

Local News.

Scalp bounty blanks at this office. V. Hanks of Owyhee is visiting our city. Watch repairing guaranteed—H. C. Bilger. Henry Blackwell was in Burns Thursday. Buy your syrup from R. A. Miller & Co. The best on earth. A. L. Vanderpool was over from Warm Springs the first of the week. Peter Shultz, who has been working at Diamond, returned to Burns last week. We have the finest and best line of coffee in Harney county. R. A. Miller & Co. John Warner, a stockman from the Narrows, was a visitor to Burns last Monday. Don't forget the club dance at Locher's hall tonight. These social are very enjoyable affairs. New stock of dress and pattern hats will arrive for Mrs. C. A. Byrd the first of next week. The firm of J. W. Jones & Co. are building a granary on the lot back of their place of business. Charles Roper has gone to New York, where he will spend the winter. Mr. Roper expects to return to this place next spring. Wm. Hanley and L. R. Webster left by private conveyance Tuesday for Ontario, where they expected to take the train for Portland. Albert Ward was in from Happy Valley the first of the week on school matters. He wishes to have the district in which he lives divided. WANTED—50,000 rabbit and hare skins during winter months. Send sample skin and address Wood, Mayer Co., 448 Ellis street, San Francisco, Cal. Henry Scoupes was over from Andrews last Wednesday to make proof on his land. He was accompanied by Edward Carlson and A. Stone, witnesses. If you desire a nice set of hand-made harness, chaps, or anything in the line of saddles, call and see our stock. Our goods are all hand-made and guaranteed. Hopkins & Hunter. The firm of Schofield & Swift, who have 15,000 sheep ranging on the Owyhee desert, has bought hay of the Stauffer Bros. and will winter their flocks on Crane creek. W. G. Baker disposed of his cattle some time ago and left this week for Denver, Colorado, where he expects to locate. We join his many friends in wishing him success in his business undertakings. Robt. Reed was a passenger on the Burns-Canyon stage Wednesday morning, bound for the Armstrong warm springs in Grant county. Bob has been on the sick list for some time, and not improving as rapidly as he should, decided to try bathing at the springs. MARRIED.—A. Miranda, the Andrews merchant, and Miss Natalie Warner, of California, were married at the Hotel Burns last Monday evening, Justice Jameson officiating. The happy couple left for their home last Wednesday. BAPTIST ANNOUNCEMENTS—Sunday school at 10. At 11 a. m. will be a sermon to the two Sunday schools; the Presbyterian school being kindly invited to take part in this service. Evangelistic services at 7:30 p. m. All are invited. T. S. DULIN, Missionary. A. K. Richardson has just returned from the railroad with an engine and a new saw, both of which have been put in place in his shingle mill. Mr. Richardson is now at work turning out shingles and states that the new machinery does excellent work. J. J. Comegys the Merchant-Tailor is agent for Chicago's leading tailors. Suits to order from \$12.50 up; Pants \$3.50 up; Overcoats \$12.00 up. You can have a suit made in Chicago or Burns by first class workmen, all work warranted. Second door west of Capital saloon. H. E. Thompson has returned from his trip to Montana, Northern

Idaho and Washington. He reports a good trip. Mr. Thompson found his brother-in-law, John Robertson, at work on a big stock ranch, and states that John will be here the latter part of this month. Harry was in Spokane when a number of the Washington, Montana and Tennessee volunteers arrived from the Philippines. They had two Filipinos with them, one boy that had been bought for \$2. Harry has a Filipino silver dollar which he got from a Tennessee volunteer. Circuit court adjourned last Saturday evening. The serious illness of Judge Clifford's little daughter at Canyon, made it necessary for him to hasten home. The cases not otherwise disposed of were continued until next spring. Judge Clifford left Sunday by private conveyance, accompanied by Mrs. G. I. Hazeltine, who has been the guest of Mrs. J. W. Biggs since court convened. Ed. Walton and Brus Byrd left for Salem Monday morning in charge of Albert and Loren Williams who were sentenced at the last term of court, to serve terms in the penitentiary. Ed. will join his family in Portland after lodging the prisoners at the penitentiary, and will then go to San Francisco, where they expect to make their home. R. D. Maplesden, of Fort Jones, Cal., agent for the "Old Reliable" Albany Nurseries, has been in this section the past week delivering trees, shrubs, flowers, etc. His customers are all well pleased with the stock brought by him, it being just as represented. Mr. Maplesden will return next spring with another delivery. Don't let it slip your memory, neighbors, that Lunaberg & Dalton carry the largest and best selected stock of boots and shoes in Eastern Oregon, and they will be sold at prices that cannot fail to induce those who examine the goods to purchase. The Lakeview Examiner says that blackleg is reported as being epidemic among the cattle in the Honey Lake country. Doyle's lot ten head in a week, and scarcely a cattle owner in that section has escaped loss by the disease. SHINGLES! SHINGLES! Parties desiring shingles can find them at I. S. Geer & Co's saw mill McKinley & Sparrows saw mill, Seth Bower & Co's and Lon Seaward's at Harney, at the post office in Burns or A. K. Richardson's shingle mill. We have just received a fine lot of winter clothing, including men's and boys' suits and overcoats of all sizes and descriptions. Call now while the stock is complete and make your selections. Lunaberg & Dalton. George M. Humphrey, ex-United States Marshal of Nevada, who died at Reno last week, was an uncle of Ol and Will Jacobs of Warner and Mrs. Asmus Tonning of Lakeview. Pumps and windmills, all sizes and descriptions now in stock. Chain and force pumps a specialty. Call and examine stock. I. S. Geer & Co. The Calavan Bros. projectoscope and graphophone concert, given at Locher's last Saturday evening, was up to the standard of such exhibitions. FOR SALE.—My residence in Burns. Price, \$750. Address: Mrs. Lucy Baker, 217 East Bannock street, Boise, Idaho. C. R. Peterson is over from Crane creek. He reports his child that has been quite sick, improving. Lunaberg & Dalton have just received an immense consignment of dry goods. Circuit court for Grant county will convene at Canyon one week from next Monday. If you want a piano or organ call or write the City Drug Store for prices. Jorgensen announces that he will go to Canyon City for a few days during circuit court. Call and see the large stock of new furniture just received by C. S. Biggs. Special sale of iron bedsteads this week. C. A. Byrd, the furniture man. Supt. Gilcrest, of the P. L. S. Co., arrived in Burns yesterday. Trusses and electric belts at the city drug store. New prints, latest designs. R. A. Miller & Co.

COUNTY COURT.

Matters of Interest Disposed of at This Term.

Johnson Bros. granted liquor license for six months. D. L. Shirk allowed a rebate of \$15.71 on taxes for the year 1895. The opening of the road prayed for by Stephen Woods and 11 others continued. Olson & Beede granted a liquor license for six months. The 1899 assessment of R. L. Hutton raised to 100 head of cattle; S. F. Hutton to 400; Geo. Miller to 200; W. H. Shirk, 600; D. L. Shirk, 875. A warrant ordered drawn in favor of J. E. Johnson for \$300, part payment on contract for road work. The grade in the Stancliff lane accepted. It was found from the report of Experts Huston and Leonard that there was \$354.55 due the county from I. S. Geer, ex county treasurer. The sheriff having been charged with the raise in the taxes for the year 1896 and said raises being decided illegal by the supreme court, the clerk was ordered to credit the sheriff with the amount, in order to correct the books. The Drewsey bridge was accepted. The petition of W. L. Best and twelve others for a county road on Silver creek set aside and dismissed. Scalps received to the number of 841. Eyes tested and glasses fitted by H. C. Bilger. Commissioner's court has been in session since Wednesday. New invoice of Thomson's glove-fitting corsets just received at R. A. Miller & Co.'s. W. L. Best and R. J. Baker, of Silver creek, spent several days in Burns this week. A nice, fresh lot of groceries have just been received and put in place at Lunaberg & Dalton's. C. S. Johnson and family were in Burns the first of the week, purchasing winter supplies. O. B. Dingle, the Stein mountain sheepman, came in from Diamond the middle of the week. John Darsey has gone to Anderson valley, where he has secured a job for the winter. A full line of Shilling's Best spices, baking powder, coffee and extracts at R. A. Miller & Co.'s. Assessor Buchanan and wife of Harney were in Burns this week. Joe reports Jack Goodloe still quite sick. THE TIMES-HERALD will take county script on subscription at face value. Those in arrears can also pay up in script. If the present rain continues the ball grounds will be in fine condition for a game of foot ball Thanksgiving. We can supply the public with anything needed in the general merchandise line and in any quantity desired. Lunaberg & Dalton. The assessment rolls show the taxable property of the county for this year to exceed last year's valuation \$216,405. Assessor Buchanan is doing good work. The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hayes has been quite sick for some time past with whooping cough. The little fellow is now convalescing. There will be preaching next Sunday morning and evening, at Harney. No service will be held in the Presbyterian church at Burns except Sunday school at 10 o'clock a. m. J. C. TEMPLETON. If the public is aware of the fact that 90 per cent. of headache and neuralgia is the result of eye strain and defective glasses, the people would not lose any time, but go to Jorgensen and have their eyes properly fitted and get relief. We learn from W. G. Peirce that his brother, L. V. Pierce, who had his leg broken two months ago is improving slowly. He is still at the Anderson hotel in this city, but will be taken to his home near Vale as soon as he is able to be removed. R. F. Claypool, of Alvord, came in the first of the week, accompanied by his daughter. Rube started to Burns with a four-horse load of potatoes, but sold them all at Lawrence. He saved one sack for THE TIMES-HERALD man and they were the best potatoes we have seen this season. Jack Gebhard and James Ruth-erford, the two men mentioned in

our last issue as having been sentenced by Justice Curl, of Drewsey, to serve a term each in the county jail, were taken out to Silver creek last week by Supervisor Oakerman to work on the roads. Last Tuesday morning Gebhard got some liquor and proceeded to get on a "highlonesome," much to the disgust of Mr. Oakerman. He was placed in charge of Robt Baker and W. L. Best, who were bound for this place, to bring in to the authorities, and he was again landed in jail. He was placed on a bread and water diet and after one meal the prisoner decided to work the roads again, this time being taken out by Joe Barnes. Wednesday evening his partner Jim, meandered into Burns and was given lodgings in the county jail. He was placed on the same elaborate bill of fare as was given Gebhard, and no doubt would like another job on the roads. Lakeview Examiner: Carrol Cecil, a stockman of Silver creek, Oregon, reached Grand Island, Sacramento county, Cal., three weeks ago with 40 head of young, unbroke mules, and sold the entire band at \$260 per span. Mr. Cecil says the business of raising work animals for the market is just as profitable as it ever was; that the mules he sold at \$260 per span were not above the average. He could have sold 150 head if he had them. The price is sure to be better next fall and he intends to take a large herd to the Sacramento valley then, confident that the price will be \$300 per span. "The happiest man I've seen in Burns for a long time," said Frank Reider the other day, "was a fellow that was hauling dirt into the court house yard last Wednesday. The rain was coming down in torrents, and the man was working away in his shirtsleeves with a smile on his face and humming 'Happy Day.'" Upon inquiry it was learned that the teamster was a "Webfooter," having recently arrived from the Willamette valley. The familiar form of Charles Adams has been seen on our streets the past week. Chas. came in and had a chat with us last Sunday. He was much surprised at the growth of Burns and the general development of the country since his removal from our midst. Mr. Adams came over as a witness for "Uncle" Jimmy Gentry in his land suit. Dave Shirk, of Shirk, Harney county, has been visiting Surprise valley after a load of winter supplies, says the Lakeview Examiner. Mr. Shirk is a prosperous stockman of Catlow valley, and as soon as that road in Warner is made a public highway, and the grade is built over the rimrock on the Horse trail, Lakeview will do business with Mr. Shirk and all his neighbors. Our old friend W. Dunn drifted into THE TIMES-HERALD office on Thursday. The old gent was in good health and high spirits, carrying "a top load," as he expressed himself, of the latter, and "felt like a young colt." Mr. Dunn had just returned from the railroad with a load of freight. Louis Zeigler departed for his home near Newbridge Wednesday, after a two weeks' visit with old friends in this section. Louis found all but one of his strayed horses. Our lines of blankets and comforters are the most complete in this section. Call and see them. R. A. Miller & Co. M. L. Lewis went to the Narrows Wednesday afternoon on insurance business. He will visit other sections before returning. We have holiday goods galore; also King heaters, glassware, cutlery and fancy crockery just in. Racine Bros. THE TIMES-HERALD is turning out some neat up-to-date job work. Call and see samples and get prices. The warm rains of the past week will make the grass grow on the ranges, and stockmen are happy. King heating stoves, cutlery, glassware, holiday goods and crockery just arrived at Racine Bros. When you find an item of news call up 'phone No 16. It will be appreciated. Everything new in the line of winter goods at Lunaberg & Dalton's. Call and see my stock. H. C. Bilger, the Jeweler. Call up 'phone 15 for job printing on short notice.

PLAY BALL.

"Put Up or Shut Up," Says the Rubbernecker's Captain.

Ed. Caldwell, captain of the Rubberneck baseball team of Burns has issued a challenge to play all comers, excepting professionals. The Rubbernecker are in the pink of condition, and are anxious to cross bats with any amateur team in these parts for money or marbles. The boys would like to play ball with the Drewsey windsplitters, and hope the howling nine of that burgh will "put up or shut up." Captain Caldwell says the game must be "on the square," as he don't want to be "buncoed" any more. "Talk about pitchers," said Captain Caldwell, "the Rubbernecker have a pitcher that can throw 'balls' into you faster than any Drewseyite can gobble them up, and that's saying a good deal. And when it comes to batting the way our boys twirl the stick the air seems black with bats." Continuing, the captain said: "Now, if Drewsey wants to play ball, let her show the color of her coin, and we'll accommodate the boys on the Burns diamond at any time." Grand Jury Report. In the circuit court of the state of Oregon, for the county of Harney. To the Hon. Morton D. Clifford, judge of the above entitled court: We, the grand jury empaneled at the present October, 1899, term of your court, submit this our final report and beg leave to be discharged. We have examined into the books and affairs of the several county officers and find the same apparently neatly and properly kept and the affairs of the respective officers properly conducted. We have been in active session seven days, during which time we have examined into all matters brought to our attention and have returned into court four true bills indictment. Respectfully submitted this 4th day of November, 1899. R. J. MCKINNON. L. B. HAYES. I. S. GEER. H. B. MACE. JOE CLARK. L. B. CULP. M. FESWICK. Probate Court. It appearing to the court that the guardian of the J. P. Garred estate is ill and gone to Umatilla county, Casper Luig was appointed to take temporary charge of the estate. A. L. Vanderpool was appointed administrator of the J. B. Craig estate. Final account of W. Hogan, administrator of the estate of J. Z. Hogan, accepted and the administrator discharged from further responsibility. Final account of Jap McKinnon, administrator of the estate of E. R. Taylor, accepted and the administrator discharged. The First Washington volunteers arrived in Seattle the 6th inst. on the steamship Queen, and were given a reception never to be forgotten by those who witnessed it, on land or sea. General Nelson A. Miles and Governor Rogers were the distinguished guests. Photography used to be a difficult art. It is different now. Anybody can take pictures. Manufacturers now make Cameras which anyone can operate, and they furnish accessories and chemicals in such shape that the finishing of pictures is an easy matter. We Sell all These Articles Complete Outfits, including Cameras and everything necessary to finish pictures from \$5 TO \$25. Call and see these outfits and the kind of pictures which can be taken with them. CITY DRUG STORE. H. M. HORTON, Prop.

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