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Wells have been sunk with noticeable results and if the experts are correct in their opinion, we will have an unlimited supply of gas and oil in Burns.

BENSON TRIED TOO.

In reporting a reception given last week by Mrs. W. H. Shirk of Lakeview to Judges Noland, Benson and Webster, the Herald says: "Mr. C. E. Seager, Mrs. L. E. Seager and Mrs. J. E. Norrin rendered some vocal music, and Judge Benson tried too."

See O. Short's auction ad on page 6.

A FEW BARGAINS.

Five lots, signly location, \$1500. Can loan \$750 on the deal.
A nice cottage with bath, large lot, \$1700. A good buy.
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MASON & SLOUGH.

See O. Short's auction ad on page 6.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE.

Lakeview, Oregon, March 24, 1909.
A sufficient contest affidavit has been filed in this office by John B. Vollmer, Dorris, Calif., contestant, against homestead entry No. 2957, April 22, 1903, final certificate No. 0325, issued August 11, 1903, for the W 1/2 NW 1/4, SE 1/4 NW 1/4, NE 1/4 SW 1/4, Sec. 12, T. 41 S., R. 7 E., W. M., by William A. Otey, in which it is alleged that said William A. Otey has utterly failed in respect to said entry to comply with the public land laws of the United States and the rules and regulations established thereunder with reference to establishing and maintaining residence upon said land; that he did not establish a residence in a house on said land within six months from date of entry; that he has never resided continuously, or at all, upon said tract of land, that he has never cultivated or improved the same, and that his only pretense of complying with the homestead laws was to erect a box house thereon and a small log stable, and immediately thereafter said homestead entryman left said premises and engaged in business in Klamath Falls, Oregon, and that he also leased and farmed a tract of land belonging to his father, G. W. Otey, who resides in Siskiyou County, Calif., where said tract of land so leased was located, and that for the past year, and for more than a year immediately preceding his making final proof on said homestead entry, the contestant was engaged in the business of conducting a saloon in Siskiyou County, Calif., at a place commonly known as "the hold in the ground." That said contestant submitted his final proof on said tract of land on or about the 22nd day of April, 1908, but that no patent has issued thereon. That the only pretense of cultivating said land by the said contestant, or anyone in his behalf, was the ploughing of about half an acre, which said ploughing was done just prior to the date of submitting final proof; that he never cultivated said land, or any portion of the same, to crop, or made any pretense of ever cultivating said land other than the ploughing herein mentioned; that for more

than a year prior to submitting his final proof on said entry, the said contestant had completely abandoned said land and made his home elsewhere, except for the visit made to said tract of land at the time of ploughing, as herein set forth; that his 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, and that said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said allegations at 10 o'clock a. m., on May 21, 1909, before R. M. Richardson, U. S. Commissioner, at Klamath Falls, Oregon, and that final hearing will be held at 10 o'clock a. m., on June 9, 1909, before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office at Lakeview, Oregon.

J. N. WATSON, Register.
The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed March 15, 1909, set forth facts which show that after due diligence personal service of this notice cannot be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given by due and proper publication.

J. N. WATSON, Register.
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SUMMONS.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, For the County of Klamath.

B. A. Bradburn and Jane Bradburn, his wife, Plaintiffs, vs. John Cotos, Defendant.

To the above named defendant, John Cotos:

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 3rd day of June, 1909, that being the date of the last publication of Summons and the last day within which you are required to answer as fixed by order of publication of this Summons, and if you fail to appear and answer, the plaintiffs will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in said complaint.

Said suit is brought for the purpose of quieting plaintiffs' title to the SE 1/4 of the SE 1/4 of Section 36 in Township 39 S. R. 11 East of Willamette Meridian in Klamath County, Oregon, and releasing and satisfying a certain mortgage as the same applied to the above described real property; said mortgage being given by H. W. Koesee and Rose E. Koesee to you on December 7, 1897, and for the costs and disbursements of said suit, and unless you appear and answer said complaint on or before the said 3rd day of June, 1909, the plaintiffs will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in said complaint.

This summons is published in the Klamath Falls "Republican," a weekly newspaper printed and published at Klamath Falls, Oregon, by order of Honorable George Noland, Judge of said Court, dated the 21st day of April, 1909, the first publication to be made on the 25th day of April, 1909, and the last publication to be made on the 3rd day of June, 1909.

Benson & Stone and H. W. Koesee, Attorneys for Plaintiffs
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\$100 Reward, \$100.
The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, setting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case it fails to cure. Sent for list of testimonials.

Court Reporter R. M. Richardson returned Monday from Lakeview. He came back with D. A. Kenyon, who has been to Lakeview.

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We have some desirable land to exchange for improved property in Klamath Falls—land that will be irrigated, but for which water is no yet ready.

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SHOW EXHAUSTS VOCABULARY.

The Iles Company To Appear at the Local Opera House June 1st.

To dwell upon the excellence of the performances as given this season by this popular organization would exhaust every word of praise in the language. The charming little actress, Margaret Iles, with an augmented cast of versatile players in a selected repertoire of the latest dramatic successes, will bear favorable comparison to any stock company in the West.

The inimitably funny comedian, E. H. Meade, will again delight us, and Jos. Thompson, the sterling actor, will be seen to advantage in a number of his famous characterizations.

The list of new members include Eddie Mitchell, the young and handsome leading man. Mr. Mitchell has played leading roles in some of the best theatres in the country, and bears the reputation of being not only clever but remarkably popular.

The versatile actor, Jack Haley, comes direct from Chicago, where for the past two seasons he has been playing with the leading stock companies. If Edson Elliott did not possess a most amiable nature in every-day life, surely someone would attempt to punish him for his bloody deeds, for he depicts the deep-dyed villain in a most realistic manner. James Arrington, with his droll mannerisms, has the happy faculty of playing well any part he is cast for. For the past season Helen Harvey has delighted the people of Salt Lake City by her clever work with the Utahana Stock Company. With her quaint personality she possesses the power to bring tears or laughter from the audience at will. Marvin Hammond, the winsome miss who has just finished a two-years' contract over the Eastern vaudeville circuit, where she was a star feature—heralded as "the girl who sings to beat the band"—proves a captivating soubrette. Lenella Robbins in the ingenue roles is most gratifying, and little Jo. Thom plays the child parts to perfection.

The vaudeville features are of a high class order, and as they are placed between every act, the audience does not have to endure the usual long waits while the stage is being prepared for the next act.

Without doubt this double bill—drama and vaudeville combined, with the excellence of the plays and actors will pack the house at every performance.

DELEGATES TO CONGRESS.

Mayor Sanderson has received a communication from the secretary of the National Irrigation Congress stating that Klamath Falls is entitled to five delegates, and enclosing certificates for their appointment. The Irrigation Congress will meet this year in Spokane and the meeting is expected to be one of the most important in the history of the organization. The work being attempted is particularly important to the Klamath section, which is one of the greatest irrigated sections in the United States.

Mayor Sanderson has given very careful thought to the selection of the delegates and it is expected that all will attend. Those chosen are: W. S. Worden, W. T. Shive, F. E. Ankeny, Elmer I. Applegate and R. A. Alford.

A New York court has upheld a trial marriage and has declared the woman who was a party to the contract to be the widow of the man involved in the case, the man having died and left a fortune of \$1,000,000. If other husbands would be equally accommodating, not only trial marriages, but every other kind, would be much more generally successful.

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EVERYTHING IS READY FOR CRATER LAKE ROAD.

The Crater Lake Road Commission held its first meeting at Medford on Saturday and elected officers. C. S. Jackson was elected president and Will G. Steel, secretary. Governor Benson was unable to attend the meeting at Medford and announced the members of the commission at Salem. Following are the appointments: Geo. T. Baldwin and L. F. Willis of Klamath Falls; J. M. Keene and Jesse E. Enyart of Medford; C. S. Jackson of Portland; H. D. Norton of Grants Pass, and E. V. Carter of Ashland.

The commission serves without compensation and will have charge of the building of the proposed state highway from Medford to Klamath Falls via Crater Lake. The road will be built by engineers of the road building section of the Department of Agriculture, under supervision of the commission, co-operating with the County Court. The road through the forest reserve and national park will be built by the Government.

The act provides that \$100,000 be appropriated by the state, \$50,000 by Klamath county and \$50,000 by Jackson county to build the first section of a road which is to traverse the state from east to west, starting at the Idaho boundary and ending at the Pacific ocean.

The newly appointed commission is authorized to make all preliminary arrangements with the county authorities for the construction of the road and get the necessary permits from the federal authorities wherever forest reserves are to be entered. No part of the appropriation is to be used for buying right of way, only for actual construction work.

UPPER LAKE NOTES.

"South latitude 30 longitude 130 west from Greenwich, all well on board. Bound for Sumatra to Valparaiso, thence to England." This is the substance of a letter received by Capt. Nosler from his brother, who is master of the tramp steamer Rosey. It sounds unique and far away. It was sent to the United States by a ship he had spoken on the high sea a thousand miles from any where, and his present voyage when ended will cover a distance of twenty-one thousand miles.

Allan Taylor of Bonanza was a guest of friends here Sunday. Mr. Taylor is a prosperous citizen of the upper country. While here he took a sail on the big lake.

The quickest work in our knowledge was performed on Saturday by young Clay Gilbrath at the Long Lake Box Factory, when he put up a full window of two sash 26x32 all complete for use in just 23 minutes. Tim Counts has turned bronco buster. He says so long as the darned mouse colored pug lifts both ends off the ground at the same time it is dead easy.

The steamer Hornet brought down 100,000 feet of logs for the new mill. She will next bring a raft of piling for the new log boom.

Miss Sadie Counts of Buena Vista addition is afflicted with measles, but is convalescent at present writing.

Robt. Rankin has just completed a dwelling on his lot bought in Buena Vista. The house, while not large, will suffice for the purpose until a large one can be built. We understand that Alex. Nosler has taken the contract to build a \$1500 building for Bob as soon as the necessary material can be had.

R. C. Spink came down on Sunday from Klamath Agency. Mr. Spink has his equipment and improvements made at Spring Creek and expects that, now that Odessa has been closed, he has the best resort in Klamath county.

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BURNS EXPECTS RAILROAD.

(Telegram)

Within two years the Central Valley railroad is expected to be extended into Burns, and that territory will then have what it needs most, a quick means of transportation. Such is the information brought by Frank Davey, of the Burns Land Office, editor of the Harney County News and former Speaker of the Oregon House of Representatives. Mr. Davey arrived in Portland today to appear in his official capacity in the Hanley case, which is to be tried in the Federal Court within a few days.

"The survey has been made and the reports sent in to the officials of the Central Valley Railroad," explained Davey, "and the prospects for the extension of the road into Burns are excellent. The road would like to pass through a section of the forest reserve and the company would like to have the Government sell the mature pine timber, leaving the young trees standing and the pine cones on the ground, so that the latter may grow. The company has tried this system before on its own lands with success, and has learned that a crop of merchantable timber can be gathered every 25 years. The plan perpetuates the forest and at the same time produces a revenue. When pine trees mature they soon decay, so the mature trees may as well be disposed of at a profit. Then, too, a white miller or moth has been making its appearance in the Autumn and depositing its eggs in the trees, and these eggs develop a boring worm. Only the mature pines appear to be affected in this manner. The plan of the company has been laid before the department, and next Summer one of the officials will come from Washington and will be taken over the land which the railroad people experimented with.

"A railroad is wanted more than anything else for the development of that section, and we have reason to believe that it will be built. The country is filling up with a good class of people and the land office did a remarkable business in April, when there were 70 homestead entries and 120 desert land entries. By the dry farming method Harney Valley will be an ideal garden spot.

"There is also development of the oil and gas resources in prospect.

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