND, ACT JUNE 3, 1878,-NOTICE

FOR PUBLICATION. UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE LAKE VIEW, OREGON, AUGUST 2, 1965. Notice hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the Act of June 3, 1878, entitled "Au California, Oregon, Nevada and Washington Territory 2' as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892, the following persons have this day filed in this office their sworn statements, to wit

Henry E Turner, of Salam, county of Marion State of Oregon, sworn statement No 2332 rchase of the SLSW', NW SWL, Sec and NE' SE', Sec 2 Tp 10 S R 10 E W M William A Turner, of Montsano, county of ment No 2953 for the purchase of the NE', NE', Sec 1, WI, NWI, and NEI, NWI, Sec 12 Tp 40 8

R TO E W M That they will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber stone than for agricultural put establish their claim to said land before Chastain clerk of Klamath Co Ore, at his of at Klamath Falls, Ore, on Saturday, the 14 d

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ritory," as extended to all the Public Land States by art of August 4, 1892, Warren E.Smith

his sworn statement No. 2994, for the purchase

of New London, county of Chehalis, State



hundred miles to the sonth of us. in Giver of every good and perfect gift," over all around bim. Then there is the lake and the val- disappointment.

ley in front. Across the valley to east about twelve miles distant, we can see been able to find hereso far aside from braces also the drainage of the marsh ly make times lively here. The gov- sec at, Tp at 8 R 12 E W M and will offer Lost fiver gap, where Lost river flows drouths, which are to be over-come by lands and the irrigation of them. The ernment engineers are now making to show that the land sought is more valuable through between the mountains on Government irrigation, are late whole cost is estimated to be \$18.60 surveys for the permanent location of the canals, and it is expected that This is the gap where Captain Jack in late spring of course shortens the without interest. This will amount they will soon be ready to let the time of the Modeo War, after having growing season, but I am told the to less per acre, per year than is paid contracts for the work of construcscourged the valleys above, brought autumn is fine. The frost seems to by farmers in many localities to ir- tion. Possibly I have omitted the his warriors through and, skirting around the foot of Stukel mountain time it will affect one place and at anskurried away down the valley to the other time another place. Some ten years, when all have paid up, the any inquiries the best I can. Please William King of Rosebug, Ore. Any and all lava beds, where there are great caves people say that it is useless to try to farmers will own the system. The bear in mind the fact that if I am persons claiming adversely the above-de with springs in them and where these raise garden stuff on account of frost, Government builds it in the best and away out here at the edge of the scribed lands are requested to file their claims Indians had cached food, and were while others say they are mistaken. most substantial manner and the far- earth, I am not forgetting the dear in this office on or before said flat day of Oct-While these do not deny but that mers have to pay back only what it friends in Kansas. So long as I live able to hold out indefinitely. To the southeast the valley is a

comparitively level plain across which they say that industry and persever. being interstate waters, the Govern- in my heart. With kind regards and we can see for about twenty-five ance in this direction, is usually well ment has appropriated the use of these best wishes for everybody, I am miles. On either side are hills and rewarded. One thing I have noticed streams, and the immense water power mountains rising abruptly from the wherever I have been, and that is, in them becomes a part of this enterplains, and back of which open out people who do not plant things are prise, so that the owners of the land from this, other valleys as beautiful not apt to grow them. There are a under this irrigation system, will also and fertile as this one and all comb-ing in a scene which for beauty and some of them, the growth of vege. Link river from the Upper lake to this picturesqueness is really charming. tables would, I think, satisfy the town, 12 miles is 65 feet, and the fall Notice is hereby given, that in pursuance of But for Klamath river these valleys most exacting. They are simply im- in Klamath river from where it leaves an order of the County Court, of Klamath would be a lake. Upper Klamath mense. While there have been cases the valley, is 1800 feet in twelve miles County, Oregon, duly made and entered on lake is some twenty-five miles long in which there was material damage to say nothing of the rapids in other and two to twelve miles wide. Lower done by frost, I have asked several old streams. Klamath lake is about 12 miles south resident farmers, if they have ever As a matter of fact, the amount of

gon and part in California and some in which they have lived here, any- oped from this water power and the cash in hand, subject to confirmation by the 15 or 20 miles long. There is a thing like a failure from frost, and possibilities as to what may be done Court, all the right, title and interest and steamboat on the upper lake large enough to carry 200 passengers or more and there is another now being grain so far in this immediate vicinity, cured by the Government to the ownbuilt here for the lower lake and the river between.

The lands in these valleys are of about the 28th of May in which there water right for more than 160 acres, the following described real property; Lots two classes, viz., sage brush lands were perhaps ten per cent of the heads as the intention of the Government in One and Two of Section Thirteen, Township nd tule marshes. The soil of the turned white by having been frosted. this irrigation law, is to prepare land 39 South of Range 10 East of Willamette Merisuge brush lands is a sandy loam, We arrived here on the 18th of May for homes and not for speculation. dian, in Oregon, containing 55.32 acres. varying from a darker heavier soil and after that time saw frost which Therefore men who have large tracts day of August, 1905. with not much sand to a soil lighter seemed to me must kill all garden wives, and 160 acres to each child, of Robert G. Galbreath, deceased, but they must agree to sell the balas one could wish.

Prof. W. S. Slough, who was form- only was damaged. The people here ceed with the work of constructionerly Supt. of public schools of Green- say that the fruit crop is short, much At least 95 per cent of the land under wood County, Kansas, and myself shorter than last year, but notwithhave engaged in the real estate busi- standing this, I have seen several an agreement. Improved irrigated ness together and as I had much to apple and cherry trees which were land is held at from \$50 to \$80 per learn about these lands we got a two very full and a few pears, peaches and acre. Unimproved sage brush land, inch auger and had a shank put on it other fruits. The raspberries, black- irrigable by government project is deceased, has fied his final account and that four feet long and I take it with me berries, gooseberries and red currents selling at from \$12 to \$30 per acre ac- Monday the 9th day of October, A. D. 1905, has when I go to show land to anyone nearly all I have seen are very full. and we bore down into the soil. Usu- The people are by the fruit like dition for crops at once. There are settlement thereof; all persons interested in ally there is very little change in the they are by the garden, many have is so far down as that will reach, it been afraid to plant trees on account simply growing lighter in color as we of frost and also lack of rainfall. Now go down. A small per cent of this many of them wish they had planted and is now being farmed and has years ago. As I write, there are approven itself to be exceedingly pro-ples on my desk, grown last year by destive in favorable seasons, and I Mr. Slough, on the only tree he had, we been told of wheat making 15 which is about eight inches in diambushels per acre with no rain after it eter and from which he gathered ten was started in the spring. Grain bushels. Four bushels of these he are drained. mere is almost all spring sowing except wrapped in paper and put in the celave. I know a farm 4 miles from lar and says he has found only one deown on which I am told the wheat cayed apple among them. I do not raising, with plenty of outside range be made on August 31, 1905.

last year make 35 bushels to the acre know what variety they are. They and eats 90, without irrigation and look somewhat like the maiden's blush.

California, towering aloft in his white for the sustenance and development feet in depth and no rock. The Gov. loads to look at the country and a inantle 14400 feet high and reminding of man, but he who expects to find ernment has decided to put in a sys-one of ghostly sentinel keeping guard perfection in country or people, this tem of irrigation in these valleys, loside of the millennium, is doomed to disappointment.

The worst drawbacks which I have of \$4,400,000,00. The project em- ple opening up farms will undoubted-

sometimes some-things are injured, cost, without interest. These waters they will always have a warm place

of Klamath Falls and is part in Ore- known in the fifteen or twenty years electrical energy which may be devel- day of September, 1905, sell at private sale for they have each said they have not. with it are so vast that one fails to estate of the said Robert G. Galbreath, deceasbut some fifteen or twenty miles from ers of land under this system of irri- than or in addition to that of said Robert G.

but here, so far as I have seen, fruit ance before the government will pro.

the project must be subject to such lands will require more time to precan be seeded to crops as soon as they

Ranches for dry farming and stockcan be had for, improved \$10 to \$20 per acre and uninproved \$5 to \$10

of the SEL SEL, See 22. SL SWIL, SWIL SEA. for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before Geo. Chastain, Clerk of Klamath Co. at his office at Kiamath Falls, Oregon. or Tuesday, the list day of October, 1905. He

Yours Very Truly. J. B. MASON.

from this date.

the estate of Robert G. Galbreath, deceased. the undersigned, the administrator of the said estate, will on and after Saturday, the 30th operation of law or otherwise, acquired other here I saw three or four fields of rye gation. No one person can get a Galbreath at the time of his death, in and to

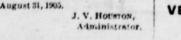
> Dated at Klamath Falls, Oregon, this 31st Samuel Dixon, Administrator of the estate

Attorney for Administrator.

## Notice of Filing of Final Account.

Notice is hereby given that John V Houston administrator of the estate of J. H. Houston. cording to quality and location. been fixed by the court as the time for hearing These can be put in first class con- of objections to such final account and the some marsh lands to be had at \$10.00 the said estate are hereby notified to be presper acre but they will probably not ent at the court room in the town of Klamath last long at that price. The marsh Falls, Oregon, on Monday the 9th day of October, A. D. 1905, at 10 o'clock a. m. and offer any objections they may have to the final settle pare them for crops as they contain ment, and allowance of said final account. such a mass of tule roots except where This notice is given and published pursuant the water is deep enough so that to an order of Hon. Geo. T. Baldwin, made and there are no tules, in that case they entered the 30th day of August, 1905, directing can be seeded to crops as soon as they this notice to be published in the KLAMATH

REPUBLICAN a newspaper printed and publish ed at Kiamath Falls, Oregon, for 4 successive and consecutive weeks, the first publication to



names as witnesses; Bernard Krockenberger Town Treasurer's Notice. Notice is hereby given that there are funds in the town treasury for the redemption of the following warrants: 1232, 1233, 1234, 1235, 1236, 1237, 1238, 1239, 1240, 1241. Interest will cense

Dated at Klamath Falls, Oregon, this 15th day of June, 1995. J. W. FIEMENS.

Town Treasurer.

## McCLOUD RIVER RAILROAD Upton and Bartle Time Table No. 9, July 20, 1905 From Upton

Toweward Uptor

PM, Lv. AM. Ar. Upton W 10.03 3.12 Burk 9.51 3.23 Howard w 9.43 8 33 Big Canon 9,35 9,52 3.47 D Pierce 3,57 Signal Butte 9 10 4.08 Hooper 8.52 4.22 3.25 8,92 4.40 D McCloud W 8.16 4.45 North McCloud 8.12 Ash Creek Junction 4.50 8.08 5.05 Esperanza 7.55 W 5.30 Dry Creek 7.28

5.42 Algomah PM. Ar. AM. LT. 5.58 D Bartle W 7.00 Water 1% mile west Algomali S. O. Johnson, Manager.

M. H Burkhalter. Superintendent J. M. MOORE.

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