

HAS LARGEST CIRCULATION OF ANY NEWSPAPER IN THIS COUNTY.

Official County Paper.

Local News.

—Miss Bee Gage is still very ill. —Van items crowded out this issue. —J. Louman started for Roseburg yesterday. —The Elite Saloon is doing a thriving business. —Harney is well represented in our town this week. —R. J. Baker of Silver Creek was in town Sunday night. —J. B. Caldwell of Waitsburg Wash. is in our town visiting his relatives. —J. B. Huntington returned from the Arid Convention yesterday afternoon. —Mrs. H. I. Wright of the Blitzen country near Springer we understand is very sick. —W. E. Albersen is now a citizen of our town, has a clerkship in the store of J. Durkheimer. —The grain crop of Harney County is greater than necessary to supply home consumption. —A fine select stock of excellent stone jars, received at Cal Geer's Hardware Store. For sale cheap. —Go to the meat shop of Martin Byerley for your vegetables, potatoes, cabbage, squashes, onions etc. —Chas. Anderson desires all parties owing him hotel bills to settle the same immediately and save cost. A-29 —New Stock of Glass, Putty, Paints, Oils, Brushes, etc., at Geer's. No charge for cutting glass if you buy of me. J-1 —We heard this morning that Johnny Newman, and Ed Stauffer felt very blue. We sincerely hope they are not taking the fever. —Eagle: Ex-Senator Hamilton left this week for Salt Lake City to be present at the Arid Land convention, which convenes at that city, Sept., 15. —FOR SALE—Forty-five or fifty head of good stock horses, cheap for cash. Inquire of M. R. Biggs for particulars. S-16 —We see several parties from the Blitzen, Diamond, and Happy Valley neighborhood in town taking in the races. —The bridge, across the Malheur river, near Van, is a good structure and Supervisor Moffitt has a right to be proud of it. —All parties indebted to the butcher shop now owned by Byerley & Stablefield are requested to call and settle up to this date. —The Red Front livery stable under the management of Bill Woods is getting a big run of custom. Bill knows a horse consequently understands how to care for them. —Bob. Ivers informs us that his home on the Red-S. in his absence was entirely destroyed by the parties serving ejectments. His family turned out homeless and without even the sympathy of the destroyers of his home. —A sister of Mrs. Smith wife of our friend W. E. Smith, was drowned a short time since in the Willamette river in Polk county. We are informed she was almost idolized by her father Dr. Lee a prominent physician of that county. —What are we going to do about finishing up the work on the Burns cemetery? We cannot sell lots until the survey is completed and properly recorded. Winter will be here in a short time. It is certainly just as easy and convenient, we think, to finish the work immediately, and pay for the lumber, fencing, etc., instead of continually putting off what will finally have to be done.

—A limited supply of IXL harness oil at Cal Geer's. —Closing out sale of all summer Millinery, at reduced prices until October 1st. Mrs. E. S. SWEET. —An excellent quality of machine oil at Cal. Geer's Hardware store for \$1 a gallon. —Alex. Sweek of Portland brother of C. A. Sweek, accompanied by two Misses Overholts, of Canyon City arrived in our town yesterday. —The run the Saloon has, known as "Texas Resort," B. H. Fine proprietor, proves the quality of liquors and cigars kept behind the bar and handed out to customers when called for. —The 1/4 mile race, Saturday was won by Ben, owned by J. C. Wooley, second money to Jordan; the 600 yard race on Monday was won by Jordan, second money to Ben; Tuesday match race between Mollie B. and Ben, won by Ben. —Stockmen can now get honest weights by shipping or selling stock at Huntington. The O. C. Co. having just completed one of Fairbanks Stock Scales, and arranged a large corral for the purpose. Certified weights given. 4-24. —There will be a meeting of the Democratic Central Committee men held during circuit court at Burns. The day and hour has not yet been determined but it is expected that every member will attend. W. C. BYRD Secretary. —The popular Saloon of Lewis & Richardson keeps constantly behind the bar the finest brands of wines, liquors and cigars. Mixed drinks a specialty. A billiard table for the amusement of guests. —Hon. Henry Blackman departed Saturday last to attend the convention of Arid Land commissioners at Salt Lake. We presume he is there long ere this, and that the convention has already learned by a good-sized majority that Eastern Oregon is still in it. Blackman will put the insect where it will buzz.—Heppner Gazette. DONT Let your hair drop out or let the dandruff accumulate, when you can get a remedy at the Barber Shop of John Robinson. S. 19. Commissioners Court. Sept. 10: The contract with J. W. Ashford M. D. for the care of the county poor was cancelled. The report of the viewers and survey on the proposed change in the county road beginning at or near Robbins store in the town of Drewsey and ending at a rock marked 37 miles from Burns. It appeared that Henry Miller, the petitioner, had not complied with the law, therefore the prayer of the petitioner is denied. Petition for a county road commencing at the N. W. corner of Section four in Town 24, S. R. 31 East W. M., and ending at the N. E. corner of Section 36 Town 22 S. R. 31 E. W. M. The proposed road ordered viewed and surveyed. Sept. 11: Petition for a county road commencing at a point 80 rods N. of the 1/4 mile corner post on the S. side of Sec. 32 Town 22 S. of R. 31 E. and ending at the N. W. corner of Sec. 14 in Town 20 S. of R. 30 E. The proposed road ordered viewed and surveyed. The bonds of John Craddock road supervisor approved. Resignation of T. V. B. Embree J. P. accepted. Sept. 12: The report of the viewers and survey on the proposed road beginning at or near the S. E. cor. of S. W 1/4 of the N. E 1/4 of Sec. 26 Town 26, S. R. 31 E. on the road known as the Burns and Blitzen road approved and road ordered opened. Sept. 15: It is ordered that a levy of 10 mills on the dollar on the property of the county be made to meet the expenses of the Fiscal year 1891. Road supervisor ordered to bridge the road across Prather creek.

A Ramble. [Continued from Second Page.] The communication in the Items giving the Malheur country as a wild and desolate region, and not fit for the abode of white men, is wide of the mark, and the writer either did not know what he was writing about, or wilfully misrepresented the country. He speaks as if the L. F. Co. owned the only valuable portion of the Malheur, which is a big mistake. The L. F. owns some valuable land in there, but not the whole of it by any means, and that, we understand, is for sale and ranchers can buy it at reasonable figures. On Friday, the 18th inst., we took dinner with the Kenyon Bros., 4 miles below Drewsey; these two gentlemen received us with open arms and the welcome extended by Sam Kenyon and his interesting family was only a repetition of what we received from all the settlers of the Malheur country, if, as the writer in the items says, it is not a fit habitation for white men, we found nothing but very white men in the persons of all whom we met. The Kenyon Brothers have an excellent and well improved farm have several ricks of hay and alfalfa, aggregating as much as 250 tons; they've all the water they want for irrigating and raise anything in the way of grain and vegetables that can be grown in this northern climate, cabbage, cucumbers, tomatoes, beans, squashes, etc., the same description will answer for all the farms in that neighborhood both on the Malheur river and Otis creek. The farm of Mr. Duncan which joins Kenyon on the north is a fine ranch, on which we noticed an orchard of young thrifty trees as fine as we ever saw in any country. The farm of our commissioner, Wm. Altnow, on Otis creek, is well improved and a very desirable property with an orchard now bearing fruit. Mr. A. is well fixed and we believe he appreciates his home, and will bear us out in the assertion that the Malheur country is productive enough, and the citizens good enough to suit any individual wanting a nice home. We were two nights in Drewsey at the hotel of C. P. Rutherford, who spreads before his boarders a substantial repast of the best the market affords. Drewsey has a first class dry goods and grocery store kept by Duncan, Daily & Co., one saloon, by the Wright Bros., whose liquors, wines and cigars are of the best brands. In conclusion, we say we are very well satisfied with our visit to the Pine creek and Malheur country. To The Delinquent Tax Payers of Harney County. You will please take notice that all delinquent taxes remaining unpaid at the expiration of thirty days from the date hereof will be collected by levy and sale as the law directs. "So govern yourselves accordingly." Dated this September 22nd 1891. A. A. COWING, Sheriff of Harney County Oregon. Children Enjoy The pleasant flavor, gentle action and soothing effects of Syrup of Figs, when in need of a laxative, and if the father or mother be costive or bilious, the most gratifying results follow its use, so that it is the best family remedy known and every family should have a bottle. How's This? We offer One Hundred Dollars reward for any case of catarrh that cannot be cured by taking Hall's Catarrh Cure. F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo O. We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions, and financially able to carry out any obligations made by their firm. WEST & TRUAX, Wholesale Druggists Toledo O. WALDING, KINNAN & MARVIN, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo O. For sale at the City Drug Store.

"ELITE" SALOON. W. H. GASS, PROPRIETOR. Best quality of Beer, Wines, Liquors and Cigars, ALWAYS ON HAND. MIXED DRINKS A SPECIALTY. Gentlemenly courtesy extended to all. Call and see me. City Drug Store. JORDAN & HORTON, Proprietors. DEALERS IN DRUGS, MEDICINES, CHEMICALS, PATENT MEDICINES, STATIONARY, DIAMOND DYES, CHOICE PERFUMES & FANCY TOILET ARTICLES, TOBACO, CIGARS ETC. Fine Wines & Liquors for Medical Purposes. Prescriptions accurately compounded. R. C. Geer. PRACTICAL TINNER & GUNSMITH Repairing a Specialty. Plumbing and Pipefitting. ALSO DEALER IN FISHING TACKLE & SPORTING GOODS. Burns Oregon. STOCK BRANDS. Hardin & Riley, cattle branded Von left side, Horse brand on left side. P. O. Burns, Oregon. J. C. Foley, cattle brand on right side, Horse brand on left shoulder. Williams & Williams, cattle brand, CB on left hip, Horse brand, on right side, P. O. Riley, Oregon. Horses branded (on left side, Cattle brand, ed) (on left hip, Marion Bunyard, P. O. Burns, Oregon. Cattle diamond on left hip; horses CV on left shoulder. Charles H. Vuestley, Burns Oregon. NOTICE. Notice is hereby given that on the 15th day of May 1891, I appointed the following named persons deputy stock inspectors of Harney county: John Bridge, of Crane Creek; Harrison Seaward of Diamond; W. M. Hogan of Silver Creek; F. G. Blume of Emigrant Creek; George Morgan, of Drewsey. Thos. G. Dodson, Stock Inspector of Harney county. CITATION. To all their creditors and others interested in the last Will and Testament of W. P. Gates deceased and the Estate thereof. Take notice that the Executor S. O. Gates has this day filed his Final Account in the matter of such Estate and by order of same date the Hon. County Court of the State of Oregon for Harney County has appointed the 24 day of November 1891 at a regular term of said Court to be held in and for Harney County aforesaid, as the time and place of hearing same. Appear therefore and on said day file objections if any exist why the prayer of the Executor be not granted the report approved, the Estate closed, the property distributed according to the Will, the same be ordered and the said Executor discharged from the duties of his trust and his bondsmen relieved from further liability in the premises. Done and dated at Burns the 9th day of September 1891. By order of the Court. Wm. Miller County Judge. S. O. GATES, Executor. T. WILLIAMS Attorney. For Over Fifty Years. AN OLD AND WELL-TRIED REMEDY.—Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for over fifty years by millions of mothers for their children while teething, with perfect success. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for Diarrhoea. Is pleasant to the taste. Sold by Druggists in every part of the world. Twenty-five cents a bottle. Its value is incalculable. Be sure and ask for Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup, and take no other kind. Notice. The HERALD knows of two bay work horses one branded on left shoulder C. V. They made their appearance on the range where they now are the first of July; both horses at that time were shod and had halters on. Any one having lost horses about that time can receive a full description and particulars by writing or calling at this office and paying for this notice. Consumption Cured. A old physician, retired from practice having had placed in his hands by an East India Missionary the formula of a simple vegetable remedy for the speedy and permanent cure of Consumption, Bronchitis, Catarrh, Asthma and all Throat and Lung affections, also a positive and radical cure for Nervous Debility and all Nervous Complaints, after having tested its wonderful curative powers in thousands of cases, has felt it his duty to make it known to his fellow suffering fellows. Actuated by this motive and a desire to relieve human suffering I will send, free of charge, to all who desire it, this recipe, in German, French, or English, with full directions for using. Sent by mail addressing with stamp, naming this paper. A. W. Noyes, 520 Powers' Block, Rochester N. Y.

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS: Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed administratrix of the estate of Calahill M. Caldwell, deceased, by the County Court of Harney county, Oregon, and all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same, properly verified, as required by law, to me for allowance, at Burns, Harney county, State of Oregon within six months from this date. Dated this 27th day of July, A. D. 1891. MARY CALDWELL, Administratrix.

A. W. Waters, attorney.

NOTICE. In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for Harney County. Geo. W. Hayes, vs. Cornelius Howard, Summons. To Cornelius Howard, defendant. In the name of the State of Oregon: You are hereby summoned and required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled action at the above entitled court, upon the first day of the next regular term, after the expiration of the period allowed for the publication of this notice, to-wit: on the 24th day of October, 1891.

You will take Notice that if you fail so to do, the plaintiff will, for want thereof, take judgment against you for the sum of \$200, with the further sums of \$20 interest, accruing interest and costs to be taxed.

This summons is published by order of the Hon. James A. Egan, one of the Judges of the above entitled Court, of date the 7th day of September, 1891.

THORNTON WILLIAMS, (Attorneys and Geo. W. HAYES, in person) for Plaintiff.

Sheriffs Sale

And Order of Foreclosure of Mechanics Lien.

By virtue of an Execution and order of sale for the foreclosure of a Mechanics lien, issued out of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for Harney County, on the 29th day of July A. D. 1891, upon a decree rendered in said Court and entered of record on the 26th day of May A. D. 1891, in a cause therein pending wherein, E. H. King is plaintiff and John Mahon, M. Sworts and Glen W. Miller, partners as Sworts & Miller, and J. L. Siziz, Defendants, said decree being in favor of said Plaintiff and against said Defendants for the sum of five hundred and forty four and 74/100 dollars (\$544.74-100) and interest thereon at 8 per cent per annum from the 26th day of May A. D. 1891, and for the foreclosure of a Mechanics lien of date the 24th day of December A. D. 1890 and duly filed for record on the said 24th day of December A. D. 1890, with the County Clerk of Harney county Oregon; the said lien being in favor of E. H. King the above named Plaintiff and against John Mahon, M. Sworts and Glen W. Miller partners as Sworts & Miller, and J. L. Siziz the above named Defendants and upon that certain large two and one half story wooden dwelling house, now upon the southeast quarter of the Northeast quarter of section twenty (20) in Township twenty-eight (28) South of Range thirty-five (35) E. W. M. containing forty acres lying and being in Harney county Oregon, together with all and singular the tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances, thereto belonging or in any manner appertaining and all their right, title interest and estate therein or thereto which the Defendants, John Mahon, M. Sworts and Glen W. Miller, partners as Sworts & Miller and J. L. Siziz had on the 24th day of December A. D. 1890, for cash to the highest bidder at public auction at the front door of the Court house, in the town of Burns, Harney county Oregon, commencing on Thursday the 18th day of October A. D. 1891, at 2 o'clock P. M. of said day.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand this 14th day of August A. D. 1891.

A. A. COWING, Sheriff of Harney county, Oregon.