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And all kinds of Surface Lumber thoroughly seasoned for building purposes and at REDUCED PRICES.

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Having been added they are enabled to fill all orders as soon as received.  
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C. M. CALDWELL, PROPRIETOR.  
A Full Supply of  
**THE BEST WINES AND LIQUORS,**  
BEER, BITTERS AND THE BEST CIGARS TO BE FOUND IN THE LOWER MARKET.  
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**DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL CONVENTION.**

The national democratic committee having met in the city of Washington on the 23rd day of February, 1888, has appointed  
**TUESDAY, THE 5TH DAY OF JUNE**  
Next, at noon, as the time and place for the city of St. Louis as the place for holding the national democratic convention. Each state to send one representative therein equal to double the number of its senators and representatives in the congress of the United States, and each territory and the District of Columbia shall send one delegate.  
All democratic, conservative citizens of the United States, irrespective of past political associations and differences, who can unite with us in an effort for more political and constitutional government, are cordially invited to join in sending delegates to the convention.  
WILLIAM E. BARNUM, Chairman,  
FREDERICK Q. PARKER, Secretary National Democratic Convention.

For the benefit of those who are required to make new publication of intention to make final proof, in support of their claims, those which they have once made proof and pay for their lands, we are authorized by the Register and Receiver at the Lakeview Land Office to say: New publications are required in cases in which the law was not complied with in the first instance, notice having only been published for five consecutive weeks, which does not cover the thirty days required.  
Many of the settlers within the Lakeview Land District have received notices from the Land Office, requiring them to republish. And for the reason that many of them had not understood just what is required of them, we will say: It is only necessary for them to make application to the Register of the Land Office for a notice for publication, giving names and residences of four witnesses. The notice will be issued and forwarded for publication.  
It is not necessary that the claimant or his witnesses should be present, at the time and place mentioned in the notice for making proof, unless a protest is filed, or an adverse claimant appears against his entry. If no such protest is filed, or adverse claimant appears, the Clerk (if proof is advertised to be made before such officer) will forward such certificate of such facts to the local land office, which certificate, with the proof of posting and publication, will be forwarded, by the Register and Receiver, to the General Land Office, when the proof originally taken will be considered by that office.

DEMOCRATS are in the saddle, boot and spur, determined to test the strength of the enemy of democratic numbers, by a straight-out fight for party supremacy.  
G. W. HUNT, the contractor, has been sued by the O. P. R. Co. for \$150,000 damages for non-performance of his contract with that company. - State Rights Democrat.  
DEMOCRATS of Grant county, how came so many of your offices filled with republicans? Have not the opposition to democracy manipulated the few sore-heads, and soft-shells among you to their advantage as long as you intend them to?  
MITCHELL is all right on the Chinese question, as far as his speech goes, but his party is not with him and never will be. We need a man in the senate who can work with the democratic majority on this question. Oregon should see to it that such a democrat is sent to fill Senator Dolph's place. - World.

ONE column of the Lakeview Examiner has been purchased by the democrats of Lake county, and will be edited by them in the interest of their party. We hope that column of straight democracy may prove to be "the leaven which leaveneth the whole lump," and the Examiner become an out-spoken adherent of the Cleveland administration - the only improvement we would suggest.  
The present tariff was made by whom? The rich and powerful, and in their own interest. It enriches those who are already rich enough, and fills the treasury to overflowing with money that should still be in possession of the people. It cannot be justified by any correct principle of political economy. - Argus.  
The tariff lays a tax of 10 per cent on the rich woman's diamonds, while it adds 55 per cent to the price of the commonest crockery on the poor woman's shelf.  
A DEMOCRATIC club was organized at Lebanon, Feb. 24, with a live membership. The resolutions adopted strongly endorsed Cleveland's administration, and his anti-war tariff message; denounced the republican policy of spending the "surplus" money of exorbitant taxation in any and every way suggested, rather than cut down the needless taxation; urged the renomination of Cleveland, and closed with the following:  
"Resolved, That we view with pride and satisfaction the organization of a Democratic Club at Lebanon, and we mark with the highest integrity and great respect to the rights of our fellow citizens, and we regard him in courage and integrity as a fit prototype of our illustrious chief magistrate and we heartily endorse him for Vice President."

Ed. HERALD: The political pot begins to throw off steam, and ere long will begin to boil. Candidates are putting in an appearance, and as usual are quite glad to see you. - Republicans here generally concede the election of the entire democratic ticket next June. In consequence of this fact, I hear of but very few aspirants for office in their ranks, except for the office of sheriff.  
-The Republican Central Committee meet tomorrow, at which meeting they will consider the matter of placing a ticket in the field.  
-Among the arrivals in this place during the past week, I notice Capt. A. W. Waters of Burns, Chas. Gawne, Jno. J. Mahon, Ed. Gilliam, Wm. H. Mahon, Thos. Bain and Wm. Lessing of Harney, also Jas. F. Mahon of Cow Creek. The majority of these gentlemen are here as witnesses in equity suits which will come off before his honor L. B. Ison, at the April term of circuit court.  
-The March, 1888, term of the county court for Grant county convened at the court house on Monday, 5th inst. The principal part of the business of this term has been done, though I understand the board meets again next Monday. The business yet to be settled is chiefly the appointment of a Stock Inspector, and considering the matter of again placing a bounty on the scalps of wild animals. Both are important subjects for the court's consideration, and will no doubt be disposed of in a way that will meet the approval of the taxpayers of the county.  
-Wm. Miller, J. P. of this precinct, has been busily engaged the past week in administering justice.  
-W. W. Johnson, of Burns, arrived in this city with the whole Brown family last week, and turned him over to Sheriff Dore for safe keeping, but by a writ of habeas corpus, issued by Judge N. R. Maxey on the petition of the said Brown family, Mr. Dore was given a rest, and the Brown family returned home rejoicing.  
-Quite a revival has been going on in religious circles here the past week. The meetings generally closed by singing the old familiar hymn with the refrain:  
"Jesus said I love."

If there is anything that will move the average man here, it is the assurance that somebody will put up the coin, and this fact no doubt had a great tendency to make the meeting successful, and converts to the faith plenty.  
-Judge Phil Metcalf, referee in the Mahon equity suit, is busy taking testimony, and expects to have his report completed for the April term of court.  
-The weather has been mild the past month, and men may be seen on the streets in their shirt sleeves every day - not as a matter of necessity, but as a matter of comfort.  
-James Mahon lost his hat, and can not find one in town to fit him. We would advise James to be careful, inasmuch as he is hard to fit.  
-The infant child of W. R. Cunningham died last night. Mrs. Cunningham is quite low, but Dr. Barber, the attending physician, has every hope of her recovery.  
-Business in general is quite dull here at present.  
-The prospect of good quartz mines being developed by Rulison & Keeler, about five miles up Canyon creek from this place, is very flattering. They have a well-defined body of ore, from which they have had a number of assays made. The ore will go from 45 to 60 per ton. The lode is about 30 feet wide, and in any other country would have caused considerable excitement, for there is no doubt as to its richness. Messrs Rulison and Keeler have been untiring in their efforts to develop their mine, and it is to be hoped that their present prospect will continue.  
-There is but one inmate of the county jail at present, and he would feel just as comfortable on the outside breathing the fresh air. He informs me that the county court has not provided the conveniences and comforts which the law requires them to furnish - there being neither bath room or library attached to the jail. And I am told the prisoners even have to cut wood and cook!  
-THE HERALD is fast becoming popular here, and upon its arrival is eagerly sought by all who desire reliable news.  
GABRIEL, Canyon City, Or., Mar. 11, '88.

Proceedings of the County Court of Grant County, March Term, 1888.  
WEDNESDAY, MARCH 7.  
Report of Allen Porter, supervisor of road district No. 21, filed and approved.  
Report of Roland Hunkins supervisor of dist. No. 21, and report of Wm. McDuffee, supervisor of district No. 11, were filed and approved.  
In the matter of proposed county

## CANYON CITY COMMENTS.

Ed. HERALD: Reports of C. C. Blackwell, Wm. Curtis, and N. C. Wainwright, assessors of damages, on said proposed road, filed, allowing A. R. Bly \$113, and W. H. Townsend, \$78 which report was approved by the board, and ordered that the clerk notify the supervisor of road dist. No. 10 that said road is declared a public highway, and that said supervisor open said road according to law.  
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FRIDAY, MARCH 9.  
Voting precinct established to be known as "Diamond Valley Precinct," with the same boundaries as the present school district. Abe King, S. H. Porter, and H. M. Horton, appointed judges, with Levi Cushman and Chas. D. Richardson, clerks; polling place at Diamond valley school house.  
SATURDAY, MARCH 10.  
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**DIAMOND DUST.**  
Ed. HERALD: The ground is covered with snow, and the sleigh bells can be heard jingling merrily up and down the valley.  
-School meeting was held yesterday. Mr. J. M. Chambers was elected director, and Presley Smith, clerk. School will be taught another term by Mr. Doran.  
-Andrew Lucas spent a few days the first of this month in Blitzen, as guest of Miss Anna Comegys.  
-Mr. Geo. A. Smith talks of going to Burns. He is not a politician - what can be the attraction?  
-Mr. Craven is preparing to raise a large patch of onions on his farm this season. The ladies admire Mr. Craven's farm very much.  
-Fred Drake has returned from Ashland, when he has been spending the winter with relatives.  
-Mr. Sylvester Smyth, of Happy valley, says he would go to see the young ladies, but they talk so much that he gets tired of them.  
-Squire Richardson is making a boat, and intends going down on Harney lake hunting as soon as the weather moderates.  
-Born, on Feb. 17, to the wife of S. H. Porter, a son.  
-James Jarvis has been hauling hay with a four-horse team - quite

a band of horses for a small boy to manage.  
-Married, on Feb. 27, at the residence of W. B. Kiger, by H. M. Horton, J. P., Mr. Abraham King to Miss Clara Bussey.  
-If a certain young lady only knew how the gate that has been recently put in front of the house bothers a certain young man, she would tear it down. When they happen along there it is, "Billy, I will hold the reins while you open the gate."  
-Mr. David Lambert was seen going along the road the other day with his blankets on his back. When asked where he was going, he replied, "South America." That is the last heard of him.  
PLOWBOY.  
Diamond, March 6, 1888.

**COW CREEK CUTTINGS.**  
Ed. HERALD: Cow Creek items are very scarce at present.  
-Snow is three inches deep.  
-Stock is doing well.  
-Miss Arvilla Bunyard, who has been visiting - the Misses Waters near Burns, has returned home.  
-Ed. Bland was, we understand, removed to Burns Saturday.  
-Bailey Hayes, of the Island, is at Cow Creek on business.  
-T. Baine is going to leave us soon. We think it quite impossible to spare his presence from this vicinity.  
-It is rumored that Mr. McCann has sold his ranch on Cow Creek to Mr. Canfield of Saddle Buttes.  
-We also hear that the Hayes Bros. have bought Mr. Martin's ranch on the Island near the Bird's nest.  
-Mr. Jno. Robinson is in Harney City collecting taxes.  
-Prof. Brown will start school in Burns soon. He has taught one term of school in our district, and we think he is a splendid teacher.  
-We are happy to say that THE HERALD always takes the lead, and the Editor always has our best wishes.  
-As items are scarce, I will close until next Tuesday.  
YOU AND I.  
Cow Creek, March 6, 1888.

Ed. HERALD: Health is good.  
-Every body busy.  
-Stock of all kind doing well.  
-Pay your taxes, they are fast becoming delinquent.  
-Hay will be scarce on the Sinks this year, if more rain don't fall next month.  
-Scott Hayes, of the Island, is looking after his stock.  
-Mr. Foster and family will move from the Island to their Cow Creek ranch soon.  
-Mr. Woodfire has purchased Mr. Call's entire band of cattle.  
-Quite a number of enterprising young gentlemen of Harney were pleased to learn of the ball next Friday night at Burns, as they wish to return the compliment of 22d ult.

-A number of ladies and gentlemen contemplate attending from this place.  
YOU AND I.  
Cow Creek, Mar. 12, '88.

**SECOND MEETING OF THE "BURNS DEMOCRATIC CLUB."**  
The "Burns Democratic Club" met last Saturday at 2 p. m. Called to order by Chas. Ziegler, President. Minutes of the previous meeting read and approved. There being no report from Executive Committee continued till next meeting. Dr. Embree, J. Nat. Hudson, J. C. Garrett and Prof. D. L. Grace were called upon and responded with interesting speeches, in which the issues of the coming election were ably discussed, and the course that should be pursued by the Democrats to gain the victory in the approaching political campaign well outlined. Mr. Hudson spoke at length upon the most pressing need of the Democracy, viz. that of a Democratic U. S. senator, and in order to gain such victory it would be necessary for the Democrats to act and work in union. Dr. Embree's speech was to the point, and in conclusion he was tendered, as a compliment, the nomination for Representative, J. C. Garrett, urgently prevailed upon to accept the nomination for Representative, at the conclusion of his speech positively declined to allow his name to be used, giving reasons for so doing which were acknowledged by the club as being good. General good feeling and satisfaction prevailed. On motion, meeting adjourned, members dispersing all apparently well pleased with the workings and success of the club.  
J. E. MCKINNON, Sec.

Next meeting of the club next Saturday, March 17th, '88.  
-Don't send the vote of your precinct to the convention in some man's pocket - select for delegates men who will be there in person, to represent the wishes of those voting for them.  
-Messrs. Henry and John Jones living near Burns are preparing to entirely fence in their lands this spring with barb wire.

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-Mr. Craven is preparing to raise a large patch of onions on his farm this season. The ladies admire Mr. Craven's farm very much.

-Fred Drake has returned from Ashland, when he has been spending the winter with relatives.

-Mr. Sylvester Smyth, of Happy valley, says he would go to see the young ladies, but they talk so much that he gets tired of them.

-Squire Richardson is making a boat, and intends going down on Harney lake hunting as soon as the weather moderates.

-Born, on Feb. 17, to the wife of S. H. Porter, a son.

-James Jarvis has been hauling hay with a four-horse team - quite