

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.

—Mrs. Fred Ash has gone to Baker City to visit friends.

—Mrs. Taylor Simmons gave this office a call last Thursday.

—We visited Harney last Monday and found a few crickets crossing the road near that place.

—J. C. Wooley is back from the railroad with freight for Geer & Co. This firm is receiving a large stock of hardware.

—Misses Jennie Racine and Clara Stenger, pupils of St. Francis Academy, Baker City, are expected home in a few days.

—We were treated to a serenade the other night by some of the band boys. Many thanks boys, the music was excellent.

—The O. C. Co., Huntington, sold last Monday, 150,000 lbs of wool at prices from 6 1/4 and 8 cts. Send your wool to them.

—John Newman, George Maupin and Milo Cushing came in last Sunday from Baker City; their teams loaded for J. Durkheimer.

—J. B. Huntington and wife have gone to Salem after their daughter Eloise, who has been in that city for some time going to school.

—Mr. B. Hamilton, a resident of the Narrows, is suffering with an attack of typhoid fever. Dr. Marsden, who is attending him, reports him not dangerous.

—Stephen Gaylord, who resides near Paisley, Lake county, was in town last week in company with Carl Cecil. Mr. Gaylord is a brother of Mrs. George Williams.

—Miss Roberts left last Thursday for a ten days visit to Harney county. Thos. H. Roberts, her father, will probably accompany her upon her return.—Malheur Gazette.

—Mrs. J. C. Buchland has returned. We understand she purchased several town lots in Caldwell, Idaho, and expects to move to that place in a short time and make it her future home.

—Mrs. George Williams desires through our columns, to express her deep, sincere and heartfelt thanks to her neighbors and friends for their kind sympathy and help during the sickness and burial of her deceased husband.

—The mover or emigrant, who was taken sick several days since at or near the home of Father Bowen, and kindly cared for by him and his family for the time being, has been brought to town. Dr. Marsden reports his case one of typhoid fever.

—Mrs. Isaac Foster is in town the guest of Mrs. Samuel Miller.

—M. N. Fegtly and family have moved to his homestead on the Owyhee Malheur county.

—An observation party at the residence of Mrs. M. E. Miller last evening was a very enjoyable occasion.

—Mrs. Marshall, of the Narrows neighborhood and her daughter, Miss Nora Marshall gave us a pleasant call yesterday afternoon.

—A. C. Worthington was on the sick list several days since our last issue, but is now about well again.

—Ben Brown returned from Portland last Monday evening he reports hard times in that city and repeated failures in business.

—GRAND BALL At Lochers Hall the evening of the 4th. Everybody expected to be present. Great pains will be taken by the committee appointed for the purpose to entertain and introduce strangers.

—Secretary of State Olney, took the oath of office on the 10th inst. and was formally installed. Chief Justice Fuller administered the oath.

—Ex-Secretary, Whitney says: "I am not and will not be a presidential candidate. If the silver men should carry the next Democratic Convention it will split the party."

—James Mahon was in town two days the latter part of last week, placing tomb stones at his wife's grave, who died several years since, and was buried in the Burns cemetery.

—The pastors of Dallas Texas are striving to prevent, if possible, the Corbett-Fitzsimmons fight coming off in that place. A mass meeting has been held and the business men have declared almost to a man that the fight shall come off as arranged.

—J. Durkheimer has shipped to the R. R. 300,000 pounds of wool and still has to ship 140,000 pounds. He has 60 wagons now on the road to the railroad, and has received already, 75,000 pounds of merchandise at his store and ware house in this place, and the wagons now out will load for him. This shows very well for our county and town when we take in consideration the age of our county and number of settlers. Mr. Durkheimer has control of about two thirds of the wool clip of this county.

Bryant's Card.

The following is a copy of a card sent the United States supreme court by H. H. Bryant, of Massachusetts, after the decision in the matter of the income tax:

"To the Prostitute Judges of the Supreme Bench of the United States, Washington, D. C.

"After Judas had done his dirty job he had enough manhood left to return his bribe and then forever put himself beyond human right. His example is worthy of your serious attention. Private income from land is unmixed injustice as the same springs from public effort, and is beyond the reach of private endeavor. No doubt that millionaires needed to support their lordly establishments in various parts of the world and their luxurious harems that float upon the seas. But millionaires have always been a curse to all people in all times—a deadly and far reaching rot to the entire gamut of morals, both public and private. You illustrate one phase of that rot.

(Signed) H. H. BRYANT.

More Accidents.

Ed Jordan accidentally shot himself with a 44 caliber pistol last Thursday about noon. He left here that morning about 8 o'clock in company with his brother, Frank, and M. N. Fegtly, to go to his father's ranch, about twenty mile south east of this place. Before starting he put a blanket on the seat of the buckboard and laid on the blanket the pistol that came very near putting a quietus on his existence.

Arriving at his father's they got out and Ed took hold of the blanket that was on the seat, intending to carry it into the house, forgetting the pistol which he had laid there and which, at that time, was concealed in the folds; the pistol was jerked from the seat and fell on the bottom of the buckboard, hammer down, which was broken by the fall and discharging it at an angle just right that the ball entered his neck on the right side and low down making a wound nine inches from the point the ball entered to the back of the head, its exit. The ball passed on the outside of the jugular vein, just missing it and the neck bone. Ed had a very close call and now declares he never wants to see another pistol.

Atty. John Biggs, while attending the hardware store of Chas. Voegtly, in his absence, came very near receiving the ball from a Marlin rifle. A traveler came in and wanted some cartridges for a Marlin and Mr. Biggs was unable to find the kind he wanted but suggested Winchester cartridges. The man laid his gun across the counter with the muzzle towards Mr. Biggs and pointing directly at his body. He (the purchaser) proceeded to take the cartridges out of the magazine in order to try the Winchester cartridges. Mr. Biggs made a step forward to take down some cartridges from a shelf when "crack" went the gun.

Biggs didn't know which one of the boys he was and the man who accidentally discharged the gun was more frightened than he. Finally when they found they were still alive and no damage done they exchanged greetings and danced a "can-can" on top of a gallon jar.

HARPER'S WEEKLY.

The Christmas Number of Harper's Weekly will consist of thirty-two pages, including an illuminated cover, and will contain a large number of especially attractive short stories. John Kendrick Bangs will contribute a ghost story; Howard Pyle a novel in outline, entitled Sailors and Landmen; a new writer, Reba Gregory Prelat, a powerful and dramatic story, for which illustrations will be made by C. Carleton. There will be other stories and features appropriate to the holiday season; and drawings by Frederic Remington, Gilbert Gaul, F. Luis Mora, Peter S. Newell, Miss Lydia Field Emmet, W. H. Hyde, and others.

HARPER'S BAZAR.

The December issue of Harper's Bazar will be distinguished, so far as fashion is concerned, by elegant toilettes for evening and coming-out receptions, dinner and street costumes, and beautiful wraps in variety. "Our Paris Letter" will not only touch on fashion, but reflect the gaiety of Paris in full notes as to what is going on in the world of music and the drama. During December will be published two very striking stories, The Tiff Way, by Maria Louise Pool; and Mr. Ruthven's Black List, by Octave Thanet. An interesting paper on Hypnotism in Fiction will discuss a question of present interest; it is by Adaline W. Sterling. Coming-out Receptions form the theme of one of "Spectator's" brilliant essays. The Christmas flavor will pervade the earlier numbers.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

The partnership heretofore existing under the name of C. E. Porter & Co. wherein C. E. Porter, Abner Robbins and John D. Daly all of Drewsey, Oreg., were co-partners in the flouring mill business is this the 17th day of June A. D. 1895 dissolved by mutual consent. The business will be continued at Drewsey Oregon, by Abner Robbins who will pay all bills owing by said firm and who alone is authorized to receive and receipt for all amounts due said firm.

Signed, C. E. PORTER, ABNER ROBBINS, JOHN D. DALY.

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.

Notice to Donation Claimants. U. S. District Land Office Burns Oregon.

To all persons having made settlement upon tracts of land within this district, and given notice, as required by law, that they claim such lands as donations under the provisions of the Act of Congress entitled "An Act to create the office of Surveyor General of the public lands in Oregon and to provide for the survey and to make donations to settlers of the said public lands," approved September 27, 1850, and the various Acts amendatory and supplemental thereto, and to their heirs, devisees, grantees, and all persons making claims to such donation claims whether by descent, devise, judicial sale, or conveyance in good faith, who have hitherto failed to make and file in the proper Land Office final proof of such claims: Notice is hereby given in accordance with the requirements of Section One of the Act of Congress approved July 26, 1894, and in pursuance of the directions of the Commissioner of the General Land Office that they are required to appear at this office and make and file final proofs for such claims and perfect their title thereto before the 1st day of January, 1896, and that if they fail so to do within that time such donation claims will be held to have been abandoned by them, and the lands embraced therein will be restored to the public domain as provided in said Act of Congress of July 26, 1894.

Given under our hands this 11th day of June, 1895.

THOMAS JONES, Register, A. A. COWING, Receiver.

—The ladies are requested to meet at the church Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock, to appoint committees etc. for the 4th of July.

ALICE KINE, Chairman.

Strayed.

From the P. F. Stenger pasture 5 horses 2 gray geldings one branded 3 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 liver barn, in the town of Burns, Harney county, Oregon, on the 6th day of July, 1895, the following described property, included 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

Don't Tobacco Spit or Smoke Your Life Away.

is the truthful, startling title of a book about No-To-Bac, the harmless, guaranteed tobacco habit cure that braces up nicotinized nerves, eliminates the nicotine poison, makes weak men gain strength, vigor and manhood. You run no physical or financial risk, as No-To-Bac is sold by druggists everywhere under a guarantee to cure or money refunded. Book free. Address Sterling Remedy Co., New York or Chicago.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that contain Mercury,

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and is made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.

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