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**The Herald.**

WEDNESDAY JULY 12, 1893.

HAS THE LARGEST CIRCULATION OF ANY NEWSPAPER IN THIS COUNTY.

L. P. FISHER, NEWSPAPER ADVERTISING Agent, 11 Merchants' Exchange, San Francisco, is our authorized agent. This paper is kept on file in his office.

**Local News.**

—County court adjourned last Monday.

—Geo. Crow of Portland is registered at the Burns.

—Mr. C. W. Parrish and son, Sam, are guests at the Burns.

—C. Cummings was in town a few days this week.

—D. H. Smyth and mother are in town visiting.

—W. N. Jorgenson is building an addition to his place of business.

—Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hanley of Jackson county arrived here a few days ago.

—Quite a delegation of Harney boys were in attendance at court held here last week.

—The dull sale of wool at present causes hard times with our sheepmen.

—Messrs. Lux, Pott Pott and Hutzherer representatives of the Lux estate are taking in their various interests throughout Oregon.

—Mr. J. M. Foster representing C. M. Henderson & Co. wholesale shoe house of Chicago, was in town a few days this week.

—Mr. Fred Davton representing the Simmons Hardware Co. of St. Louis was in town Monday.

—John Miller and family once a resident of this county is registered at the Burns.

—John Embree of Dallas Oregon formerly a resident of this section was awarded the prize for being the oldest son of one of the earliest pioneers of Oregon.

—Dr. H. V. Clymer left for Huntington Tuesday morning. Mrs. Clymer remains as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Geer.

—The trial of Jno. E. Roberts charged with sending obscene literature through the mail has been postponed until the 24th inst.

—The new Postmistress now occupies the building owned by N. Brown on the corner of Second and A Sts this is certainly a very desirable and central location.

—The weather is indeed beautiful. The sun beams cast their shadows down on the hard hearted cricket, who don't overlook even the small rancher with but six feet square of garden.

—Manuel Clark of Silvies was in town today.

—Carl Cecil of Silver Creek was in town last week.

—Miss Phoebe Kelley was registered at Oregon's Dept. of the Worlds Fair on the 8th inst.

—The Burns Saw Mill is turning out the best lumber ever cut in the county.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Cowing spent the 4th at Wm. Smith's home, up on Silvies River.

—Mrs. Ella Caldwell and Mrs. Nellie Stephens are visiting Mrs. Stenger, at their ranch on Emigrant Creek.

—Dance at Caldwell & Brown's Hall on the 21st. Come and have a good time.

—Peter French came town Monday having just returned from San Francisco.

—Fish stories are in circulation any size from one foot up.

—Dr. T. V. B. Embree is disposing of his interests in Harney county and intends to return to his old home in Dallas Oregon.

—The devil of this office, who has been rusticated at Mr. Kenyon's ranch, near Drewsey, returned yesterday.

—John Sontag, the Visalia bandit, died in his cell in the jail at Fresno California, on the 3d inst.

—The HERALD staff were the guests of Mrs. J. E. Roberts last Friday. We also attended the local institute.

—There will be an Ice Cream Sociable at the Caldwell & Brown hall next Saturday evening, for the benefit of the Sunday School Good vocal and instrumental music for the occasion. Ice cream twenty-five cents a dish, children half price.

—We received a letter from John Martin a few days since. They were camped on the Matoles and having a nice time fishing.

—A terrible storm swept over western Iowa on the evening of June 30. Towns were destroyed, and immense damage done to property. Over one hundred killed and two hundred wounded.

—The members of the Oregon National Guard are requested to meet at Locher's Hall next Friday evening, at 8 o'clock p. m., and get measured for a uniform.

Dell Dibble and George and Bob Williams were over from Silver Creek the latter part of last week. Dell reports having a good time over there the 4th, in the grove near Carl Cecil's place. He says: "Of course Carl had to put on some 'dog' and come to Burns to celebrate, but the Putes were there and I am sure Carl will always regret being absent."

—Lytle Howard was in town last week.

—J. L. Cross, chairman of the Democratic Central Committee was in town last Saturday.

—The youngest son of Mrs. McGee is ill with fever.

—The subscriptions to the 4th of July celebration are like the dutch man's flea; try to get it and it ain't there.

—Clarence Drinkwater, of Harney, was examined before Squire Sizemore the 8th, for an assault with a dangerous weapon, and was acquitted.

—Geo. Moore and family, formerly of this place, came in last week and are now visiting friends and relatives in Burns and vicinity. Mr. Moore is now a resident of Fox Valley, Grant county.

—Miss Elsie Harkey, Dressmaker and Seamstress, is now located at Locher's building. Hours from 8 a. m. to 6 p. m. Work for cash only.

—Who said you couldn't get a good flavored cigar in town for five cents? Call at the City Drug Store and inquire.

—Very few sheep men in Harney county attribute the low price of wool to the coming in power of the democratic party.

—Grand necktie party at Canyon City next Friday. Canyon takes the cake for such performances.

—W. E. Grace of Burns was registered at Oregon's Dept. of the Worlds Fair on the 6th inst.

—Hanley Bros. herd of about six hundred head of beef cattle from web foot passed by town Tuesday, these cattle will be 1 d for beef.

—Grover Cleveland has certainly counted noses, and the repeal of the Sherman law is almost beyond question.

—Dinger Hermann's idea of the silver question don't exactly suit Harvey Scott of the Oregonian.

—Prof. Hession and wife, of Harney, gave us a very pleasant call last Saturday. The professor informs us that he has the contract for a nine months school in Harney City.

—The hoarding of gold is said to be due to "a conspiracy of capital" says the Oregonian. The low price of wool is likely to be from the same cause, especially along the U. P. in eastern Oregon.

—We cannot guess who that old Union soldier is not satisfied with "the nations debt of gratitude to its brave defenders." Could it be possible that he is one of the Oregonian's brave editors?

—W. C. Byrd of the HERALD accompanied by Prof. John Biggs and C. A. Byrd, started for Portland last Friday morning. The former will represent the A. O. U. W. lodge of Burns at the meeting of the grand lodge which meets there the 19th inst. The latter two gentlemen are going to take in the sights.

John and Ed. Martin, of Harney county, were in town Sunday on their way to Willamette valley. They will spend some time on the Matoles fishing before crossing the mountains. Crops in Harney county, they said, were looking fine, and prospecting to yield a big harvest. The yield of hay will be greater than for a number of years past.—Oenoco Review.

Manager—What is the mermaid making such an everlasting fuss about now?

Attendant—she says the India rubber man stole her umbrella, and she is kicking about going home in the rain.

Hicks—Oh, nonsense! A man couldn't get intoxicated on ginger ale. All it amounts to is sweetened water with a little air in it.

Wicks—That's it. He was air tight.

A newspaper of Kansas tells of a young business man down there who employs his mother-in-law as his stenographer. It takes a courageous man to dictate to his mother-in-law even during business hours.

An exchange says: A young country editor fell in love with a clergyman's daughter who did not seem to reciprocate his affections. The next time he went to church he was rather taken back when the minister announced his text: "My daughter is grievously tormented with the devil."

An editor received a letter from an indignant subscriber, who said: "I don't want your paper any longer." To which the editor mildly replied: "That's all right, I wouldn't make it any longer if you did, because in that case I should have to buy a new machine. The present length just suits me, and I am glad it suits you."

Preacher's boys are occasionally mischievous and occasionally one is found that is positively wicked. It is said that in Oakland recently, a minister in looking over his congregation, was horrified to see his own boy in the gallery pelting the hearers in the pews below with peanut shells. While the reverend gentleman was preparing a frown of reproof, the young hopeful cried out: "You tend to your preachin, dad, I'll keep 'em awake"—Ex.

Tuesday, the 4th, George Sontag, Russel, Wilson, Williams, Charles, Abbott and Dalton, the latter a 10 year old boy, prisoners in the penitentiary at Folsom, California attempted to escape by overpowering one of the guards and forcing him along with them in order to prevent the other guards from shooting them. The scheme might have succeeded, but the guard jerked away and the others immediately opened fire, killing Williams, Wilson and Dalton and fatally wounding George Sontag and Abbott. Not one of the guards were injured.

TROUBLE WITH THE NATIVES.—A short time ago Jas. Willis bought a cayuse from a Columbia siwash, but the animal strayed back to the village of "wickiups." Monday the horse was found in Heppner in possession of an Indian but he would not return it, so "Jeems" invoked the aid of the strong-armed law, represented in an official capacity by Sheriff Noble. The Indian would not get off the horse till forced to do so, paying no attention whatever to the sheriff's formidable pistol, which shoots a bullet as big as a walnut. Other Indians attempted to interfere, but Dan Horner and J. L. Van Winkle prevented it. The horse was turned over to Mr. Willis, but the Indian claims he is mistaken in the animal.—Heppner Gazette.

—Go to the Central Meat Market or a choice steak.

—Peach brandy at Caldwell's for \$3.50 a gallon, cash.

—The new Millinery Store of Mrs. Ella Caldwell is receiving its share of patronage.

—W. R. Graden is taking the best photos ever taken in the town.

—Call at the HERALD Office and see samples of Salem Woolen Mill's cloth.

—Hygienic Kalsomine all colors ready for use at the store of Geer Bros.

—Parties wishing the it of James G. Blaine will do well to call at the HERALD Office.

—Don't forget Henry Cheatham barber, desires a part of your patronage, at the new barber shop.

—On and after May first through stages from Heppner to Burns in two days. Fare \$14 round trip \$28.

—Cabinet size photographs at W. R. Graden's gallery \$4.00 per dozen other sizes in proportion.

—Miners tools and implements in full stock just received, and for sale at Voegtly's hardware store.

—The Elite Saloon Geo. Trogaskis proprietor, fine Wines, Liquors and Cigars, billiard and card table.

—Builders tools and all kinds of building hardware at the Burns hardware store, at bottom prices for cash.

—Tonsorial parlor Ed Walton proprietor. All work in his line guaranteed to be first class. Call and see him.

—Mrs. Louis Racine, proprietress of the French Hotel, wishes to inform her patrons and the public, that her house is splendidly fitted up for the accommodation of guests, cool, pleasant and comfortable rooms. In fact there is no better accommodations in any hotel in Eastern Oregon than you will find at the French House.

**Notice.**

An Empire mower and rake for sale at very low figures. Call at the HERALD Office.

**Another Fool Crank.**

TOLEDO, July 6.—Seymour, the mindreader, was in Toledo yesterday, on his way to Chicago, where he is going to be buried alive after the manner of the Indian magicians, who say they can suspend animation for any period by swallowing tongues and controlling their hearts and mind. "My coffin has gone ahead," said Mr. Seymour. "It is a fac simile of the one in which General Grant's remains now rest, and cost \$3000. It is made in three sections, one fitting inside the other. I will be buried six feet deep in the coffin. Signals are to be arranged so that if things do not go right I can communicate with soldiers on the outside, who will guard the grave. Directly after I am buried a crop of barley will be sown over the grave. I will remain buried until the germs sprout, grow, ripen and are harvested. Then the disinterment will take place. I won't come back to earth until September 24. I am positive I can do it, and the scientific men who are assisting me are beginning to think so, too."