

THE LARGEST CIRCULATION OF ANY NEWSPAPER IN THIS COUNTY.

Local News.

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New Shirt Waists at N. Brown & Sons. The water is going down some in the river. Spring Stock on display at Brown's. Bert Bower and family are in the city from Harney. Onion sets 7 pounds for a \$1 at Voegtly's. Walter Gray and family were visitors from Lawen this week. Up-to-date job printing at reasonable prices. The latest in Mens Straw and Crash Hats at Brown's. W. E. Burke was in the city a short time the first of the week. The roads are getting rather dusty in places, while other places have some mud. Now is your opportunity to seed your place with alfalfa. Geer & Cummins have a fine lot of seed. See our New Line of Ladies Silk waists for Spring and Summer wear.—Schwartz & Budelman. Parties desiring to purchase some fine bulls will find something to their interest by reading an ad on page three. The French-Glen Co. has bulls for sale at the P-Ranch. The Windsor, under the management of C. B. Smith & Co., is one of the most popular resorts in the interior. Finest of liquors and cigars, billiards and card tables and expert mixologists. E. B. Hill, a capitalist of Seattle, arrived in this city Wednesday. The gentleman states he is merely here looking over the country. In company with J. W. Biggs he visited O. O. ranch at Warm Springs yesterday. Another horse buyer made his appearance this week looking for heavy draft stuff. He found only a few fit for the immediate market and will return here next month to buy more. Horsemen are certainly in the swim this season. Rev. A. J. Irwin left Tuesday to take his family to the railroad. Mrs. Irwin and the children will go East on a visit to relatives and friends and also take in the sights at St. Louis before returning. Rev. Irwin expects to return from the railroad immediately. Mose Levy now has charge of the Red Front Livery and Feed Barn where he will be pleased to look after your wants in his line. Mose is a thorough competent livery man and stock placed in his care are certain to receive the best of treatment. Livery turnouts on short notice. Prices reasonable. At a recent meeting of the directors of the First National Bank of this city Chancy Cummins was made vice president. No other changes were made in the board. Chancy assumed the position at once and proceeded to put his fist on quite a number of new bank notes of different dimensions which needed his signature in the absence of President Daly. Blue Mt. Eagle: Wm. Hanley a prominent stockman of Harney county, arrived in this city last Saturday. J. H. Newell, of Burns and S. A. Mealey, of Lawen, Harney county, spent Saturday in this city. V. G. Cozad took his departure Sunday for Pendleton to attend the supreme court session. Eldon Johnson took his departure yesterday for his home in Burns after spending several days in this city. The Meade, comedy and dramatic company are entertaining the people of Canyon City this week at the Fraternal hall. Father Rustin Bohn arrived in the city Monday from Baker City. He comes as the resident clergyman of the Roman Catholic church here and at Burns and vicinity. C. P. Lewis, a brother of Mrs. A. H. Beasley, Mrs. F. R. Sels, of this place and Mrs. J. E. Snow, of Dayville, came over from Burns last Saturday leaving early this week for Dayville. Judge Clifford, the democratic nominee for circuit judge, took his departure yesterday for a trip to Malheur county. He was accompanied by his wife as far as Baker City from which place she will go to Portland and visit with their son, Harold, who is attending school at Hill's Military academy.

CALL FOR COUNTY WARRANTS. Notice is hereby given that there are funds in the county treasury for the redemption of all warrants drawn on the Road, Building and General Funds and registered prior to Dec. 1, 1903. Interest on the same will cease from this date, April 1, 1904. R. A. MILLER, Treasurer Harney County, Oregon.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT. In the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Harney county. In the matter of the Estate of Ralph Brown, Deceased. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned Administrator of the Estate of Ralph Brown, deceased, has filed his Final Account in said estate and that the Hon. H. C. Levens, county judge of Harney county, Oregon, has set the 25th day of April, 1904, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m., at the court's room in the City of Burns, Harney county, Oregon, as the time and place for the hearing of said account. All persons having any objections to said Final Account shall appear and be heard thereon at said time and place. R. H. BROWN, Administrator.

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION. Notice is hereby given that on the 10th day of March 1904, by order of the County Court, of the State of Oregon, for Harney County, of that date duly read and entered, the undersigned was duly appointed Administrator of the Estate of John Dunstan, deceased. And any and all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same duly verified—as required by law to C. H. Leonard my attorney at Burns, Oregon, within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice; the first publication being on Saturday the 12th day of March 1904, and being published for four successive weeks or for five publications. James H. Dunstan, Administrator.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE, Burns, Ore., May 3, 1904. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make proof in support of his claim and that said proof will be made before the Register and Receiver at Burns, Oregon, on June 8, 1904, viz: H. E. No. 888, of Martin V. Baker for the 1/4 NW 1/4, Sec. 30, T. 25, S. 8, R. 22, W. 4. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: J. Clark Freeman, William G. Hardywell, Lee Thornburg and Earl Elliott, all of Burns, Oregon. Wm. FARRER, Register.

CONTEST NOTICE. U. L. Land Office, Burns, Oregon. May 7, 1904. A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by Grant Kesterson, contestant, against Homestead entry 1855, made February 21, 1903, for N 1/2 SW 1/4 and W 1/2 SW 1/4 Section 17, Township 25 S., Range 28 E., by Libby J. Mulloy Contestee, in which it is alleged that Libby J. Mulloy has totally abandoned said entry and has not resided upon or improved said entry for more than six months next prior hereto, and there are now no improvements thereon, and that said alleged absence was not due to her employment in the Army, Navy or Marine Corps of the U. S., said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on June 15th, 1904 before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office in Burns, Oregon. The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed May 7, 1904 set forth facts which show that after due diligence personal service of this notice can not be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given by due and proper publication. Wm. FARRER, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE, Burns, Ore., April 18, 1904. 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 May 18th, 1904, viz: H. E. No. 512 of Augustus W. Hurlburt, for the 1/4 SW 1/4, sec. 3 and N 1/2 SW 1/4, sec. 27, T. 27, S. 8, R. 22, W. 4. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Fred Botzloff, Owen J. Siding, glodecker, Albert Shaw and Frank Williams, all of Burns, Oregon. Wm. FARRER, Register.

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EGGS FOR HATCHING THOROUGH BRED BLACH MINORCA and BUFF LEGHORNS. Why not keep hens that will lay in winter as well as summer? I HAVE THEM. PER SETTING, \$2 50 Dr. L. E. Hibbard, Burns, Oregon.

NOTICE OF PUBLICATION. UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE, Burns, Oregon, April 27, 1904. Notice is hereby given that Samuel Minkel, of Harney, Oregon, has filed notice of intention to make proof on his desert-land claim No. 25 for the 1/4 NE 1/4, 1/4 SW 1/4, sec. 32, T. 22 S., R. 22, E. W. 4, before the Register and Receiver at Burns, Oregon, on Monday the 28th day of May, 1904. He names the following witnesses to prove the complete irrigation and reclamation of said land: C. A. McMahon, David Richards, O. K. Richardson and Price Withers, all of Harney, Oregon. Wm. FARRER, Register.

TIMBER LAND NOTICE. UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE, Burns, Oregon, April 25, 1904. Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 2, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada and Washington Territory," as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892, John Adams of Tacoma, county of Pierce, State of Washington, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 221, for the purchase of the N 1/2 of S 1/2 of section No. 8, in Township No. 21 S., Range No. 25, W. 4, and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before the Register and Receiver of this office at Burns, Oregon, on Saturday, the 22nd day of July, 1904. He names as witnesses: Francis B. J. Bickie, of Enderby, N. Dalen, S. A. 10th of Canyon Creek, Oregon, C. F. Salsberry, of St. Joe, Idaho, D. S. O'Brien, of Tacoma, Washington. Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 22nd day of July, 1904. Wm. FARRER, Register.

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