

HAS THE LARGEST CIRCULATION OF ANY NEWSPAPER IN THIS COUNTY.

Religious Services.

Burns 1st. and 3rd. Sundays of the month 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Narrows 2nd. Sunday, 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Silver Creek 4th. Sunday 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Harney 5th Sunday 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. and Thursdays at 7 p. m. before the 1st. and 3rd. Sundays. Poison Creek Thursday at 7 p. m. after 1st. and 3rd. Sundays.

REV. GIBSON, Pastor.

Local News.

—Latest style of ladies hats at eastern prices. J. Durkheimer.

—Burns will celebrate.

—Don't forget to come to the celebration.

—Mrs. Gittings is visiting in the Drewsey country.

—Fire-works, splendid music, foot-racing, and lots of fun at Burns on the 4th.

—W. D. Huffman of Diamond gave us a pleasant call last Sunday.

—Julian Byrd arrived at his home in Burns, last Monday on the O-B stage.

—Hon. A. W. Gowan has gone to Portland on business of some nature we did not learn what.

—Capt. A. W. Gowan will stop over at Baker City on his way to Portland and solicit Lawyer Anderson of that place to deliver our 4th. of July oration.

—Newspapers report, this week, that Mrs. Jim Corbett, wife of the pugilist has sued for a divorce. No cause for a divorce, as yet, made public.

—Rev. Gibson and wife accompanied by E. B. Reed and family left here last Friday for Baker City to attend the Annual Baptist Association to be held at or near that place.

—Notice the new ad. of J. Durkheimer in this issue, and remember that there is nothing made by going away from home to buy goods, when our merchants offer goods at the prices quoted by Mr. Durkheimer.

—Chris Lachman is in the lead of any of our citizens in the garden business. He will have peas and young potatoes in a short time. Mr. Lachman by industry has improved both in beauty and use his home very much, having the nicest and best finished cellar in town.

—H. E. Thompson has erected a tower 30 feet high upon which he has placed a zinc tank with a capacity of three thousand gallons. His engine lifts from the well which is 40 feet deep 400 gallons of water an hour, to the top of the tank making a distance of about 80 feet.

—The mistake referred to in the last issue of the Items regarding the schedule of county expenditures published in the E. O. HERALD, stating the amount allowed Chas. Newell, for printing stock inspector's notices, was \$83.90, when he was only actually paid \$16.50. The mistake, if it was a mistake was not made in this office, it was published just as the copy read we received for publication.

—Mrs. E. H. Stauffer of Crane Creek, is in town visiting.

—Ed Jordan will start a butcher shop in Burns on or before the 20th. of this month.

—Wool is selling at from five to eight cents per pound at Pendleton.

—Chas. Peterson, wife and child were in our town visiting several days of the last week.

—We are sorry to learn of the damage being done to the crops in this county, by the crickets.

—W. R. Gradon and John Sayer have gone to Portland as representatives to the grand lodges A. O. U. W. and Masons.

—Public school closed here last Friday, with appropriate exercises. Prof. Newell county school superintendent was present.

—In some of the eastern cities people are dying from sun-stroke. Twenty-two deaths were reported last week in Philadelphia from heat.

—Rev. J. L. Parrish father of C. W. Parrish of Canyon City died at his home in Salem on Friday the last day of May. Mr. Parrish was nearly ninety years old.

—A very lively time was experienced on the Kickapoo reservation on May the 24th the time set for people to enter. There was a man or family for every 20 acres.

No news from the mines, but the fact that the miners don't come to town, indicates that they are improving their time and digging gold while the water lasts.—Items.

—Ed Lampshire, a grocery merchant of Portland, whose parents live 2 miles east of this place, is visiting his parents in company with Mr. Murphy also of Portland. These young men came from Portland on bicycles, making the trip from The Dalles, distance from here 300 miles, in four days. The last day they made 140 miles. They left Carl Cecil's ranche in the afternoon of the day they arrived here at 10 minutes after 4 o'clock p. m. and arrived at Ed's father's at 10 minutes past seven having come the distance of 43 miles in three hours. We hope the boys will enjoy their visit to Harney county.

—We are sorry to chronicle the death of Mr. George Williams of Silver Creek, who was hurt last Friday morning by a horse falling on him, and which has already been noticed in this issue. Mr. Williams died on Monday night about 12 o'clock from his injuries. He died calmly and peaceably, fully realizing that he must die, bidding a kind and affectionate farewell to his family and friends, stating he did not fear death but it was hard to part with his family. The deceased was one of our best citizens and not only a great loss to his family but to his neighborhood and county. His family have our deepest sympathy in their heavy bereavement.

—Jas. Moore returned a few days since from Baker his freight team loaded with goods for J. Durkheimer. Jim does not give a very good account of the road to Baker or the cheapness of merchandise in that place. He says he was compelled to buy a few articles there, and the same articles he can buy here as cheap or cheaper, for instance, he bought a single tree for which he paid \$1.00 the same price paid here and at Huntington only 60 cents three papers of Arbuckle coffee at Baker for \$1.00 at Huntington four papers.

—Register Jones returned last Sunday.

—The Siletz Indian reservation is to be thrown open for settlement the 25th of this month.

A Week of Accident.

Last Thursday Geo. Williams, a Silver Creek, met with what may prove a fatal accident. His horse in jumping a ditch fell on him in such a manner as to injure him inwardly.

Will McKinnon, youngest son of R. J. McKinnon, on Friday last, had a horse to fall with him, catching Will under him, bruising his face and nose very much but no tones broken.

Jos. Buchanan, on the road from his home beyond Harney, to Drewsey with a freight wagon and team, got down to fix something about the double trees, the team started up and caught his leg in some way, between the wheel or bed of the wagon breaking it above the knee. We do not know the date of the accident, but some time the latter part of last week.

J. C. Wooley, who left here some time since for Huntington with a freight team, met with an accident. Just before reaching Huntington he was thrown from his saddle horse and the wagon ran over him. He was bruised up considerably but no limbs broken.

At Flinn station, about 6 miles from Prairie City on the Baker-Canyon mail route, the station keeper, we did not learn his name, was killed by a horse last Saturday morning. He was holding the stage team, and one of them reared up and struck him with one of his front feet, crushing his skull.

ARMORY TROOP "A" O. N. G.

TROOP ORDERS No. 5.

On the next regular drill day, June 16, there will be target practice by the troop at the place to be prepared under the supervision of Lt. Thompson, who will take full sully charge of the squad in such practice; Lt. Joy will take charge of the squad remaining at the Armory and exercise them in the Manual of Arms. No mounts will be required for the day.

II. The Troop will report at the Armory July 4th., 1895, at 10 o'clock a. m., for mounted duty, each trooper to furnish suitable horse to ride. By order of A. W. GOWAN, Capt. Troop "A" O. N. G.

The Mayor's Birthday.

Last Tuesday evening our citizens were surprised by sweet strains of music floating on the breeze, and a little later the band marched up to Mayor McBean's office, followed by an expectant throng. Then it began to be whispered around that this was the mayor's birthday and that an ovation awaited him.

The mayor was hid in the hay-mow in his livery barn, but after a long search he was discovered and brought forth. Then the band played a few more selections, and Alderman Ashford introduced Alderman Cozad, who, in a choice selection of words commended the mayor for his zeal in promoting the welfare of our little city, and ended by presenting the mayor a beautiful bouquet from the ladies of Canyon City, together with a bag of gold dust, which represents our chief industry, a memento from the business men of the town and county.

These Mr. McBean accepted with a few well chosen remarks, when the ladies and gentlemen assembled dispersed, after voting three cheers to our mayor.—News.

Digest of Land and Mining Decisions.

Furnished by W. D. HARLAN, Land and Mining Attorney, Washington, D. C.

AGRICULTURAL.

On application for the survey of an Island in a navigable lake in the State of Wisconsin, the adjacent shore owners are not entitled to notice, as under the law of said state such owners are without interest.

A survey may be properly allowed of an Island in a navigable lake where it appears that such Island was in existence at the date of the original survey, but was omitted therefrom.

MINERAL.

Notice of application for mineral patent must be posted during the period of publication in the local office having jurisdiction over the land, and in the absence of such posting a republication must be made in due accordance with the statutory requirements.

Notice of mineral application to one of the owners of a conflicting claim is notice to his co-owners in the absence of fraud.

A Burns young lady requested to be released from her marriage engagement on the ground that when she contracted it she believed her lover was a "duck," but had since found him to be a goose.—Canyon News.

Strayed.

From the P. F. Stenger pasture 5 horses 2 gray geldings one branded 8 on left side 1 gray horse branded quarter-circle diamond, 2 brown mares one branded A on left hip and foretop trimmed square. A suitable reward will be paid for their return.

FORECLOSURE SALE.

By virtue of a chattel mortgage given by J. H. Howard to Anna W. Sayer, dated the 9th day of August, 1892, I will, under the terms of said mortgage, sell to the highest bidder for cash, at Brenton's livery barn, in the town of Burns, Harney county, Oregon, on the 6th day of July, 1895, the following described property, including in the said mortgage to-wit: About 105 head of cattle and about 50 head of horses. J. DURKHEIMER, Assignee of Anna W. Sayer, Mortgagee

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