

Local News.

There will be a social dance at Lochers hall next Saturday evening. Music by James' orchestra. Judge Sparrow is down from the mill. Bert French is over from the P ranch. Ice Cream Soda every Sunday at the City Drug Store. Order your machine extras now. —I. S. Geer & Co. Rabin-on & Walton have received their new barber chairs. Parties wishing shingles at Harney call on Seth Bowers & Co. J. C Baatty returned to the White Horse ranch last Saturday. Geo Cattnach of Canyon City few days in Burns this week.

We will soon have a full line of all kinds of pumps at bottom prices. —I. S. Geer & Co.

A civil service examination is being held today. Several applicants are being examined.

Many of our citizens are preparing for the annual trip to the mountains and pleasure resorts.

Miss Lettie Smith has closed her school at the Narrows and is spending a few days in Burns.

A fresh lot of oranges, lemons, candies and nuts just arrived at the City Drug Store.

Ed and John Martin, accompanied by Leon Brown, have gone to Logan valley for a few weeks outing.

John McNulty, a former residence of this county but now of California, was seen on our streets this week.

H. C. Bilger at the City Drug Store has a number of dust proof watches on hand, just the thing for the hay field and harvest.

Geo Fry Sr. and wife arrived from California last Monday evening on a visit to their children Mr. and Mrs. Geo Fry Jr. and Mrs Thos Dodson.

CLEARANCE SALE—Mrs F. E. McGee is closing out the following at almost cost: Counter pins, Turkish towels, Table linen, Ladies collars and cuffs, Ladies shirt waists.

Word comes to us that the leading firm at the railroad are selling the best Island City flour at \$4 per barrel. The O. C. Co. are the people.

TWENTY YARDS OF CALICO FOR A DOLLAR, CASH. This is a sample of our Fall drive prices. Call and examine other goods and prices for cash.—Mason & London.

W. N. Jorgensen has been amusing himself and this end of town with a new box kite, which he has flying with the stars and stripes attached. He has also received some electric clocks this week that should be seen to be appreciated.

The White House Saloon is under the efficient management of two experienced saloon men, Hugh Smith and Geo. Treghaskis. If you are downhearted and depressed in spirits, give them a call and you will go away a new man.

The Tennessee Specialties consisting of three men and two women all negroes gave an entertainment at Lochers hall last Monday evening. They announced they would show again Tuesday evening and opened the hall but the crowd did not materialize. The people had enough the first evening.

Parties wishing to buy a piano or organ should call at the City Drug Store and ask to be shown through their stock. They have just received a very fine lot of pianos which will be sold at prices within reach of everybody. No trouble to show goods.

We attended religious services and a basket dinner at the Lawen school house last Sunday. Rev J. C. Templeton preached at 11 o'clock after which the table was spread and all present partook of a square meal consisting of chicken, cold ham, sandwiches, pies, cakes, ect. The people at Lawen are all hospitable we shall endeavor in the future to be present at all the "big ones" given in that neighborhood.

Several teams arrived with freight this week.

Several hay hands are wanted in the vicinity of Lawen.

J. W. Sayer and family were down from the mill this week.

Harry Bilger at the City Drug Store can fit your eyes with glasses.

A. Robbins and Henderson Elliott were up from the Narrows this week.

P. H. Gray, the Lawen merchant was up Saturday to prove up on his land.

O. C. Rusk and C. W. McClain spent a few days in the mountains this week.

Your attention is called to the ad of H. C. Brown in this issue. Call and see him.

Parties can get shingles at McKinney & Sparrow's saw mill at same price as at the shingle mill.

A. K. RICHARDSON.

The little son of G. H. Dyer is under the care of Dr. Marsden for summer complaint.

Burt Bower of the firm of Seth Bower & Co of Harney, paid this office a short call last Thursday.

Nice stock of Center Tables, Bedsteads, Bed-room Suites and Bureaus at C. A. Byrd's Furniture Store.

Chris Lackman is at work on the foundation of the Baptist church. The building is to be 30 by 40 feet.

You can call for most anything in the Novelty line at Jorgensen's and get it. Call and see his new goods.

The telephone will be extended to Harney. They are now at work and it will be completed in a short time.

New May, Litt's Giant and Aeromotor Windmills the three best mills in existence at prices to suit. —I. S. Geer & Co.

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There is no discount on the good quality of our grains and grasses. People here at home recognize that fact. But farmers should save a few samples for strangers to gaze upon at the coming Oregon Industrial Exposition.

Patriotic music, home melodies, classical productions, everthing musical that is good, will be heard at the Oregon Industrial Exposition this autumn, for the best band west of Chicago has been engaged for the full month.

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People coming to Eastern Oregon from Webfoot say we have too much dust up here. When we visit down there we complain of the mud and rain, so there is a kick coming on both sides.

Dyer & Briscoe are prepared to do all kinds of carpenter and cabinet work. Parties wishing to build should see them before letting contract. Prices guaranteed to suit, work speaks for itself.

If hands for the abundant hay crop were more numerous and not so many horse flies, our ranchers would be better satisfied. No need of any able bodied man to be idle now.

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The substantial business men of this place are not displaying any anxiety about the future of Harney county. They are simply going ahead with their improvements and will reap their returns in a short time.

Why not, instead of going to Klondike, get a "gub stake" and go to prospecting for the famous "Blue Bucket" which was found by the emigrant train that passed through this county many years ago. From descriptions given by men who were along with that train it is far beyond any thing found in Alaska and there is no "Chilly-scot" pass to contend with in your search. The man who finds the "Blue Bucket" will be provided for the rest of his days.

Sheriff McKinnon and Marion Dovell returned from Salem last Saturday.

Those desiring photo work done should call on J. F. Boyle. Call at his tent and see some of his photographs.

C. A. Sweek wishes us to say he will take stock to pasture for 50 cents per week.

Why don't you come in and order a windmill. We have the best ones on this earth and cheap too.—I. S. Geer & Co.

L. Woldenberg Jr., agent for A. K. Richardson, the shingle man, has shingles on hand at his residence in Burns. He can give you prices at the mill, Harney and Burns.

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Messrs Welcome & Johnson of the old Texas Resort are still in business with a first class check restaurant in connection. Make that your head quarters while here celebrating.

Surveyor White of Canyon has been surveying and platting the northern part of Burns this week. The time to buy real estate is now. Town lots in Burns are going to sell for much more in the near future than the present price. Even now lots are selling for one third more than a year ago.

William D. Huffman, the Harney county sheep man, accompanied by his mother and sister, arrived in the city from Burns Monday. Mrs. Huffman and daughter have been visiting in Burns for some time and were en route to their home in Illinois. They departed Tuesday afternoon.—Huntington Herald.

The University of Oregon graduated last June the largest class in its history. The class numbered 30. The fall term will begin September 19th. Students who have completed the tenth grade branches can enter the sub freshman class. No examinations are required for graduates of accredited schools. Reasonable equivalents are accepted for most of the required entrance studies. Catalogues will be sent free to all applicants. Persons desiring information may address the president, Secretary J. J. Walton, or Mr. Max A. Plumb, all of Eugene, Oregon. The courses offered are those of a good university. There are departments of modern and ancient languages, physics, chemistry, biology, geology, English, elocution, advanced engineering, astronomy, logic, philosophy, psychology, mathematics and physical education. Music and drawing are also taught. The tuition is free. All students pay an incidental fee of ten dollars yearly. Board, lodging, heat and light in the dormitory cost \$2.50 per week.

As war news is getting somewhat scarce, the papers are again talking Klondike. While they publish some very flattering reports about the frozen gold belt of the north, we are satisfied it would not be so "glittering" if one was an eye witness to the struggles and hardships that are encountered to reach the gold fields. The paper published at Seattle and Portland do not mention the hundred of discouraged men returning from Alaska with out a cent. It is only those with a long sack that gets any notoriety or mention in the column of such papers. The man who is not an experienced mine, and has a home in Harney county with a few head of stock is far better off where he is than many thousands who are in the Klondike. While some will make a fortune up there, many of them will fail and perhaps perish from exposure and lack of food. You have a "sure thing" here and when the boom comes—which is not far distant—the man that is established here is the one that will have all the advantage.

Notice is hereby given, that under and by virtue of an Execution and order of sale, issued out of and under the Seal of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Harney County, in a certain cause wherein The Baker City National Bank, a Corporation, was plaintiff and William Black, Henry Miller, David Brown, and M. Swerts and Clara W. Miller, co-partners as Swerts & Miller, were defendants, upon a judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale rendered in said Court and entered on the 19th day of January, 1895, in favor of the plaintiff and against the defendant, William Black, for the sum of Five Hundred and Eighty-one and 75/100 Dollars (\$581 75) with interest thereon at the rate of ten per cent per annum from January 19th, 1895, and the further sum of One Hundred and Thirty-eight and 20/100 dollars (\$138 20) as Attorney fees, costs and disbursements, with interest thereon at the rate of 8 per cent per annum from January 19th, 1895, together with costs of writ and accruing costs, I have this day levied upon the following described real estate, also described in said order of sale and thereby ordered to be sold, to-wit: The West half of the South-west quarter, and the North-east quarter of the South-west quarter of section Twenty, (20) and the North-east quarter of the North-west quarter of section Twenty-nine, (29) in Township Twenty-eight, (28) South, Range Thirty-five (35) E. W. M., situate in Harney County, Oregon, and will on the 27th day of August, 1898, at 2 o'clock P. M. of said day at front door of the Court House in Burns, Harney County, Oregon, sell at public auction, for U. S. Gold Coin in hand, to the highest and best bidder all the right, title, claim and interest said def. William Black had on the 19th day of January, 1895, or still has in and to the above described real property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy judgment with interest, attorney's fees, costs and accruing costs.

Dated this 23rd day of July, 1898, A. J. MCKINNON, Sheriff Harney County, Oregon, By SAM MOTHERHEAD Deputy.

SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES. (ENCLOSED FROM SECOND PAGE)

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"Drink Your Health"

is not really what it appears to be under some circumstances, but it is a truth at our Soda Fountain. Our beverages are health beverages. Our soda drinks, flavored with pure fruit juices, are exhilarating and invigorating in fatigue and depression, while our medicated drinks, mineral waters, etc, are medicinal agents that tend to cure minor ailments. It aids the business man, the lawyer, the doctor, or clergyman; who finds himself "fired out" and depressed by mental worries and hot weather. They all find refreshment and invigoration in our delicious drinks. "Drink your health" at our fountain. The fountain of health. CITY DRUG STORE.

Canyon News: Mrs. F. R. Sels returned home during the week from a visit to friends at Burns and in Silvie's valley.

The postoffice department is being petitioned for an increase of mail service between this city and Burns from three to six times a week. Increased service on this line is badly needed.

Tuesday the Burns stage rolled in with two passengers aboard—John Biggs and J. C. Welcome—who were on a hurried trip to Portland. The Heppner stage was held by telephone a half hour to enable them to resume their journey.

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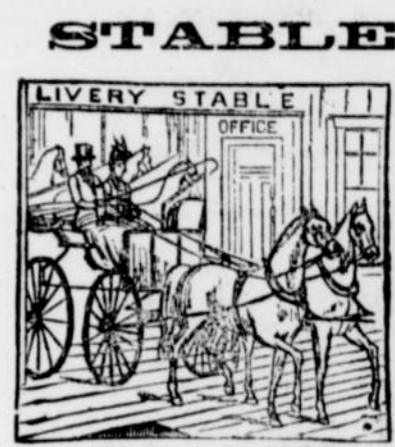
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New Arrivals at N. BROWN & SONS.

White Goods, Laces, Embroideries, Ribbons, Neckwear, Hosiery, Handkerchiefs, Underwear, Parasols. Our Mail order Department is Prompt. N. BROWN & SONS, The Leading Merchants of Harney County.

White Front Livery, Feed & Sale

Producers will please remember that their exhibits will be taken to the Oregon Industrial Exposition free of charge. For shipping tags and information drop a card Secretary Industrial Exposition, Portland Oregon. There are many stump speaker and newspaper writers, who have in recent months, declaimed much about "national honor" who in reality think more of an unpunctured skin than their country's glory. While Bryan, whom they called "a traitor" goes on with volunteers to fight for his country, they remain, safe and snuf by their own fire-side. They dote much on "national honor" so long as it is unmixd with Mauser bullets or Syanich shells.—Corvallis Times.



BRENTON & FINE Props, Burns, Oregon. This Stable is located on the corner of First and B. Streets, and keeps hay and grain on hand. Has competent help. Runs a Job Wagon. Takes passengers to any part of the Country.

JENSEN & PEARSON, Brick Makers and Contractors.

BURNS, — — — OREGON. Brick and Lime constantly on hand, at the yard in west Burns. All kind of work done. —Turns on application.

ADMINISTRASOR'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given to all persons holding claims against the estate of Peter French, deceased, to present the same to the undersigned at his office at the P-ranch, Harney county, Oregon, verified as by law required, within six months from the date of this notice. Dated this 15th day of June, '98. J. G. SOUTH, Administrator.

DINE

With L. A. Cophall, when in town. MEALS 25 CENTS. Rates for board by the week or months made known on application.

TIMBERLAND, ACT JUNE 1, 1898—NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 2, 1896, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington Territory," Mathias Wagoner of Harney County, Oregon, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 15, for the purchase of the SE 1/4 of sec. 28, Tp. 12 N., R. 23 E., and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before the Register and Receiver of this office at Burns, Oregon, on Saturday the 15th day of August, 1898. He names as witnesses: R. A. Miller, S. W. Miller of Burns, Oregon, John O. Hill, Jacob Lund, or Denny, Ore. Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are required to file their claims in this office on or before said 15th day of August, 1898. THOMAS JONES, Register.

Dr. H. Burchtorf DENTIST.

Office at French Hotel. GEO. S. SIZEMORE, ATTORNEY, Burns, Oregon. California, Land business, and Real Estate matter promptly attended to.

PATENTS advertisement with logo and text: 'I have secured for you a patent for your invention. I will give you a full and complete description of your invention, and will also give you a full and complete description of the law relating to patents. My office is at No. 111 Broadway, New York City.'