

The results of the elections last Tuesday was not a surprise in any instance unless it be that of New York City where the Tammany democrats who have controlled the city government for practically 17 years were turned down.

It would seem from the number of fruit trees and berry bushes delivered here last Monday, that in a very few seasons we will be shipping out fruit instead of paying ranchers of the John Day and Snake River valleys fancy prices to bring it in.

The advocates of the land leasing bill have repeatedly told our people that the stockmen all over the West were in favor of such a measure and gave out the impression that only the stockmen of Eastern Oregon were opposed to it.

J. B. Huntington, who is taking a lively interest in the matter, has the following comment in last Monday's Oregonian:

Portland, Nov. 3.—(To the Editor)—The Omaha Telegram published on the fourth page of your today's issue, is indicative of what is being done for and against the progress of the measure to be introduced at the next session of congress, providing for the partitioning of the unoccupied public domain in certain states and territories, among the owners of livestock; and the attention of all persons who think there is no danger of the enactment of such a law is directed to it.

J. B. HUNTINGTON.

Lakeview Examiner, Oct. 31: The Burns Times-Herald is warning the people opposed to leasing of the public lands that notwithstanding a portion of the state press say that the scheme is a dead issue, and will not be framed into a bill, the anti-leasing people should be on the alert.

The present indications may bear out the theory that the matter is a dead issue, but as the Examiner has heretofore said, there is doubtless "something up the sleeve" of the cattle barons.

It is not our opinion that the bill commonly known as the land leasing bill now before the public will become a law without considerable modification, and the elimination of the part which debar the homesteader from making entry, but it is our opinion the promoters of the scheme have given out the wrong bill purposely in order to hoodwink the people, and when the proper time comes a bill that will meet all requirements of the wealthy stock syndicates will be sprung on the country and on congress.

The wealthy cattlemen have set their hearts, minds and souls on this land leasing scheme and they will not be dissuaded from their purpose so easily—just for the reason that the popular cry is against their scheme. It is not only the big stock companies of the West that are interested in the land leasing proposition, but the rich packing houses of the east are backing the scheme. The effects and crowded, choking east have no lands to lease,

consequently its members of congress, caring little about the interests of the west, will care less how they may vote on such a proposition, especially if they can get the assistance of other congressmen in the passage of some bills that may effect them. This apparent lethargy, is only a blind, no doubt, on the part of the rich western stockmen, to allow the opposition to get quiet, confident and careless. This must not be. When the time is ripe the promoters will doubtless "bob up serenely" in the halls of congress with a paid, powerful lobby and purchased following. The western congressmen will have a hard fight against big odds to defeat the most damnable scheme and plot to ruin the best industry in the west that was ever concocted.

Circuit Court Proceedings.

The following business was transacted by the circuit court since our last issue:

LAW.

James Donegan vs Paul Locher, recovery of money; continued and set for trial second day of next regular term.

Sherman & Marion vs J. P. Gearhart, recovery of money; continued for the term.

The Citizens Bank vs Frank C. Fister recovery of money; default and judgment by consent \$1500.01 and interest and \$80 allowed as attorney fees and order sale of attached property.

J. J. Topker vs Geo. Stancliff, recovery of money; default and judgment. \$5 allowed as attorneys fees.

The Citizens Bank vs M. H. Brenton, default and judgment. \$9 allowed as attorneys fees. Order for sale of attached property.

EQUITY.

W. D. Hoffman vs Fanny Huffman, divorce, decree in favor of defendant.

H. Hotchkiss vs G. W. Young, injunction. Decree in favor of defendant.

W. D. Hanley vs Charles Nelson, trespass; referred to J. W. Coleman to report testimony by the next term of court.

Frances Brenton vs H. M. Brenton, divorce; referred to J. W. Coleman to report testimony.

Ellie May Syme vs H. B. Syme, divorce; decree of divorce.

School district No. 2 vs James Pirie; referred to J. W. Coleman to take testimony of witnesses in this county, and Austin Craig, of Whitner as special referee to take testimony of H. F. Dodson and R. M. Haley special referee to take testimony of witnesses in Canyon City Cause continued.

H. M. Horton vs Etta Horton, divorce; referred to J. W. Coleman to report testimony.

J. W. Geary vs Josephine Geary, divorce; default of defendant entered. Decree as prayed for.

Matilda Racine vs Frances Brenton, foreclosure of mortgage; Decree by consent.

The Citizens Bank vs F. C. Fister and J. H. Neal, foreclosure of mortgage; A. Venator appointed receiver by consent. Answer of debt F. C. Fister withdrawn by consent. Decree as to Fister as prayed for and for the sum of \$2071.60 and interest. \$207 allowed for attorneys fees.

L. Waldenberg vs Christopher Berg, suit for dissolution of partnership and an accounting; referred to W. J. Coleman to report testimony. Alice Z Hoover vs Nert Hoover; decree as per mandate of supreme court.

CRIMINAL.

City of Burns vs Paul Locher, selling liquor without license; verdict guilty. Sentenced to pay a fine of \$50 and costs.

State of Oregon vs Mathew Price, larceny; jury returned verdict of guilty. Sentenced for one year in the penitentiary.

State of Oregon vs D. H. Smyth, assault with a dangerous weapon, jury returned a verdict of not guilty. Deft discharged.

Court adjourned Thursday evening.

Citizens Business College Opened.

From the encouraging appearances of last Monday evening the Citizens Business College of Burns will be one of the permanent institutions of Eastern Oregon. On that evening a large crowd filled the neat and comfortable quarters fitted

up for the College to witness the opening exercises. The program consisted of addresses by Hon. I. S. Geer, Rev. Father McDevitt, Prof. A. C. Finn of the public schools, Rev. G. W. Black and Prof. Rigby. This was interspersed by some excellent music by the band and singing by the choir.

Mr. Geer discussed the benefits of the College from a stand point of a business man. Rev. Father McDevitt, in his usual happy strain, gave a short talk on the benefits and possibilities of such an institution in this section, where young men and women could fit themselves for future work. Prof. Finn discussed the different branches taught, as outlined on the black board. Rev. Black with a few chosen remarks wished the institution success and spoke a good word for the principal, with whom he had been acquainted for a number of years. Prof. Rigby closed the program with a few happy remarks in which he expressed his appreciation of the encouragement given by the citizens and business men of Burns and vicinity. He also gave an outline of the course of study.

The Citizens Business College of Burns starts off with very flattering prospects, having a goodly number of students enrolled with others to enter in the near future. The management is well pleased with the opening. Our people all seem interested with the College and will do what they can to help it along. They realize the benefit of such an institution of learning in this county.

Religious Services.

Christian Science services at H. L. Briscoe's residence every Sunday 11 o'clock a. m., and 8 p. m. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Meeting is also held each Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. All are cordially invited to attend. Subject for tomorrow: "Mortals and Immortals"

Rev. A. J. Irwin will preach at Harney the 2nd Sunday of each month at 11 a. m., and 7:30 p. m. Sabbath school every sabbath at 2 p. m.

There will be preaching services at the Poison Creek school house every 4th Sunday at 2:30 p. m. Rev. A. J. Irwin, pastor.

At the Presbyterian church Burns, Rev. A. J. Irwin pastor Devine services the third and fourth Sundays of each month at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sabbath school at 10 a. m. every Sabbath morning.

Preaching services at the Baptist church every 1st and 2nd Sundays, morning and evening Sunday school every Sunday at 11 a. m. prayer meeting every Thursday evening.

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE.

Under and by virtue of an Execution in Enforcement and Order of Sale, issued out of and under the seal of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for Harney County, dated the 25th day of November, 1921, and to me directed and delivered on said day, in a suit in Foreclosure in said Court wherein Matilda L. Racine was plaintiff and Frances B. Brenton, M. H. Brenton and Mary E. Racine were defendants, upon a judgment and decree rendered in said Court and cause on the 24th day of November, 1921, in favor of the above named plaintiff and against the above named defendants Frances B. Brenton, M. H. Brenton and Mary E. Racine, for the sum of \$700.00, Thascent, Two Hundred Dollars, with interest at 10% per cent per annum, and the further sum of \$300.00 attorney fees, and \$225.00 costs of suit, I have this day listed upon the following described real property of the said defendants, also described in said Order of Sale and therein referred to be sold that to-wit:

Lot 1 and 2 of Block 11 of the City of Burns, Harney County, Oregon, and that certain Lot or parcel of Land, beginning at the South-west corner of Lot 2 of said Block 6, and running Thence North 3 feet, Thence East 20 feet, Thence South to the West 1/2 section 16 of Township 33 N., Range 10 E., and Lot 1 and 2 of Block 11 of said City of Burns, according to the plat of said City on file in the office of the County Clerk of Harney County, Oregon.

Notice is hereby given that I will on Tuesday the 29th day of December, 1921, at the Court House of the County of Harney, Oregon, at the hour of 12 o'clock P. M. of that day, sell the above described property for U. S. Coins in hand to satisfy said judgment, with its costs, attorney fees, costs and accruing costs, and property will be sold in parcels according to the provisions of said decree, to-wit: Lot 1 and 2 of Block 6 and that certain Lot beginning at the S.W. corner of Lot 2, Block 6, running Thence N. 30 feet, Thence E. 20 feet, Thence S. 10 feet, Thence West 1/2 section 16 of Township 33 N., Range 10 E., and Lot 1 and 2 of Block 11 of said City of Burns, according to the plat of said City on file in the office of the County Clerk of Harney County, Oregon.

Witness my hand this 28th day of Nov., 1921. G. W. HAYES, Sheriff, Harney County, Oregon, by SAM MORGENTHAU, Deputy.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

LAND OFFICE AT BURNS, OREGON. OCT 27, 1921. Notice is hereby given that the following name-writer has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before me on the 27th day of November, 1921, at 10 o'clock P. M. at the NE 1/4, section 23, T. 33 N., R. 10 E., W. 1/2 of the 1/2 section 16 of Township 33 N., Range 10 E., and Lot 1 and 2 of Block 11 of said City of Burns, according to the plat of said City on file in the office of the County Clerk of Harney County, Oregon.

We are requested to announce that a grand masked ball will be given at Floral Hall on Thanksgiving evening. Full particulars will appear next week.

THANKSGIVING Grand Mask Carnival Thursday Eve., November 28, at Floral Hall. TWO ELEGANT PRIZES OFFERED. For Best Sustained Lady Character, a Beautiful Mandolin. For Best Sustained Gent Character, Solid Gold Cuff Buttons. Prizes now on exhibition at City Drug Store.

The Citizens Bank (INCORPORATED) BURNS, OREGON. CAPITAL STOCK \$25,000.00 A General Banking Business Transacted. Directors: W. Y. King, I. S. Geer, Geo. Fry, W. E. Trisch, J. C. Welcome. Correspondence Invited.

Now that the spring season is on us we naturally turn toward looking after our machinery and see what is needed for the season's work. We wish to announce at this time that we have Wagons, Buggies, Mowers, Hay Rakes, Trains, Binders, etc., and are sole agents for Dain Trucks. You should profit by this windy weather and buy a Windmill from us. Call and examine goods, get prices and terms. We can save you money. Gear & Cummins

R. L. GRIFFIN V. B. STAPLES GRIFFIN & STAPLES Ontario, Oregon. DRY GOODS Ladies and Gents Furnishings.

We make a specialty of Clothing, Boots and Shoes. THE TRADE OF THE INTERIOR SOLICITED. ONE PRICE TO ALL. Mail Orders Solicited.

CITY MEAT MARKET P. G. SMITH, Prop., Burns, Oregon. Fresh Beef, Pork, etc. in any quantity desired. Head Cheese Bologna and Sausage of all kinds always on hand. Your patronage solicited.

White Front Livery, Feed & Sale STABLE. McClain & Biggs Proprietors, 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.

About every two weeks I will be in Burns with fruit: Peas, Apples, Plums and Peaches. I will certainly remember my old friends and customers to the extent that I will do the very I can for them. In quality of fruit and prices. To such I promise to deliver the best quality of winter fruit and desire that all my customers give me a chance before engaging winter fruit from other sources. ALVIN CASSELL. Disolution Notice. Notice is hereby given that the partnership that existed between Simon Lewis and John Stewart is dissolved by mutual consent, Mr. Stewart retiring and Mr. Lewis retaining and paying all bills. JOHN STEWART. SIMON LEWIS. These Peasack, Ostich and Turkey feather dusters at the Burns Furniture Co's. are beauties.

FALL AND WINTER SUPPLIES We arranged and received our Fall and Winter stock for the season and now our line is complete. We are prepared to fill orders, it matters not how large or small, with the goods on the market. If the money for expenses and time are out is worth considering, you cannot afford to get the road for supplies. Let us quote prices. Call with your order and we will convince you that we can save you money.

Winter Clothing, Overcoats, wear, Boots, Shoes, Etc. LUNABERG & DALY M. FITZGERALD, PRESIDENT F. S. RIEDER, SECY AND TREAS. BIGGS & TURNER, ATTORNEYS Eastern Oregon Title Guaranty Co. INCORPORATED. Abstracts Furnished and Title Guaranteed To all Lands in Harney County, Oregon. REAL ESTATE Bought and Sold on Commission. Office in Bank Building.

THE CAPITAL SALOON TRISCH & DONEGAN, Proprietors. Burns, Oregon. Make This Headquarters

HOTEL ONTARIO FRANK SMITH Proprietor, ONTARIO, OREGON. The Largest Hotel building in Malheur County. Best equipped, best managed and most popular hotel in Eastern Oregon. HEADQUARTERS FOR HARNEY COUNTY PEOPLE First-Class Bar in Connection.

Harry C. Smith, Contractor and Builder. BURNS, OREGON. Draws plan, makes estimates, etc. Buildings put up within the figures given in estimates. 100% satisfaction guaranteed. My Specialties are Brick Laying and Plastering. Brick and lime always on hand at the yard. Residence 14th and 1st.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF ONTARIO, OREGON. Accounts of Corporations, Firms and Individuals Solicited. STOCKHOLDERS: John D. Daly, William Jones, Paul Coffin, Abner Robbins, B. F. Olden, M. Alexander, N. E. Coffey, William Miller, E. H. Test, Thos. Turnbull. E. H. TEST, Cashier.

MILLER & THOMPSON. They will have something to say next week.

UNDER NEW MANAGEMENT The Burns Hotel F. L. ANDREWS, Proprietor. - BURNS, OREGON. Strictly First-Class Best Accommodations. This hotel is centrally located and under the management of experienced landlord. The building has been thoroughly renovated and is well furnished. The dining room is in charge of polite and molating waiters. The tables are furnished with the best. Special Accommodations for Traveling Men.