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## Accounts Invited

Clothes pressed and cleaned at Schenk Bros.

Lloyd Johnson was in town this week.

Get your Winter Clothing at The Busy Corner Store.

BORN—Tuesday, Dec. 6 to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Scott, a son.

Lunaburg, Dalton & Co. have all kinds of Christmas goods.

W. L. Best was over from Silver Creek on business this week.

Furnished rooms, Plain Sewing Mrs. DORA LESTER, Burns, Or.

Hagey & Richardson carry the best brands of groceries. All fresh.

J. E. Sizemore was in the city for several days this week looking after business.

See the Inland Empire Realty Co. if you have anything for sale or exchange.

Mrs. Grant Thompson is a guest at the Ches. Dalton home helping to take care of the new baby.

Aifred Benjamin of New York has made Schenk Bros. agents for Harney county for his great clothing.

W. G. Howell writes President Leonard of the Commercial club that the Portland people thoroughly enjoyed the game dinner furnished by the Burns boys.

The Masonic lodge has elected J. M. Dalton W. M.; Wm. Miller, S. W.; Thos. Sagers, J. W. Sam Mothershead, Secy.; J. C. Welcome, Sr., Treas.; J. E. Loggan, Tyler.

A BARGAIN—640 acres of level sagebrush land, good soil. For sale at \$10.00 per acre on any reasonable terms if sold before January 1st, 1911. If you are interested and mean business address: L. H. W., Box 11, Burns, Oregon.

High class Christmas goods at Lunaburg, Dalton & Co.

20 per cent off on mens and boys suits—Fred Haines.

Regular preaching services at the Baptist church tomorrow morning and evening.

WANTED—Horses to pasture and winter. Call on or address, CHAS. WILSON.

Frank Cole left Tuesday for Boise where he will remain for an indefinite time.

Everything for every body at the Lunaburg, Dalton & Co. Department Store.

For Toilet Sets Reed Bros.' Drug Store has the finest display ever seen in the city.

The French Hotel serves a fine Sunday dinner and special attention is given to family service.

A new line of dry goods, furnishings, shoes, hats, etc. can always be found at Hagey & Richardson's.

Mrs. J. C. Bowen and little daughter are here from Landore, Idaho, on a visit to her parents, Hon. and Mrs. Frank Davey.

On January 1, 1911 I will make my furniture business strictly cash. Goods will be sold at prices to justify every purchaser in paying the cash—G. W. Clevenger.

You will never again be quite as you are today mentally or physically. Perhaps not ever again will you be able to get so "young" a photograph—that looks like you—as today. Visit the Sayer Studio.

Mrs. W. L. Marsden took her departure this morning for Whittier, California, where she will spend the holiday season with her son George and Dr. Marsden's mother. A letter just received states that George has recovered from his recent illness.

Green tags at Brown's Store. Ted Hayes was up from Lawen Wednesday

9 yards of outing flannel \$1.00—Fred Haines.

Headquarters for Christmas goods—Lunaburg, Dalton & Co.

There is a nice display of Dolls in the south window of The Busy Corner Store.

Just arrived fine lot of blankets, ladies', gents' and children's coat sweaters—Fred Haines.

E. B. Reed & Son have received a fine assortment of Christmas candies. Nice, fresh and best variety.

The personal attention given guests at the French Hotel has given it a good reputation—L. B. Culp, Prop.

A Book is always appreciated. Books for Old Folks and Young Folks in great variety at Reed Bros.' Drug Store.

Look for green tags at Brown's Satisfactory Store this month. Everything reduced will be marked "reduced" on green tags.

Schenk Bros. do not have to send your suit back to a Philadelphia lawyer for alteration. They are tailors and can do it themselves.

F. C. Dibble and wife came over from Silver creek Wednesday bringing Mr. Dibble's mother who is not at all well. She is advanced in years and rather delicate.

Mrs. Mary Baker Eddy, head and founder of Christian Science, died last Saturday night. The cause of death was pneumonia. She was in her ninetieth year. She was a very remarkable woman.

Assistant Warden Ackley of the Idaho penitentiary, who was shot last week by the outlaw Pannum or Fiser, was able to leave his bed yesterday and it is hoped he will soon be sufficiently recovered that he may start on his journey home.

Chas. Owen and J. L. Hopper came down from Silvies the first of this week in charge of about 2,000 head of P. L. S. Co. cattle. They are preparing to take another big drive of stock to the railroad. They will be shipped from Winnemucca to the California ranches.

Postmaster Loggan and family are home from Portland where their little daughter Lelah recently underwent an operation for ear trouble which appears to have been entirely successful. The little girl had been troubled for some time and the matter was quite serious. She stood the trip home fine.

President's Taft's message to Congress is pretty long for a short session and the manager has not had time to read it. He says the tariff bill passed last session has been magnified and belives the commission now at work will make everything right. It is not likely many of his recommendations will receive much consideration at this session.

Harry C. Smith informs us he has formed the Burns Ice Co. and expects to be able to furnish that very necessary article during next season. He is erecting an ice house at the brick yard that will hold 700 tons of ice and will put on a regular delivery. This will certainly be well patronized and quite an accommodation to the people of Burns.

The quicker a cold is gotten rid of the less the danger from pneumonia and other serious diseases. Mr. B. W. L. Hall, of Waverly, Va., says: "I firmly believe Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to be absolutely the best preparation on the market for colds. I have recommended it to my friends and they all agree with me." For sale by all good dealers.

Big reduction in men's hats—Fred Haines.

Wm. Gray and wife came up from Lawen yesterday.

Schenk Bros. have received a case of Alfred Benjamin clothing.

Have you listed your land yet? See Irving Miller before you do.

Men's, ladies' and children's shoes at a bargain—Fred Haines.

The Burns Flour Milling Co. will pay 2 1/2 cents per pound for wheat or barley.

Give the little ones a treat. Take them on a trip through Toyland at The Busy Corner Store.

Meerschbaum, Briar and Composition Pipes, with Amber and Artificial Stems—a big display at Reed Bros.' Drug Store.

Miss K. Neugebauer is located in the Jorgensen building south Main St. and is prepared to do all kinds of dress making.

All goods at the Hagey & Richardson general merchandise store are new and up to date. Good values in every purchase.

Report has it that the showing of Hand Bags and Ladies' Purses at Reed Bros.' Drug Store exceeds anything ever seen in Burns.

Henry Trowbridge brought over a large herd of cattle from his Izee ranch the first of this week. They were driven to the Lawen section where they will be fed during the winter.

The Times-Herald has received a letter from Pearl Wise who asks us to send the paper to California for the present. He doesn't say what he is doing but sends best regards to all Harney county friends.

Work stock wintered on most reasonable terms. Good pasture with plenty of shelter at \$1.50 per head per month. Good timothy hay, if required or desired, fed at merely the cost of the hay. Inquire at this office.

The roads continue to be "fierce" and the stages have a hard time getting in at all. An occasional freight team straggles in but most of them have been many days on the road and many more are still between here and Vale.

Miss Isabelle Eskridge, who has been teaching in the Buchanan district, is in the city under the care of physicians. Drs. Marsden & Griffith performed a slight operation this week on one of her ankles and she will be confined to her bed for a short time as a result. It is not serious.

Do you realize what it might mean to buy property that has an imperfect title? A warranty deed should not be sufficient, as it is not sufficient evidence of title. You should have before you absolute evidence of the grantors' right and title to the property transferred. An abstract shows every instrument on record that affects the title and should be as important as the deed.—HARNEY COUNTY ABSTRACT CO., INC.

ARCHIE MCGOWAN, Pres. and Manager.

At a recent meeting of the city council the matter of revising the city charter was taken up. Mayor Clevenger and Councilman Davey were selected to serve on a board to consist of two members of the city administration, two citizens to be selected by the Commercial Club and those four to select one attorney to serve as the fifth member. In accordance with this arrangement President Leonard of the club appointed Ben Brown and Sam Mothershead to act. This is a matter of considerable importance and should have the careful consideration of property owners and men of affairs.

School suits at Schenk Bros.

The Home Hotel is the comfortable place to board.

The new piano for the High School has arrived and was delivered this morning.

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.

Supt. Gilerest of the P. L. S. Co. left Tuesday for outside points going in his auto to Winnemucca and will then proceed to San Francisco where he will remain until after the holidays.

The majority report of the Ballinger-Pinchot investigation committee has been presented to congress and it says: "That Secretary Ballinger is not an enemy of nor is he hostile to a reasonable, judicious policy of conservation, and that no ground whatever has been shown justifying the opinion that he is an unfaithful and inefficient public officer."

A. E. Murphy was doing business in this city this week. Mr. Murphy says work is progressing without interruption over at his Iron Mountain land holdings. It is something to the credit of Harney County to say that we are still plowing and the soil is in fine shape for such work. Mr. Murphy expects to have a large acreage ready for seeding soon.

"I had been troubled with constipation for two years and tried all of the best physicians in Bristol, Tenn., and they could do nothing for me," writes Thos. E. Williams, Middleboro, Ky. "Two packages of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets cured me." For sale by all good dealers.

ATTEMPTED SUICIDE.

Willis R. Brookes, a young mining engineer who arrived here recently from Grant county, took a quantity of laudanum about 1:30 o'clock this morning, it is stated, with suicidal intent.

He went into the bar room of the Burns hotel, where he took the dose, and handed the bar tender a letter addressed to his wife, which he requested be mailed. He also gave the bar tender his purse. Later he went to the Windsor, where John Warlow was at the lunch counter, and sat down on a high stool near John and asked for a cup of black coffee. Brookes suddenly fell from the stool and bystanders got him on his feet and walked him on the street, in the meantime sending for Dr. Griffith. The man finally vomited up the laudanum and Marshal Haines after walking him for a long time took him to his room. Before going to his room, however, he secured the letter he had written and destroyed it. He is out of danger this morning.

Very little is known of him here other than that he is reported to be a good mining engineer but had recently lost his position and is short of funds. He admitted to the marshal that he intended to end his life and that it was a cowardly trick.

## A CHECK ACCOUNT AIDS YOUR MEMORY.

It is not necessary to remember every small bill you pay, when you keep a check account. Your checks are a record of your business. Each check has written on its face—the date and the amount of the bill paid, the party to whom it was paid. In addition, each check is a receipt for the obligation cancelled.

Pay by check—file your checks for reference. We welcome small accounts.

## Harney County National Bank

Of Burns, Oregon

## CHRISTMAS

### OLD SANTA CLAUS

Has just arrived. He is making Our Store Headquarters as usual, where He has his full line on Display, consisting of Fancy Dishes, Leather Goods, Toilet Cases and other articles suitable for Christmas Presents. Come and inspect His line and make your purchases early.

### THE WELCOME PHARMACY.

## CHRISTMAS

## LUNABURG DALTON & Co

Are Headquarters for Holiday Goods. You can find anything you want, either Novel or Substantial.

A Complete Line of Fresh Groceries of the Best Brands.

Dry Goods, Rubbers, Sheep-Lined Clothing, Etc. See Us Before Buying Elsewhere.

## The HARNEY VALLEY MEAT MARKET

Kaiser & Bushele, Proprietors

## MEATS of all kinds always ready

Your Patronage Solicited

Corner Main and B Streets—Locher Building

## TAILORS

READY-MADE SUITS	\$10.00
TAILOR-MADE SUITS	\$25.00
READY-MADE OVERCOATS and FUR COATS	\$25.00
TAILOR-MADE OVERCOATS and FUR COATS	\$30.00
READY-MADE OVERCOATS and FUR COATS	\$65.00

We guarantee Quality and Workmanship. Tailor-Made is done in Our Burns Shop. ALTERATING FREE.

We Carry a Full Line of the Newest, Most Up-to-Date Gents' Furnishings, Hats and Caps. Cleaning and Pressing a Specialty.

## SCHENK BROS. Burns, Ore.

If you want to make a trade, sell your relinquishment or other property the Inland Empire Realty Co. will be of great assistance to you. They have sold others and can sell yours.

Santa Claus has arrived at Reed Bros.' Drug Store in his aeroplane and has brought everything that will delight the young and old. Drop in and note as to what you want.

**FREE! FREE! FREE!**  
**ABSOLUTELY FREE!**  
This Ticket Entitling The Bearer to a Trip Through Toyland at THE BUSY CORNER STORE

## SANTA CLAUS

is making this store his headquarters. To be the marvels and beauties of this wondrous route through the domain of KRIS KRINGLE baffle the pen of the most profound writer. NOTHING! Well, not quite everything that the wish heart or mature mind may desire. in the CHILDREN and let them revel amid the vision of Toys, Games, Dolls, etc., that are displayed so lavishly. Ask for a Ticket at the Counter, and get the one in this advertisement and bring it.

## THE BUSY CORNER STORE, I. Schwartz, Prop.

## I RISE TO SAY!



Concentrate your mind on the main point—then move. Irrigation of Harney Valley will have early consideration, but in the mean time Don't Overlook the Fine Assortment of Jewelry at Salisbury's. Get busy before Christmas. Next door to Harney County National Bank.