

**FAIR NOW UP TO THE PEOPLE**

**SUFFICIENT FUNDS AVAILABLE FOR GOOD DISPLAY.**

Lewis and Clark Fair Association of Harney County Has Organized to Collect a Creditable Exhibit.

Realizing that the only way Harney County could reap any benefit from the sum already paid out for the Lewis and Clark fair in the way of taxes which the state appropriation required, was to take advantage of the opportunity to advertise the resources of our big county, the county court has set aside another \$1000 for that purpose.

At the session just closed this action was urged by many prominent and heavy taxpayers with the result that the matter of making an exhibit is no longer a question, but an assured fact. Deeming it of mutual benefit to every patriotic citizen who takes a pride and interest in the development of Harney county, the court considered this the most equitable way to raise the revenue.

The court suggested that a meeting be held and an organization formed to take charge of the matter collect the display and see that it is properly and economically handled. In accordance with this suggestion a number of our citizens met at the city hall on Monday evening and organized a Lewis and Clark Fair Association of Harney county, electing the following officers: President, Dr L. E. Hibbard; vice-president, Hon. Wm. Farre; secretary, Julian Byrd; treasurer, Rev. A. J. Irwin.

The object of this association is to collect and prepare a display of the resources of Harney County to exhibit at the Lewis and Clark Fair which opens in Portland next June. The intention is to extend this organization to include every citizen of Harney county. Admission is free. The membership will be asked only to take an active part in furthering the proposition in every way possible. We have a large territory to cover and the display will be varied. Every attractive feature within our borders will be shown.

There were three bureaus created: A Bureau of Produce to cover every resource in the line of diversified farming, grains, grasses, fruits, vegetables, stock, wool, minerals, manufactured articles, timber, etc., was placed under the supervision of Hon. I. S. Geer. A Bureau of Natural History, for the purpose of securing a collection of our game birds and animals to be mounted in an artistic manner, with John Gemberling as chairman. A Bureau of Curios and Relics for the collection of interesting and historical relics of pioneers and Indian curios which are numerous in Harney county. Hon. C. W. Parrish was placed at the head of this bureau.

The heads of these bureaus, the president and secretary constitute the executive board of the association. The work of looking after the collection of the exhibit particularly and to look after the business of preparing it for shipment will fall to them. This board will be assisted by every individual who takes an interest in the up-building and development of our big county. The invitation is general and no distinction made as to sex, color, age, religious or political faith. All will receive like benefits from this exhibit and with co-operation it can be, and in fact will be made the most attractive county display at the fair.

It is the intention to add to all our farm products, stock, wool, etc., a collection of our game birds and animals. This will be one of the most attractive features, as nowhere in the northwest can a more complete display be secured. Before Feb. 1st it is expected that one or more taxidermists will be on the ground preparing specimens for this exhibit. Some of these specimens have already been secured and more will be in readiness by that date. The gathering of these birds and animals is a part in which all can participate. They should be sent in at an early date to the head of that bureau. It is the intention to secure these without cost, as no funds are available for that purpose. It will be arranged with all stage lines leading to Burns to carry specimens so that they will reach here promptly and in good condition. Through the courtesy of C. Beary, the gun smith, a work shop including a

forge, lights, wood, etc., has been tendered the association without rent. This is the class of people that make good citizens and will make the undertaking a success.

Mr. Geor already has quite a collection of fruits and vegetables and the large glass jars in which to preserve and display such products are here. It is hoped to add much more to this and he will appreciate it to get in touch with all who have something in his line. This partition of the display will not be entirely complete at the beginning of the fair June 1, however. Some of our best products in this line were not available at the time he began securing the display and it will therefore be necessary to await this season's crop to complete it. Farmers and stockraisers should make it a point now to resolve to produce something the coming season for this purpose.

Mr. Parrish has a large collection of curios now on hand and more in view. To this collection will be added that of Frank S. Rieder which is considered one of the finest in the state. Mr. Rieder has written President Hibbard he would gladly allow his collection to accompany the other exhibit.

The Times-Herald would urge patriotic and loyal citizens of this big county to take hold of this matter and push. No fear is entertained of its success. Sufficient funds are available for the purpose and all that is required now is assistance to collect the exhibit. Let every reader of this great religious do his or her share and it will be a great success. Keep it in mind so that nothing suitable for this exhibit may escape notice.

Taking similar exhibits that have been made at such fairs, it is an assured fact that Harney county's display will not only be a prize winner, but can also be sold for much more than it cost. Another thing that should not be lost sight of is the fact that the Lewis and Clark management offers prizes for the four best county exhibits the first prize being \$1000. That's the only prize that Harney county has her eye on and its "ourn" if we do our best to get up the display—and we will.

**Change Time.**

F. J. Klink, the phone line-man was here for a few days this week looking after repairs and placing new 'phones on the local exchange. He visited The Times-Herald office and informed us that his company had decided to give us Western Union time over the line from Baker City free. This will make a material difference in the time that has been kept here for the past several months—almost an hours difference.

It has been decided to make this change general on next Monday morning, although some have already adopted it. The public school will be governed by Western Union time and all our citizens are asked to make the change. The regulators at both Gember-

ling's and Haines & Nelson's jewelry stores will have the correct time on that day.

The time kept by this city has been the cause of much annoyance in the past and it would be well to get all together once and stay that way. Incidentally we might state that the fund for the town clock may be increased in the near future and possibly the necessary amount lacking to be raised.

**No. 6295.**

Report of the condition of the FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF BURNS, Burns in the State of Oregon, at the close of business, January 11, 1905.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and Discounts	\$109,918 20
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	12,500 00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds	750 00
Depositation Fund	625 00
Real Estate, Furniture and fixtures	6,200 00
Cash and due from Banks	51,112 97
	\$175,106 27
LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in	\$25,000 00
Surplus	2,500 00
Undivided profits	7,228 25
National Bank Notes	12,200 00
Deposits	128,778 02
	\$175,106 27

STATE OF OREGON, ss: SHERIFF OF HARNEY CO., I, N. U. CARPENTER, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

N. U. CARPENTER, Cashier.  
GEMERLING-ATGOLD.  
C. GEMERLING,  
H. M. HORTON,  
J. W. GEARY, Director.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11th day of January, 1905.  
W. M. MILLER,  
Notary Public for Oregon.

**HIGH SCHOOL SOCIETY.**

The High School Literary Society met yesterday afternoon. The meeting was called to order by the president, after the roll call and the minutes were read the following nominations for the next term of 4 weeks was made: President Frank Thompson and Emma Muller; Vice-President, Harry Buck; Secretary, Lea Robinson and Byrd King; Treasurer, Curtis Smith and Roswell Hamilton. After the nominations were made the following program was rendered: Song by School, Massa's in the Cold, Cold Ground.

Reading, Henry Dalton  
Song by School, Suwanee River  
Essay, Merle Dalton  
Quartet, Myra King, Byrd King, Henry Dalton and Carl Cook.  
Solo, Myra King  
Debate: "Resolve that Corporal Punishment should be Abolished." Affirmative, Emma Muller, Jack Robinson, Floy Thompson, Raymond Sizemore. Negative: Neil Smith, Gertrude Barnes, George Greeley, Mary Neal. The judges decided in favor of the Affirmative.  
Song by School, Kentucky Home  
The presence of several visitors was greatly appreciated.

Up-to-date job printing at reasonable prices.

\$600 will take 160 acres of good land 10 miles East of Burns. It was a choice claim five years ago. See Lewis.

Job printing—The Times-Herald

# WAR! WAR! WAR!

## War Has Been Declared Not with Russia or Japan, but WAR ON PRICES!

It has been our policy and endeavor for the past eight years to deal fair with our competitor as well as our customer—to maintain prices at a reasonable living profit—to do business on the "live and let live plan"—to give our customers the very best value for the money, and do not now nor have we believed in cutting prices below a legitimate basis, but since cutting is the fashion, we propose to lead. Our expenses are as light as any other firm in Harney county. We can buy just as cheap as any other firm in Harney county. Therefore we can not nor will not be undersold by any one. We have tried the premium plan and found it unsatisfactory. We believe it better to give our customers full value for the money at the time the purchase is made. It is the man with the hard, cold cash that we are after. We give him some prices at which we are going to sell for cash and for cash only. To those whose accounts are satisfactory we will extend credit at regular prices, as usual. We are here for business, and if prices are an inducement we will have it.

Flour \$1.65 or two sacks for—	\$3 25	Coal oil, Pearl, per case	\$4 50
Sugar, 11 pounds	1 00	Corn, new crop, every can guaranteed 15c or 7 cans	1 00
Golden Star, Diamond C and other Savon soap formerly 10c now per bar	5c	Tomatoes " " " " " " " " " " " "	1 00
Luna, Bayo and small white beans 12 lbs.	1 00	Corn and tomatoes " " per case	3 25
Cream of Wheat, per package	25c	Men's snow excluders per pair	1 50
Java and Mocha and Caracola Roast coffee formerly 3 lbs now 4 lbs.	1 00	Women's snow excluders per pair	1 00
A 1 good Blended Roast coffee formerly 4 lbs now 5 lbs	1 00	Over coats will go at 20 per cent discount.	
Coal oil per single gallon	50c	Dress goods, fashinators and other woollens will be sold at wonderfully reduced prices.	
" " Head Light, per case	5 00	Great bargains in shoes and other lines—nearly everything will be reduced.	
		Get our quotations on other goods.	

Now is your opportunity—you could not secure such prices during the Summer season.

Thanking you for past favors and soliciting your business, we are Yours Respectfully

**Lunaburg & Dalton.**

**Call For County Warrants.**

Notice is hereby given that there are funds in the county treasurer for the redemption of all warrants drawn on the general fund registered prior to May 5, 1904. Interest on same will cease from this date.  
J. M. DALTON,  
Treasurer  
Dec. 10, 1904.

**CALDWELL BARBER SHOP.**

A. P. COLEMAN, Propt.  
Shaving, Hair Cutting, Shampooing  
Hot and Cold Baths  
Latest Art of Massaging.  
Your patronage solicited. Located in Post office block.  
Burns, Oregon.

**The Lone Star RESTAURANT**

China George, Proprietor.  
Cor. Main and B Streets.  
MEALS AT ALL HOURS  
Bakery in connection.  
A Specialty of Short Orders.  
Table furnished with everything the market affords. Your patronage solicited.

**THE OVERLAND HOTEL**

FRANK A. COLE, Propt.  
First Class, Well Appointed House  
Centrally located, Well furnished tables, comfortable rooms.  
RATES: Meals 25 cents; Rooms 50 cents.  
Single Beds 25 cents.  
Stop at the Overland Burns, Oregon.

This Space is **HORTON'S** THE CITY DRUG STORE.

# FOR HARDWARE

...and...

## FARMING MACHINERY

Of every description, see

## GEER & CUMMINS.

WE LEAD IN

# PRICES

and

# STOCK.



## HOLIDAY GOODS

I am prepared to furnish my customers with the usual high class goods and invite the public to call when desiring  
**CHRISTMAS PRESENTS.**  
I Guarantee the Goods and Prices  
Solid Gold Watches, Fancy Clocks, Jewelry of all kinds, Silverware, Ebonyware, Cut Glass, Handpainted China at Cost. Take a peep at my windows.  
Gemberling.

## BULLS FOR SALE

R. R. SITZ, Lawen, Oregon  
Breeder of Pure Bates Short Horn Cattle.  
Bulls ready for service, the get of **Waterloo Prince 174,184.**  
Certified copy of pedigree given with each purchase.

## Haines & Nelson

### Watchmakers and Opticians

Watch Repairing a Specialty.  
At old Jorgensen Stand  
Mail orders receive prompt attention.

## Burns Meat Market.

Corner Main and B Sts.  
KAISER & FELTON, Propts.  
Pork, Bologna, Veinna and Liver Sausages a specialty.  
BEEF BOUGHT AND SOLD BY QUARTER.  
Your Patronage Solicited.  
FREE DELIVERY.