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JULIAN RYED - - - - - Manager

Our attention has been called to an article published in a Winemucca paper to the effect that a large number of sheep had been sold and driven out of the Malheur counties. This statement is not correct and is misleading so far as Harney county is concerned.

The impression seems to have gone out that Harney county has no mutton left and buyers have not been coming in as in former years. We have lots of them—good fat ones—awaiting buyers.

Although it has been an exceedingly dry season range conditions are not so bad as have been pictured by outside papers and The Times Herald finds stock in good condition.

The report that feed is short and the hay crop far below the average has, perhaps had a tendency to create an impression that stock is in poor condition and that many would be compelled to sell before winter.

Such being the impression buyers may think that by holding off until later they can get stock at most any price. This is not the case and buyers will make a mistake if they follow this out.

The Times-Herald finds more than an average amount of hay has been put up this season, the P. L. S. Co alone stacking 950 tons more than usual, and stockmen are safe in that respect.

They can get the feed to carry their stock over, but prefer selling provided a reasonable price is offered.

Cattle buyers could find many prime beef at this time. They would do well to come at this time as stock will be in better condition to drive now than later.

The Fair opens in a week. The farmers and stockraisers of Harney should follow the suggestion of the Times-Herald and make it the best ever given.

It is to their interests and for their benefit. We admit that some people of this town look at the annual fair in a mercenary manner and hope to make money.

This class, to the credit of Burns and Harney county, are in the minority by big odds and should be put on a back seat where they belong.

penation for the trouble of putting their horses in condition, as well as encourage the raising of a better class of racers and harness horses.

The open season for ducks and geese has been in effect since September 1st. We are informed these water-fowl are more numerous than for several years, near the lakes and swamps.

The credit business is a serious drawback to this section. Merchants and business men of all kinds should try to remedy this. We have been informed that goods can be sold at much lower figures if settlements were made more frequent.

It appears that the Oregon congressional delegation have troubles of their own in the way of appointments. J. W. Knowles had the unanimous endorsement

streams affected by the irrigation work. It should be established by the laws of the state just how much water a man is entitled to, and these laws should be the result of patient investigation and study on the part of men who are competent to frame measures of such importance.

The resolution introduced in the last session of your legislature giving the governor power to appoint a commission of five men to investigate the question and frame a bill for the next session of the body should be acted upon and the men so appointed given time and opportunity to do their work in an intelligent and conscientious manner.

Additional Locals.

F. C. Dibble and wife came over from Silver creek Tuesday.

We are informed that W. J. King, of Lawton, will move to Idaho to reside permanently.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. John Budelman, Aug. 29, an 8lb. boy. Congratulations are in order.

John Robinson and son Jack returned from an extended trip to the desert and the southern part of the county.

M. D. Williams, the civil engineer who has charge of the government Geological work on the irrigation works in this section, was a pleasant caller at this office Wednesday.

RESERVED SEATS.

THE Times-Herald has secured 64 nice comfortable chairs to be used for reserved seats at the benefit Wednesday night. It has also secured the use of a team from the Lewis & Dibble stable which will be used to take chairs from the homes of people who desire their own chairs, and return them the next day.

REMEMBER there will be no expense to this performance. The Times-Herald manager is "bumming" everything required, hall, lights, chairs, printing, team, etc. All the receipts go to the benefit. Buy your tickets at the drug store. No "dead-heads" will be allowed in the opera house, so don't wait to get your tickets at the door.

of the delegation for register of the land office at La Grande but the president has appointed E. W. Davis.

NEWELL NOT COMING.

Chief Hydrographer F. H. Newell and party are unable to visit this section this season to inspect the work now being done by the Government engineers on the irrigation work.

In speaking of the matter of Government irrigation works at a reception at Pendleton last Saturday evening, Mr. Newell said that the government works would be put first in places where they would do the most good to the nation, irrespective of the amount of money that had been raised by the state for the carrying on of the work.

In this way Nevada would get the first fruits of the work of the department from the fact that the conditions of that state demanded that something be done before all of the people in it moved out. In Oregon the conditions were not so critical as to demand such haste.

He and his engineers could make their reports, and those would be submitted to the board of engineers, and from them go to the department, in whose hands lay the settlement of the question. "But there is one thing," said Mr. Newell, "that the men of this state who are interested in the question can do to hasten the matter, and that is to assist the men who are in the service of the federal government by seeing that there are suitable laws passed by the state legislature covering the conditions to be met so that when the time comes for the department to take action in the matter it will not be hampered by local conditions that will retard work. There should be laws passed that will take care of the prior rights of all men to the water of the various

nesday. Mr. Williams informs us that he is now camping at the Tex Martin place but will finish work in that vicinity the first of next week and will then move to the Tom Bain place south of Harney.

Miss Frankie Shelley expects to take her departure Monday for Portland where she will attend school this winter.

A. C. Welcome, the popular assistant cashier of the First National Bank, left Wednesday for a few weeks' vacation at Clover swail.

Mrs J. F. Mahon, accompanied by her daughters, Misses Emily and Pearl, was a visitor to our city a few days this week.

L Racine was brought down from his mountain home the first of the week, having again been stricken with the old trouble with his lungs. He is now under care of physicians at the French hotel.

A. S. Swain, Fred Otley and daughter Miss Mary and C. J. Johnson were up from Lawton Tuesday. The gentlemen were up on land business, Miss Mary to visit friends.

C. Beary has our thanks for two nice, fat ducks brought in from his "duckery" at the Narrows. These are the first birds of this season to find their way to this office.

Mrs A. M. Byrd returned home Tuesday from her visit to her old home in Crook county. She was accompanied upon her return by her sisters, Misses Bessie and Janie Anderson, who will visit her for a time.

H. B. Smith, a real estate man of Union, was in the city Monday and Tuesday. Mr. Smith was here on business connected with the Abner Robbins estate. He returned home Wednesday.

A visit to the race course these mornings shows many horses in training for the races Fair week. People who enjoy such sport will see some of the best racing ever witnessed on this track this year.

BURNS AS A MUSICAL TOWN

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singers are angels in disguise. The disposition to stand aside and allow a few ambitious people to do all the work does not hasten the desired end. It takes communities a long time to discover this fact. The secret spring lies in the education of the masses, not the few.

This town is right in the midst of a musical revival; if you are willing to help to make Burns a musical town show it by aiding this movement all you can.

If you have the means but can't sing, you can make somebody happy who cannot afford the price of a ticket. The class meets every Tuesday and Friday nights at 7:30. After Friday evening, Sept. 4th, all the sessions will be held at the Presbyterian church.

Oranges and lemons at Huston's.

See the Lace Window Curtains at the Furniture Store. Nothing nicer.

Administrator's Notice.

Notice of Appointment of Administrator of the Estate of Effie M. Syne Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed administrator of the above named estate,—that such appointment is by virtue of an order of the Honorable, the County Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Harney, duly made and entered in that behalf,—that the date of said order is the 19th day August 1903 and that the undersigned has qualified thereunder and is now the duly appointed, qualified and acting administrator of said estate.

That all persons having claims against said estate, should present the same to me, the undersigned, by mail, addressed at Lawton Post Office, Harney County, or through my attorney, at his office in Burns;—that such claims should be duly verified as by law required, accompanied by vouchers if any exist, and be handed in within six months from the expiration of this notice, viz: four weeks full time from and after the date of the first notice inserted in the Times-Herald, newspaper, printed and published at Burns, to-wit, Saturday the 22nd day of August and the consecutively succeeding four regular insertions thereafter, making in all five insertions and ending Saturday the 19th day of September 1903, from which last named date the said six months period commences to run.

J. P. Dickenson, Administrator. Thornton Williams, His Attorney.

Just Received Fall and Winter Goods.

We have just received a consignment of our Fall and Winter Dry Goods, Linings, Trimmings, ready made Skirts, Waists, Fascinators, Outing Flannels, Ribbons, Laces, Muslins, Calicoes, ready made Clothing, Notions; in fact everything that is carried in an up to date General Merchandise Store. We carry the

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H. M. HORTON, Prop.

Notice of Final Settlement.

In the County Court, for Harney County, State of Oregon.

In the Matter of the Estate of Arthur Blanckley Paton Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that Thomas F. Arnold, executor, under the will of the estate of Arthur Blanckley Paton, deceased, having filed his final account as executor of said estate and that Tuesday the 8th day of Sep. 1903, at 10 o'clock A. M. at the Court House, in Burns, Harney County, Oregon has been set as the time for hearing of objections to said final account and the settlement of said estate.

All heirs, devisees, or parties interested in said estate will appear and file their objections to said final account or before said date. Thomas F. Arnold, Executor.

Notice to Creditors.

All persons having claims against J. W. Kelso deceased are notified that by order of the Honorable County Court in Probate for Harney County, State of Oregon, dated the 26th day of March 1903, the undersigned was appointed Administrator of the estate of J. W. Kelso deceased and qualified on the 5th day of August 1903, and to present such claims either to him in person or by mail directed to him in the care of his attorney, Thornton Williams, Burns Ore. properly verified and vouched for as required by law within 6 months from the expiration of the publication of this notice.

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J. H. Oard, Administrator. Estate of J. W. Kelso deceased.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE, Burns, Oregon, July 4, 1903. Notice is hereby given that Joseph N. Thomas, of Burns, Harney County, Oregon, has filed notice of intention to make final proof to establish his claim to the land claim No. 323, for the SE 1/4 and SW 1/4 of Sec. 20, T. 28 S., R. 25 E., W. M. before the Register and Receiver at Burns, Oregon, on Thursday the 25th day of September, 1903.

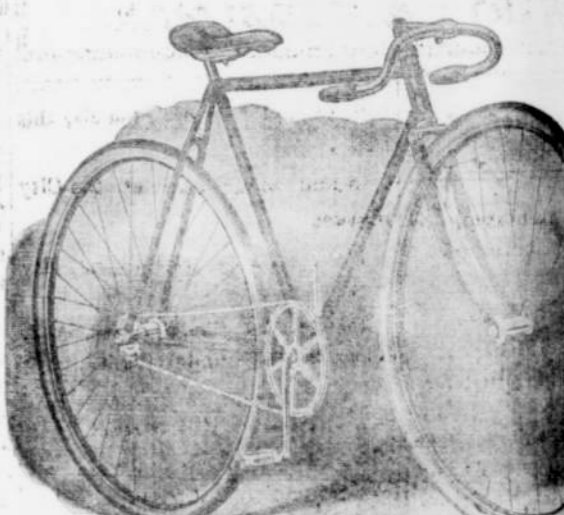
NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE, Burns, Oregon, September 1, 1903. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Register and Receiver at Burns, Oregon, on October, 1903, viz: Charles Conlin, Post Office Hugh A. Martin, David W. Cox, all of Burns, Oregon. W. F. PARK, Register.

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