

Local News.

The Hotel Burns will give a Christmas dinner. Christmas goods at Mrs. A. A. ... Christmas ball supper at the ... N. Brown & Sons have just received a lot of fresh Eastern oysters. ... There will be a dance at the ... A fine line of Christmas presents can be found at N. Brown & Sons. ... Remember the bed room sets ... BARGAINS — Worthington will ... Cash and the best price paid for Harney County Warrants at ... Be sure to take in the dance ... Christmas exercises for the children of Burns at the First Pres. ... A "crick" in the neck is the prevailing complaint in California ... There has been doubts expressed regarding the safety of the Locher hall. ... The county clerk has issued marriage license to Dr. W. F. Loder and Miss Nellie Gittings to enter on the matrimonial road to happiness and prosperity. ... If you want to buy a nice ready made garment call on us and we can show you a fine line of goods. ...

—Don't overlook the Christmas dance —New lace and blanket sheets at Mrs. A. A. Cowing's. —Cash paid for hides by S. Durkheimer. —Codfish, mackerel and salmon at Mason & London's. —Scarlet fever has made its appearance in Canyon City. —Mr Bouten of Diamond made us a business call last Saturday. —The Christmas tree will be in Locher's hall. —That Christmas ball is going to be "alright." Be sure to attend. Messrs G. W. Thompson, John Heintz and J. A. McCune are in town this week. XMAS—Don't forget that Worthington is receiving the finest display of Xmas goods in town. —Graham flour and all kinds of groceries at Mason & London's. —Fashionable dress making by Mrs. Kilbury at her rooms at The Burns. —Harney County Warrants wanted by N. Brown & Sons. Highest cash price paid. —Remember Hugh Smith, our butcher, is selling meat at reduced prices. —Guns, Bicycles, Mowers and all kinds of machinery repaired promptly and satisfactorily at the C. H. Voegtly Hardware store. —Remember when in town and hungry Mrs. Belle Geer will let before you a first class meal for two-bits. —We will have Fresh Oysters, Lemons, Oranges and Utah Cheese for the holidays at the Peoples Meat Market in the Grace building. —Chas. Voegtly wants those in need of furniture to give him a call. He has a complete line of chairs, rockers, bed room sets, etc. CANDIES—Persons expecting to have Xmas trees will do well to call and get Worthington's prices on candies and all needed ornaments before purchasing. —Mrs. O. D. Rusk wishes to inform the public that she will not do any dress making after Dec. 25 1896. BORN—To the wife of Jeff Cawfield of Warm Springs the 14th. inst. a nine pound boy. Mother and son doing well but Jeff's recovery is doubtful. —Lee Caldwell has rented the barber shop now occupied by Henry Cheatham and in a few days will be strapping razors shaving customers and dispensing news for which it is said barbers have a weakness. LOST—On the road between here and the Island cattle ranch, one pair of heavy silver mounted spurs belonging to Loyd Johnson. The finder will confer a favor by returning them to the owner or leaving them at this office. MARRIED—At the home of the bride, in Burns, on last Thursday the 17th Mr. Frank Baker and Miss Grace Riggs were united in marriage, M. L. Lewis, justice, performed the ceremony. THE TIMES-HERALD heartily join the friends of the young couple in congratulations wishing a life of happiness and prosperity.

—Don't forget Henry Cheatham barber, desires a part of your patronage, at the new barber shop. —Mrs. Louis Racine, proprietress of the French Hotel, will have a grand dinner on Christmas day. —Mrs. Martha Adams, who now occupies the Geo. Young residence solicits the patronage of the public for plain sewing, repairing and cleaning gentlemen's clothing. —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. —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. —WHEN YOU WANT beef, pork, mutton, venison, sausage, pure leaf lard and tallow or any kind of fresh or salt meats, whole sale or retail, at as cheap rate as the cheapest, call on Hugh Smith, the Burns Butcher. All orders promptly delivered, free of charge. —Henry Miller, of the P. L. S. Co. did not forget the children of Burns and Harney this Christmas. It has always been Mr. Miller's custom to give something every year for a Christmas tree and has donated \$25 for that purpose to the children of Burns and a like amount at Harney. —We have positive knowledge that J. W. Sayer has now on the way and will be here by Jan. 5th, one of the great Telephone Co's, highest grade Gramophone and Graphophone's in the world, which has been in litigation for the past 13 years, and a large lot of musical supplies sufficient to give an evening entertainment. This machine is spoken of in the highest terms by the Scientific American and our people will do well to see and hear it. Burns, Or., Dec. 4, 1896. I, the undersigned, give notice that after this date I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by any member of my family. HENRY L. HARKEY. Program. The following program will be rendered at the Christmas tree tomorrow night: Music ..... B. B. B. Invocation ..... Dr. McPheeters Song (Merry Xmas) Little children Recitation ..... Dolores Racine Song (Anthem) ..... Choir Recitation ..... M. FitzGerald Reading ..... Mrs. H. W. Welcome Song ..... Little children Solo ..... Mrs. Jones Address ..... Prof. Peebles Santa Claus. There is a man in Seattle, Wash., who wears a beard net his, nor is it false. The gentleman in question, bet his luxuriant beard that Bryan would be elected, but when he was called upon to pay the debt, he begged, that in as much as he had been wearing it for twenty-eight years, and that the winter was just coming on and the loss of it might result fatally to him, to be allowed to wear it during the winter, which was granted on the conditions that he give a bill of sale of the beard and a written promise to

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cut it off on July 4th, next, which was done. The bill of sale is on file in the auditor's office.

Administrator's Notice.  
Notice is hereby given to all persons holding claims against the estate of Chas. W. Jones, deceased, to present the same to the undersigned at her home on Cow Creek, Harney county, Oregon, or at the office of Maurice FitzGerald in the town of Burns, Harney county, Oregon, verified as by law required, within six months from the date of this notice.  
Dated at Burns, Oregon, this 7th day of November, 1896.  
JENNIE JONES,  
Administratrix.

Notice.  
All parties indebted to me will please come forward and settle accounts. I am badly in need of money, and will be sued for my liabilities unless I can collect and pay up.  
MART BRENTON.

Petition for Liquor License.  
To the Honorable County Court of Harney county, State of Oregon  
We, the undersigned legal voters of Drewsey precinct, Harney county, State of Oregon, do hereby petition the Hon. County Court of Harney county, State of Oregon, to grant to M. M. McDonald and Willie Altnow a license to sell spiritous, malt and vinous liquors in less quantities than one gallon at their place of business in Drewsey precinct, county of Harney, State of Oregon, for the period of six months from the 5th day of January 1897, to the 5th day of July 1897:  
Wm Fredericks  
J M McMullin  
John Ott  
J R Drewett  
D Stuart  
E H Taylor  
L N Stallard  
S D Miles  
Jas A Gittings  
W P Robbins  
S B Stewart  
S Williams  
H P Nelson  
E J Howard  
Tom Delany  
Jesse Bartlett  
C B Macon  
Merlin McMullin  
James Small  
S N Williams  
J A Bartlett  
O F Right  
Jacob Lutz  
F M Gibler  
E S Wood  
Wm Altnow  
A I Johnson  
R B Johnson  
Henry Masterson  
John D Daly  
C L McPherson  
W F Loder  
John L DeCondres  
N E Du'can  
Wm Harness  
H Baird  
W F Kingsbury  
H Presly  
S W Hamilton  
A Hassett  
J W Warner  
R Drake  
John M Howard  
W F Moffet  
Ed Washburn  
M F Howard  
A Altnow  
W J South  
J S Kenyon  
Axel A Hansen  
T B Fiser  
W A Robertson  
A F Masterson.

Notice.  
The boarding house of Mrs. Belle Geer, has the reputation of being first class in every particular, and Mrs. Geer is determined that her house shall not lose its present standing, but by every means in her power will endeavor to increase its popularity. One meal at her table is convincing proof of her cuisine ability.

NOTICE.—TIMBER CULTURE.  
U. S. LAND OFFICE, BURNS, OREGON.  
NOV. 61, 1896.  
Complaint having been entered at this office by Eurt French against John W. Brown for failure to comply with law as to timber culture Entry No. 536 dated July 14, 1889, upon the E 1/2 NE 1/4, NW 1/4 NE 1/4 & NE 1/4 SE 1/4, Sec. 31, Tp. 27 S R. 31 E, in Harney County, Oregon, with a view to the cancellation of said entry, contestant alleging that said John W. Brown has failed to break, or plant to Tree seeds, Tree roots or Cuttings the required ten acres or any number of acres, during the third year after making said entry, to-wit, 1889, or at all, and that said failure still exists at this date, and that the said entryman has wholly failed to comply with the T. C. Laws with regard to same, and has wholly abandoned the same. The said parties are hereby summoned to appear at the office of Frank S. Reider, Notary Public, at Diamond Oregon, on the 26th day of December, 1896 at 10 o'clock a.m. to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged failure. Final hearing in this case at this office Dec. 29, 1896 at 10 o'clock a.m.  
THOMAS JONES, Register.

NOTICE.  
LAND OFFICE AT BURNS, OREGON,  
DEC. 5, 1896.  
Complaint having been entered at this office by Amos Dodson against Louie W. Erhardt for abandoning his Homestead Entry No. 677, dated Feb. 27, 1896, upon the SE 1/4 SW 1/4 and E 1/2 SE 1/4 Sec 22 and NE 1/4 NW 1/4 sec 27, Tp. 25 S R. 25 E, in Harney county, Oregon, with a view to the cancellation of said entry, the said parties are hereby summoned to appear at U. S. Land Office at Burns, Ore., on the 10th day of January, 1897, at 10 o'clock A. M., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said abandonment.  
THOMAS JONES, Register.

FINAL PROOF  
LAND OFFICE AT BURNS, OREGON.  
December 4, 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 January 15, 1897, viz: Pleasant M. Cheney Hd. entry No. 106, for the S 1/2 NE 1/4 and E 1/2 NW 1/4 Sec 10, Tp. 22 S R. 25 E.  
He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Walter B. Parker, of Burns, Oregon, Robt. J. Williams, Wm. B. Johnson, and Edward F. Best, all of Riley, Oregon.  
THOMAS JONES, Register.

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