

HAS THE LARGEST CIRCULATION OF ANY NEWSPAPER IN THIS COUNTY.

Democratic Announcements.

FOR SHERIFF.
I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Sheriff, subject to the action of the Democratic County Convention.
GEORGE SHELLEY.

FOR COUNTY CLERK.
I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Clerk, subject to the action of the Democratic County Convention.
CHAS. E. KENYON.

FOR COUNTY CLERK.
I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Clerk, subject to the action of the Democratic County Convention.
S. W. MILLER.

FOR ASSESSOR.
I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Assessor, subject to the action of the Democratic County Convention.
JOHN O. CAWLFIELD.

FOR ASSESSOR.
I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Assessor, subject to the action of the Democratic County Convention.
THOS. G. DODSON.

FOR TREASURER.
I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Treasurer, subject to the action of the Democratic County Convention.
L. WOLDENBERG, JR.

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

—Henry Turner is in town today.

—Ed. Lewis is now town marshal.

—C. F. McKinney has gone East to visit his mother. He will be absent about a month.

—Burns school election resulted in the election of Dr. Marsden director and W. Y. King, clerk.

—We see it reported in our exchanges, that ex Governor Penneyer has again joined the democratic ranks.

—At the Poison Creek school election last Monday. Thos. Baker was elected director and Pardon Zeigler, clerk.

—Two stock buyers were registered at the Burns last week. We understand they wished to purchase young cattle.

—A Venator is an invalid at the French House, having had a surgical operation performed by Dr. Marsden for hemorrhoids.

Republican Announcements.

FOR SHERIFF.
I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Sheriff, subject to the action of the Republican County Convention.
GRANT THOMPSON.

FOR SHERIFF.
I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Sheriff, subject to the action of the Republican County Convention.
A. GITTINGS.

FOR ASSESSOR.
I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Assessor, subject to the action of the Republican County Convention.
WINFIELD WATERS.

FOR TREASURER.
I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Treasurer, subject to the action of the Republican County Convention.
J. C. WELCOME.

—Henderson Eiloitt is in town today.

—Easter dyes for eggs at A. C. Worthington.

—David Milles, of Pine Creek, is in town today.

—L. Woldenburg, Jr. of Harney was in Burns yesterday.

—We saw Charley Miller of Crow Camp in town today.

—Some money changed hands on the election yesterday.

—When you desire first class painting done do not overlook Culp Bros.

—I. S. Geer and Co. received two new bicycles this morning of the best make.

—The Minimum Thermometer registered, at zero the 29 ult and the first of March.

—County Court in session this week. Judge Rutherford and commissioners Sitz and Marks present.

—C. M. Green, traveling salesman for a wholesale clothing house of San Francisco, is registered at the French House.

—Messrs. Tom Anderson and Austin Goodman have bought the saloon property formerly run by Lee Caldwell and now have possession.

—Thos. Bain got the contract for moving the remains of the soldiers buried in the Harney Cemetery. Consideration \$180.

—Peter French left here for Ontario the latter part of last week for the purpose of shipping from that point to Omaha, over 600 head of beef steers.

—Joe Wooley has moved to the Wilson ranch three miles northeast of town. Mr. Stewart taking possession of the Wooley ranch which he purchased some time since.

—P. F. Stenger, accompanied by C. B. Wickliffe, returned from California the latter part of last week. Mr. Stenger purchased, while absent, 300 mules, which he will ship to Eastern or Southern markets about the 1st of May. The mules at the time of the purchase not being in condition to ship.

—A. S. Swain, candidate for assessor, republican, is in town.

—A. Tupker is still seriously ill. It is thought he is growing worse instead of improving.

—The Items was sold last Saturday. W. Y. King purchaser. We know not what disposition Mr. King is going to make of it.

—The result of our city election yesterday, was the election of Cal Geer for mayor. Henry Richardson, Chas. Johnson and M. H. Brenton, councilmen. D. Jameson recorder. J. C. Welcome Treas.

—Our city election, yesterday, as usual, was attended with considerable excitement and quite a contest, this time, the fight occurred for recorder. The candidates were M. L. Lewis independent and D. Jameson regular. Jameson won by seven votes.

—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.

—The Mary Dawphit ranch located at the sink of Prater creek is for sale. Price \$500. This is a good ranch and worth a great deal more than the price asked for it. Call at this office or on John Martin for further information.

—W. L. Wooley returned from Idaho to this place about ten days since. Mr. Wooley thinks this country is better for him than where he was, and as a natural consequence, he is going to remain either in this county or Malheur. He is now looking for a situation and when found will either go or send for his family, now at Caldwell, Idaho.

—Mr. and Mrs. Keney, and baby are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Anderson of this place, and have been for several days. They reside on Calamity in this county. Their baby, now about four months old was unfortunately born clubfooted, and the occasion of the parents being here is because of this deformity of the child. Dr. Marsden cut the cords straightened the feet and the baby is now doing well and the deformity removed.

—Indian war veterans and widows of deceased veterans who desire the passage of the bill granting them pensions, which is now before congress, can send their address, company and regiment, character of service, name of Company, and regimental officers to Waters & Gowen, who will forward same to Capt. T. A. Wood, Portland, Oregon, free of charge. This is of interest to all who served in any Indian war between the years of 1848 and 1859, and should be attended to at once.

—The announcement of L. Woldenberg Jr. for the office of Treasurer appears in this issue. Louie's many friends will receive this intelligence with great satisfaction, knowing the character, ability and trustworthiness of the aspirant. Mr. Woldenberg is a young man of sterling merit and honesty. The democratic party of this county can consider itself fortunate indeed, in securing the name of so staunch a citizen, and one universally liked, as a candidate for the office of Treasurer.

—Bill Nye, the great humorist, is no more.

—Emanuel Clark was in Burns one or two days the latter part of last week.

—A. S. Swain informs us that a large acreage of grain will be sown in his neighborhood this spring.

—Ducks and geese are getting plentiful, and shot guns are in demand,

—Bob. McKinnon Jr., now a resident of Dallas, Oregon, who left here two or three years ago, is expected back here to live, in the spring.

—The minimum thermometer at the observatory in this place registered at zero Sunday and Monday mornings of this week.

—The senate has acknowledged the Cuban struggle for freedom from the Spanish yoke of tyranny. The vote stood yeas 64, nays, 6.

—We see a bar, ice chest and tank in the cabinet shop of Thos. Lahey which are vastly superior in style and workmanship, to any of that kind we have ever known made in Burns.

Six hundred and fifty-nine candidates were initiated into one lodge of the A. O. U. W., on the evening of December 20, 1895, being the largest number ever initiated into any lodge at one time.

—J. C. Garrett and Jas. Dodson are in town today on their return from Texas, where, as was published some time since, they went with several car loads of mules. In conversation with them we learn they disposed of the mules at a fair profit.

—One of the employes on the Ontario stage line, named Goodman, accidentally cut his foot, in the instep, with an ax, a few days since at the station near Drewsey. He came here to receive the attention of Dr. Marsden. The cut was a very deep one.

—No Indians will be allowed in Harney county on hunting expeditions the coming summer and fall. The citizens of this county want this distinctly understood and generally known. This warning is intended for all Indians, it matters not from what reservations they come, none are excepted. The killing, maiming and driving deer out of our mountains has been tolerated as long as our citizens will put up with it, and we want all Indian agents and the Indians to understand that it will no longer be allowed.

Experiment Failed

San Francisco, Feb. 29.—The physicians at the German hospital made an unsuccessful attempt last night to discover a coin in George Ees stomach by means of the cathod ray. The exposure lasted for three hours and 20 minutes. At 10 minutes before 2 o'clock this morning the plate was developed. Not a shadow of any kind was visible on the plate. The experiment will be repeated.

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

	Ther.	Max.	Min.
Wed.	32	45	85
Thurs.	34	53	11
Fri.	28	40	7
Sat.	19	34	0
Sun.	20	27	0
Mon.	25	31	5
Tues.	26	35	7

Dissolution Notice.

The co-partnership heretofore existing in the blacksmith and repairing business in Burns Ore., under the firm name of McKinnon & Kenyon is this day dissolved by mutual consent, all debts and accounts owing to said firm must be immediately settled by cash or notes or be put in the hand of a collector for settlement with cost for settlement added. A. J. McKinnon is authorized to settle and receipt for all monies paid.
Dated this 8th. day of Feb 1896.
A. J. MCKINNON,
J. S. KENYON.

FINAL PROOF.

LAND OFFICE AT BURNS, OREGON,
January 27, 1896.
Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before Register & Receiver U. S. Land Office at Burns Ore., on March 7, 1896, viz: WILLIAM T. WHITWORTH.
Hd. No. 83 for the E 1/2 NW 1/4 W 1/2 NE 1/4 Sec 14, T. 24, S. R. 30 E.
He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land viz: Byron Terrell, John Witzell, Nellis Parker and B. R. Witzell, all of Burns, Oregon.
THOMAS JONES, Register

FINAL PROOF.

LAND OFFICE AT BURNS, OREGON,
Feb. 3, 1896.
Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before Register and Receiver U. S. Land Office at Burns Oregon, on March 25, 1896, viz: WILLIAM H. GIBSON.
Hd. No. 204, for the SW 1/4, Sec 32 T. 22 S. R. 32 E.
He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Thomas Bain, Price Withers, Peter Mortimer, and Samuel Mickel, all of Harney Oregon.
THOMAS JONES, Register.

A Good Thing—"Push it Along."
GRAND BALL!

MARCH 17, '96.

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