

HAS THE LARGEST CIRCULATION OF ANY NEWSPAPER IN THIS COUNTY.

Local News.

Fresh bacon and lard at Mason & London's. We noticed Dora Paujade on our street yesterday. J. O. Bunyard had business in Burns this week. Our city Dads have passed an ordinance to grade main street. I. S. Geer moved into the J. S. Kenyon residence Monday. Mason & London are selling Fancy and Plain Eider Down at prices lower than ever. There is a project on foot in Pendleton to form a stock company and have a summer school. Uncle Wash Smeltzer is very low and there is some doubt of his recovery from an attack of grip. \$12.50 cash, of I. S. Geer & Co. Little Harry Worthington fell against a hot stove the other day and burned his face quite severely, but is getting along nicely. Drop in and examine our goods and prices. We can give you prices that you cannot overlook—Mason & London. Mrs. Byron Terrell has been quite ill for the past week or more, but is now convalescent. Byron has been having a seige of the grip, but is able to be about the streets. Bob Pierson, and Jake Green are down from the logging camp. They report having about 200,000 feet of logs banked at present, and expect to finish their contract by the first of May. Andrew Lucas, of Diamond was in town for a day or two since our last issue, leaving for home last Sunday. Miss Short accompanied him as far as her home on his return. We received by mail last Saturday morning a copy of the Burns Times-Herald dated Jan. 20 1897; why?—Vale Advocate. We are unable to say why The Times-Herald was so late arriving, we mail a copy to the Advocate regularly every week. L. Woldenberg Sr. informs us that he has sent a formal challenge to champion Fitz to fight C. F. McKinney. The fight to come off in Burns at no later date than April 20th. Louie has begun working "Mc" by sending him to the swamp every day duck hunting. A son of H. Gifford of Happy valley was brought in last Saturday and placed under Dr. Maraden's care. The boy was playing with powder near the fire and it exploded, burning his face badly. It was thought for a while that he would lose his eye sight, but is improving at present.

Doc Cozad is in town. More cattle buyers in town. Ben Craddock is in Burns today. Fresh corn beef at the People's Meat Market. Wm Gittings paid us a visit last week. Miss Phoebe Kelley is reported quite ill. See Mason and London's new ad on the first page. Eddie Cowing is expected home about May 15. New ribbons and chiffon at Mrs. A. A. Cowing's. Don't fail to take advantage of Mason & London's clearance sale. We had the pleasure of shaking hands with L. B. Springer this morning. Don't forget that THE TIMES-HERALD does the best Job Printing and at prices you can afford. Mr. Mickle, the shingle mill man has been doing business in Burns for the past few days. We are having some rain at present and the snow is disappearing rapidly. Ducks and geese are coming in and the sports of Burns are having plenty of hunting. H. W. Welcome has treated his drug store to a new coat of paint and made several changes giving him more room. A trapper by the name of Powell who has been hunting and trapping on the Malheur river south of the Agency valley this winter reports seeing a very strange animal roaming around in those parts. The Advocate says it is a biped of gaint stature, being at least seven feet high, having long and massive arms that reach to its knees, while the whole body is covered with curly, glossy hair. We are in receipt of an issue of the Cosmopolis Enterprise, published at Cosmopolis, Wash., in which there is an article showing the work done by a Tiger No. 1 fire engine. It was thought by many that it was a poor investment, but proved to be of great advantage. A steady stream was kept flowing from 3 o'clock until 8 a. m. The hand engine we have is the same as the above and we can surely do as good work, but without an organized fire company we can do nothing. Let us have a fire company at once! Of what good is the engine without some one to run it? Here is an account of an unusual accident, from the Lebanon Advance, that illustrates the danger of carrying concealed weapons. C. H. Whitney was on his way to Lebanon from Albany on horseback when his horse shied and jumped to one side. A bottle that was in Mr. Whitney's hind pocket was broken by the lung, and the glass wounded him in the thigh. He did not think the wounds were serious, but on arriving in Lebanon he thought he would stop at the doctor's and put court plaster on them. He got off his horse and opened the door of the doctor's office, when he fell in a faint and was unconscious for several minutes. The doctor found that two arteries had been cut, and were bleeding profusely. The injuries were attended to and the patient is getting on all right.

Fresh meats always on hands at the Peoples Meat Market. O. Calkins and wife of Diamond are registered at the Burns. D. S. Graves was up from Lawen Saturday. Jack Ivy was in our "burg" since our last issue. We noticed F. G. Bloom on our streets this morning. Sid Comegys was in town the latter part of last week on a visit to his father and mother. Chas. Voegtley wants those in need of furniture to give him a call. He has a complete line of chairs, rockers, bed room sets, etc. Dave Davis and Joe Clark made our town a flying visit last Friday. Abe King left for Corvallis last Friday. He bought about a 1000 head of cattle while here. 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. Our friend, E. Brown, spent several days in the county seat this week. A. S. Ward, of Happy valley, was shaking hands with his many friends in Burns Sunday. To RENT.—Two nice rooms in the Bakery. Any one desiring rooms will call on Mrs. H. B. Symes. The I. O. O. F. and Rebekah lodges of this place will celebrate their anniversary on April 26th. Particulars later. Guns, Bicycles, Mowers and all kinds of machinery repaired promptly and satisfactorily at the C. H. Voegtly Hardware store. When you wish a nice hair cut or shave, call on Lee Caldwell at the H. Cheatham Barber shop. Lee makes a specialty of cutting hair. 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. Major J. H. Aitkin, of the O. C. Co. at Huntington, will give a medal to the one of the graduating class delivering the best oration at the commencement exercises of the Huntington high school. The big fight at Carson last Wednesday lasted about 54 minutes. Fitzsimmons knocked Corbett out in the 14th round, and has given out that he will retire from the ring. Twelve new members added to the Presbyterian church of this place since the beginning of the series of meetings conducted by Rev. W. O. Forbes. Mrs. D. A. Kilbury will sell her house hold furniture, consisting of a large mirror, carpets, chairs, etc., at private sale at the residence of E. J. Lamphire. Call early. James Woods, who has been a sufferer from that dread disease consumption, died at John Day yesterday morning "Jimmy", as he was familiarly known, had borne his sufferings patiently for many long months. The funeral will take place at two o'clock this Thursday afternoon.—Canyon News.

In a private letter to Mell Fenwick, Elonzo Fleming states that his sister, who was reported very ill, died on the 10th inst. Mrs. F. E. McGee, who has occupied the J. S. Kenyon residence this winter, moved to her ranch last Thursday. There is to be a new Presbyterian church in Harney. The citizens of that place and Cow creek have donated \$250 for the purpose. Rev. W. Forbes baptised eleven members of the Presbyterian church at Harney last Monday. Rev. D. H. Jones will preach at the First Presbyterian church next Sunday, morning and evening. Mrs. A. A. Cowing has purchased a part of Mrs. D. A. Kilbury's millinery goods, such as show cases etc. Mehaffey and Byland are digging a well back of the building, lately purchased by H. C. Levens. Mr. Jas. Wilson of Caleb recently sold one hundred head of the "Fopiano" band of beef cattle to the Union Meat Co. of Portland. He sold for \$3.25 per hundred on foot delivered at Arlington. At this price the cattle will bring Mr. Wilson an average of \$35 per head. A few of the steers are of immense size, and will bring about \$60 each. NOTICE. All persons indebted to the firm of Johnson & Harris also Bailey & Harris are requested to make an early settlement by cash or note. If not settled by the 1st. of March the books will be placed in the hands of an attorney for collection. HUGH HARRIS. NOTICE. To whom it may concern: All parties are hereby notified, not to trespass upon, or drive stock of any kind, across our lands, or through our inclosures, without my consent or permission of the men in charge of the different ranches. Any person so violating this request will be dealt with according to law. PETER FRENCH. NOTICE. Parties knowing themselves indebted to me are requested to call and settle immediately by cash or note. C. H. VOEGTLY. JOHN F. STRATTON'S CELEBRATED MANDOLINS, Importers of and Wholesale Dealers in all kinds of MUSICAL MERCHANDISE, 811, 813, 815, 817 East 9th St., New York. THE STRATTON BAND INSTRUMENTS Will stock our NEXT PRESIDENT. Now is the time to form new Bands for Campaign purposes. We are offering special inducements for 1897. See a card for illustrated Catalogue. JOHN F. STRATTON NEW YORK.

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