

One Year	\$2.00
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IT MUST BE PAID.

The matter of making an exhibit of the products and resources of this county at the Lewis and Clark fair next year should not only appeal to the pride of all her citizens, but should also be considered in a business way. The primary object of this big exposition is for the purpose of bringing people to the Northwest to see its wonderful resources and attract homeseekers and capital here for the purpose of developing these many and varied resources. The state appropriated \$500,000 toward this fair and each county has to stand its share of this tax. Harney county's portion of this is \$8,000—that amount must be paid. Is it a business proposition for Harney county to allow this amount to be an absolute loss when the expenditure of a little more will accomplish what it was intended for in the first place—the advertising. We must do this or our \$8,000 will go to assist those counties which are preparing a good exhibit and arranging to reap some benefits from the fair.

We need more people and money to develop this promising section. We must do something to dispell the idea that this section is a wilderness or desert and our only products "hay, hell and petitions." We must impress upon the public that we have not only the best stock county in the state, but it is particularly adapted to agriculture. That we are still new and practically untried. Give them some descriptive advertising matter showing the amount of vacant level land—240,000 acres susceptible to one reservoir that could and will hold sufficient water to irrigate every acre of it. If we do not take advantage of this opportunity we simply throw the \$8,000 away so far as benefiting us locally. We want a creditable display or none at all. Not a citizen of a Harney county but what would regret it if upon visiting the fair it was found that every other county in the state was represented and our own left out.

A START MADE.

A few of our citizens met at Gemberling's Jewelry store the other evening and discussed ways and means to carry out the plan of a natural history and relic and curio display to be included in the Harney county exhibit at the Lewis and Clark fair next year. In order to secure more aid from the county, the citizens must show a disposition to help and at least show their approval of the plan to be represented in a creditable manner. This meeting was intended to be entirely informal, but after discussing the matter and realizing the importance of immediate action it was decided to effect a temporary organization merely for the purpose of starting the ball rolling. It was not intended to consider this action as binding in any manner upon the permanent organization that will follow provided the affair meets with approval.

Dr. L. E. Hibbard was made chairman, Julian Byrd secretary, Rev. A. J. Irwin treasurer. Others present were C. Beary, I. S. Geer, C. W. Parrish, John Gemberling and V. J. Hopkins. It was also decided that two bureaus should be created, one on natural history for the purpose of collecting specimens of birds and mammals and John Gemberling was placed at the head to look after specimens that might be secured before a permanent organization was formed. Hon C. W. Parrish was placed at the head of the bureau on curios and Indian

relics under the same conditions. It was the opinion of those present that the best plan for such an organization will be a stock company with shares at \$1 each and to be gotten up as a business proposition with the understanding that if it could be made self-sustaining by the sale of mounted birds and animals, or their skins, that whatever was realized would be returned to the stockholders in proportion to the amount subscribed.

The Times-Herald wishes to assert positively for those who were present at this meeting that it is only temporary and was prompted only through a desire to help the matter along and bring it to an early realization. The object is to get every one to become a member. Not an individual in Harney county is too poor to own one or more shares and it will take the concerted effort of all to accomplish this purpose.

Talk about this. Think about it. Ask questions and learn the particulars. Something must be done or Harney county will be out \$8,000 and realize nothing for it.

Literary Society.

The meeting of the High School Literary Society Friday afternoon was called to order by the president and after the minutes had been read the following program was rendered:

Rock of Ages School Reading George Greeley Debate, "Resolve that a Railroad would be more beneficial to the development of Harney County than Government Irrigation." Affirmative, Curtis Smith, Emma Muller, Ivan Jackson, Gertrude Barnes and Clifford Reed. Negative Neil Smith, Roswell Hamilton, Lea Robinson, Harry Withers and Mabel Cross. The judges decided in favor of the negative.

Essay Raymond Sizemore Duet, Ruby Burrow, Byrd King. Reading Mary Otley My Country 'Tis of Thee, School. The president appointed the following committee to prepare a program for next Friday: Mabel Cross, Emma Muller and Ada Neal.

The following nominations were made: Alice Hamilton and Harry Withers for president, Raymond Sizemore and Ruby Burrow for vice president, Frankie King and George Greeley for secretary and Henry Dalton and Woodie Best for treasurer.

ENTERTAINMENT AT HARNEY.

The church entertainment at Harney on Friday night of last week is reported a very successful affair and those attending from this city had a very enjoyable time. The following program was rendered:

Chorus Forward Soldiers Burns Presbyterian Choir Reading Zella Irving Male Trio Far Away Messrs Richardson, Logan, Davis Reading Uncle Peter's Rooster Mrs Irwin Chorus Rock of Ages Chorus Ruby Burrow Medley In Thy Love Myra King Reading Lea Robinson Male Trio Messrs Richardson, Loggan, Davis.

Victory White Bronze Monuments.

The local agent, M. L. Lewis, has just received notice from The Monumental Bronze Co. of Bridgeport, Conn. that White Bronze has been awarded two medals, viz: Class No 194, Art Work in Zinc and class No 220 Marble, Stone and Metal Monuments.

White Bronze was in direct competition with the great Marble and Granite Quarries of the world and won all the honors. Such success speaks volumes for White Bronze as the only Monuments without a competitor.

Haines and Nelson have received a handsome lot of watches, clocks and silverware suitable for wedding and Christmas presents. You should see them.

HARNEY AT THE BIG FAIR

(Continued from page one.)

Never again, perhaps, will we be able to do as much advertising and attract as much attention to this section as at the Lewis and Clark next year.

This is not a matter for a few individuals to take up and push through—it is of importance to every one interested within Harney County. We must work together in the perfecting of an organization for this purpose; we must subscribe to the fund—not necessarily a large amount, for if each will do his part it will be small per capita; we must go at it vigorously and with a determination to see it through; it is a matter in which everyman woman and child can assist, if not in a financial way, at least by bringing it a point to contribute something toward the exhibit.

The Times-Herald would urge immediate action as the time is now too short. It would suggest general discussion of the plan and impress its readers with the importance of making the exhibit and in a creditable manner. Every county in the state will be represented—one, Coos County, having already secured as much space as could be allotted it and has received permission from the fair commission for a plot of ground 100 feet square and will erect its own building from Coos county woods. Do we want to pay \$8,000 toward advertising all the other counties of Oregon without receiving any benefit whatever?

Please consider this thoroughly and resolve that you will do your part toward making Harney County's exhibit the most attractive of the state—one that will be a credit and will be the means of realizing beneficial results from. Don't say you are not interested—you are. If you intend visiting the fair you want to find Harney County's exhibit one of which you are not ashamed and one that represents her every resource.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Herman Ruh was up from Lawen yesterday.

Do you want blacksmith coal? The O. C. Co. is headquarters.

Wm Clark spent a few days with us this week.

Heating stoves at Voegtly's. See Voegtly for heating stoves.

Hugh Harris is home from a visit to the Willamette valley.

Remember Brown's Profit Sharing Plan. Secure your coupon with every cash purchase.

Scott Catterson is rapidly recovering from the serious knife wounds he received recently. He is able to sit up some.

W. H. Culp will deliver beef within 5 miles of his ranch on Poison creek at the rate of 5 cents per pound for front and 6 cents per hind quarter.

When the Band Boys take charge of a dance the public know they are going to have the time of their lives. The boys will give the Christmas ball.

F. Y. Hauck and Ernest Shields have returned from a visit to the Warm Springs, Narrows and Lawen where they were looking at several bunches of horses with a view of buying.

A Christmas tree will be held at the Baptist church on the evening of Dec. 24. The general public is invited to be present and participate. The little folks of the Sunday school will entertain for a short time before Santa Claus comes.

Missrs J. C. Beatty and Elmer Carlson left for home last Monday morning. They came up particularly to ask for a new school district in their neighborhood and we understand they were successful.

We learn from a reliable source that a fine flow of artesian water was struck in the Wild Horse valley, this county recently at a depth of only 26 feet. There are a number of flowing wells in that section but all are deeper than the one mentioned above.

H. E. Thompson is now mine host at the Burns Hotel, having taken charge of that popular hostelry the first of the week. Harry's many friends are pleased to learn he is again in active business and the Burns will be filled with guests henceforth. See ad elsewhere.

The Burns Furniture Company have recently added some new and attractive designs to their stock of iron beds, and at prices that are sure to appeal to the house furnisher. Call and inspect.

The following was clipped from the Lakeview Herald: I will give you an item, that I thought of six years ago, and that I know now. Six years ago, neither I nor any other man believed that Harney valley would raise anything besides hay and misquitos. We were all badly fooled. The grain now raised in this valley is as good as that raised anywhere. The potatoes produced here are the best I have ever seen. Potatoes raised one mile above Burns weigh four pounds apiece, and the same girl, who raised the potatoes, also raised a squash that weighed 78 pounds, which is now on exhibition at Huston's Fruit store, together with a lot of fine potatoes and apples. Prunes and all kinds of garden truck do remarkably well in this valley.

This shows that where there is a will there is a way.

One man had 30 acres in barley; he threshed 1989 bushels. Barley is worth \$1.50 rolled; sacked wheat, \$2.00; flour, \$3.00; hay from \$3.50 to \$5.00 per ton; eggs 50 cents per dozen; cattle low, no sales made to amount to anything; horses, not very high.

Election is over, and I suppose prosperity will strike us soon.

Tell E. Keller to keep his flour. We have a fine mill and can grind our own wheat. It makes good flour for I got a hundred pounds and tried it.

MORE BROWN.

DISSOLUTION NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the co-partnership heretofore existing between Lloyd Johnson and Harry Cary, at Lawen, Oregon, under the firm name of Johnson & Cary, has been dissolved by mutual consent, Harry Cary retiring from the firm. Lloyd Johnson is responsible for all the firm debts and all accounts due the firm are payable to Harry Cary.

Lloyd Johnson.
Harry Cary.

Dated Dec 1, 1904



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