

HAS THE LARGEST CIRCULATION OF ANY NEWSPAPER IN THIS COUNTY.

Religious Services.

Burns 1st and 3rd. Sundays of the month 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Silver Creek 4th. Sunday 11 a. m. and 5 p. m. The 2nd Sunday will be reserved for general work in other fields.

REV. GIBSON, Pastor.

Local News.

—Chairs of all patterns and descriptions at the hardware store of Chas. Voegtly. 13-11

—Attv. John Biggs and wife will begin housekeeping in a few days.

—W. A. Foster of the Warm Spring ranch, was in town last Saturday.

—Mr. A. Dunn, of the Blitzen neighborhood, paid us a visit last Saturday.

—We think Tom Dodson will be before the democratic county convention for the office of Assessor.

—A. H. Groth, of Canyon City, one of the proprietors of the City Hotel of that place, died on the 8th inst., of dropsy.

—Harney county's assessment, as accepted by the State Board, amounts to \$1,724,988.

—L. Woldenberg has had his dwelling, in which he resided in Harney, moved to Burns.

—J. C. Garrett was in town Sunday. He expects to start east in a short time with two or three car loads of mules.

—W. C. Cecil was in town one day last week attending to business pertaining to the estate of Geo. Williams dec'd.

—The smallest man in Georgia is Tommy Foster. He is 24 years old and weighs 56 pounds. His height is three feet and nine inches.

—Editor D. I. Ashury, of the Canyon News, has gone to St. Augustine Florida to attend the National Press Association as a delegate from this state.

—J. C. F. Gordon, P. O. Inspector, was here the latter part of last week, investigating the condition of our postal affairs. The result was very favorable as to the conduct of the office and efficiency of our P. M.

—W. A. Williams agent for the St. Louis Pauly Jail Building, Mfg. Co. succeeded in selling the County Court two steel cages, 13 by 13, with corridor between, to be delivered and placed in the Jail for \$2700.

—Holders of policies in the State Insurance Co can secure policies in the Fireman's Fund in lieu thereof for the full term, in conformity with conditions stated in circular letter issued by said company, of which you will receive a copy. Further information can be obtained through M. L. Lewis, representing the Fireman's Fund Insurance Co. at Burns, Ore., to whom you will bring or send State policies for exchange. Do not delay in this matter if you desire unquestionable security against loss.

—Joe Sturdevant is in town.

—A. Venator was in town last Saturday.

—M. R. Smith of the Narrows paid us a visit last Thursday.

—Walter Cross paid Burns a visit the latter part of last week.

—Emanuel Clark came into town today.

—Mr. Adolph Tucker, is improving slowly.

—Ira Venator paid our town a visit last week.

—We had the pleasure of shaking hands with Jess Bunyard yesterday.

—Joa. Buchanan road overseer of district No. 6, was in town two or three days last week.

—W. B. Johnson, road overseer on Silver Creek, was in town one day last week.

—Mr. Geo Southworth of our town has been employed by W. D. Huffman to herd sheep.

—H. C. Turner, an aspirant for the office of sheriff on the republican ticket, was in Burns two or three days of last week.

—Dr. Marsdon was called to Fife the latter part of last week, to the home of Chas. Lillard, to see Mrs. Lillard. The Dr. returned and reports the birth of a fine boy to Mr. and Mrs. Lillard.

—Joe Indian's right arm was badly lacerated by his enemy last night the leaders being severed, besides several other cuts, one or two on the left arm. The row, we understand occurred over an Indian girl.

—We see in the Malheur Gazette, that Messrs. E. H. Test, of Vale, and Wm. Miller, a former resident of our town, but now of Ontario, have located a real estate office at the latter place, and are listing a lot of lands for sale under the Owyhee and Neyada ditches.

—While J. C. Garrett was in town he kindly interceded in behalf of W. H. Hogan, with the latter's brother Odd Fellows, urging a donation by the order, in his favor of \$7.50, money lost on ahipped horse sent east in the care of Messrs. Dodson and Garrett. Mr. Garrett says the horse brought \$7.50 less than nothing and the former owner is very blue over the loss.

—The Rev. Sam Driver, whom many of our citizens know, and who eloped with another man's wife from Placerville Cal. and it was thought at that time the guilty pair had left the United State, has turned up in Hamilton, Ill. The announcement is made by the newspapers, that the woman committed suicide in that place. Driver we guess is to hardened in sin and transgressions to end his iniquitous career.

—The "St. George Commandery March," just published Jan. 1, '96, is a beauty and no mistake. Not difficult, but catchy. Elegant lithograph title page, and one of the prettiest marches ever published. For piano, full band, or orchestra, at half price, (25c. each to introduce) from all music dealers. Composed and published by Isaac Doles, Indianapolis, Ind., author of "My Sweetheart of Years Ago." Special low introduction price to dealers and teachers.

—We are informed that Preacher Bailey, of Prineville, is expected here this week.

—R. S. Sheridan, Receiver of the Rosburg U. S Land Office, is in Burns.

—Messrs. Ward and Mehaffey have about completed the school house well.

—Mrs. Geo. Stanclift, who was so unfortunate as to accidentally break her arm last week, is getting along very well.

—It is reported that Mrs. Will Jordan, a citizen of our town, is actually in need of the common comforts and necessities of life.

—New goods at the Johnson store now under control of Henry Canaday. Just as cheap as ever or cheaper. Call and examine goods and get prices, and if suited buy.

—Jorgensen has the finest and best lot of goods that ever came to Burns; go and see for yourself. He is also taking Cabinet Photos. at \$3 per dozen. Do not forget to go and see what he has on hand.

—We are informed, that Mr. Gilchrist, of Crook county has recently, purchased of T. A. McKinnon and Jas. Albert, 140 head of stock cattle.

—H. H. Masterson was appointed administrator of the estate of Michael Finn dec'd. The property is on Trout Creek in the southern part of the county.

—M. H. Brenton has closed the White Front livery stable and formed a copartnership with Joe Gill in the Red Front Stable, under the firm name of Gill and Brenton.

—It seems, on account of some mistake made by Jas Edwards, insurance agent, that Price Withers, who was burned out in Harney some time since is loser on a part of the property consumed, which was insured.

—The snow that fell last night and yesterday, measured, this morning at seven o'clock, ten inches, at that time it was raining a little, and in a short while it caused the snow to settle several inches. The indications are with this chinook wind, and light rain that the snow will speedily disappear.

—Four Piute Indians last night procured some "bug juice" and, as is natural with the redskins, got drunk. A fight ensued between Indian Joe and Jim, about a young squaw in which Joe was badly cut on the right arm severing the leaders, below the elbow and one cut, though not so bad, on the left arm. Both Indians are in the custody of the sheriff today. We are informed that Jim has told how and of whom, they bought the whiskey.

—One Joseph Hoag, in 1803, had a vision, which is a matter of history. What was made known to him in this vision he kept to himself until 1836, at which time, he claimed it was a burden on his mind and for relief he divulged it. He said the vision appeared to him in the year above stated, while in a field. The day was clear, but a mist arose between him and the sun at the time, and out of this mist a voice revealed to him many things that would come to pass before the end of the world. The civil war and its result would be the liberation of the slaves. The monopolies and bonded aristocrats and the effect upon our nation and the whole civilized world. The

whole of Europe would be convulsed in a terrible war, into which the U. S. would be drawn. A great ruler would arise and the U. S. be changed into a monarchy, and the end of time would shortly follow. But in this vision there appears no dates, but a generality of predictions. Now as sequel to Hoag's vision comes the predictions of Theologian, M. Baxtor of Berlin. He prophecies the exact date of the end of time, etc. The great wars will begin in 1897 and 1899. The great ruler whose advent was made known to Hoag in his vision, but called the New Napoleon by Baxter, would appear in 1904, also in this year there would be a great earthquake. But prior to this, that is, March 12th, 1903, on Thursday at 3 o'clock p m, Jerusalem time, 1 o'clock p m, Berlin time, the ascension of the elect will take place; 144,000 of the blessed will ascend without dying. And April the 3d, 1908, the world will cease to exist.

Weather report for the week ending Tuesday. Taken at 8 o'clock a m. Figures with ° after, below zero.

|        | Ther. | Max. | Min. |
|--------|-------|------|------|
| Wed.   | 25    | 40   | 4    |
| Thurs. | 29    | 42   | 8    |
| Fri.   | 17    | 39   | 5    |
| Sat.   | 5     | 34   | 5°   |
| Sun.   | 7     | 22   | 5°   |
| Mon.   | 18    | 22   | 1°   |
| Tues.  | 36    | 36   | 3    |

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H. M. Horton, Burns.

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Administrators Notice.

Notice is hereby given to all persons holding claims against the estate of Victor S. Ottmer, deceased, to present the same to the undersigned at his place of business in Burns, Harney county, Oregon, verified as by law required within six months from the date of this notice. Dated at Burns this 11th day of December, 1895.

H. M. HORTON, Administrator.



LEAP YEAR BALL!

JANUARY 24, '96.

The Proceeds to be Used for Benevolent Purposes:

Committee on General Arrangements: Mesdames. I. S. Geer, Lee Caldwell, Lulu Gardner and Miss Sallie Hudspeth

Ushers: Mrs. C. F. McKinney, Misses Sallie Hudspeth and Vina Gittings.

Floor Managers: Mesdames. Lulu Gardner, Lee Caldwell and I. S. Geer

PROMPTER, G. W. YOUNG,

GRAND MARCH 8 O'CLOCK.

Best Music has been Secured for the Occasion.

TICKETS, 50 cents.

Supper at French Hotel 50 cents per plate.

MASQUERADE BALL!

—AT—

ARMORY HALL,

February 14, 1896.

TWO PRIZES GIVEN:

One for the Best Sustained Lady Character, and one for the Best Sustained Gentleman Character.

MUSIC BY LEE CALDWELL'S ORCHESTRA.

The managers will spare no pains to make this ball "the event" of the season. A cordial invitation extended to all.

TICKETS \$1. Gent spectators 50 cts. Ladies free.