

Local News.

Again we ask our subscribers to bear with us in our failings. The force on THE TIMES-HERALD, from editor to devil, are just Americans enough to celebrate with a vengeance. Hence the delay.

Mr. C. A. Haines has been appointed postmaster at Narrows.

Boots and shoes at R. A. Miller & Co's.

Fred Oakerman was in Burns on business the first of the week.

People from all parts of the county celebrated in Burns on the 5th.

If you want an Oliver Chilled Plow call on C. H. Voegtly, sole agent.

All subscribers who wish to run their brands in the TIMES-HERALD should send them in.

If you have a ranch or city property for sale, or rent, list with Lewis & Byrd.

James Anderson was in this week with a load of grain from his ranch near Drewsey.

R. A. Miller & Co. have just received a supply of lamps, lanterns and glassware.

Mrs. H. B. Symes, who has been under the care of Dr. Volp for some time, is now able to be out.

If you want a piano or organ write the Jacobs Book and Music Co. The Dalles, Oregon, for prices.

Thos Wallis and family, of Cat low valley, accompanied by Miss Shirk, are guests of friends in Burns this week.

Mrs. Jos. Sturtevant, who has been sick since about the 20th of January, is improving rapidly under the treatment of Dr. Volp.

The Athletic Club will give an exhibition at Locher's Hall Friday evening and a social hop after. Admission, free.

Mrs. Mina Walton and Miss Wintermer have opened dressmaking parlors in the building formerly occupied by the Land Office, where they will be pleased to meet their friends and customers.

Miss Lottie Stevens, sister of Mrs. J. M. Vaughn, has been elected principal of one of the Portland schools.

Church Service—Sunday morning at 11 a. m. I will preach at Burns; same day at 3 p. m. and 8:30 p. m. at Harney; on Monday evening next at Drewsey.

J. C. TEMPLETON.

George S. Sizemore and M. L. Lewis counted 748,971,256,041,783, 914,231 crickets on their way from Silver Creek last Saturday, and think it probable that three or four might have been overlooked.

Wm Reynolds, who is buying cattle for an eastern firm, passed through Burns last Friday with 2,300 head on his way to Huntington.

We have a nice farm, containing 385 acres, two miles southwest of Eugene, Oregon, and on the gravel road. Good dwelling, good barn and outhouses; good orchard and well fenced, worth \$7,000, to trade for a stock ranch in Eastern Oregon of equal value. LEWIS & BYRD.

James McDovitt, better known in Burns as "Little Butch," nephew of James McDovitt, who was here last spring looking for a new range for his cattle, arrived Tuesday. He states that his uncle is on the way to this county with about 800 head of cattle.

Nails have dropped. Did you hear them fall? We always buy nails by the car load, and have always given better prices than any one else and can do so now, if you give us a chance.

I. S. GEER & Co.

The first "Weary Willie," of the genus homo, made his appearance on our streets Tuesday and began to ply his "profession," but before he had done much in his line, Marshal Sizemore's pity for the poor man caused him to offer him the accommodation of the city jail for the night and this morning gave him his breakfast, together with his choice of "the road" or an 8 pound hammer and a rock pile for thirty days. He took the road and the last look at him showed his face turned toward Prineville, and a full determination never to visit Burns again. We have plenty of room for honest workmen, but our town is a good place for the "hobo" to stay away from.

—THE TIMES-HERALD and Oregonian for \$2 in advance.

—C. H. Voegtly has a car load of nails on the road.

—Call on R. A. Miller & Co and get their prices on groceries.

Ladies drawers and undervests at Mrs. A. A. Cowing's.

BORN.—To Mr. and Mrs. W. Y. King, July 5th, a girl.

New Goods—Duck, black sateen, and colored dimities 10 cents a yard at Mrs. A. A. Cowing's.

Just arrived—a lot of Oliver chilled plows, at C. H. Voegtly's.

—Those plunge baths at the Warm Springs below town will make you feel like a new man.

A fine line of pipes at the City Drug Store that are being sold at a bargain.

If you want a chain mower, call early, as they are going fast and only a few left. C. H. VOEGTLY.

E. P. Rollins, an old soldier living on Prather creek, has been granted a pension.

Dave Sweitzer and Mrs. P. A. Cammann were married at Westfall July 1.

W. L. Gazzam, special agent of the Aetna Fire Insurance Co., of Hartford, Conn., will be in Burns next week.

Hon R. P. Bland, that grand old man of Missouri and father of the silver cause in the United States, uses an Osborne Mower. We sell the Osborne. I. S. GEER & Co.

Tim Donovan's team ran away Sunday, breaking the tongue out of the wagon, throwing Tim out and bruising him up some.

—C. H. Voegtly has a car load of Mitchell wagons. Mr. Voegtly is the only agent in Burns for the Mitchell wagons and parties needing one should call on him at once.

The little son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Moore fell from a horse yesterday, dislocating and fracturing his left elbow. Dr. Marsden was called and set the broken limb.

—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.

Guns and ammunition always on hand. We can save you money on these goods. We will take your orders and get them cheaper than you can. Give us a chance. I. S. GEER & Co.

MARRIED—July 6th, at the residence of Byron Terrell in Burns, Mr. Lute Parker and Leona Zeigler Justice Lewis officiating. It was a quiet affair, only a few friends and relatives being present. The contracting parties are well known here and THE TIMES-HERALD joins their many friends in extending congratulations.

Queen Vic is rowing old, Queen Lil is deposed, Queen Stoves all the rage.

For particulars in regard to the stove business, call on I. S. Geer & Co.

Some of our business men are now talking of forming a stock company and building a large and commodious hall for such occasions as will be attended by large crowds. We are informed that half the lumber, half the shingles and all the hardware are now ready and at the disposal of the company for that purpose. This is a step in the right direction, as there is not a building in Burns large enough for public gatherings. We consider it a good investment.

An accident occurred on the race grounds yesterday, that, for a few moments, assumed a serious aspect. Geo. Smith's carriage, containing Mrs. Smith, her little son, and Mrs. Wm. Buffington, was standing somewhat in the background when by some means one of the horses got his bridle fast under the tongue, and in surging backward pulled it from his head. The team becoming frightened at this began to run, and had it not been for the presence of mind, as well as the staying qualities of Will Cummings in riding in and securing a firm hold upon the bridle reins of the other horse, there might have been a serious result.

The Neal Survey.

Intelligence has been received at the land office, located in this place, that the Neal survey of lands within the old meander line of Lake Malheur has been accepted at the general land office. The date of the acceptance was on the 24th day of June 1897. Filings cannot be accepted until the plats are received at this office which may be six weeks from this date.

The Celebration.

To those who were up in time to see old Sol break above the horizon on the morning of July 5th, it was clear that the weather prophet had worked a hardship on the ice-cream man, as well as others, who cater to the thirsty upon these occasions.

While the latest fashions prevailing could be seen in all their diverse forms, showing the cosmopolitan features of our young and growing city, yet the "summer girl" was doomed to disappointment. At an early hour the streets began to be filled with people who seemed bound to get all they could out of the enjoyments of the day, and before 10 o'clock there were over 1,000 people on the streets. Never before has there been such a gathering of people in Burns. The hotels found it impossible to provide accommodations for all and many sought lodgings in private families.

Promptly at 10:30 the procession arrived at the church, where a part of the exercises were held. It soon became evident that the church would not accommodate one-fourth of the immense crowd gathering around to hear the reading of the Declaration of Independence and the oration of the day.

Marching back to the upper end of Main street, there was a scramble for seats on the balconies of the hotels, the sidewalks were filled, while many took positions in the middle of the street.

From the balcony of the French hotel, Miss Gay Delmas read the Declaration of Independence in a forcible and realistic manner. This was followed by a choice selection from the band. The mayor then, with a few remarks, introduced our esteemed citizen, M. Fitzgerald, speaker of the day. Comment upon what Mr. Fitzgerald said is hardly necessary, as his oratorical ability is well known in Harney county. Yet to do him justice we deem it very proper to say that it was at the "eleventh hour" when all hopes of procuring any other had failed that he kindly consented to perform that part, leaving him no time in which to make preparation.

While it is possible, as was remarked by the speaker, that some may feel that the usual current of thought dwelt upon during exercises of this kind, was not strictly adhered to, yet, judging from the hearty applause, we would say that the speaker struck the keynote of the people of this place.

The program in the afternoon was carried out as heretofore printed ending in the evening with a grand ball under the management of the band boys, which was a success in every particular, showing the interest the band boys take in making anything they are connected with a success beyond a doubt.

Died from Natural Causes.

Certain information came to the knowledge of the authorities recent by that T. N. Baker, who died at Silver Creek June 16, as previously reported in THE TIMES-HERALD, did not die a natural death and that the symptoms of his brief illness indicated poisoning.

Acting Coroner M. L. Lewis, together with Geo. Sizemore and Doctor Marsden and Volp went over last Friday, summoned a jury and exhumed the body and made a thorough examination, with the result that death was from a ruptured aneurism of the aorta, and all parties suspected are thoroughly exonerated.

The following is the verdict of the coroner's jury:

We, the undersigned, the jury summoned to appear before M. L. Lewis, acting coroner of the county of Harney, state of Oregon, at Silver Creek on the 3d day of July, 1897, to inquire into the cause of the death of T. N. Baker having been duly sworn, according to law and having made such inquiry after inspecting the body, and hearing the testimony adduced find that the deceased was named T. N. Baker, was a native of America was about 60 years old; that he came to his death on the 16th day of June, 1897, by natural cause according to evidence produced.

Dated this 3d day of July, 1897
R. J. WILLIAMS
FRED OAKERMAN
R. N. MILLER
R. C. GARRETT
Wm. SPENCER
ISAAC FOSTER.
Jurors

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given to all persons holding claims against the estate of H. A. Williams, deceased to present the same to C. F. Mc Kinney at Burns, Ore., or to S. S. Williams at Drewsey, Ore., verified as by law required, within six months from the date of this notice. Dated at Burns, Ore., May 24, 1897.

C. F. MCKINNEY,
S. S. WILLIAMS,
Executors.



FLY TIME.

We wish to inform you that it is fly time and that we have a large amount of

"Tanglefoot" & "Lightning Fly Killer"

fly paper on hand. Lay in a good supply now as you will need it before the season is over.

REMEMBER

the Ice Cream Soda Sunday. Our fountain quenched 1000 thirsts July 6th.

CITY DRUG STORE.

Artesian Water.

Merer, McIntyre & Lewis have received a pipe puller, and will start to raise the pipe in the artesian well, six miles east of Burns, to the first flow 335 feet below the surface, in a few days.

This contemplated effort has been known by us for some time but not published, except a notice when first spoken of by the above named gentlemen. Having received the apparatus to accomplish the work we feel justified in bringing it again before our readers, feeling confident the effort will be successful.

If the flow at the depth of 335 feet proves to be 30 gallons per minute, as was claimed by Kellogg at the time he struck it, they will order a first class steam power out and be prepared to sink wells to any depth. The county court, who has possession of all the material and machinery left here by Kellogg, has kindly consented to let them use what will be of any benefit to them. And just here we would state it would not be amiss for all who are interested in this project of irrigating our high sage brush land by artesian water to lend their aid and assistance, as it will take time and money to raise the pipe to the desired depth.

It is a patent fact that if artesian water can be had at a depth of from three to five hundred feet every 100 acres of this fine farming land in the valley will be speedily brought into cultivation. The water being warm is vastly superior to river water for irrigating purposes. And at the depth already mentioned it brings it within the means of every one contemplating government land.

We sincerely hope all interested in this matter will help Messrs. McIntyre & Lewis in this enterprise.

FINAL PROOF

LAND OFFICE AT BURNS OREGON

JULY 7, 1897.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settlers have filed notice of intention to make final proof on their respective claims before the Register and Receiver at their office in U. S. Land Office at Burns, Oregon, on Saturday the 14th day of August 1897, viz: Timothy Donovan, Hd application No. 3, for 1/2 Sec. 20, Tp. 25, S. R. 24; Edward B. Waters, Hd application No. 21, for the SW 1/4, Sec. 20, and W 1/2 NE 1/4, and NW 1/4, Sec. 20, Tp. 25, S. R. 24. They name the following witnesses to prove their continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Timothy Donovan, Edward B. Waters, James Lammahire, W. E. Smith and A. W. Waters, all of Burns, Harney County, Oregon.

THOMAS JONES, Register.

FINAL PROOF

LAND OFFICE AT BURNS, OREGON

June 5, 1897.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settlers have filed notice of intention to make final proof in support of their claims, and that said proof will be made before Register and Receiver U. S. Land Office at Burns, Oregon, on July 13, 1897, viz: Ernest Henrich Kallenbach, Hd. entry No. 6, for the E 1/2 SW 1/4 & Lots 6 & 7, Sec. 6, Tp. 24 S. R. 22 E. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: E. C. Taylor, Ferdinand Degeert, Fred Lunenburg and Louis Racine, all of Burns, Oregon.

THOMAS JONES, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

LAND OFFICE AT BURNS OREGON

JUNE 19, 1897.

Notice is hereby given that Joseph Z. Hogan has filed notice of his intention to make final proof before Register and Receiver at their office in U. S. Land Office Burns, Oregon, on the 20th day of July, 1897, on timber culture application No. 119, for the SW 1/4, and NE 1/4 NW 1/4, and NW 1/4 NE 1/4, Sec. 20, Tp. 24 S. R. 22 E. He names as witnesses: Cary Thornburg, Howard Morris, Del Dittler and R. S. Miller, all of Riley, Harney County, Oregon.

THOMAS JONES, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

LAND OFFICE AT BURNS, OREGON

June 19, 1897.

Notice is hereby given that William H. Hogan has filed notice of his intention to make final proof before the Register and Receiver of the United States Land Office at Burns, Oregon, on the 20th day of July, 1897, on timber culture application No. 289, for the E 1/2 NE 1/4, and NE 1/4 NE 1/4, and NW 1/4 NE 1/4, Sec. 20, Tp. 24 S. R. 22 E. He names as witnesses: Cary Thornburg, Del Dittler, Howard Morris and R. S. Miller, all of Riley, Harney County, Oregon.

THOMAS JONES, Register.

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Notice of Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of an execution and order of sale issued out of the circuit court of the state of Oregon for the county of Harney, wherein the Board of School Land Commissioners were plaintiffs and Almira A. Stenger and Mary E. Stenger, Frank Stenger, Cal Stenger and Peter Stenger, minor heirs of P. F. Stenger deceased, and Elizabeth Stenger guardian of said heirs, and Clara Wick-liffe were defendants, upon a judgment and decree rendered in said circuit court on the 27th day of May, 1897, for the sum of Twenty Five Hundred Dollars (\$2,500) in United States gold coin, with 8 per cent interest thereon from the 21st day of March, 1893, and the further sum of \$200 attorneys fee, and costs and disbursements taxed at \$30, I have this day levied upon all the right, title, claim and interest of said defendants, in and to the following described real estate, to-wit: The NE 1/4 of Sec. 18, Township 33 S R 31 E, containing 160 acres of land. Notice is hereby given that I will on the 7th day of August, 1897, at 3 o'clock P. M. of said day, in front of the court house door of the county of Harney, sell at public auction for United States gold coin, all the right, title, claim and interest of said defendants, of, in and to the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said judgment, with interest and costs, to the highest and best bidder.

Dated this 6th day of July, 1897.
A. J. MCKINNON,
By SAM MOTHERHEAD, Sheriff,
Deputy.

H. Volp,

PHYSICIAN & SURGEON.
Medical Examiner for the New York Life Insurance Co.

Office at residence.

S. W. MILLER,

NOTARY PUBLIC.

Burns, - - - Oregon.

ERRAT HICKS, J. W. BIGGS,

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