SEMI-ANNUAL STATEMENT

(Continued from first page.)

RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS.

COUNTY FUND.

DR		
To balance in fund, Sept. 30, 1905	$ 7614 46	
Received from Sheriff (tax account)	39185 37	
Received from Sheriff Mileage Fees	24 80	
Received from Sheriff acc't Bondsman's notes	104 00	
Received from County Clerk as fees	531 00	
Received from County Clerk as a forfeited bond	100 00	
Received from Assessor as poll taxes	15 00	
Rec'd from state of Oregon(booth rent L & C fair)	8 76	
Received for Liquor Licenses	1300 00	
Received from Harney County Fair Association	25 00	
		$48908 39
CR		
By amount paid for warrants prin and interest	$14791 19	
By amount paid to state of Oregon(bal state taxes)	8200 00	
By amount paid to Harney Co. and L. and C. fairs by order of county court	400 00	
		$23391 19
To balance in fund		$25517 20

COUNTY SCHOOL FUND.

DR		
To balance in fund, Sept. 30, 1905	$ 2528 93	
Received from sheriff taxes	10855 94	
Received transfers from school districts, refund on order of school Superintendent	378 00	
		$13762 87
CR		
By amount apportioned by Co school Sup't	3992 00	
To balance in fund		$ 9770 87

STATE SCHOOL FUND.

DR		
To balance in fund Sep't 30, 1905	1903 86	
CR		
By amount apportioned to school dist by sch Supt.		1903 50
To balance in fund		36

COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL.

DR		
To balance in fund Sept. 30, 1905	$ 682 80	
Received from Sheriff taxes	3480 22	
Rreceived from proceeds of benefit	31 85	
		$ 4194 87
CR		
By amount paid for warrants		$ 1822 65
To balance in fund		$ 2372 22

BUILDING FUND

DR		
To balance in fund Sept. 30, 1905	$ 582 66	
Received from Sheriff taxes	1085 56	
		$ 1668 22
CR		
By amount paid for warrants		$ 262 05
To balance in fund		$ 1406 17

ROAD FUND

DR		
To balance in fund Sept 30, 1905	$ 3907 37	
Received from Sheriff, taxes	2137 20	
Received from State of Oregon 5 per cent U. S. land sales	3137 98	
		$ 9182 55
CR		
By amount paid for warrants	$ 1282 29	
By am't trans to Rd. dist. No. 1 by order Co. court	500 00	
By am't trans to Rd dist No 2 by order of Co court	1500 00	
		$ 3282 29
To balance in fund		$ 5900 26

ROAD DISTRICT NO. 1

DR		
To balance in fund Sept. 30, 1905	$ 86 03	
Received from Sheriff, taxes	1214 52	
Received from Supervisor	49 43	
Rec'd trans from Rd fund by order of county court	500 00	
		$ 1849 98
CR		
By amount paid to supervisor		$ 773 54
To balance in fund		$ 1076 44

ROAD DISTRICT NO. 2

DR		
To balance in fund Sept 30, 1905	$ 24 13	
Received from Sheriff, taxes	922 90	
Rec'd trans from Rd. fund, by order of county court	1500 00	
		$ 2447 03
CR		
By amount paid to supervisor		$ 1746 13
To balance in fund		$ 700 90

SCHOOL DISTRICTS

DR		
To balance in fund Sept. 30, 1905	$ 594 49	
Rec'd from Sheriff taxes	3330 66	
Rec'd from Sheriff to pay coupons	348 14	
Rec'd transfer from county school tund, appor'ts	3992 00	
Rec,d transfer from state school fund appor'ts	1903 50	
		$10168 79
CR		
By amount paid to dist clerks, apportionments	$ 5601 50	
By amount paid to dist clerks, special taxes	$ 2203 91	
By amount paid for coupons(interest on bonds)	302 00	
By am't trans to school fd, on order of Co S. Supt.	378 00	
		$ 8485 41
To balance in fund		$ 1683 38

CITY OF BURNS

DR		
To balance in fund Sept. 30,1905	$ 28 77	
Received from Sheriff, taxes	995 07	
		$ 1023 84
CR		
By amount paid to city treasurer		$ 179 02
To balance in fund		$ 844 82

INSTITUTE FUND

DR		
To balance in fund Sept 30, 1905	$ 22 00	
Rec't from Co School Superintendent	28 00	
		$ 50 00
To balance in fund		$ 50 00

MIGRATORY STOCK FUND

DR		
To balance in fund Sept 30, 1905	$ 71 40	
To balance now in fund		$ 71 40
Total balance in hands of County Treasurer Mar 31, 1906,		$49,394 02

RECAPITULATION.

Showing the balances in the various funds Sept 30, 1905. The cash receipts and disbursements, including transfer of funds; and the balances standing to the credit of the several funds, Mar 31, 1906.

	Balance Sept. 30 1905	Receipts	Total	Disbursements	Balance Mch 31 '06
County	$ 7,614 46	$41,293 93	$48,908 39	$23,391 19	$25,517 20
County school	2,528 93	11,233 94	13,762 87	3,992 00	9,770 87
State school	1,903 86		1,903 86	1,903 50	36
High School	682 80	3,512 07	4,194 87	1,822 65	2,372 22
Building	582 66	1,085 56	1,668 22	262 05	1,406 17
Road	3,907 37	5,275 18	9,182 55	3,282 29	5,900 26
Road dist No 1	86 03	1,763 95	1,849 98	773 54	1,076 44
Road dist No 2	24 13	2,422 90	2,447 03	1,746 13	700 90
School districts	594 49	9,574 30	10,168 79	8,485 41	1,683 38
City of Burns	28 77	995 07	1,023 84	179 02	844 82
Institute	22 00	28 00	50 00		50 00
Migratory stock	71 40		71 40		71 40
	$18,046 90	$77,184 90	$95,231 80	$45,837 78	$49,394 02
		18,046 90		49,394 02	
		$95,231 80		$95,231 80	

STATE OF OREGON, } ss
County of Harney }

I, J. M. Dalton, certify that all the foregoing are true and correct statement of the balances Sept 30, 1905 the amounts received and disbursed since, and the balances remaining in the County Treasury March 31st, 1906.

Witness my hand this 31st day of March 1906.

J. M. DALTON,
County Treasurer.

THE FARMERS INSTITUTE.

Dr. James Withycombe and Prof. Kinsely of the Oregon Agricultural College arrived in this city yesterday and will be in readiness to begin the farmers' institute Monday evening, July 2, at the Court House. The Times-Herald is sorry that President Newell of the State Board of Horticulture found it impossible to come at the last moment. This will be a disappointment to fruit growers, but we should bring Prof. Cordley "up out of the swamp" to take Mr. Newell's place. Horticulture will not be neglected at any rate and our farmers and stockmen will find this institute most profitable and instructive.

Dr. Withycombe has expressed himself as being delighted with our big, beautiful valley and predicts a great future.

Be sure to attend the institute--it is well worth any sacrifice upon the part of our people.

MORE RAILROAD PEOPLE.

Hon. J. K. Weatherford, of Albany, president of the Corvallis & Eastern Railroad, paid this city a flying visit last Monday, accompanied by G. W. Talbot, of Portland, both gentlemen leaving again the same evening for Lawen.

They gave out nothing to The Times-Herald for publication, but in conversation it was learned that they had come over from Albany on the C. & E. right-of-way and were following it through to Ontario. It is the impression that Mr. Talbot is connected with the Harriman railroads and that a sale of the old right-of-way is now under way. However, this is merely conjecture. Be that as it may, everything seems to point to immediate work on a transportation line into the great Harney country as there is much activity shown at this time.

Francis Bennett, a brother of our esteemed fellow-townsman B. P. Bennett, has been quite ill at the home of the latter the past few weeks. Two sons of the sick man, W. T. and James Bennett, arrived here last week from their homes in Washington to be with their father. Both young men are pleased with the Harney country and may decide to locate here.

A 3¼ Mitchell wagon for sale Inquire at this office.

A LOCAL "PUSH CLUB"

A mass meeting was held at the Court House Tuesday evening for the purpose of organizing a board of trade, development league, or something on that order, the object being to "boost" the Great Harney Country and assist in bringing in new people and otherwise promote the development of the county. Incidentally the organization will look after the interests of Burns in any manner possible and to take up the matter of a railroad particularly. Burns is going to be on the railroad—that can be posted in your hat.

A temporary organization was effected and a committee consisting of Ben Brown, J. L. Gault, I. Schwartz, Dr. W. L. Marsden and Julian Byrd was appointed to outline plans and make recommendations for a permanent organization. A meeting will be held at the Court House on July 10, to perfect plans, etc. Every property owner and citizen of Burns is urged to be present at this meeting.

"BIRDS AND BUGS"

A. B. Cordley, professor of Zoology and Entomology and his assistant Prof. W. T. Shaw, of the Oregon Agricultural College, arrived here overland Wednesday evening accompanied by Fred Griffin, a student of that institution. These gentlemen came across the Cascade mountains by way of Prineville and will spend some time in the vicinity of Harney and Malheur lakes. They are on a collecting tour securing specimens of "birds and bugs." The party spent Thursday in this city and expressed surprise and delight upon finding such a valley as we have, and especially the great variety of vegetables, fruit, etc., we produce and are experimenting with.

Prof Cordley visited a number of gardens and young orchards in this city and stated that our plants look much healthier and we had greater variety than in Corvallis. His attention was called to the green aphis, practically the only pest with which we have to contend and it was certainly a relief to those interested in growing orinmental shrubs and fruit to find the aphis was not so serious as we may think.

The party hoped Dr. Withycombe and his associates would reach here Thursday evening, but as they did not, they departed for the lakes yesterday morning.

ADMINISTRATORS NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed, by the Honorable County Court of Harney County, Oregon, Executor of the Will and Administrator of the Estate of Elizabeth S. Merritt, deceased, and has duly qualified.

All persons having claims against the said estate are hereby required to present them within six months from the date hereof, duly verified and accompanied with proper vouchers to the County Clerk, at the Court House, Burns, Oregon.

Dated this June 20, 1906.

JERRY M. MERRITT,
Executor and Administrator.

CONTEST NOTICE.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE, }
Burns, Oregon, June 22, 1906. }

A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by Joseph H. Loyd, contestant, againt homestead entry No. 1424, made June 5th, 1901, for W½ of W½, Section 21, Township, 22 S., Range 34 E. by William E. Gibbs Contestee, in which it is alleged that said William E. Gibbs has totally adandoned said entry and has been absent therefrom for more than six months prior to the date of said affidavit, and has failed to cultivate and improve said land as by law required, and that said alleged absence from the said land was not due to his employment in the Army, Navy, or Marine Corps of the U. S. as a private soldier, officer, seaman, or marine, during the time of war, said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on August 10, 1906 before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office in Burns, Oregon.

The said contestant having in a proper affidavit, filed June 16, 1906, 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 pulication.

WM. FARRE, Register.

CONTEST NOTICE

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE, }
Burns, Ore., June 6, 1906. }

A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by Ellis Lee Perry, contestant against homestead entry No. 1221, made December 15, 1902, for Lots 2, 9 and 10, Section 30, Township 26 S. Range 31 E., by Fred C. Cook, Contestee, in which it is alleged that said Fred C. Cook never established a residence upon said tract; never erecting any buildings thereon and has not resided on said land nor within Harney County since November 1905, and has wholly abandoned said claim, and that said alleged absence from the said land was not due to his employment in the Army, Navy, or Marine Corps of the United States as a private soldier, officer, seaman, or marine, during the time of war, said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on July 21, 1906, before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office in Burns, Oregon.

The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed June 6, 1906, 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 FARRE, Register.

Timber Land Act, June 3, 1878.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE, }
Burns Oregon, April 30, 1906 }

Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 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, Della Ausmus, of Lawen, county of Harney, state of Oregon, has this day filed in this office her sworn statement No. 326, for the purchase of the NW¼ NE¼, of Section No. 20, in Township No. 21 S., Range No. 34 E., W. M., 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 her claim to said land before the Register and Receiver of this office at Burns, Oregon, on Wednesday, the 11th day of July, 1906.

She names as witnesses: Fred Otley, Sr., John J. Heinze, Ted Hayes and Chas. Miller all of Lawen, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 11th day of July, 1906.

WM. FARRE, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE, }
Burns, Oregon, June 12, 1906. }

Notice is hereby given that the following named settlers have filed notice of their intention to make final proof in support of their claims, and that said proofs will be made before the Register and Receiver, at Burns, Oregon, on July 20, 1906, to wit:

Columbus Beary, of Burns, Oregon, H. E. No. 1902, for the W½ SE¼, NE¼ SE¼, Sec. 12 and NW¼ NE¼, Sec. 13, T. 26 S., R. 31 E., W. M.

Mandana Hopkins, formerly Mandana Morris, of Lawen, Oregon, H. E. No 1451, for the Lot 3, and NW¼ SW¼, sec. 35, and NE¼ SE¼, and Lots 8 and 11, Sec. 34, T. 25 S., R. 32 E., W. M.

Minnie Baker, formerly Minnie Haley of Drewsey, Oregon, H. E. No. 1432, for the Lots 6 and 7, E½ SW¼ and SW¼ SE¼, Sec. 7, T. 20 S., R. 32 E., W. M.

They name the following witnesses to prove their continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:

W. Scott Haley, Gerald Griffin, Charles A. Haines, Mrs. Mary Griffin and Alexander McKenzie, of Narrows, Oregon; James H. Bunyard, Lee M. Karpentur and Simon Lewis, of Burns, Oregon, and David S. Graves, of Lawen, Oregon.

WM. FARRE, Register.

Fillmore Chief, the handsome standardbred stallion will make the stand at the fair grounds in this city this season. Those interested should call on D. F. Hawley for particulars.

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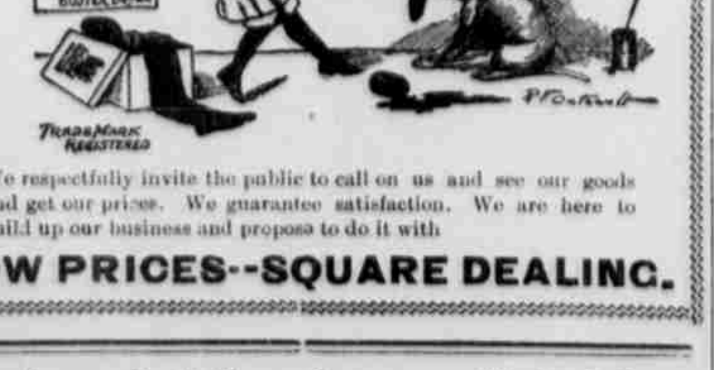

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