

Merry Christmas.

Christmas shopping is the order of the day.

Boys boots at cost—Fred Haines & Co. opposite the feed barn, Burns.

Assessor Loggan and family have gone to Harney to spend Christmas with relatives.

Ladies, you are invited to see the dress goods—good goods—at Fred Haines & Co's.

Theo. Coleman and A. K. Richardson were down from Harney Monday.

\$100,000 to loan at 8 per cent on improved farms and stock ranches. N. U. Carpenter, Agent.

School boys are happy on account of the fine coasting that is in sight for the holiday period.

Horton's is headquarters for fresh nuts and candies. A fresh supply just received for the holiday trade.

Mrs Geo Ashton has a fine display of fall and winter hats at the W N Jorgensen building and desires the ladies of Burns to call and see them.

The voters of this school district were unanimous in giving the school board authority to rebond the district at the meeting last Tuesday afternoon. Very few voters attended the meeting.

WANTED: 10 men in each state to travel, post signs, advertise and give samples of our goods. Salary \$75.00 per month. \$3.00 per day for expenses. ROYAL SUPPLY Co., Dept. W. Chicago, Ill.

John A. Robertson, one of the foremen of the Wm. Hanley Co., is over from the O. O. ranch. John says he feels sorry for us people living over here in the winter while they have none over in his section.

The officers-elect of Burns Lodge No. 97, A. F. & A. M., will be duly installed on next St. John's day evening. This is not a public function. Master Masons and their wives are cordially invited. By order of the committee.

The Sunday schools of the Presbyterian and Baptist churches will hold Christmas exercises and trees in each of the churches this evening. The little ones have been practicing for some time and the programs promise to be exceptionally interesting.

NOTICE—Any one who knows of any government land and wants it settled with good neighbors please send the numbers to our office and confer a favor upon yourself, the use comes and.

Lewis & Smith, Burns, Oregon.

Love Culp and Bert Bower came to the other day and placed a small house on the lots and started for Chas McPheeters' homestead with it. Chas will live in style out on his farm next spring.

Rev. Dr. Ketchum preached at the Presbyterian church last Sunday night and on Monday morning took his departure for Baker City via Canyon. Dr. Ketchum had spent several weeks in this section holding religious services here and in Lawson and Harney.

C A Bonnett was in the city last Monday.

Christmas goods for every one at The Welcome Pharmacy.

John Budelman's residence is for sale. Inquire at the store.

Dr. W. C. Brown, Dentist. Office upstairs in Voegtly building.

Street hats at greatly reduced prices at Mrs. C. A. Byrd's.

Go lightly with that egg nog, you know that the walks are slippery.

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The best dress over coats in Burns for the price at Fred Haines & Co's.

There will be something doing in a social way almost every night during the coming week.

Boys and men's felts with over-shoes at cost—Fred Haines & Co, south main street, Burns.

Burns Chapter, No 40, O. E. S. will install officers on Monday evening, January 8.

There is nothing nicer as a present for your wife than a piece of Libby Cut Glass—The Welcome Pharmacy.

Messrs Catterson & Clay are the proprietors of a blacksmith and repair shop in Drewsey. They desire a share of the public patronage.

The Times-Herald is informed that quite a number of bids have been sent to the department to carry the mail via Canyon City under the proposed new schedule.

Dr. Hibbard and J. E. Wallace arrived home last evening from an outing with their guns at Alford. The had fine sport but failed to get the message giving them permission to get an elk to add to our taxidermy collection.

Having added to my stock of Millinery, notions and ladies specialties a line of Homemade Candies. I will receive orders for them or to have you call and sample.

Mrs Hattie Hastie, Harney Oregon.

D. R. Thorn and family were over from Silver Creek last Monday doing some Christmas shopping. Mr. Thorn stated that his neighborhood would begin the holiday festivities early, holding their tree last night in order that all might participate with the Warm Springs people on Monday night.

Frank Slinger came over from Silver Creek Tuesday accompanied by Charles Lampert of Portland. Mr. Lampert made application to purchase some fine timber west of this city and may possibly take more land upon his return here later. He is quite favorably impressed with the Harney country and considers it one of the most promising sections of the west.

Dr. W. L. Marsden arrived home Thursday from Portland, accompanied by his brother-in-law, Will Byram. Mr. Byram has not yet fully recovered from the recent difficult operation he underwent at a Portland hospital, but is improving and came on over from his home in order that the Doctor might have under his special care. Those Howard who had also been to Portland having his eyes treated by Dr. Dickson, returned with them and from the party we learn they had several amusing incidents along the line as both patients had their heads bandaged, the passengers on the trains would insist on asking where the wreck occurred.

An up-to-date line of holiday goods at The Welcome Pharmacy.

James Gilbert, W. H. Morrison and Wm. Krikske were in on land business last Tuesday.

Call at Voegtly's and buy one of six different wash machines for a holiday present for your wife.

G. W. Cleveger & Co have received a big lot of new furniture which the public should call and see.

You will make a mistake if you buy holiday presents before pricing those on display at Fred Haines & Co's.

A handsome watch, ring, watch chain or some other piece of jewelry make most appropriate Christmas presents. Nelson has them.

Fred Haines & Co, will sell fine custom made suits for men and boys at cost. Come in and ask "Daddy" about it.

The thermometer registered 10 below zero at the government weather bureau station here yesterday morning. This is a very severe case of weather but it will get over it and moderate soon.

Wm Hanley and wife took their departure yesterday by way of Canyon for the outside and we understand will spend the holidays and some weeks with friends in Portland as is their custom.

The I. O. O. F. lodge now meets in the Masonic hall on the second and fourth Saturdays in each month. The changes in the big mercantile establishment of N. Brown & Sons made it necessary for them to occupy the second floor and as a consequence the Odd Fellows had to vacate, but in a true fraternal spirit the Masons tendered them the use of their lodge room for the present.

HARNEY LOCALS

The Harney Athletic Club played their first exhibition game of Basketball and the public were invited to be present. A goodly number were in attendance and enjoyed the game. Captain Austin Cummins' side were victorious, over that of Captain Dot Davis with a score of 12 to 7. An admission fee of 25 cents was charged and the neat sum of \$8.75 realized which will aid the club in purchasing further par apparel as other features will be added as fast as they become proficient in what they now have.

The church services closed last Sunday night after two good sermons delivered by Rev A J Irwin on the Sabbath. The Sunday School was quite interesting and the attendance numbered 33.

The Christmas exercises will be held at the City Hall Dec 23rd at 7-30 p m and from the active work being done by all the committees they promise to result as all such enterprises gotten up in Harney for the greatest good to the largest number, especially in making the children happy.

Mr and Mrs James Pirie of Cow Creek were in town on business Thursday.

A very pleasant birthday surprise party occurred at the residence of L M Hamilton on corner of Spruce and Chestnut streets in honor of the eighteenth anniversary of Mrs Hamilton's brother Leo Buchanan. About twenty of his friends and schoolmates assembled at the Oasis Hotel where Mrs Del-ta Dillard resides and ascertaining that it was also her birthday she was included in the merry making and all proceeded to the Hamilton home where a supply of Tady was found to be of the right consistency for exercise and enjoyment of the company. Other refreshments were served and a variety of games engaged the attention of the merry makers till the midnight bell chimed. Among those present were also, Misses Eliza Loggan, Mabel Withers, Blanche Vickers, Pearl Ward, Zella Irvine, Myrtle Irving, Florence and Viola Richardson, Messrs Roy Buchanan, Roy Denais, Cecil Irving, Jesse Bain, Ralph Irving, Ralph Bain, Hugh Hattie, Earl Withers, Clyde McClure and Fred Fregaskis. All departed feeling assured that Mr and Mrs Hamilton have the happy fruits of knowing what young folks enjoy and wishing Miss Dillard and Mr Buchanan many happy returns of their common celebration.

Messrs J. H. Loggan and Jasper Davis departed Friday morning for Burns place to see the wonderful flow of water which is reported to be running over from the last well of the Portland Company and that it is flowing so freely that it is beyond control and the men at the place do not know what to do with it. This would seem to settle the question as to whether artesian water is available in this valley and our people are awaiting their return with much interest.

The Board of Trade will hold a meeting of the Directors at the residence of Robt Drinkwater Friday Dec 29th at 7:30 and other members and visitors are invited to meet with them as matters of much interest will be presented for discussion.

Mr Joe Turner of Crane Creek made a pleasant visit to our city on Thursday and says he can supply some interesting information for The Board of Trade literature.

James Bunyard accompanied by Frank Davis drove over a bunch of stock to the Island for winter feeding last week and the latter returned home Thursday.

Prof Welker passed through this place on the stage Friday morning en route for Drewsey to assist in the music for the holiday festivities there next week.

A goodly number of visitors came over from Drewsey Friday of last week to enjoy the Terpsichorean pleasures at the City Hall that night and finding the atmosphere of Harney so enjoyable remained till Saturday night when another pleasant social was given and departing for their homes on Sunday they declared the hospitalities of Harney city were indelibly impressed on their memories.

Mr and Mrs Clay Clemens and son were visitors here for several days the latter part of last week returning home Sunday.

The Harney Board of Trade is in receipt of communication from parties in New York offering to furnish information relative to manufacturing and industrial interests which are seeking suitable locations and proper steps have been taken to procure this early assistance so unexpectedly volunteered.

We are informed that in addition to the rumors of a contract for the construction of a railroad between Ontario and Vale due to the substantial subscription raised for that purpose in the vicinity of Vale, that men with teams are being offered ten dollars per day for grading at once. Not to be behind in the movement of securing a railroad to Harney City correspondence is in progress under the direction of The Harney Board of Trade with officials of several of the projected lines and it is hoped that such a pressure can be brought to bear upon those who are in position to exert an influence that the location and advantages of this city will appear so strongly available that we can at least secure one line if not others. To further this object it is hoped that a favorable sentiment can be crystallized at Burns that a strong organization can be materialized there in the formation of a Chamber of Commerce or other Development League that will soon combine their efforts with ours for a united harmonious concentration of all forces needed to secure the proper magnetic attraction for the railroad en route toward Harney and Burns.

TIMBER LAND NOTICE.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE, Burns, Oregon, December 22, 1905. Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 2, 1905, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the State of California, Oregon, Nevada and Washington Territory," as extended to the Public Land States by act of August 22, 1902, Charles Lampert of Portland, county of Multnomah, Oregon, has filed in this office his sworn statement No. 20, for the purchase of the 1/4 section 24, Township 30, N. 3, Range 30, W. 2, E. 2, and will offer good 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 under the act of August 22, 1902, at the office of the Register and Receiver, N. A. Dibble and Frank Slinger of Bly, Oregon. All persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 27th day of February, 1906. W. FARR, Register.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned was duly appointed administrator of the Estate of John Wright, deceased, by an order of the County Court of Harney County, Oregon, dated October 2, 1905, and has duly qualified. All persons having claims against said Estate are hereby required to present them, with proper vouchers, within six months from the date of this notice, to the undersigned at Drewsey, Oregon. Dated Burns, Oregon Dec 2, 1905. JACOB WANN, Administrator.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned was duly appointed administrator of the Estate of William Loggan, deceased, by an order of the County Court of Harney County, Oregon, dated October 2, 1905, and has duly qualified. All persons having claims against said Estate are hereby required to present them, with proper vouchers, within six months from the date of this notice, to the undersigned at Burns, Oregon. Dated Burns, Oregon, Nov 25, 1905. C. A. VERNON, Administrator.

J. E. WALLACE, The Taxidermist.

Who mounted the handsome collection of birds and animals sent from here to the Lewis and Clark Fair, is again in Burns. During his stay he will mount specimens for any who desire, also make rugs from skins of native animals. See him about prices and ask particulars seen as he will remain but a short time.

The Times-Herald will make this a bargain month in the way of subscriptions and has arranged to give the Semi-Weekly Star-Louis Republic free to all who pay up arrears and one year in advance to The Times-Herald. New subscribers who pay in advance will also receive this great national semi-weekly newspaper and family magazine in the United States. The two papers one year for \$2— for this month only.

NOTICE FOR BIDS.

Notice is hereby given that the County Court of Harney County, Oregon, will receive proposals for the making of an expert examination and report of the condition of all books and records of Harney County for the two years ending July 1, 1906, and that such bids will be opened and considered by the Court on January 3, 1906, at 1:30 o'clock p. m. The Court reserves the right to reject any and all bids. By order of the Court. SAM MOTHERHEAD, Clerk.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE, Burns, Oregon, November 22, 1905. Notice is hereby given that Mary (widow of) Burns, Oregon, has filed notice of intention to make a loan on the described lands hereinafter set out for the 20th day of December, 1905, to wit: Section 24, Township 30, N. 3, Range 30, W. 2, E. 2, and Section 25, Township 30, N. 3, Range 30, W. 2, E. 2, before the Register and Receiver at Burns, Oregon, on Tuesday, the 20th day of December, 1905. To have the following witnesses to prove the complete irrigation and reclamation of said lands: Edward H. Taylor, Stationer, 7200 and Melvin Parker, all of Burns, Oregon. W. FARR, Register.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned was duly appointed by the County Court of Harney County, Oregon, on October 20th, 1905, the administrator of the Estate of Adam Goodel, deceased, and has duly qualified. All persons having claims against said Estate are hereby required to present them, with proper vouchers, within six months from the date of this notice, to the undersigned at Burns, Harney County, Oregon. Dated Burns, Oregon, Oct. 27, 1905. FRED LANSBRO, Administrator.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned administrator of the estate of J. W. Keise, deceased, has filed his final account, and the Hon. H. C. Levens, County Judge of Harney County, Oregon, has set the third day of January, 1906, at the hour of ten o'clock a. m., as the time, and the County Judge's office, Burns, Harney County, Oregon, as the place for hearing objections to said account. All persons having objections to said account shall appear at said time and place and present the same. Dated at Burns, Oregon, this 18th day of November, 1905. J. H. OARDE, Administrator.

JOHN DEERE SULKY PLOW Benicia Hancock Disc Plows.



WORKING PLOWS OF ABOVE MAKE Tooth and Disc Harrows Thomas Disc Drills. Call and get prices before purchasing. C. H. VOEGTLY, Burns, Ore.

Patronize Home Industry THE HARNEY VALLEY BREWING CO. Make your goods from home products and with home labor. TRY OUR GOODS They are as good as the best and our prices cannot be met. We cater to the people and not to those who want to maintain "Forty-Nine prices." We Make a Specialty of Family Trade and deliver goods to any part of the city. G. W. WATERS, Manager.

"BROWN'S" "THE SATISFACTORY STORE" "BROWN'S" Brown's Cash Store.

HOLIDAY GOODS

Useful, artistic and appreciative holiday goods can be found at Brown's Cash Store.

Everything to be worn or used that will be of benefit and comfort to whom it is given can be found here.

Remember when deciding on making your purchases that our goods are priced for CASH--no losses included in estimating our profit, and if you are a close, careful buyer give us your trade.

Boy's Suits, Boy's Overcoats, Mens' Overcoats still lower--Another reduction made.

BROWN'S CASH STORE. Brown's N. Brown & Sons BURNS, OREGON.

NOTICE.

Is hereby given to George A Sebring and Frank W. Sebring, and to all other persons concerned. The Chas. T. Miller, administrator of said estate of Elias J. Brock deceased has filed his final account, as administrator of said estate and by order of the County Court of the State of Oregon for Harney County, made and entered Nov. 3, 1905 here 11th 1905 at one o'clock P. M. of said day has been filed at the time when said account will be considered and settled, and any and all persons having objections to said account are required to file the same on or before said day. Dated at Burns, Ore., Nov. 4th 1905. C. T. MILLER, Administrator.

CITY MEAT MARKET.

A. E. YOUNG, Proprietor. Meats of all Kinds. SALT FISH Butter and Eggs Lard, Tallow, Lunch Goods. Everything on hand usually kept by all first class markets.

For sale at reasonable Prices for Cash.

Reserved for the M. M. CO. E. A. FRASER, Manager. Ontario, Oregon.

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The Oregon Hotel AH TOY, Manager. First class accommodations with neat, clean and comfortable room. Toy invites his friends to stop with him when in Burns. Tables well furnished. Meals 35 cents.

MANY USEFUL GIFTS Suitable for Holiday gifts will be found in our stock which we are now selling during our Dissolution of Partnership Sale. Every article in the house a BARGAIN. We call special attention to our line of BOYS SUITS and OVERCOATS. SCHWARTZ & BUDELMAN. BURNS, OREGON.