

Openings at Madras.

Osborn spent Sunday with relatives in the Culver country. Rice, the Lamonta druggist, was in Madras Tuesday. Clerk of Prineville, was a visitor at the last of the week. Taylor of Haycreek, was in Madras last Friday. W. Barnett was in town last Saturday from his home near Culver. H. H. Reynolds was in town from his ranch near Culver. Luck returned last Friday from where he has been working for Tucker and family spent several days on the Deschutes the last of the week. and wife of Prineville, who own land in this vicinity, are visiting on Agency Plains. Cook was in town last Saturday evening, making arrangements to be in the construction of his cottage at Madras. L. Lanson and J. W. Mendenhall were in town last Monday buying and getting ready for the Frank Osborn is visiting her Mrs. Perry Read, at Culver, during the absence of Mr. Read, who has been on a camping trip. Foster, who has been looking after business matters in this section for several weeks, returned to his home at Madras last Monday. J. C. Robinson returned Thursday to Antelope. She was accompanied by her sister, Frances Brogan, who has been here for a week or more. C. V. Wilson and her little daughter returned last Thursday from a visit at the home of the former's parents, Mr. G. H. Osborn, at Culver. Kelsey of Shaniko, was in town today on his way home from Sisters, where he had been with a band of sheep belonging to M. Maxwell of Shaniko. Laveland, who has been in town for several weeks, came home yesterday afternoon. He drove in from Madras with Frank Forest, who was returning from California. Bondurant, a Free Methodist from Portland, will conduct services in the Free Methodist church at this place on the 1st and 5th Sundays in August. The public is cordially invited to attend. Wisdom of Culver, was in town today. He came down to buy binders, getting ready for the harvest at Madras. Incidentally it may be noted that the farmers in the Culver country have had a good average crop this year. By, a nephew of Charles By, John McTaggart, and Herbert returned here from Silverton the last of the week. Mr. By has accepted a position with McTaggart & By, and Mr. By expects to remain in this section and find employment. C. M. A. Robinson have put a new sewer trough near the sidewalk in front of their store, and it will prove a very handy stock these hot days. The store is connected with the private telephone which supplies the store so that it can easily be kept filled with cool water. One of the surveyors in charge of the new road have established their first office at O'Neill's and are surveying this section of the road. The survey comes by way of La Grange, practically following the old Co. Southern survey, and will be care- fully made as it is the permanent location of the Central Oregon railroad. The exterior of the new M. E. church at Madras has been completed, except the roof, and the carpenters will now be engaged on the interior work. They expect to have the building completed early in the fall. When it is finished it will be one of the most attractive and comfortable buildings in the county. T. A. Long, who is making preparations to move to Medford, disposed of his stock of drugs and sundries to Dr. Snook last Monday. The remainder of the drugs, patent medicines, were offered for sale at the store on Tuesday. Dr. Long and family expect to leave within a week for their new home at Medford. Boegh will have a very fair crop of fruit at his Cove Orchard this year. Some of the late frosts and very early spring. The last of the cherries is just marketed, but later on will be peaches, apples, pears and the crop promises to be a good one. Mr. Boegh finds a ready market in the county for all the fruit he produces, and his orchard, situated at the mouth of Crooked river gorge, is one of the best places of this end of the

Joe Stuart of Youngs, was in town Tuesday.

J. C. Rush, the Lamonta merchant, was in town the first of the week.

A. Merchant and wife were in town Monday from their home near Culver.

Mrs. M. E. Bradford was in town Tuesday from her home near the Cove.

Mrs. Dwight Roberts of Culver, and Mrs. Lemmons of Portland, who is visiting her, were in Madras the first of the week.

W. H. Cook returned Saturday evening from Portland, where he attended the grand lodge of the A. O. U. W., as a delegate from the Madras lodge.

L. H. Tiffany and his daughter, Miss Carrie, were over from the Wamspring agency last Sunday, visiting at the home of Anton Batalgia on Agency Plains.

Frank Forest returned Saturday afternoon from California, where he spent the past two weeks on business connected with the prospect work of the Madras Oil Co., of which he is president.

J. B. McDowell and wife returned last Saturday evening from a three weeks visit at Brownsville. They drove across the mountains, and Mr. McDowell says he has never seen the mountain road in such good condition.

A representative of Murphy, Grant & Co., the San Francisco wholesale dry goods firm, was interviewing local merchants the first of the week. This was the first trip of a representative of that firm in Central Oregon since the earthquake which almost destroyed San Francisco over three years ago.

Mrs. H. J. Healy of Culver, was in town Tuesday and filed upon a timber claim before Commissioner Osborn. The claim is over in the Matoles country, where a number of good claims have been located in the past year. These claims are getting scarce, however, and anyone who finds a vacant timber claim is fortunate.

Samuel Rush, father of Mrs. J. W. Robinson, visited the latter in Madras the first of the week. Mr. Rush is one of the pioneer citizens of this end of the county, having resided in the Lamonta country for 24 years. He met with an accident two years ago, breaking his leg near the hip, from which he is still a little lame, but otherwise he is very hale and hearty and does not look within a score of his 79 years.

Porcupines are proving to be a pest at the Cove Orchard, and a number have been killed there in the past week or so. Fred Fulham, who works at the Cove, killed three of them, Thursday night. The porcupines are attracted by the tender berry sprouts and the leaves on the fruit trees, especially the pear trees, several of which they nearly stripped of foliage. They do not eat the fruit but pull off the leaves and the young sprouts from the berry vines, and one of them can do a good deal of damage in one night.

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CHARLES A. WHITSETT, of Madras, Oregon, who, on April 24, 1902, made Homestead Entry (Serial No. 6197) No. 16725, for sec 17, T. 12 N., R. 13 E., W. M.,

Has filed notice of intention to make final five-year proof, to establish claim to the land above described before Frank Osborn, U. S. Commissioner, at his office at Madras, Oregon, on the 2nd day of September, 1908.

Claimant names as witnesses: Charles W. Hunter, Frank Hunter, George H. Killenbeck, George Feulner, all of Madras, Oregon.

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