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Proprietors.

### HARNEY VALLEY ITEMS.

SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 14, 1901.

#### STORY OF THE CRIME.

Continued from First page. were confirmed:

A force of Exposition guards was soon on the scene, and an effort was made to clear the building. By this time, the crush was terrific. Spectators crowded down the stairways from the galleries, the crowd on the floor surged forward toward the rostrum, while, despite the strenuous efforts of police and guards, the throng without struggled madly to obtain admission.

The President's assailant in the meantime had been hustled by exposition guards to the rear of the building, where he was held while the building was cleared, and later he was turned over to Superintendent Bull, of the Buffalo police department, who took the prisoner to No. 13 Police Station, and afterwards to police headquarters.

As soon as the crowd in the Temple of Music had been dispersed sufficiently, the President was removed in the automobile ambulance and taken to the exposition hospital, where an examination was made. The best medical skill was summoned, and within a brief period several of Buffalo's best-known practitioners were at the patient's side.

The President retained the full exercise of his faculties until placed on the operating table and subjected to an anesthetic. Upon the first examination it was ascertained that one bullet had taken effect in the right breast, just below the nipple, causing a comparatively harmless wound. The other took effect in the abdomen, about four inches below the left nipple, four inches to the left of the navel, and about on a level with it. Upon arrival at the exposition hospital the second bullet was probed for. The walls of the abdomen were opened, but the ball was not located. The incision was hastily closed, and after a hasty consultation, it was decided to remove the patient to the home of President Milburn. This was done, the automobile ambulance being used for the purpose.

P. T. Thomas, Sumterville, Ala., "I was suffering from dyspepsia when I commenced taking Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. I took several bottles and digest anything." Kodol Dyspepsia Cure is the only preparation containing all the natural digestive fluids. It gives weak stomachs entire rest, restoring their natural condition. H. M. Horton, Burns; Fred Haines, Harney.

Read our special inducements for trial subscriptions on 4th page.

**SHERRY MILITARY ACADEMY**  
A private school for boarding and day pupils. Opens September 18th.  
Fine new buildings. Thorough instructions.  
The principal has had twenty-three years' experience in Portland.  
Correspondence solicited. For catalogue address  
**J. W. Hill, M. D.,**  
Portland, Oregon.  
P. O. Drawer 17.

### Local and General.

Newt Lewis is up from Lawen on business.

A boys suit, 2 to 7 yrs., for \$1.50 at N. Brown & Sons.

M. EltzGerald is on a business trip to Harney valley.

Elsie Brown and family are home from a visit to Diamond valley.

M. B. Hayes, of Lawen, was doing business in Burns yesterday.

Our Red shoes are in.  
N. Brown & Sons.

Joel Smith is again at his post as night dispenser at The Capitol.

Clarence Cary was in from Crane creek a few days during the week.

County Clerk H. Richardson returned from a trip to Salem Monday.

Born, to the wife of C. E. Kenyon, Monday, September 9, 1901, a 10lb. boy.

Several new special premiums for the Fair appear in this issue. Read them.

Ladies summer skirts and shirt waists reduced 50 per cent. N. Brown & Sons.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Oakerman were visitors in Burns last Saturday and Sunday.

B. P. Wells has leased the Commercial hotel. He assumed management Thursday.

No old stock left over at N. Brown & Sons if prices are an object.

The supply of new school textbooks have not arrived here as yet, but are expected sometime soon.

Commissioner A. Venator and wife were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. I. S. Geer a few days this week.

Grant Belsaw arrived from the John Day country Saturday with another load of fruit and vegetables.

The date for holding the Second Annual Harney County Fair has been changed to Sept. 30 to Oct. 5.

F. M. Jordan and family returned this week from Lawen where Mr. Jordan went to put up his hay crop.

W. T. Hill, Geo. Hill, Henry Goodloe and Emory Hill arrived yesterday from the railroad with freight.

No use to say much about "Queen Quality" in Ladies shoes; you know what they are. N. Brown & Sons are Agents.

All work intrusted to Sol Davidson, the jeweler, will receive prompt attention; satisfaction guaranteed. At the Burns Hotel.

John Dorsey and wife have returned to Burns from Lawen where Mr. Dorsey has been employed during the past few months.

The old reliable O. C. Co., of Huntington, has an ad in this issue. They have just received a large stock of goods and their lines are now complete. Your correspondence, invited.

Warren Curtis, of Narrows, was up on business Thursday. Mr. Curtis informs us that he recently disposed of a nice bunch of yearling steers to Percy Hughes, a Hepner buyer. The price received was \$20.

F. L. Andrews has assumed charge of the dining room at The Burns, and is to take the lodging department the 17th. Mr. Andrews is an experienced hotel man and will again make this the popular stopping place.

A Genuine Stetson hat is a money saver. N. Brown & Sons sell the Genuine Stetson.

Joe Lamb, of Drewsey, was a visitor several days this week. Joe has just returned from a trip to Montana and Eastern points where he took a band of horses. He did pretty well on his venture but reports the market dull.

A. Venator, Chas Peterson, Frank Stauffer and Clarence Cary, of Crane creek, delivered cattle at the Island this week to Henry Blackwell for a Pendleton firm. There was about 300 head of 2-year-olds and dry cows. The price received was \$28.

Summer goods are being brought in by N. Brown & Sons.

Sheriff Geo. Shelley returned from Salem last Saturday evening.

Our special inducements for subscribers to this paper appears on the 4th page.

Frank Fister, postmaster at Crane, and a prominent sheep man of that section, was doing business in Burns Saturday and Sunday.

Jorgensen has reduced the price on all goods in stock 20 per cent except stationary. He is selling lower than any place in town, therefore get his prices.

The famous DeMoss family will give a musical concert at Floral Hall September 28. This family of musicians has been before the public for nineteen years and is known to a great number of residence of this country.

W. J. Coleman will leave Monday for Jordan Valley, via Ontario and Caldwell, to take testimony in a couple of water cases which is set for hearing there the 19th. He will be accompanied by his wife and they will not return to Burns until after the October term of Circuit court at Vale.

Scotty Bailey, Ed Caldwell and Jean Ingersoll are back from the races at Hamilton and Long Creek. Their racers Bill Nye and Dewey were barred out at Long Creek. Wm. Buffington who also attended the Long Creek races has not returned he having taken Dewey and gone to attend the Fair at The Dalles.

Rev. Dr. Holt, Synodical Missionary of the Presbyterian Church for the Synod of Oregon, will be in Burns from September 20 to 23. Rev. Holt will preach in the Presbyterian church of Burns, Friday night, Sept 20th at 7:30. He will also deliver a missionary lecture Saturday night Sept 21st, and will preach again at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sunday Sept 22nd. Special music will also be a feature of the services. Come and get acquainted with Rev. Holt and hear him speak.

Milt Davis, of Drewsey, was among the visitors this week. He has just returned from a trip to Atwood, Kansas, where his family are at present visiting relatives. He had the misfortune to lose one of his little boys recently, the little fellow dying from spinal meningitis. Mrs. Davis has also been unwell during her entire visit. Milt is thinking of buying property in Burns and making this his future home. He will return to Kansas in a short time and as soon as his wife is able to travel will start for home.

Did you ever examine the line of Gents shoes carried by N. Brown & Sons?

#### Death of John Devine.

John S. Devine, the well known pioneer stockman of this section, died at the Syme Hotel in this city yesterday, Sept. 13, 1901. His illness dates back two weeks and the cause of his death was obstruction of the bile ducts. On reaching this place yesterday morning the doctors decided that an operation was necessary and he was placed on the operating table when with the first incision of the instrument he was seized with a fit of nausea and coughing which ended in death.

The deceased was born in Richmond, Virginia, 69 years ago. He went to California in early days and in the latter part of the 60's came to Harney county, but later returned to California. He came to this county to reside about 1877 and has made this his home since. For years he was connected with the firm of Todhunter & Devine, selling out his interests to parties now forming the P. L. S. Co., he located at Alvord, where he has built a beautiful home.

He was married after coming to this section, his wife surviving him. There was no children from the union.

The funeral will take place Sunday at 10 o'clock a. m. from the Presbyterian church.

### PRESIDENT DEAD

Succumbs to the Blow by an Assassin's Hand.

News came over the wire this morning that President McKinley had succumbed to the wounds inflicted by the cowardly hand of the assassin. Death occurred at 2 o'clock this morning.

The news came as a shock after reading the favorable reports of the physicians in the papers received yesterday. The greatest sorrow is felt by all the people of the place. On receipt of the news flags were hung at half-mast and the stores and business houses were draped for their beloved chief.

A later telephone states that Mrs. McKinley is in a very critical condition and is not expected to live.

#### Lawen Items.

Hay harvest is over.

The cattlemen of this section are about through gathering beef for the Fall drive.

Claud Gray has returned from the railroad with a six horse load of freight for P. H. Gray & Co.

The lonesome sound of the wild swan and geese can be heard far above us, enroute to southern sunny climes.

Noah Oard and family and sister Mrs. Peterson, have gone to Rock creek, where Mr. Oard will do some house moving for his brother James. They will be absent about a week.

W. R. and W. E. Gray have been hauling lumber for a large two story building, the lower floor of which will be used as a store and the upper one for a ball. All the lumber will soon be on the ground and the work of building will be pushed to completion before the wet weather sets in.

Bill wants to get married. He's not hard to suit and his venture should prove successful. He says: "I am so bashful I won't put it in print, but if the ladies between 18 and 30, having between 40 cents and \$1000 (no objection to their having more) will write to me I will tell all particulars. This is no josh. My age is 29 and then some. Only widows accepted. address, Bill Nye, Lawen Oregon.

School began in the Lawen district Monday with Miss Ella Thompson as teacher. Miss Thompson taught here last winter and gave such general satisfaction that she was engaged for the present term. She is a very accomplished lady and a teacher of unusual ability. She is a graduate from the Oregon State Normal School at Monmouth, and holds a life diploma from that institution.  
BILL NYE.

J. F. Mahon, a pioneer stock-raiser of the Stein Mountain country, is enjoying a few days in the city with his friend, Colonel R. W. Mitchell. While Mr. Mahon's post-office was named Anderson Valley there was general complaint as to its length, and he applied to the department to have it changed to Mule. The answer came back from Washington: "All right--A-h-h-h-h! A-h-h-h! A-h-h-h!" and Mule it still is.--Oregonian, Sept. 5.

The laws of health require that the bowels move once each day and one of the penalties for violating this law is piles. Keep your bowels regular by taking a dose of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets when necessary and you will never have that severe punishment inflicted upon you. Price 25 cents. For sale by H. M. Horton, Burns; Fred Haines, Harney City.

The Queen City Furniture Co., of Baker City, is reaching into Harney valley after trade. Their "ad" appears in this issue. Read what they have to say.

Fine plating done by Jorgensen.

**Does Baby Thrive?**  
When ready to purchase your Fall supplies don't overlook the old reliable  
**Oregon Commercial Co.,**  
Huntington. Our lines are now full and complete, and at prices as low as the lowest.  
Correspondence Solicited.

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Wagon Work Done Satisfactorily and With Dispatch.  
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