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JULIAN BYRD, Manager

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 14, 1912

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Good Roads Demanded By All The Farmers

"Farmers are going crazy on good roads and the principal reason is not found in the fact that good roads lessen transportation cost on their produce, either," said Howard M. Covey of Covey Motor company, who has just returned to Portland from an auto tour of eastern Oregon. The facts is the ranchers want automobiles themselves and good roads to run them on.

"In years gone by the ranchman waving an angry fist at the dust of a passing machine, it was a stock joke; today he is riding in the machine and likes it. An automobile on an eastern Oregon ranch is an every day sight." Mr. Covey left Portland October 6 and returned the latter part of the month. He traveled approximately 2000 miles in a Cadillac and visited among other places Pendleton, LaGrande, Baker, Vale and Ontario. His tour was for the purpose of demonstrating the Cadillac and procuring first hand information into business conditions as it affects the automobile market.

He returns home well pleased with conditions as he found them. "The people are optimistic and every indication is for a heavy market in the spring," he said.

Truth Stranger Than Fiction

Dr. A. E. Winship, the noted writer and lecturer, who was here at the recent institute of teachers, has written a lengthy article in his Journal of Education of his fine trip through the Eastern Oregon territory. He states in one paragraph that some day he will write a "realistic story laying the plot in the house where four of us stayed in Burns. No friction could be more captivating." In the same paragraph the eminent Doctor states that they could not secure hotel accommodations and that "two hundred people, fifty-six of them women, sat up all night." That's some romance itself and about as far from the truth as many other of his statements in the article. We will give the gentleman credit for coming near the truth in two or three instances in his description of the trip, but if that is a sample of his truthfulness in all his writings he should be placed entirely in the fiction class and not allowed to pen a line in an "Educational Journal."

Notice To Hide Sellers

Baker, Oregon, Nov. 25-12
Keep your hides and furs until December. Don't Give Them Away—as I will be there to call and Pay You for them, but no beavers. If you have anything on hand, write me at Burns, care J. H. Jackson Brothers, 317

Feed Grain to Your Hogs

The wheat farms of the Inland Empire section of the Pacific Northwest, which constitutes the eastern portions of Oregon and Washington, should be as famous for their production of hogs as they are for the production of wheat and other grain.

Many profitable systems of hog production can be worked out on the grain farms of that wonderful section of country. It will pay to feed "dollar" wheat to hogs. With proper pasture and a small supplemental grain feed a hog can be brought to a fattening stage at a cost of about 3 1/2 cents a pound. The cost should not exceed 4 cents at the most.

Numerous feeding experiments conducted at the Oregon Experiment Station have shown conclusively that it requires approximately 4 1/2 pounds of either wheat or barley to produce, one pound gain of live weight, for a fattening period of about sixty days. Estimating then that a pig weighing 150 pounds has cost \$6 he is fed 450 pounds of wheat or barley and weighs 250 pounds. The hog is then worth 6 1/2 cents per pound, or \$16.25. Thus the 450 pounds of grain fed gave a return of \$10.25 or in other words gave a return of \$1.36 a bushel for wheat, or \$1.13 a bushel for the barley feed. If present prices of pork are taken into consideration the returns from grain fed would be much higher. There is no doubt but that swine husbandry can be made very profitable upon the grain farms of eastern Oregon and eastern Washington.

That section should no longer passively observe trainloads of hogs passing through their farms from corn-growing states; but should endeavor to develop the industry until Oregon shall be known as one of the greatest swine-producing states of the Union.

—By James Withycombe, Oregon Experiment Station.

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BURNS BAND BOYS TO GIVE BIG SOCIAL DANCE

Will Give A Grand Ball at Tonawama on Friday Evening, Dec. 20th. Which Will Tend To Make The Night a Highly Social Function For Teachers Gathered Here During The Examination Period.

The Tonawama Band is going to make things a little lively for their friends and introduce new features at a dance to be given by that organization next Friday night at the Tonawama Theatre. The entire band will furnish music for the dancers for a part of the evening which will prove an attractive innovation to the young people of this section.

Following the concert and promenade dance feature of the early evening every band boy will be a floor manager and they will see to it that their guests get all the dancing they want and a general good time for as long as they care to dance.

The usual price will be charged for dance tickets, which is \$1.00. Every gentleman attending will be charged for a dance ticket and the lady spectators who do not care to dance and children, will be provided with seats in the gallery so as not to interfere with the dancers and their seats.

The floor is to be given a special going over with a new preparation that is recommended to make it the best dance floor possible, therefore, with such genial hosts as the Tonawama Band boys have proven themselves to be and the high class music furnish by this splendid organization, our young people are assured of a fine time. Everyone should attend this social function and support this move, as every opportunity the band is supported it means just that much better organization in the future and we believe with the prospects now under way, Burns will be proud of its band, and point with pride to this musical organization of home boys during the coming year.

J. A. Beattie, a former president of the Weston normal, writing from Lincoln, Nebraska to a Portland paper, suggests that school be made an agricultural and manual training school. It wouldn't be a bad idea and fits in well with the present movement to get young people more interested in the soil.



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The Marlin 25-20 is a light, quick-handling, finely-balanced repeater with the solid top, closed-in breech and side ejection features which make Marlin guns safe and agreeable to use and certain in action.
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David Eccles Dies Suddenly

President of the Sumpter Valley Railroad Succumbs to Attack of Heart Disease

David Eccles, president of the Amalgamated Sugar company and one of the wealthiest citizens of Utah, died suddenly at the Emergency hospital in Salt Lake of heart disease. He passed away following an attack on the street, not regaining consciousness after he was hurried to the hospital.

Relatives in Baker received notification of the death of Mr. Eccles, who is heavily interested in Baker and vicinity, being president of the Sumpter Valley Railway company and the Oregon Lumber company, as well as having other interests. He has been in Baker lately on business, spending Thanksgiving there, and left for his home in Ogden, Utah. The deceased was also a man or highest standing in the Mormon church, and had he lived until the 12th day of next May, he would have been 64 years of age.

Shows The Easterners Our Prosperous Condition

A special freight train of 75 double-decked cars recently left the east for the Pacific coast with Buick automobiles, the largest single shipment ever made. The value of this train load of autos is \$482,400. This will give our eastern friends some idea of the prosperity of this section and will impress them with the great opportunities. The train will be used as an advertisement for this purpose and will be run through the thickly populated sections in day time.

Another good feature of such a shipment is the evidence of good roads throughout the West. Good roads are essential for motoring and while the auto man is enjoying these good things the farmer is going to receive his share of it. The auto is used far more in the West in proportion to population than other parts of the country and while we are yet new the shipments are astounding. It is but the beginning. More autos will be used in the near future.

Stockholders Meeting

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Harney County Fair Association will be held at the office of the secretary on Monday, Jan. 13, 1913 at 2 o'clock p. m. The regular business of the Association will be taken up; the election of new directors, reports of the officers and such other business as may come before the meeting.

JULIAN BYRD, Secretary.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

I will sell at public auction in Burns on Saturday, December 21, the following personal property: Drill, sulky plow, bob-sleds, cooking range, bedstead, furniture, dishes and large assortment of household goods; all desirable stuff. Sale will begin at 1:30 p. m.

JOHN H. McMULLEN.

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Get rid of your Deadly Kidney Ailments, that cost you a high price in endurance of pain, loss of time and money. Others have cured themselves of KIDNEY AND BLADDER DISEASE by the prompt and timely use of FOLEY KIDNEY PILLS. Stops BACKACHE, HEADACHE, and ALL the many other troubles that follow DISEASED KIDNEYS and URINARY IRREGULARITIES. FOLEY KIDNEY PILLS will CURE any case of KIDNEY and BLADDER TROUBLE not beyond the reach of medicine. No medicine can do more.

TEACHERS' EXAMINATION.

Notice is hereby given that the County Superintendent of Harney County will hold the regular examination for applicants for state and county papers at Burns Oregon, as follows:

FOR STATE PAPERS
Commencing Wednesday, Dec. 18, at 9 o'clock a. m., and continuing until Saturday, Dec. 21, at 4 p. m.

Wednesday forenoon—Writing U. S. History, Physiology.
Wednesday afternoon—Physical Geography, Reading, Composition, Methods in Reading, Methods in Arithmetic.

Thursday forenoon—Arithmetic, History of Education, Psychology, Methods of Geography.
Thursday afternoon—Grammar Geography, American Literature, Physics, Methods in Language, Thesis of Primary Certificate.

Friday forenoon—Theory and Practice, Orthography, English Literature.
Friday afternoon—School law, Botany, Algebra, Civil Government.

Saturday forenoon—Geometry, Geology.
Saturday afternoon—General History, Bookkeeping.
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1 section, 640 acres, level unimproved sage brush land in Harney Valley, can be subdivided. 160 acre tract, fenced, good house deep well and otherwise improved. Prices made to suit intending settlers. No speculators need apply. Inquire at this office.

Cured of Liver Complaint

"I was suffering with liver complaint," says Iva Smith of Point Blank, Texas, "and decided to try a 25c box of Chamberlain's Tablets, and am happy to say that I am completely cured and can recommend them to every one." For sale by all dealers.

Call for Warrants.

Notice is hereby given that there are sufficient funds in the county treasury to redeem all Harney County Warrants registered prior to January 10, 1912. Interest will cease on all such warrants November 16, 1912.

SIMON LEWIS, Treasurer Harney County.

He Laughed 'Till He Died

Taylorburg, Ohio—Abe Skinner, the village pessimist, laughed himself to death on reading BIFF! the Great American Magazine of Fun which is making greater strides than any other magazine before the American public to say it is a magazine that will keep the whole family in a good humor. The staff of Biff contains the greatest artists, caricaturists, critics and editors on the continent. It is highly illustrated and printed in many colors. It will keep the whole family cheerful the year 'round. You can afford to spend 50c a year to do this. Send this clipping and 50c to The Biff Publishing Co. Dayton, Ohio, for one year's subscription.

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Childrens School Hose. Fine Ribbed School Hose, and made for hard wear. All sizes for children.

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For Young Boys and Men at all ages from 6 to 15 years. Heavy for winter and a small price attached.

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A few advance numbers of Misses and Little Girls Coats. We can show you a few styles at this time that may be just what you want.

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In 1912 Oregon Life is surpassing all its previous records. BEST FOR OREGONIANS
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ADMINISTRATORS NOTICE.

In the County Court for Harney County, State of Oregon.

In the matter of the Estate of Zachariah H. Stroud, deceased.
The undersigned having been duly appointed Administratrix of the above named estate in the above named court, all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present them, duly verified as by law required, to the undersigned at the office of Geo. S. Sizemore, in the City of Burns, Harney County, Oregon, within six (6) months from the date hereof.

Dated Burns, Oregon, Nov. 16, 1912.
LOIS M. STROUD, Administratrix of the Estate of Zachariah H. Stroud, Deed.
Geo. S. SIZEMORE, one of the Attorneys.

Notice to Creditors.

In the matter of the estate of Harvey Dixon, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been regularly appointed Executor of the last Will and Testament of Harvey Dixon, deceased.
All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same to the undersigned, duly verified as by law required, within six months from the date of this notice.

Dated at Burns, Oregon, November 9, 1912.
MARY ELLIEN DIXON, Executrix of the last Will and Testament of Harvey Dixon, deceased.

Young mule for sale—Inquire at this office.

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For Babies \$1.00 to \$1.50 (Mention class of stone desired)	
Back Combs in sets or single, solid gold	\$1.25 to 5.00
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Ladies Fobs For Watch	\$2.00 to \$5.00
Babies Locketts and Chains	\$2.50 to 5.00
Baby Spoons Sterling	\$1.25 to 1.50
Belt Pins at a Bargain	\$.75 to 3.00
Ladies and Gents Cuff Links, Solid Gold, with emblem of Odd Fellow and Masons, with chip diamonds	\$1.50 to \$6.00
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