

# The Times-Herald.

WEDNESDAY JULY 22 1896

HAS THE LARGEST CIRCULATION OF ANY NEWSPAPER IN THIS COUNTY.

## Local News.

—Summer hats at Mrs. A. A. Cowing's at cost.

—Simon Lewis was in town last Friday night.

—John Rohrman's beer is very refreshing this hot weather.

—Great reductions in all summer goods at N. Brown & Sons.

—N. Comegys and family are new residing in the Huntington residence.

—The Burns races will begin about Sept. 2. There will be \$800 in purses.

—Herman Ruh was in town the latter part of last week, looking for hay hands.

—If you want the best mower on the market, buy the chain mower, at Charley Voegtly's.

—H. C. Turner and brother, each came in from the R. R. last Friday loaded with mowers and rakes for Chas. Voegtly.

—Chas. Roper was in town the other day and informed us, that the miners of Gold Gulch are having a successful season.

—R. C. Angevine has bought out the interest of Austin Goodman in the "Star Saloon." The firm is now controlled by Anderson & Angevine.

—J. M. Vaughn, we are sorry to state, is still suffering from rheumatism. He seems to bear his affliction with a great deal of fortitude, and generally is his same old self in a political argument.

—Jorgensen has the finest and best lot of goods that ever came to Burns; go and see for yourself. He is also taking Cabinet Photos. at \$3 per dozen. Do not forget to go and see what he has on hand.

—Remember the concert at the A. mory Hall, next Friday evening. We think we can safely promise our citizens quite a treat and the proceeds are to be applied to the support of the Presbyterian minister, we hope to have a full house.

—J. F. Boyle, photographer, wishes us to state that he will visit Burns again in the near future. His numerous patrons, knowing the superiority of his work, will do well to retain their orders until he comes.

—We are glad to publish the improvement of Miss Grace Riggs, who, as has been already reported in previous issues of this paper, was in a critical condition from the effects of an attack of gripp. She is now in a fair way of regaining her accustomed health.

—Because of more locals, for our last issue than room, the birth of the little stranger to Mr. and Mrs. Ellis McKinnon failed to appear. The typos take the locals from the hook in rotation, and there being too many of them that one, unfortunately, was left. The baby is a boy and was born on the morning of the 14th. Ellis is very proud of his boy.

—Walter Gray and Ed Page were in town on Sunday.

—We saw John Harper in town last Saturday.

—Great reductions in all summer goods at N. Brown & Sons.

Mountain fires have started and the usual amount of smoke is surrounding our Valley.

—Homer Mace thinks of replacing his burned residence, with a brick one.

—W. D. Hoffman left here for Baker City last Friday on a business trip.

—Winnie Gowau is assisting the typos in THE TIMES-HERALD office this week.

—Preaching at Harney morning and evening on Sunday the second of Aug. By Rev. Jones.

—Chas. Voegtly has received his chain mowers. Those, wishing to purchase, call and see them.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. Johnson of Drewsey, were in our town a day or two the latter part of last week.

—Peter French passed through here last Sunday on his way to Huntington, at which point he will ship east a lot of beef steers.

—Hugh Smith is now doing the butcher act for our citizens. Hugh will endeavor to keep his shop supplied with the best of beef, pork and mutton.

—The butcher shop in this place has changed hands. Hugh Smith, now, proprietor takes possession tomorrow morning. Hugh is an old butcher, therefore we augur will give satisfaction to his customers.

—Homer Mace came into town this morning, bringing with him his little girl, whom he thought was suffering with an attack of rheumatism, but upon consultation with Dr. Marsden, he fears it is "hip disease."

—Our city council has purchased a first class fire engine for Burns, which will be here inside of two weeks. This is a move in the right direction for our town is exposed to the ravages of fire, without any means, whatever, of fighting the flames. The only wonder is that we have, so long, escaped.

—James Thompson, residing in Linn county, this state, is here visiting his brother H. E. Thompson. This is Mr. Thompson's first visit to this section of Oregon, and we understand, if pleased with our county, will move his family here and become one of our permanent residents.

—Will the Indians keep out of our mountains this season? Is a question interesting our citizens. The warning has gone forth repeatedly from this paper in the last few months, and we venture to state if it is not headed, those that venture, will be called upon to make a hasty exit or take the consequences.

—Get one of I. S. Geer & Co's premium purchase tickets. This firm agrees to give the holder of such tickets a fine life size Crayon Portrait absolutely free of any charge, by purchasing \$20 worth of goods for cash at their store. It is not necessary that the whole amount should be purchased at one time, but any amount from 5 cents to \$20 as explained upon the tickets.

—Ed Joy, we are sorry to learn, is no better.

—N. Brown's new building is nearing completion.

—Great reductions in all summer goods at N. Brown & Sons.

—Chancy Cummings was in town Monday and Tuesday of this week.

—Great reductions in all summer goods at N. Brown & Sons.

—"Scottie" is developing quite a trotter of the horse he lately purchased of P. G. Smith.

—Carl Cecil, on last Saturday, delivered to Hanley Bros., two or three car loads of big fat steers.

—Don't forget the concert Friday evening. Admission 25cts. Children 15 cts.

—Jake Johnson is assisting Sig. in the J. Durkheimer merchandise store during the absence of Julius Durkheimer.

—Some of our citizens are almost, constantly recreating in the mountains, during this warm weather.

—Haymaking is now in full blast in our county. There will be thousands of tons ricked in this county this season.

—Guns, Bicycles, Mowers and all kinds of machinery repaired promptly and satisfactorily at the C. H. Voegtly Hardware store.

—Nellis Parker came in Monday evening, with his freight team of twelve horses and four wagons loaded with goods for merchants.

—J. C. Wooley returned from the railroad the latter part last week, his freight team loaded for our enterprising merchant, N. Brown.

—J. S. Devine, when in town last week, expressed himself enthusiastically in favor of the democratic nominees for national honors.

—Mr. Frank Dunn of the Narrows country lost a thumb a few days since, lassoing cattle. He is now in town having the wound treated.

—Fred Racine returned from Portland last Monday. Fred's many friends are very glad to welcome him home, as he is a general favorite of our citizens.

—B. D. McIntyre, our enterprising brick mason, has kilned 110,000 brick and the fires have been started in its furnaces. This amount of brick, he thinks will supply the wants of our citizens in this line for this season.

—The University of Oregon at Eugene is rapidly becoming the foremost institution of higher learning in the Northwest. Tuition is free and the literary and scientific courses are equal to the best. Free information may be obtained by addressing University of Oregon, Eugene, Oregon.

—Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Tupker talk of starting to California in a few days. Their object for making this trip is to benefit Mr. Tupker, whom, all our residents know, has been suffering with rheumatism for several months. Mr. Tupker has improved very much already, but he thinks in order to effect a more speedy cure, the application, either by bathing or inwardly, or both, of the water of some springs situated in California, of which he has been told, will more quickly restore him to health.

—Great reduction in all summer goods at N. Brown & Sons.

—New goods at the Johnson store now under control of Henry Canaday. Just as cheap as ever or cheaper. Call and examine goods and get prices, and if suited buy.

—If any one who has been benefited by the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills will write to THE HERALD, they will receive information that will be of much value and interest to them.

—Mr. and Mrs. Moore left here for their home in Diamond the latter part of last week. Mr. Moore is so far recovered as to be pronounced out of danger, by her physician, Dr. McPheeters. Miss Ollie Frye accompanied Mrs. Moore, and will remain with her for some time assisting in the performance of household duties.

—The Burns school board have secured the services of Prof. W. A. Wetzel, of Portland, for the coming school term. Mr. Wetzel, it will be remembered, assisted Prof. Newell in our last county institute. He is one of the leading educators of this state and his success as such is known, recognized and appreciated in every section of Oregon acquainted with him and his work. The board in securing him to take charge of our school deserves the commendation not only of this school district, but this whole section of country. There is now no necessity for parents sending their children to educational institutes at a distance, for the acknowledged ability and success of Mr. Wetzel is such as to guarantee equal advancement of pupils under his charge, to that of any school in the state.

## Notice.

Notice is hereby given that for the purpose of making an examination of all persons who may offer themselves as candidates for teachers of the schools of this county, the county school superintendent thereof will hold a public examination at the school building in Burns, beginning at 1 o'clock p. m. on the second Wednesday in August, 1896.

Dated this 22d day of July, 1896.  
W. C. BYRD,  
County School Superintendent of Harney county.

## Program of the Concert Friday Night.

Selection, Burns Brass Band  
Chorus—"Dancing O'er the Waves"  
—Choir.  
Duet—"Tell us Merry Birds"—  
Madge and Julian Byrd.  
Solo—"Punchinello,"—Mrs. D. H. Jones.  
Selection, B. B. B.  
Solo—"If Thou Didst Love Me,"—  
Miss Hewitt.  
Chorus—"Moonlight Dance,"—  
Choir.  
Solo—"Afterwards"—Julian Byrd  
Duet—"Come Join the Dance"—  
Mrs. Levens and Madge Byrd  
Solo, Madge Byrd  
Duet—"Very Wrong Indeed"—  
Mrs. Biggs and Julian Byrd.  
Violin Solo, Mr. Duncan  
Solo—"The Song for Me"—Mrs. D. H. Jones.  
Trio—"Whippoorwill"—Mrs. Jones,  
Mrs. Biggs, Madge Byrd.  
Chorus, Choir  
Selection, B. B. B.

## NOTICE.

All persons knowing themselves indebted to the firm of Johnson & Harris are requested to make an early settlement by cash or note. We have dissolved partnership and the accounts are in my hands for collection. I will pay all debts against the firm contracted while in business.

HUGH HARRIS.

## FIRE.

The residence of Homer Mace, situated on the island, ten miles south east of Burns, was consumed by fire on Sunday evening [the 19th. inst.] about six o'clock. Nothing was saved, everything went up in the flames. The loss we presume to Mr. Mace is about \$2000. A pan of hot grease on the cook stove caught on fire, and no one about the house except Mr. Mace and his wife, the flames fired the wall of the building so quickly that every effort proved fruitless to save it, and in their eagerness to save the house the fire got under such a headway, that the contents were burned with the building. Mr. Mace writes us that the property was partly insured.

Huntington, Ore., March 21, 1896.

DEAR SIR:—We are now starting on the new year. Computations for last year are completed. We find that our firm sold during 1895 the enormous amount of 167 carloads of goods, equal to ten train loads—just think 167 cars—For this we thank our patrons, and promise the same generous treatment in the future. During 1896 we will sell closer than ever, and no honest competitors will be allowed to do more for you than ourselves. We are here for your business, we must have it, if honest count, weight, and treatment and Low prices will do it. Call or write us.

Respt.,  
O. C. Co.

## ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given to all persons holding claims against the estate of Leo Brandon, deceased to present the same to C. A. Sweek attorney-at law, at his office in Burns Harney County, Oregon, verified as by law required, within six months from the date of this notice. Dated at Burns, Oregon, this 27th day of June 1896  
James Brandon,  
C. A. Sweek,  
Attorney for Administrator.

## Notice for Publication.

U. S. LAND OFFICE, Burns, Or., July 21, 1896.  
Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before Register and Receiver U. S. Land Office at Burns, Oregon, on Aug. 28th, 1896, viz:

J. NELLIS PARKER.  
H'd No. 380, for Lot 3, section 19, tp. 24 s. r. 31 e., and N 1/4 SE 1/4 section 24, tp. 24, s., r. 30.  
He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of, said land, viz: Ubald Cote, Orville D. Rusk, Chas. Riggs and Ed Moore, all of Burns, Oregon.  
THOMAS JONES, Register.

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