

The Times-Herald.

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ALLAN BYRD - - - - - Manager.

Secretary Alger is only one of the mismanagers; there are others.

The McKinley prop may be still behind Secretary Alger, but it so, it is well out of sight.

We take it that Roosevelt's civil service reform ideas are not to be taken into the New York campaign.

The experience of the troops now at Santiago, one-sixth of whom are sick, has exploded the "immune" fable.

Perhaps we would better look at our own War Department before abusing the French Military on account of the Dreyfus case.

In refusing to serve on Mr. McKinley's investigating committee Gen. Schofield displayed horse sense. Those who have agreed to serve will regret it before they are much older.

The Scotch girl who married a negro in spite of all that the immigration officials at New York could do to prevent, is now visiting her black husband's old home in North Carolina, and probably getting thoroughly disillusioned.

We fear that the Connecticut republicans are disposed to be greedy. Not satisfied with having crushed the budding hopes of Addison Porter, some of them are demanding that he be fired from his cozy White House job.

John Wanamaker advertises "blankets that tell tales". We should suppose them very troublesome things to have upon the beds in which one's guests were put to sleep, and our preference is decidedly for blankets that will not tell tales.

Armour, the Chicago beef king is at head of a Chicago syndicate that has paid \$10,000,000 for the control of the B. & O. railroad. It might be interesting to know how much of this money was squeezed out of "Joe" Leiter in that wheat deal.

Voters should bear in mind that the most effective protest they can register against the mismanagement of the War Department, which starved the well volunteers and neglected the sick and wounded, is a vote for a democratic candidate for congress. A democratic house would show the country's disapproval with more emphasis than anything else.

Among the names mentioned for election to the United States senate by the special session of the Oregon legislature are those of H. W. Corbet, Ex Senator J. C. Mitchell, Hon. Binger Herman of Douglas county, Hon. M. C. George of Portland, Hon. C. W. Fulton of Clatsop county, and Judge Eakin of Union county, with several dark horses who may get into the race.

A Washington minister, whose church is attended by some prominent members of the administration, has joined in the general condemnation of the War Department mismanagement. He said, from his pulpit, after mentioning the intense indignation existing throughout the country, and asking if penalties were to be meted out with even-handed justice, regardless of persons, that if its result should be to "abolish politics from the army and navy, and make it impossible that men without experience or capacity should have human lives entrusted to their care then the martyrs of our camps and transports will not have died in vain."

Additional Locals.

H. Goodloe is in town today.
H. C. Turner is down from Harney.

Pope Gearhart and E. L. Beede are over from Calamity.

New goods to arrive at F. E. McGee's Millinery store about Oct. 5th.

Sam Cleveland is building a residence on his lots north of Geo Sizemore's residence.

The O. C. Co. Huntington are selling the best Flour at \$2.15 per bbl. Cheapest house at the R. R.

H. C. Bilger has received a large assortment of Ladies and Gents gold watches. Call and see them at the City Drug Store.

New and complete stock of Wall Papers and Ceilings at Mason & London's. Prices from 15c per roll as high as 75c, to suit all tastes.

E. B. London, of the firm of Mason & London, returned from Portland last Monday accompanied by his wife.

The C. C. of Inland Lodge K. of P. requests the attendance of every member who can possibly attend at the next meeting, Oct. 6.

MONEY LITERALLY GIVEN AWAY. Don't forget that CASH TALKS and you will be surprised and pleased at the LIBERAL DISCOUNTS we are giving in ALL LINES for Cash Down.—Mason & London.

Dr. Marsden was called to Happy Valley last Thursday night to see Mrs. J. H. Neal who was suffering from pneumonia. The patient is reported better.

YOU'RE TALKING THROUGH YOUR HAT! As long as you talk through one of our hats you are all right. We have the largest and best assortment of Hats and Caps ever displayed in the city at railroad prices.—Mason & London.

Our first Class Merchant Tailor, L. Epstein will be in his new quarters next door to H. Cheatham's barber shop by Oct. 1st, where he will be in a better shape to attend to the wants of his many customers.

Clothing! Clothing! Clothing!
\$15.00 Suits for \$10.00
\$17.50 " " \$12.50
\$25.00 " " \$20.00

We can fit any and all persons at prices that cannot be equalled.—Mason & London.

The Oregon Forwarding Co. of Ontario, have a new ad on the first page of this issue. Parties contemplating going to the railroad for supplies should write this company for prices before going elsewhere.

A SURE CURE FOR MISFEITS.—Call on Mason & London and have your measure taken for a new suit! Absolute fit guaranteed! No one can begin to compare quality, workmanship, finish or prices with us. Call and satisfy yourselves that we are able and willing to do as we say.

Notice the change in the O. C. Co. ad in this issue. This well known firm has been doing business with the citizens of this county too long to need any recommendations. That the O. C. Co. is an honest and upright firm can be testified to by all who have dealt with them.

It is hardly necessary to call attention to the big ad of N. Brown & Sons in this issue. Read it all and compare their prices with those you have received from the railroad and see if it will pay to go away to purchase your winter's supplies. This firm is a permanent fixture in our county, men who pay lots of taxes, men who will give you employment with your teams when they have anything in that line to do. At least give N. Brown & Sons a chance to sell you your winter's supplies.

To be shot with a pistol loaded with soft soap is an experience that few have tried, but one of our young sporting men can tell you how it goes. He had won the affections of one of the fair sex and soon grew tired of her and the girl was miserable. She told one of her friends she wanted to kill him and then turn the weapon on herself and commit suicide. This friend told her he would arrange the matter and at once took her into his confidence and loaded a pistol with soap bullets. Monday night between 8 and 9 o'clock, she was given the gun and instructed to go in the back door of the saloon where her victim was dealing percentage poker. The saloon was crowded, many who were "dead next" to the joke were on hand to see how those acted who were not aware that the gun did not contain lead. Well not being present, we cannot give it as an eye witness, but we are told there was a lively time, men were found under the tables on chairs and as many as could get out the door were crawling over each other to get out. The girl shot three times at the man who "jilted" her

and was prevented from getting a shot in her own faithful heart by some one grabbing the weapon. She then fled and said afterwards, when told there were three men hit, she hoped she got her fickle lover. She left Tuesday morning on the stage and was not told that her pistol was loaded with soap and is happy in the belief that her former flame has been punished for his perfidy.

Huntington Herald: O. W. Porter left Monday on a business trip to Burns.

A large number of teams from the Harney country loaded freight at the O. C. Co.'s store and warehouse this week.

Herbert Goodman and wife departed Monday morning for Burns. They expect to stay there all winter, Mr. Goodman having supervision of several bands of O. W. Porter's sheep in that vicinity.

SHOT DEAD

(Thursday morning) William McKinnon was shot by James Weaver last night about 12 o'clock. There were a number in the Welcome & Johnson saloon scuffling and "joshing" when some one proposed putting Weaver out. Win Gowan and Will M. Kinnon took hold of his shoulders and "walked" him to the door and just as they got him out and before the door was closed after him he turned and shot, the ball entering McKinnon's left shoulder and ranged down. He lived until 3 o'clock this morning. Weaver escaped and headed for the mountains northwest of town and at this writing a posse is after him. We will give particulars next week.

Teachers Annual Institute.

The teachers annual county institute assembled in Burns on Wednesday the 21st inst.

The institute was a decided success in every particular. Several teachers who were present, recently having from the thickly populated counties of this state, and two or three from other states, expressed themselves very forcibly in their favor, declaring they had never attended an institute in which more interest was manifested by the teachers or better work done. That is saying much for Harney county teachers and especially Prof. Herbert Klitche of La Grande, whose adaptability and educational qualifications for the work may be equalled but not excelled in any country. His work here will live in the minds of the teachers who were present, while they live, and the good effect will continue to grow and expand while time lasts. May his work in any undertaking in which he may embark be a success and happiness prosperity and health to his is the prayer of each teacher who attended the institute just closed. The institute continued until Saturday noon. Twenty two teachers were present the greater part of the time. In the afternoon of Saturday a teacher's reading circle was organized electing Chas. Leonard president, Mrs. Marsden secretary and Mrs. Rose Venator treasurer.

DIED.

At the home of his son Sept. 27 Nathaniel Gowan, aged 94 years, 2 months and 2 days.

The deceased was born in Saratoga, N. Y. in 1804. Married Miss Rachel Putnam (lineal descendant of Gen. Israel Putnam) in 1828 and settled on a farm in Allegheny county. Moved to Crawford county in 1850 near Cambridge-town. In 1870 settled again in Western Kansas. Came to Oregon in 1884 to live with his son and family with whom he remained until his death.

Deceased comes from a long line of antirevolutionary ancestry. The Gowan family part in the English and French war of 1757, the revolution and many Indian outbreaks. On his mother's side the Spooners came to America as early as 1720 settling at Frontier, Va., and were also active in colonial interests and all remarkable for longevity.

Three children survive him, Amelia Pitcher, eldest daughter, Waupaca, Wis., Ellen A. Fuller, Cambridge Springs, Pa., and A. W. Gowan, of this place, the only surviving son. N. Putnam Gowan, eldest son, laid down his life on the field of Gettysburg, as a member of the famous Pennsylvania Bucktail Brigade.

Services were held at 2 o'clock this afternoon at the family residence of his son by Rev. J. C. Tompkins and the body laid at rest in Masonic plot of Burns cemetery.

White Front Livery, Feed & Sale

STABLE,



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.

THE CAPITAL SALOON,

TRISCH & DONEGAN, Proprietors.

Burns, - - Oregon.

BURNS HOTEL

BURNS, - - - OREGON

McCLAIN & WILLIAMS, Proprietors.

The proprietors of this large and commodious House are experienced hotel keepers and the public is assured good accommodations.

All Treated Alike. Table Service the Best.

Parties desiring regular board are requested to consult the Landlord.

The "STAR" Saloon,

R. C. ANGEVINE, Proprietor.

First Class.

CHOICE WINES, LIQUORS AND CIGARS.
FINE BILLIARD AND POOL TABLES.

COMFORTABLE CLUB ROOMS

Old Robinson Building.

H. C. BROWN, Blacksmith and wagon Maker,

HARNEY, - - - OREGON.

Iron and steel from 5 to 7 cents per pound. Just Received one half car Load of Hardwood—First Class. Prepared to put in Fellows and Spokes from 30 to 45 cents. Work and material guaranteed to be FIRST CLASS in every particular. Here is an opportunity for the public to get good work done at the LOWEST PRICES. Hardwood for sale by the piece.

SHINGLES!

Parties desiring shingles can get them at McKinney & Sparrows saw mill at same price as at the Shingle mill. In Harney Seth Bower & Co. will attend to the wants of my customers. L. Woldenberg Jr. keeps shingles on hand at his residence in Burns. Call on them for prices and terms at the Shingle Mill.

A. K. RICHARDSON.

HARNEY HOTEL,

J. W. BUCHANAN, Prop., - - - HARNEY, OREGON.

Tables Supplied with the Best Market Affords

Comfortable Lodgings. Everything First-Class.

—Terms for Board by the day, week or month on Application—

Transient Trade given Special Attention.

GRAND FALL OPENING

of
Dry Goods, Clothing, Shoes
and HATS.

We have added several new features to our already large stock. Among these we wish to mention Ladies, misses & children's cloaks, Jackets and wraps, Ladies, Misses & children's Fall and winter Hats, carpets, matings, rugs & draperies.

We cordially invite an inspection of our stock, whether desirous of purchasing or not.

Clothing.

This line has been increased to such an extent that we have not room the space to show the stock and in consequence they are marked at prices that will insure a quick sale and reduction of stock. Don't buy a new suit until you have seen our line. We will be pleased to show you them whether you wish to purchase now or at some later time. We have everything in Men's, Boys and Children's Clothing. Also sole agents for M. Born & Co. Custom Made Clothing.

Shoes.

We are over the best people for Shoes to be found in Eastern Oregon. We give the best shoe for the least money. Our aim is not to get cheap, trashy Shoes that are not cheap at any price, but to give a good, honest Shoe at a reasonable price. For good material, newest styles and honest wear, our lines cannot be beaten.

We are showing all the new styles, also the staple things in Men's, Ladies' and Children's Shoes, and carry an assortment that cannot fail to please all.

Underwear.

We still merit the reputation of carrying the best line of Underwear to be found in this part of the country. This Fall it is larger, cheaper and better than ever before, including Gents, Ladies, Misses, Boys and Children's in two pieces and union suits.

Gents' Underwear from 50 cents up.
Ladies' Underwear from 35 cents up.
Children's Underwear from 20 cents up.

Ladies' Wrappers.

Since putting in this line last fall we have met with a phenomenal success in their sale. This fall we have largely increased the line and are now showing a most complete assortment in these goods, including all the new and latest patterns, at prices from 75 cents up.

Blankets and Carpets, Rugs, Comforters. Draperies.

This line interests the miner and stockman, as well as the housewife. We have always been the leaders in these goods and the immense stock we have this fall will only help to strengthen our reputation.

We have a mammoth line of Comforters, from the cheap, heavy ones to the fine satens.

Blankets were never shown in greater abundance, from 75 cents per pair to the fine All Wool California Blankets.

Also a full line ready made Sheets and Pillow Cases.

Heretofore we have sold these goods by sample, but the time consumed between selecting and receipt of goods was inconvenient to those desiring carpet. This Fall we have brought on the Carpets by the roll and are prepared to sell Carpets at Eastern prices and from a good assortment of patterns.

We have them from 50 cents per yard up.

Mattings from 25 cents per yard up.

Cloaks, Jackets and Capes.

This is an entire new departure, but one that has long been needed. The system of ordering these goods from sample has not been as satisfactory as having the goods to try on and inspect. We have put in a very nice assortment and will sell them at prices that cannot be beaten in any large city. These goods were bought to sell and are marked at prices that will insure a speedy sale.

Ladies' Garments from \$3.00 up.
Misses' and Children's Garments from \$2.00 up.

Dress Goods.

In this line we carry a very complete assortment, including all the latest novelties as well as staple articles.

Fine Plaid Cheeks at 15 and 20 cents per yard.
Imported Brocades at 20 cents per yard.
Heavy Cloaking at 75 cents per yd.

Trimmings.

In this line we are acknowledged leaders. This Fall we have increased our already fine line. Now it includes all the new and leading things in Gimps, Braids and Passamenteres, ranging in price from 5c per yard up.

Write us for Prices.

