

The Times-Herald.

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YOUR TOWN.

HOW TO HELP.

Talk about it.
Write about it.
Beautify the streets.
Be friendly to everybody.
Keep your sidewalks in good repair.
Sell all you can and buy all you can at home.
If you are rich invest in something; employ somebody.
Be courteous to strangers that come among you, so they will go away with good impressions.
Always cheer on the men who go in for improvements. Your portion of the cost will be nothing.
Don't kick at any proposed improvement because it is not at your own door, or for fear that your taxes will be raised fifty cents.

HOW TO HURT.

Oppose improvements.
Mistrust its public men.
Run it down to strangers.
Go to some other town to trade.
Refuse to advertise in your home paper.
Do not advertise a cent. Lay your money out somewhere else.
Be careful to discredit the motives of public spirited men.
Lengthen your face when a stranger talks of locating in your place.
If a man wants to buy your property charge him two prices for it.
If he wants anybody's else, interfere and discourage him.
Refuse to see merit in any scheme which does not directly benefit you.—Huntington Herald.

The new assessment and taxation bill which was unanimously passed by the senate the other day at Salem, has two main purposes. One is to make taxes a lien on property whatever the description would be sufficient if contained in a deed, and the second the payment of taxes in semi-annual installments. A 3 per cent rebate is allowed on taxes paid before April 15. The act is a general one for the whole state, and the sheriffs are retained as tax collectors. In order that the collection of taxes for the present year, the books for which have already been prepared, shall not be interfered with.

The big railroad deals of the past few weeks have seriously handicapped the Burlington's western outlet. A deal is now on with the Union Pacific for the Burlington's Pacific business, but since the U. P. has come into the control of the central and should the Rio Grande also come under the control of the new deal or Harriman interest the matter would become still more complicated for the Burlington. It will possibly make the latter road seek an outlet of its own, which would mean a transcontinental line through this section.

Sombody has explained the significance of the editorial "we." It may have a variety of meanings. For example, when you read, "We expect our wife home today," "we" refers to the editor; "We are a little late with our work" includes the whole office force, even the devil and towel; in "We are having a boom" the town is meant; "We received over 100,000 emigrants last year" embraces the nation; but "We have hog cholera in our midst," means that the man who takes our paper and does not pay for it is ill.—Ex.

The press dispatches to the effect that Pat Crow had made a confession to the Cudahy kidnapping to the editor of the Waterloo Tribune is pronounced a fake by the editor of that paper. In his explanation of the story, the Iowa editor states that the day before

the publication of his weekly paper found him without enough matter to fill his columns and that, believing it would not be taken seriously, he wrote and published the Pat Crow story.

Mitchell deal—democrats will support him for senator—next Tuesday the time set for his appearance—claims 20 votes and can get enough republicans to elect. Such have been the headings in the Oregonian every day or two since the present session of the legislature begun, but so far Mitchell has failed to appear on schedule time and the people have come to look upon the Oregonian rot in about the same light as the hair-raising stories that have been circulated about Teddy Roosevelt and his hunting expedition. It now transpires that never at any time was there a newspaper correspondent within 40 miles of the Roosevelt hunting party and the whole business was originated in the shops of the "yellow journals." In what class of journalism is the Oregonian? It is a Corbett paper and was under the impression that if it could make the stories about Mitchell hold water, some of the democrats who were opposed to Mitchell would be scared into voting for its candidate. Still it has been about as truthful in this matter as anything else when there was anything at stake in which the Oregonian pocket book was interested.

The publisher of a newspaper has one thing to sell and one thing to rent. He has the newspaper to sell and the space in his paper to rent. Can any one inform us why he should be expected to give away either the one or the other? He can, if he so chooses, and he does, as a matter of fact, furnish a great deal of spare rent free. But it does not follow that he ought to be expected to do so. It ought to be recognized as a contribution, exactly as would be the giving away of sugar or coffee by a grocer. But, strange to say, it is not looked upon in that light at all; and yet everybody knows that the existence of a newspaper depends upon the rent of its space and the sale of the paper, just the same as a merchant's success depends on selling his goods, instead of giving them away.—Albion (Ind.) Era.

We are in receipt of a letter from Hon. L. S. Geer stating that school bill for Burns had passed the house and he was working like a beaver to see it safely through the senate. The prospects for its passage are encouraging, at least, and we hope to state in our next issue that a high school for Burns is an assured fact.

Our representative has introduced a road brand bill, in accordance with the wishes of a number of his constituents. We give the bill complete on the first page in this issue and as the stockmen of this section are interested in the matter, we ask them to read it. Representative Geer is doing his duty toward the people of his district.

Again we wish to call your attention to the city election which is close at hand. We should select good men for the positions and allow each section representation. We also elect a city marshal this time and the man for that position should be carefully selected the same as the other officers.

Nebraska, Delaware, Oregon and Montana are all experiencing a senatorial deadlock in their legislatures. Were the matter submitted to the people it would be settled in one day.—Willow Journal.

Farmers are making preparations to put in a large acreage of grain this season. Experiments will be made on various ranches where it has not been tried heretofore.

We Will Accept.

Otis Valley, Feb. 16.—Mr. Julian Byrd: I will furnish you 10 hens on back subscription if you will furnish transportation. I warrant them to lay 12 eggs a day—have laid 15 eggs in one day. Have 10 more of the same stock. My reason for disposing of them is that the Drewsey market is overstocked. Nine of them have had the small pox and the other has been vaccinated so there is no danger of disease.

I will also send one rooster to break the editor's slumbers.

Wishing your undertaking may be a successful one I am

Very Respect

A SUBSCRIBER.

We assure "Subscriber" that his most generous offer is gratefully accepted. Just as soon as we can arrange for the transportation we will send for the fowls. The present condition of the roads would be fine for shipping ducks, but hens would surely take pneumonia if compelled to stay in the water 24 hours or more in spite of the fact that they are vaccinated. A few more offers like the above would give us an excellent start in a lucrative business. Who will be the next man with chickens?

Native Sons of Oregon.

On last Thursday evening at the I. O. O. F. and K. of P. hall, A. H. Robie Cabin, Native Sons of Oregon was organized by Hon. A. D. Leedy of Canyon City. The cabin takes its name from A. H. Robie, the old pioneer, who lived in Diamond Valley years ago. The organization starts off with a charter list of 43 and has bright prospects. The following officers were elected for the term: Past President, C. W. Parrish; President, J. J. Donegan; First Vice President, H. E. Thompson; Second Vice President, R. E. Reed; Third Vice President, E. B. Waters; Recording Secretary, H. Richardson; Financial Secy. and Treasurer, Lee Caldwell; Marshall, Charles Johnson; Inside Sentinel, Len Walton; Outside Sentinel, Perry Williams; Trustees, John Elger, O. D. Rusk and J. J. Combs.

Bright Boys Started in Business.

The publishers of the famous big illustrated weekly newspaper, PERRY SYLVANIA GRIFF, are now placing representatives at every post office in Oregon, and they desire to secure the services of capable hustling agents in each of the following towns in Harney county: Burns, Drewsey and Harney, and in such other towns as are not already supplied. The work is profitable and pleasant. A portion of Saturday only is required. No money whatever is required. Over 5000 agents are doing splendidly. Everything is furnished free. Stationery, rubber stamp, ink and pad, advertising matter, sample copies, etc. Papers are shipped to be paid for at the end of each month. Those not sold are not charged for. Write to Griff Publishing Co., Williamsport Pa., and mention THE TIMES-HERALD.

Buying Cavalry Horses.

Messrs W. Z. Moss and J. C. Dodson were in Lakeview last Thursday with a view to purchasing horses suitable for cavalry purposes. They have a government contract to furnish a large number of animals and will purchase all they can get that will answer the purpose of the government. Mr. Moss went north from here to make purchases, while Mr. Dodson returned to Ft. Bidwell to scout that country for animals. It is very evident that this section of Oregon will be completely cleaned up of good horses within a few months. The sale of good horses will continue to be active as long as they can be found, and the man who is in the business of raising that kind of stock will be successful.—Lakeview Examiner.

Yesterday's Vote For Senator.

No material change in the senatorial vote yesterday. Only one ballot was taken and the legislature adjourned and will not vote again until this evening at six o'clock when they will begin to ballot and continue until midnight unless an election before that time. The message did not state, but from present indications, it is the intention to adjourn tomorrow. Following is the vote of yesterday: Corbett, 34; Hermann, 24; Inman, 23; Williams, 15; Fulton, 4; Peter DeArcey, 1.

The Lakeview Examiner says a letter from J. H. Hotchkiss, who is in Colusa county, Cal., announces the fact that he has struck an oil well near Colusa, and a company has been organized to develop the industry. The Examiner would not be surprised to hear of Mr. Hotchkiss becoming a grant petroleum magnate before long. The gentleman is the father of H. Hotchkiss of this county.

Notice to Creditors.

Know all men that the undersigned has been appointed administrator of the Estate of Jacob Lentz, deceased, and letters issued on the 19th day of February, 1901, by order of the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Harney County. All persons having claims against the said Estate will present the same, duly verified as by law required, at the office of Williams & Fitzgerald, Burns, Oregon, within six months from the date of the expiration of the publication of this notice, to be published 4 full weeks in the TIMES-HERALD.

Dated this 23rd day of February 1901, which is the date of the first publication.

THORNTON WILLIAMS, Administrator.

Sheriff's Sale.

Under and by virtue of a Warrant issued out of and under the Seal of the County Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Harney, to me directed and delivered, commanding me to levy on the goods and chattels of the delinquent taxpayers named on the delinquent Tax Rolls of said County for the years 1895, 1897, 1898 and 1899, thereto attached, and if none be found, then upon the real property as set forth and described in the said delinquent Tax Rolls, or so much thereof as shall satisfy the amount of taxes charged thereon, together with the costs and expenses, I have duly levied, having been unable to find any goods or chattels belonging to the respective delinquent taxpayers hereinafter named, upon the following tracts and parcels of real estate as set forth in said tax lists, lying and being in Harney County, state of Oregon, and described and assessed as follows:

1899.

J C Buckland, w j w j sec 26 tp 22 r 32, and sec ne j, e j sec 1 and sw j sec 30 tp 22 r 32j..... \$ 18 02
C G Frye, "Hudson Block" and all block 19 Morrison Addition to Burns..... 10 65
Hugh Harris, s j sw j sec 26 and n j nw j sec 31 tp 22 r 30..... 6 95
Hugh Harris, block C Burns 6 W Hayes, lots 1, 2, 7 and 8, block 59, Burns..... 17 38
Geo Sizemore, all of block 68, Burns..... 21 30

1898.

J C Buckland, w j w j sec 26 tp 22 r 32 and lots 3 and 6 block 12 Harney..... 11 34
Frank Buckland, sec ne j, e j sec 1, sw j sec 30 tp 22 r 32j..... 9 50

1897.

J C Buckland, w j w j, sec 26 tp 22 r 32 and sec ne j, e j sec 1, sw j sec 30 tp 22 r 32j..... 13 65

1895.

J C Buckland, w j nw j, w j sw j sec 26 tp 22 r 32..... 8 34

Notice is hereby given that I will on Monday, the 11th day of March, A. D. 1901 at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Front door of the Court House, in Burns, Harney County, Oregon, sell the above described real estate at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, subject to redemption, to satisfy said Warrant, costs and accruing costs.

Dated this 9 day of February, A. D. 1901.

GEO. SHELLEY, Sheriff of Harney County, Oregon.

Notice of Final Settlement.

Notice is hereby given that I the undersigned administrator of the estate of John Murray deceased have filed my final account with said estate in the office of the County Clerk of Harney county Oregon; and that, Monday, the 11th day of March 1901, is the day fixed by the Court for hearing objections thereto and reading a decree allowing or disallowing the said account. All heirs, creditors and other persons interested in said estate, desiring to file objections thereto shall do so on or before that date.

F. S. REIDER, Administrator.

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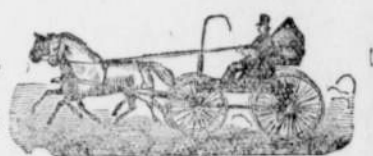
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