

happenings at Madras.

Curtis of Haycreek was in town Monday.

C. Robinson was a visitor at Prineville last Saturday.

Loveland and family were in town last of the week from Grizzly.

W. Critwell of Mud Springs district is attending the county high school.

W. Robinson made Haycreek a bus-ness trip last Friday, returning Saturday.

H. Wenzandy, of the Bend/Shaniko line, was in Madras last of the week.

W. Barnett was in town last Saturday from Culver, looking after business interests.

J. K. Craig and family left Monday for their new home at White Salmon, Washington.

W. McVeen was down from La Grange last Friday evening and took in Harvest Ball.

Mrs. Porter Quinn came down from Grizzly last Friday evening to attend the Harvest Ball.

M. Cornett, proprietor of the Prineville-Shaniko stage line, was in town last Saturday afternoon.

H. Whitsey was among the La Grange boys who attended the Harvest Ball last Friday night.

W. Little Gard, an employe in the school at the Warm Springs agency, was in town last Saturday.

W. Boyer, a large property owner in the Haystack vicinity, was in town looking after business interests last Saturday.

E. Jordan of Sisters was in town Sunday. He was on his way to The Dalles to attend the district fair this week.

W. Rogers returned Saturday from Shaniko. He says it was snowed out at Shaniko when he left there Saturday morning.

W. Conroy, who has been visiting in the Walla for some time, returned last Sunday to resume his position with the Adams Milling Co.

Services will be held at Mountain View on Agency Plains next Sunday, October 11, at 11 a. m., by the pastor, Rev. G. R. Moorhead.

W. Fred Pinkham and family of Madras, have been spending the past week in Madras visiting at the home of Pinkham's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Phillips.

W. A. Wynn, right-of-way agent for the Oregon road, was in town the last of the week from the Culver country. He says he is having good success in that line.

W. Jackson was down from Agency Plains Monday, arranging for the big meeting to be held at this place next Friday. Mr. Jackson is one of the organizers of the farmers' union.

Among the pupils from this end of the county who have this year entered the county high school at Prineville are Misses Kadder of Madras, and Misses Ed. Wadon and Vesta Brown and Helen E. and Roy Lowther of Culver.

Smith & Williams' threshing machine outfit passed through town Monday their way to the little plains, where a week's threshing will complete the season there. They have been threshing on Agency Plains and in the Fisherville neighborhood.

Senator Rand of Vancouver, Wash., who is securing right-of-way for the Oregon Trunk Line along the Deschutes, was in town the last of the week. He is having good success in securing the right-of-way, which he has already closed contracts for over most of the private lands owned by the Oregon Trunk survey.

The mail stage was eight or ten hours in reaching Madras Sunday, owing to a week on the Columbia Southern, which delayed the train to Shaniko. The stage did not get away from Shaniko until after three o'clock Sunday morning, and these conditions will continue until after three o'clock the afternoon.

W. Blair, postmaster at Youngs, was in town last Thursday afternoon. Blair says the Harriman surveyors have been very active in that locality, having a line up Trout creek to Sage Creek spring, and then up on the flat and south for some distance. This party moved camp down to the O'Donnell place at the mouth of Trout creek, and there are also one or two other Harriman parties just below that point.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. U'Ren and their children were in town Tuesday from their home on the Deschutes. The Oregon Trunk Line crosses Mr. U'Ren's place on the river and he has recently made a contract with them, giving a right-of-way across the land. Mr. U'Ren says that there are 60 surveyors in the employ of Harriman working near his place on the river, but that they have not secured any right-of-way.

D. B. Gay of Haycreek was in town Monday.

John H. O'Kelly of Haycreek was in town Monday.

Charles W. Parrish of Haycreek was a visitor in town Monday.

C. C. Lamson and Will Barber were in town Tuesday from Culver.

A. W. Culp of Hood River is spending several days in this vicinity, looking after business interests.

W. P. Myers, editor of the Laidlaw Chronicle, was in town Monday on his way home from Portland.

Frank Loveland returned last Monday evening from a trip to Hood River. He brought back a wagon load of fruit.

C. E. Koush returned from Portland Sunday night. He rode his horse out from Shaniko and beat the stages in.

Robert C. Osborn and Ralph Armstrong were among the visitors in Madras Tuesday from the Culver neighborhood.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Read left Sunday for The Dalles, where they will attend the district fair in progress at that place.

Miss Anna Cornett of Albany is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Davis. Miss Cornett is a niece of Mrs. Davis.

S. A. Davis, who is farming in Polk county, arrived here Monday and will spend several days looking after his interests in this section.

J. W. Livingston has purchased the building formerly occupied by the Elk Drugstore, having closed the deal for it the last of the week.

J. C. Cockerham of Butler, Oregon, is spending several days in this locality, looking over the country, probably with a view to investing.

Dr. Harold Clark and wife are in town from the Lamonia neighborhood. Dr. Clark has opened up his dental office at the Green Hotel and will spend several weeks here.

The Fall term of Circuit Court meets at Prineville the 19th of this month, and a number of criminal cases are set for trial at that time. Several jurors have been subpoenaed from this locality.

Tice Loucks left last week for Eugene, where he goes to enter the business college at that place. He rode horseback across the mountains and will dispose of his horse after he reaches Eugene.

An Ordination Council will be held at Madras, Saturday, October 24, by the Middle Oregon Baptist Association. An special invitation is extended to delegates from other churches in this district to be present.

A. C. Sanford is building a dwelling house on his lots in the Northern part of the town. The lumber is on the ground and he expects to have it ready for occupancy before winter sets in. Geo. Richardson has charge of the carpenter work.

J. H. Ackerman, state superintendent of public instruction, L. R. Alderman, a member of the faculty of University of Oregon, and George Jones, editor of the Oregon Teachers Monthly, were in town Sunday on their way home from Prineville, where they attended the county teachers' institute.

Mrs. William Farrell of Youngs was in town Monday.

C. L. Lowther was in town Tuesday from his ranch near Trail Crossing.

Mrs. M. E. Percival, who has been visiting with relatives in the valley for several months, arrived at Heister Tuesday and will visit a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Ralph Brown, before returning to Madras.

WILL BEGIN DRILLING SOON

The Madras Oil & Gas Co. expects to resume drilling at their well on the West slope of Grizzly in the next week or so. They have secured the services of S. L. Beck, an experienced oil well driller, and he is expected to arrive here in a few days.

The new Star-drilling outfit arrived at Shaniko some time ago and it is now being set up at the well. The machinery will all be in place by the time Mr. Beck arrives, and drilling will be resumed at once.

The well at the present time is down only 150 feet, work having been suspended until the heavier machinery could be procured. The new machinery has a capacity of about 3000 feet in depth, and no further trouble is anticipated.

CLASSIFIED LOCALS

Dance at Sanford's Hall Friday, October 30, 1908. Tickets \$1.50, including supper.

FRESH CIDER, 60 cents per gallon, at A. C. Sanford's.

HUNT & GALLOWAY have opened the Culp Blacksmith shop with John McElroy in charge, and are now prepared to do all kinds of blacksmith work at reasonable prices.

DENTIST ARRIVED—1 am in Madras at Green Hotel, prepared to do all kinds of dental work.—Dr. Harold Clark.

GOVERNMENT STOCK SALE—One bull, thoroughbred Shorthorn, a good one, 3 years old, weight 1000; 7 bulls, Shorthorn, grade and thoroughbred, 4 to 7 months old, (some extra fine ones); 6 boars, 6 sows, Poland China, one boar 3 years old, others and the sows 4 to 6 months old; 1 mule, horse, 6 years old, weight 1050 lbs, buckskin. This stock may be examined and prices obtained at any time by calling at this agency.—Claude C. Covey, Superintendent, Warm Springs, Oregon.

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HOMESTEAD Notice for Publication. Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at The Dalles, Oregon, September 10, 1908. Notice is hereby given that

LOUIS HERMAN ARENSMEIER, of Madras, Oregon, who, on March 12 1903, made Homestead entry (Serial No 0940) No 12239, for sec 22, tp 11 s, 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 8th day of October, 1908.

Claimant names as witnesses: Conrad Strasser, William H. Snook, Daniel Arensmeier, Fred Henske, all of Madras, Oregon.

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