

Local News.

Blue prints of any township in the Burns land district, showing entries, dates of the same, topography, reserves and vacant land. Price \$1.00 each. Your order filled and forwarded on the following mail—J. C. Turney, Burns, Oregon.

Dr. H. Denman has gone to Portland on business.

Matt Riggs has gone to Portland to have his eyes treated.

See Hopkins Bros' assortment of Carriage heaters. Best on the market. Bedrock prices.

Mrs. Robt. Irving came down from Harney Tuesday to attend the funeral of Mother Byrd.

The Harney County National Bank has an announcement in this issue that should be read.

Loyd Johnson has been in the city since last Tuesday looking after some business affairs.

Remember the Inland Empire Realty Co. furnish competent help free. If you need help call and see us.

Receiver Davey of the local land office has been confined to his home for a few days from sickness but is reported improving.

Miss Ada Thomas, of Salem, is expected here this evening. The young lady is a cousin of Mrs. J. L. Gault and comes to visit her for an indefinite time.

STRAYED—From Windy Point, about Dec. 12, 1908, a brown gelding, age 10 years, weight 1000 lbs, branded X with a bar above and below on left shoulder. Notify or deliver to W. E. Sullivan, Burns, Oregon and receive reward.

The first basket ball game of the season was pulled off at the R. A. C. hall last night between a club team and the "Outlaws" which resulted in a score of 27 to 24 in favor of the latter. A social dance followed the game. The attendance was reported good.

Hon. I. S. Geer expects to take his departure for western Oregon as soon as his partner, John Cummins, who is ill, is able to get up after business. Mr. Geer will visit his wife and old home at Silverton and will also spend a few days at Salem during the legislature.

The Times-Herald is informed that Adelar Racine has sold the Elkhorn hotel in Canyon back to the former proprietor and will come to Burns at once and take up farming with his father just north of town. Fred Racine will remove to the mountain ranch near the saw mill where he says he will raise mules. Fred will make a success.

A rather unusual sight was witnessed here the first of the week when a large flock of geese were seen flying over Burns. These migratory birds are common here during the spring, and summer, as well as their fall flights, but to visit us in mid-winter is quite unusual. We will have to consult Capt. Louey, the Plute oracle to learn the significance of this untimely flight.

Our January Clearance Sale

This Annual event begins Monday Jan. 4th, and before the month is past we intend to close out every odd and even and broken line possible and reduce our Ladies' Dress Goods stock to its lowest possible price. Cutting prices will do this. Every Day here now means a

Bargain Day

You will do well to anticipate your future needs and come early.

Big Bargains in left over Christmas goods.

I. SCHWARTZ.

"The Busy Corner Store" BURNS, OREGON.

Which? Words or Deeds?

Some banks solicit business merely with the view of securing a deposit, without regard to the welfare of the prospective customer. Rosy, but deceptive promises are made, the actual fulfillment of which, at all times, would be an utter impossibility for any legitimate bank to attempt.

We solicit your banking business, but we solicit it purely on a banking basis. Our promises are confined to the assurance that you will receive fair, considerate treatment and be rendered every service consistent with safe banking. Our record for protecting the interests of our patrons is most conclusive evidence that their interests are given every consideration, and that their patronage has not been sought from merely selfish motives. Deeds-alone, not words, protect your business interests at those times when financial assistance in the way of a needed loan is essential to the protection of your business affairs.

DEPOSITORS' ATTENTION

is especially called to the fact that our Surplus equals our Capital, OR FIVE TIMES THE MAXIMUM AMOUNT REQUIRED BY THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT, which fact in connection with our conservatism, constitutes the best guarantee of safety to depositors.

The First National Bank of Burns

UNITED STATES DEPOSITORY OREGON STATE DEPOSITORY

Capital - \$25,000.00 Surplus - \$25,000.00

Albert Oukerman was in the city yesterday.

Drs. Marsden and Griffith yesterday performed an operation upon the little son of J. A. Ripley for diseased glands.

640 acre ranch for sale suitable for dairy or stock ranch. Abundance of water for irrigation and power—inquire at this office.

V. J. Hopkins and Tom Sagers have gone to Warm Springs to shoot for a few days. The birds are reported quite numerous there.

No need to be without a sewing machine when you have a chance to get one at practically your own terms by seeing G. W. Clevenger. Standard machines to choose from.

L. H. Kenney, one of our new settlers over on Silver Creek was in this city yesterday disposing of a load of potatoes at 4 cents per pound. Mr. Kenney bought the potatoes over at Prineville.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Porter died Thursday night and was buried yesterday. The little one was but two days old. The bereaved ones have the sympathy of a wide circle of friends.

Three fine registered stallions imported from France, are expected in Burns in February or earlier. Get up a company and improve your stock—we need those excellent horses here. Call and let's talk it over—Inland Empire Realty Co.

There was a sudden change in the weather last night, or rather sometime this morning. It was raining last evening and later began to snow, but only a few inches fell and this morning the thermometer was below freezing, making it decidedly wintery.

Painting and paper hanging—A. Horton.

Get nursery stock of the Inland Empire Realty Co.

J. E. Chandler was up from his home the first of this week disposing of some beef.

Mrs. J. O. Bunyard is over from her home on Cow creek the guest of her sisters, Mrs. N. Comegys.

We can trade anything you have for anything you want—Inland Empire Realty Co., Burns, Oregon.

Emory Hill has been over from his home near Alberson this week visiting his parents and attending to business.

R. J. Williams was over from Silver creek yesterday in company with Rollie Thorn. The latter was making proof on some land.

The add of the First National Bank of Burns this week reveals the secret of why it is held in high esteem by the stockmen and others having financial dealings with it. It is worthy of your careful reading.

WANTED—About 5000 head of good, young breeding ewes. Address, giving ages, price, etc., The American Land & Livestock Company, Denio Oregon, also same care of the First National Bank, Burns, Oregon.

JAMES E. ROUSSEVILLE, Manager.

Chas. Turner who had the misfortune to lose his right hand recently by the accidental discharge of a shot gun, is doing quite well. He has been on the streets exchanging greetings with his many friends and says this great religious weekly should announce to his neighbors at Andrews that he would be coming home in a short time with flying colors. He is quite cheerful.

The Times-Herald is in receipt of a letter from a prominent citizen of Drewsey which denies the report published last week that there were two cases of small pox in that place. County Health Officer Marsden has heard nothing further from Dr. Smith regarding the supposed cases. This citizen says the people of Drewsey knew nothing of any cases of small pox until they read it in The Times-Herald. We published the statement as received from the local doctor over there and are pleased to give space to the denial.

We are Headquarters for Horse Blankets, Saddle Blankets STORM PROOF ROBES and Balsam of Myrrh We Carry a Complete Line of HARNESS and SADDLES J. C. WELCOME & SON Burns Oregon.

County court is in session. James Bunyard and wife were down from Harney yesterday.

Lap robes and Blankets at Bedrock prices at Hopkins Bros'.

Simon Lewis and wife are down at the lakes visiting old time friends.

Just received a consignment of ladies and misses cloaks—Lunenburg & Dalton.

T. Scott Nisbit of Blake McCall Co., the paper man, is in the city looking after his customers.

We have a large assortment of Carriage Heaters. Sure to please you in quality and price. Hopkins Bros'.

Mrs. Cortes Elliott was quite ill at the Overland Thursday, but her physician reports her improved and not serious.

Joe Holebos was brought over from Drewsey this week and placed in the hospital as a county charge. He is in a serious condition.

Drs. Marsden and Griffith operated on the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mellie Parker removing the tonsils and adenoids. The little patient is doing well.

In purchasing real estate, beware of the title. Demand of the grantor an abstract of title to the land conveyed. Harney County Land and Title Company.

Scott Haley was in town Wednesday looking after some land business. He purchased an isolated tract near his home at the lakes that was sold at the land office Thursday.

WANTED—All kinds of hides and furs. Top cash price paid. First class taxidermist. Work done to order. Tanning and fur dressing a specialty. For full particulars address—FRED L. GREGG, Drewsey, Oregon.

J. J. Heinz came up Wednesday with the remains of his late wife. She had been buried near Saddle Butte but Mr. Heinz brought her up and placed her in the Burns cemetery where she had a daughter buried.

ESTRAY—Came to my place a year ago a black mare weight about 1150, unbroken, branded L C connected on left shoulder, the L being reversed. Owner call, prove property and pay charges. W. W. COX, Burns, Ore.

Miss Lea Robinson took her departure yesterday morning for A. E. Brown's where she has a four months' term of school. The young lady told her friends she would not return home until the term was completed.

The Times-Herald office has just received the finest assortment of stationery it has ever had. Its patrons will have the very best in that line as they always have had. When in need of commercial printing of any nature drop in and see us.

Sheriff Richardson returned from Canyon City Thursday where he went to meet Mrs. Richardson's mother, Mrs. John Nelson and her daughter Miss Veda Nelson. The ladies live at Fish Haven, Idaho and are here for an indefinite visit.

ESTRAY—Taken up December 1907 at my place at Egli, one brown gelding, weight about 1150 lbs, age 7 years, brands quarter circle U on left shoulder and P on left jaw. Owner call, prove property, pay charges. J. P. COCHRAN.

Grant Thompson and wife came up from their home last Saturday to consult a physician regarding Mrs. Thompson's eyes which were troubling her quite seriously. Upon the advice of Dr. Marsden they left for Portland early in the week where the sufferer will be treated by a specialist.

J. A. Cavanaugh and Miss Salma Yetter, formerly of Hatton Wash., has recently taken up land in this section, being located by W. T. Lester of the Inland Empire Realty Co. Both are accomplished teachers and will make Harney Valley their home. They have many friends where they formerly lived who will also locate in this section.

L. Racine is home from a visit to his son Adelar at Canyon.

J. H. Culp, painting and paper hanging, Burns, Oregon.

Edison Phonographs and records for sale at Lunenburg & Dalton's.

Mrs. C. W. Holloman has been quite sick this week but is reported better.

Chauncy Cummins has been confined to his home this week suffering from an attack of grip.

A fine assortment of street hats may be seen at Mrs. S. E. Drinkwater's Millinery parlors.

FOR SALE—Cheap if sold at once, one drop head sewing machine. Inquire at French Hotel.

J. J. Donegan has been sworn in as assessor of Harney county and assumed the duties of that office.

Having disposed of my livery and feed stable to Henderson Elliott, all accounts due me should be settled at once.

SIMON LEWIS.

Mrs. E. W. VanValkenberg, who has been visiting her daughters in this city since before the holidays, is slightly indisposed at their apartments in this city.

Ralph Byram and wife came over from their Bear valley home last Sunday and were guests at the Marsden home for a few days. They have returned home.

Get Voegtly's prices on Implements, etc. before purchasing. I can do better than any house in town. I do not have a Wholesale House Representative with me all summer, some one has to pay him.

FOR SALE—Four 4-year-old thoroughbred Herford bulls from the famous Henry Gray herd of Crook County. I have purchased Herfords from another herd to take the place of these is my reason for selling.—W. E. Smith, Burns, Oregon.

A pill in time that will save nine is Rings Little Liver Pill. For biliousness, sick headache, constipation. They do not gripe. Price 25. Sold by The Welcome Pharmacy, Burns, Ore. Fred Haines, Harney, Ore.

J. T. Barnes expects to leave tomorrow or next day for Arkansas, his former home, where he will visit his sister and view the scenes of his childhood. Later he will return to Portland where his wife is spending the winter. He will visit there for an indefinite time before returning home.

There were six teams up from Sunset the first of this week after lumber for the new school building. One of the citizens of that district wished The Times-Herald to assure the good people of Burns who contributed so generously toward raising the funds to erect this school building, that it would be built at once.

There has been quite an amount of precipitation the past week but the weather has not suited all. It has rained considerable and what snow that had fallen in the valley has been melted by rains and chinook winds, making it very disagreeable to those who are feeding. Reports of the amount of snow in the mountains are conflicting, but it is quite wet.

Tom Watson, of Burns, stopped over in Prairie Saturday night. He was taking Uncle John Watson to the hospital in Roseburg. Uncle John is eighty-seven years old and can laugh as hearty as a man of thirty years his junior. Several months ago while tearing down an old barn he got very badly injured in the left leg. He says he did not object to the tearing down of the barn, but he was sorry that it thought he had a wooden leg.—Prairie City Miner

DIED—Harry Jerro, a young man twenty-four years of age, died at the hospital in Burns, at one o'clock on the morning of Jan. 5th, of tuberculosis; and was buried in the Burns cemetery Jan. 6th. Services were conducted by Rev. A. J. Irwin at the cemetery. Mr. Jerro came to Harney county in Aug. of 1908 and made his home until recently with Mr. Loyd Culp east of Burns. The young man leaves relatives, living in Portland to mourn his untimely death.

IF YOU CARE FOR STYLE.

If you care for style and lot of people do, it can be had in any Vehicle on our floor. We are prepared for the fall trade. Our stock is at its best. We show a remarkable assortment of Vehicles, including Carriages, Road-wagons and Buggies, for this season of the year.

Our house is a regular Savings Bank for those who wish to buy. Call in and make us prove it. Harney Co. Imp. and Mfg. Co.

C. G. Couch is over from his home at Wagontire.

A. M. Byrd and wife left for the P-Ranch yesterday.

FOR SALE—320 acres of hay land. Inquire at this office.

Both Commissioners Smyth and Stallard and in attendance upon court.

Dr. Griffith returned from Salem last Sunday evening and at once took up his duties in Dr. Marsden's office.

Blue prints of any township in Burns Land District, showing name of entryman, date and kind of entry, topography, etc., \$1.00 each. Platt T. Randall, Burns, Ore.

C. V. Smith, the slyrup and preserve drummer, is in the city calling upon the merchants. Mr. Smith is a very pleasant gentleman and does a good business in this territory.

Sid Comegys and wife have been guests of the former's mother during this week. Mrs. Comegys has been looking after matters pertaining to the estate of her late mother.

G. W. Clevenger has a large number of sewing machines and wants to place one in every home in this section needing a machine. Sold on installment plan or terms to suit purchaser.

Personal experience with a tube of Manzan Pile Remedy will convince you it is immediate relief for all forms of Piles. Guaranteed 50c. Sold by The Welcome Pharmacy, Burns, Ore., Fred Haines, Harney, Ore.

NO TRESPASSING.

Hunting and fishing are strictly forbidden upon any of the Pacific Live Stock Co. ranches. Trespassers will be prosecuted. JOHN GILCREST, Supt.

Applications For Grazing Permits.

NOTICE is hereby given that all applications for permits to graze cattle, horses and sheep within the DECHUTES NATIONAL FOREST during the season of 1909, must be filed in my office at Prineville, Ore., on or before February 18, 1909. Full information in regard to the grazing fees to be charged and blank forms to be used in making application will be furnished upon request. A. S. IRELAND, Supervisor.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE, Burns, Oregon, December 22, 1908. Notice is hereby given that the State of Oregon has filed in this office its application for the No. 1100 tract, under the provisions of the Act of Congress, approved August 21, 1861, and acts amendatory thereto, the SW 1/4 Sec. 21, T. 15 S., R. 3 E., W. 4 E., and all persons claiming adversely the land described, or desiring to object because of the mineral character of the land, or for any other reason, to the disposal of said tract, should file their affidavits in proof in this office, on or before the expiration of the period of publication.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE, Burns, Oregon, December 21, 1908. Notice is hereby given that the State of Oregon has filed in this office its application for the No. 1101 tract, under the provisions of the Act of Congress, approved August 21, 1861, and acts amendatory thereto, the SW 1/4 Sec. 21, T. 15 S., R. 3 E., W. 4 E., and all persons claiming adversely the land described, or desiring to object because of the mineral character of the land, or for any other reason, to the disposal of said tract, should file their affidavits in proof in this office, on or before the expiration of the period of publication.

W. Gowan Archie McGowan Attorney The Land Man

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My well known herd of Prize winning Herefords is now located on the farm of Wm. P. Caviness, in Malheur county. Will be pleased to have you call and inspect herd. If in need of bulls or heifers we can satisfy you in quality and price. Write your wants to: Wm. P. CAVINESS, La Grande, Ore. B. J. CONRAD, La Grande, Ore.

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A Contrast In Banking.

Several thousand years ago, agriculture was the chief occupation of the people. Commercial pursuits were limited. Safety for funds was about all the people required. There were no banks with steel safes and thick-walled vaults.

Safety for money was had by turning it over to the priests who kept the gold and silver in the temples. The Greeks and Romans considered that religious sentiments kept their money secure under the protection of the priests.

Usually the money was safe in the temples, but frequent wars and invaders sacked the temples of all riches.

Note the advance in banking today. The people who deposit their money get many material benefits aside from the mere safety—they can issue checks, draw interest on their money, buy drafts, borrow, come to their banker for advice on their financial matters.

This bank has modern methods in bookkeeping, means to protect funds from fire and burglary are used, mechanical devices operate to give customers promptness and accuracy.

Our service is the acme of hundreds of years of banking experience; the best methods have been selected. The requirements of our customers are studied, their needs are met by satisfactory service.

The Harney County National Bank OF BURNS, OREGON. YOUR HOME INSTITUTION STATE DEPOSITORY

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