

**Times-Herald.**  
 CIRCULATION OF THIS COUNTY.  
 DECEMBER 23, 1909  
**Local News.**  
 Received an elegant hand painted China last night. See it quick.  
 For eyes P. O. block.  
 Schenk Bros.  
 coats see Luna-  
 and Taurus.  
 chicken pie for New  
 Year.  
 activities continue in  
 the winter weather.  
 was a business  
 the first of this  
 to have a good  
 the Fire Boys' New  
 for New Year's  
 that make your  
 of lap robes, horse  
 and carriage heaters  
 J. C. Welcome &  
 Christmas trees  
 in the churches  
 Burns will have  
 Richardson now have  
 fresh groceries  
 See them  
 new store.  
 Sons are agents  
 Stein-Block make of  
 Ask any one who knows  
 wear no other make.  
 A five room cot-  
 tage all fenced with  
 a windmill and  
 No rock.  
 Burns, Oregon.  
 of any township in  
 District, showing  
 man, date and kind  
 photography, etc., \$1.00  
 T. Randall, Burns,  
 representative of  
 Mills, manu-  
 "Wear Proof"  
 and "Internat-  
 for ladies, gen-  
 children. Also made  
 tions. Mrs. L.  
 Samples may be  
 Hotel.  
 J. Irwin will hold his  
 services in  
 Sunday, Dec. 26th both  
 and evening. The  
 program of last Sunday  
 to music lovers and  
 on Sunday, Dec.  
 body invited to at-  
 services.  
 broke one bone in  
 the knee while  
 last Tuesday evening.  
 wearing a bob-sled  
 several were riding  
 slipped off causing  
 He was taken im-  
 to Drs. Marsden &  
 and the fracture was re-  
 one of our bright  
 in high school and re-  
 necessity of being out  
 of a while. He is at  
 of Mr. and Mrs. H. B.  
 parents Mr. and Mrs.  
 came over from  
 Valley upon learning of

**STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF BURNS OF BURNS**  
 at the close of business November 16th, 1909

RESOURCES.	
Loans and Discounts	\$213,551 22
U. S. Bonds	50,000 00
Bonds and Securities	57,612 43
Premium on U. S. Bonds	2,000 00
Real Estate, Furniture and Fixtures	6,000 00
Five percent Redemption Fund	1,250 00
Cash on hand and in Banks	111,769 44
	\$442,183 09
LIABILITIES.	
Capital	\$ 25,000 00
Surplus and Undivided Profits	34,176 77
Circulation	25,000 00
DEPOSITS	358,006 32
	\$442,183 09

**Capital, \$25,000.00**  
**Surplus, \$30,000.00**

**United States Depository**  
**Accounts Invited**

Fresh bread at Reed's Grocery.  
 All work guaranteed Salis-  
 bury's.  
 A. W. Hurlburt and wife are  
 back from a visit to Portland.  
 Fine line of watches, chains,  
 etc., at Salisbury's P. O. block.  
 W. D. Huffman was in from  
 his home at Andrews during the  
 week.  
 See those "Fit Any" horse  
 blankets at J. C. Welcome &  
 Son's.  
 A good suit ready to wear can  
 be got at Schenk Bros. \$12.50  
 up.  
 Get your clothes cleaned and  
 pressed at Schenk Bros., at rea-  
 sonable prices.  
 Dave Miller and Mr. Reynolds  
 were over from Warm Spring  
 valley Wednesday.  
 If you would be comfortable  
 while riding get a carriage heater  
 and coal at J. C. Welcome &  
 Son's.  
 The winter weather does not  
 seem to put a check to the home-  
 seekers as they keep coming by  
 every stage.  
 Schenk Bros. do not have to  
 send your suit back to a Phila-  
 delphia lawyer for alteration.  
 They are tailors and can do it  
 themselves.  
 Parents of the children and  
 patrons of the Presbyterian Sun-  
 day school please take notice.  
 The Christmas tree exercises at  
 the Presbyterian church will  
 begin promptly at 7 o'clock Fri-  
 day evening Dec. 24th.  
 W. H. Howard and wife were  
 over from Drewsey during the  
 week on land business. Bill had  
 time to josh some with his  
 friends and was anxious to find  
 some post cards of a local char-  
 acter that he understood were in  
 circulation. He thinks Sheriff  
 Richardson and Sheriff Odell of  
 Vale had bought all that had  
 been printed as he was unable to  
 find any.

**HOLIDAY BARGAINS**  
**HALF PRICE**  
**PRICES CUT IN TWO**  
 on all toys and holiday goods at  
**THE BUSY CORNER STORE**  
 beginning Monday, Dec. 27th and  
 running throughout the week we  
 sell all the toys and other holiday  
 goods at half price  
**Everything marked in plain**  
**figures. Take the price, cut it**  
**in two and you have the sale**  
**price.**  
**CALL EARLY.**  
**SCHWARTZ.**  
**The Busy Corner Store**  
**BURNS, OREGON.**

**A Merry Christmas.**  
 The weather has moderated somewhat.  
 Don't overlook Schenk Bros. Christmas display.  
**FOR SALE**—A second hand range. Address Box 72, Burns, Oregon.  
 C. W. Lewis and Geo. Enquist were in Tuesday and Wednesday on land business.  
 Some delayed stage freight was brought in by Kellogg Thursday evening.  
 Pearl Fisk, Stenographer, Terms reasonable. Headquarters at office of J. W. Biggs.  
 Emmett Reed was on the sick list the first of this week but is again at his place of business.  
**IF YOU ARE GOING TO TRAVEL.**  
 Use the Harney County National Bank TRAVELLER'S CHEQUES. They are self-identifying.

Several of the high school students from outside points have gone home for the holiday vacation.  
 Dr. L. E. Hibbard is home from an extended visit to the southern part of this county and Nevada points.  
 Reatos for sale, all sizes and lengths, price 20 cents per foot. Any one desiring Reatos address W. A. Ford of J. O. Alberson, Alberson, Oregon.  
 Chas. V. Reed and wife spent a day or two in this city this week. Chas. contemplates a business trip to Portland in the near future.  
 Williams Bros. saw mill at Cold Spring on the Canyon road is prepared to do custom work for those desiring to take advantage of their government permit. Also lumber for sale at \$12 per thousand. See them about custom prices.  
 W. R. Dawson and wife were up from Sunset Wednesday. They were accompanied home by their daughter, Miss Laura, who is teaching over at Crow Camp, also their son Lyle who is attending high school. The latter are at home for the holiday vacation.

**DID YOU KNOW**  
 That two flows of natural gas under an enormous pressure have been developed in Harney Valley?  
**Did You Know** that the visible indications point to Harney Valley as being underlain with one of the great deposits of light gravity oil in the world?  
**Do You Know** what that means to Central Oregon? It means railroads and the development of all the resources of this great inland empire.  
**Do You Want** to share in the enormous profits that await those who first tap this immense pool of oil?  
**The Harney Valley Oil & Gas Co.** offer you this opportunity. With stock selling at 5 cents per share (par value \$1.00) it is an opportunity unparalleled in the history of oil development. We will gladly answer any and all correspondence. Address **Harney Valley Oil & Gas Co., Burns, Oregon.**

Geo. Riley was up from his homestead yesterday.  
 Somebody please tell me where I can get that chicken pie dinner on New Year's day.  
 J. W. Schuler of Bridgeport, Wash., is here to look over the country with a view of investing.  
 Bill Blott was recently married according to letters received here by friends. Bill has many friends who wish him all the happiness possible.  
 The Ladies Aid Society of the Presbyterian church will give a chicken pie dinner on New Year's day at the Commercial Club rooms. Do not forget the date and place. Dinner 50 cents.  
 Fredrick Woltje of Anthony, Kansas, arrived here the first of this week. The gentleman has purchased a tract of the Trout Creek valley land and will likely get some more Harney county real estate before returning to his eastern home.  
 The Odd Fellows moved into their new building last Monday. The lodge room is receiving some extra touches and not ready in shape for occupancy but the boys were anxious to get into their new home. Considerable furniture including the carpet is still out at the railroad but the lodges—L. O. F. and Rebekah—are making preparations for a joint installation and general house warming, including a banquet, on January 8.  
 The Finance Committee of the Presbyterian church would kindly call the attention of the friends and members of the church to the fact that the year is drawing to a close. The Church Treasurer's book will close with the year. If you wish to pay your subscription or contribute to the work of the church for 1909, will you not do so by Dec. 31st. Mr. J. L. Gault is church treasurer and will gladly receive your contributions at the First National Bank, Burns.

**MARRIED**—At the home of W. W. Drinkwater in this city, Wednesday evening, Dec. 22nd at 7:30, Mr. Jesse Vickers and Miss Marie Demaris. Rev. A. J. Irwin of the Presbyterian church performed the ceremony. Both of the young people have spent most of their lives in and near Harney City. The Times-Herald extends congratulations and best wishes.

**Job printing**—The Times-Herald Go to the home Hotel for a good meal.  
 Carriage heaters and coal—J. C. Welcome & Son.  
 The most up to date gents furnishings at Schenk Bros.  
 W. B. Johnson was over from Silver Creek this week.  
 A. Egli is in from Wagontire to spend the holidays with his family. Mrs. Egli has been sick but is now much better.  
 If you would like an Oregon Life Calendar send your name, age and address to their agent, E. C. EGGLESTON, Burns, Oregon.  
 Clark Wheeler was up from his homestead yesterday making final proof. He was assisted by Fred Hereth and Edward Koennemann.  
 John Robertson is back from delivering a train load of cattle in Omaha. He found the market good and is well satisfied. He also found real winter weather in that section.

**Craven Coleman** left yesterday for outside points.  
 Three Merino bucks for sale. See J. A. Oard, Lawen, Oregon.  
**BURNS**—Tuesday, Dec. 21, to Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Johnson, a son.  
 The Burns Milling Co. has just received some new brakes for their logging sleds.  
 Robt. McGuire, special agent of the land office, has gone to Portland again.  
 Dan Jordan who has been absent on business at Los Angeles, is expected home in a short time.  
 Otto Nystrom, one of the energetic homesteaders of the Waverly section was in our city this week.  
 Chas. J. Johnson was up from Lawen yesterday and was accompanied home by his two daughters, Misses Lillian Hendricks and Eliza George who will spend the holiday vacation at home.  
 The State Railroad Commission in its third annual report just issued shows 35 miles of the Deschutes Railroad has been graded and that it is expected to have 90 miles of the new line in operation by next July. James J. Hill, who was in Portland during the past week, gives assurance that the Oregon Trunk will be in operation by next fall so that the coming year will see two railway lines into the interior of the state.

**EIGHTH GRADE EXAMINATION.**  
 Following are the sources for eighth grade examination, 1910:  
 Arithmetic—Practical Arithmetic—Smith.  
 Civil Government—United States Constitution.  
 Geography—State Course of Study; Redway and Hinman's Natural School Geography.  
 History—List of topics from History Outline in State Course of Study and Current Events.  
 Grammar—Buehler's Modern English Grammar, no diagramming.  
 Physiology—Graded Lessons in Physiology and Hygiene—Krohn.  
 Reading—The teacher will send to the County Superintendent the applicant's class standing in reading, which shall be taken by such superintendent as the applicant's standing on the subject.  
 Spelling—Reed's Word Lessons  
 Writing—Specimens of penmanship as indicated in copied matter and from manuscript in Language.  
 \* Respectfully submitted,  
 J. H. ACKERMAN,  
 Supt. Public Instruction.

**NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.**  
 Notice is hereby given that Birdie M. Buckland has left my bed and board and I will not be responsible for any bills or contracts that she may make from this date. Dated at Harney Oregon this 17th day of December A. D. 1909.  
 FRANK BUCKLAND.

**FINE SHOE REPAIRING**  
 New stock of material just in and we are prepared to do  
 First class work for ladies and gentlemen  
 Work done while you wait and guaranteed. Prices reasonable.  
**HUFF BROTHERS**  
 First door west of Bedell's saloon across street from Burns Hotel.

**The MILLER REALTY & INVESTMENT CO.**  
 Office with Wm. Miller, Burns, Or.  
 Deeded lands bought and sold on Commission.  
 Insurance, Life, Accident, Fire.  
**MONEY TO LOAN.**  
 List your leads with us.  
 IRVING MILLER, Manager.

**The Eastern Oregon Engineering Co.**  
 CIVIL, MUNICIPAL AND IRRIGATION ENGINEERS  
 Main Office, Burns, Oregon  
 A. O. FAULKNER, MGT.  
 Branch Office, Lakeview, Oregon  
 C. M. FAULKNER, MGT.

Served as coffee, the new coffee substitute known to grocers everywhere as Dr. Shoop's Health Coffee, will trick even a coffee expert. Not a grain of real coffee in it either. Pure healthful toasted grains, malt, nuts, etc, have been so cleverly blended as to give a wonderfully satisfying coffee taste and flavor. And it is "made in a minute," too. No tedious 20 to 30 minutes boiling. Sold by Reed Bros.

**To all our Friends and Customers Greeting**  
 The year which is drawing to a close has been a most successful one with this bank, for which we have to thank our many customers who have made this possible.  
 The officers and directors, individually and collectively, extend to you the compliments of the season, hoping that the coming year may bring you increased prosperity and happiness.

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

**CHRISTMAS SHOPPING**  
 will be a positive delight when you come into this store and see our fine display of **HOLIDAY SPLENDOR**  
 Haviland China, Hand Painted, Cut Glass, Leather Goods, Hand Hammered Brass, Pictures, Chafing Dishes, Silverware, Novelties, Stationery, General Assortment of Toys, etc.  
**The Welcome Pharmacy, Burns, Oregon.**

**NEW MERCHANDISE**  
 Dry Goods, Boots and Shoes  
 Fresh Groceries, etc.  
 For Fall and Winter Trade  
**LUNABURG & DALTON**

**JOE THOMPSON**  
 IN THE POST OFFICE BLOCK  
 Candy, Nuts, Stationery, Cigars, and Tobacco  
 HOT TOMALES AND CHILES  
 School Tablets, Pens, Pencils, Ink, Etc.  
 SMOKERS ARE PARTICULARLY INVITED  
 Nice Assortment of Pipes—New Novelties Coming.

**A MAN**  
 is known by the harness he uses  
**A VAQUEÑO** by the saddle he rides.  
 Every horseman should have the best, both as to quality and price.  
 You can get highest quality and lowest prices at  
**J. C. WELCOME & SON**  
 Harness and Saddles

**STAG SULKY PLOW**  
 The Stag is one of the latest and best additions to the famous Deere Line of Riding Plows. Is light in weight, simple and durable in construction—full of genuine merit, and has shown its mettle and utility in every test it has been put to. It has amply demonstrated by its good work its right to be classed as a strictly up-to-date, high-class farm tool. It is certain to suit the most critical farmer and be a money-maker and a labor-saver for him.  
**"If It's a Deere—It's Right"**  
 and does its work perfect ease to the operator and team. It is manufactured and sold as a tongueless plow—a tongue not being necessary to best results, but one is supplied at slight cost to those who prefer it that way. The Stag is the simplest riding plow built,—anyone who can hook up a team and drive 'em straight can operate it successfully. It possesses many superior features not found on other plows, and it takes a whole book to illustrate and describe them. Better write for it today and all the information you want about this superior implement.  
**C. H. VOEGTLY**

**JOHN DEERE**  
 MOLINE, ILL.