

MADRAS And The Madras Country

Lamson and Will Barber were from their ranches near Culver.

Clifton, a merchant of Prineville, was an incoming passenger on yesterday's stage.

Clude C. Covey of the Warm Springs Reservation was a visitor in Madras yesterday.

George Hurt, who has been at Madras for some time receiving medical attention, returned to her home this week.

H. Miller and Mr. Bertram of the Prineville country, were visitors in Madras last Saturday.

Brown, a large land owner in the Madras country, was a business visitor in Madras last Thursday.

Rodman and family of Culver were in Madras Friday visiting at the home of Ralph Sharp.

Travis and John W. Jones made a trip upon their homesteads before Commissioner Turner Tuesday.

M. Garrett, who represents Wadsworth & Co. of Portland, was in town today calling on the merchants.

Stroud shipped another load of fat hogs to Portland last week. Davenport accompanied the shipment.

Stuffs, city editor of the Portland Oregonian, was a visitor in Madras Tuesday, on his way to Bend on business connected with his paper.

H. Reams, manager of the Cornett and Stable Co., has been in town a few days looking after business in connection with his company.

Clerk F. R. Angle issued a license Wednesday to William Marshall of Youngs, Oregon, and Miss McDonald.—The Dalles Chronicle.

F. Shutt was a passenger out on Monday's stage, being on his way to his father and brother at Topeka, Kansas. He expects to spend about two weeks in that state.

W. H. Cook has purchased the C. W. Madras property in the Southeastern part of the county. Jack Hardy and family have moved into the house and Mr. Cook is residing with them.

Mr. and Mrs. John D. Twoby arrived from Spokane this morning to visit Mrs. Twoby's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Fish. Twoby has taken up his work on the Snake River.—The Dalles Chronicle.

W. J. Loyd of Seattle, who is traveling with the Western Hotel Supply Co., was in Madras Tuesday. Mr. Loyd placed one of his modern equipped hotel registers in the Hahn Hotel, now conducted by R. Schaefer.

The recent winter snowy weather has proved the usual winter sports. Sleights have been very much in evidence, and coasting on the hill adjoining town has been greatly enjoyed by the young people the last few evenings.

Engineer Scott Gordon and four assistants arrived in Madras Tuesday evening. Gordon has been appointed resident engineer for a division of the Oregon Coast Line with headquarters in the Deschutes canyon near the J. E. Campbell place.

Transportation by automobile has not been hindered very much by the deep snow. Monday the 7 passenger Thomas car of Arthur Buck of Bend made the trip from Shaniko to this place very easily and Tuesday morning left with his load of passengers for Prineville.

The annual school meeting for the purpose of deciding on the amount of maintenance tax to be levied in Madras school district No. 22, for the coming year, was held last Saturday and it was voted to have the tax the same as last year—15 mills—with an additional 3 mills to pay interest on bonds. The taxable property in this district is \$21,158.

Duncan Macleod of the firm of Thomson, Macleod & Neill, was in Madras Tuesday looking after business interests which his firm recently acquired in the Wayne tract adjoining the townsite on the East. Mr. Macleod states that as soon as the weather will permit a surveying party will be put at work platting the tract, after which the lots will be placed on sale about the first of the year.

W. A. Graham of Des Moines, Iowa, has been in Madras for several days looking over the situation with a view to establishing a drugstore at this place. Mr. Graham has spent several weeks in Bend, Prineville, Redmond and other towns of Central Oregon and has expressed himself as very much pleased with the prospects of Madras and vicinity, and says that he will locate at this point with a well stocked drugstore in the near future.

Mrs. PAH Osborn and her little daughter, Louise, who have been visiting relatives in Madras for the past two weeks, returned to their home at Culver Tuesday.

A. J. Bobb of Redmond has disposed of his ranch in that locality and has purchased the George Loucks lots in Madras. He will build a house upon them as soon as lumber can be secured.

H. L. Bell, who has been looking after business interests in this vicinity for some past, left last Saturday for his home in Portland. Mr. Bell has disposed of his farm on Agency Plains. He and his family will move in a short time to Los Angeles to spend the winter.

Deputy County Surveyor Armstrong and Roadviewers W. H. Kinder and J. W. Elliott were in town Thursday last, having come over to view out the petitioned county road commencing at B street in the town of Madras and connecting with the Prineville Shaniko road near the Parrish place.

Robert Irwin and Miss Mabel Bennett, both of this place, were married at Prineville last Friday, and left for the home of the groom's parents at Madras where they visited a few days before returning here. The newly married couple are well known in Laidlaw, and their many friends unite with the Chronicle in wishing them a prosperous journey along life's highway.—Laidlaw Chronicle.

J. G. Huston, who is connected with the Opal City Townsite Co., located just North of Crooked River, has a party of surveyors at work on the Opal City Electric line, which will run between that city and Prineville. County Surveyor Rice has charge of the party. The present survey is being run on the South of Haystack Butte and through the Lamonta country, and will cross the divide on the South side of Grizzly Mountain in the vicinity of the present county road. The grades will be easy from this point to Prineville.

MADRAS PUBLIC SCHOOL REPORT

Monthly report of district No. 22 for the month ending Dec. 31

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| Whole number on roll since beginning of year | 130 |
| No. days taught during month | 18 |
| Whole No. days attendance | 1700 |
| " " absence | 186.5 |
| " " No. times late | 54 |
| No. pupils neither absent nor late | 41 |
| Average No. pupils belonging | 104.8 |
| " " daily attendance | 94.5 |
| Per cent of attendance | 90.1 |
| No. visits by parents | 0 |

W. R. COOK, Principal.

CHRISTMAS TREE PREPARATIONS

A meeting was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Tucker last Monday evening for the purpose of arranging for a Christmas tree to be held in Madras Friday evening Dec. 24. T. B. Tucker was elected chairman of the meeting and Mrs. W. H. Snook secretary. The following committees were appointed: Program, Prof. W. R. Cook, Professor Tiffany, Misses Verna Howard and Nellie Reynolds; committee on arrangements, Ed Mason, Charles Bye, T. B. Tucker; committee on finance, Mrs. E. Percival, Mrs. W. H. Snook, T. B. Tucker; candy sack committee, Mesdames F. Loveland and A. Culp; decorations, Mrs. E. Percival, Mesdames W. H. Snook, Gillis Diney, Howard Turner, Miss Loveland, Charles Bye, Ed Mason, Glenn Loucks.

SERVICES AT M. E. CHURCH

Sunday school at 10 a. m.; Epworth League at 7:00 p. m.
Services Dec. 12 at 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Class meeting follows the morning service.
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Not Coal Land HOMESTEAD.—Notice for Publication, Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office, The Dalles, Oregon, November 11, 1909.

Notice is hereby given that **WILLIAM A. ELLIS**, of Madras, Oregon, who, on October 28, 1903, made Homestead, Serial No. 03012, No. 13019, for sw 1/4 sec 15, 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 Howard W. Turner, U. S. Commissioner at his office at Madras, Oregon, on the 21st day of December, 1909.

Claimant names as witnesses: M. C. Mason, I. F. Shutt, J. H. Horney, J. P. Hahn, all of Madras, Oregon.
C. W. MOORE, Register

CONTEST NOTICE. Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office, The Dalles, Oregon, October 20, 1909.

A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by **NEWT E. MELTON**,

contestant, against homestead entry No. 03486, made Feb. 24, 1905, for e 1/2 sw 1/4, nw 1/4 sec 29, and n 1/4 sec 30, tp 9 s, r 13 e, w m, by William V. Zuerner, contestee, in which it is alleged that said Zuerner has wholly abandoned said land for more than six months last past, and that said abandonment still exists.

Said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on Dec. 10, 1909, before Howard W. Turner, U. S. Commissioner at Madras, Oregon, and that final hearing will be held at 10 o'clock a. m. on Dec. 18, 1909, before the Register and Receiver of the United States Land Office in The Dalles, Oregon.

The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed Sept. 21, 1909, set forth facts which show that after due diligence personal service of this notice cannot be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given by due and proper publication.
C. W. MOORE, Register

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MENNONITE SERVICES
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OPAL PRAIRIE—Every Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. in Opal Prairie Church, Union Sunday school every Sunday at 10 a. m.
JUNIPER BUTTE School House—Every Sunday at 3 p. m. Union Sunday school every Sunday at 2 p. m.
MOUNTAIN VIEW School House—First and 3d Sunday of each month at 4:30 p. m. Union Sunday school every Sunday 3:30 p. m.
All are cordially invited to these services.
ARTHUR and MINA CREASEY, Pastors.

Not Coal Land HOMESTEAD.—Notice for Publication, Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at The Dalles, Oregon, November 4, 1909.

Notice is hereby given that **WILLIAM P. SCHAUBLE**, Madras, Oregon, who, on December 2, 1904, made Homestead, [Serial No. 08104] No. 14023, for sec 29 and sw 1/4 sec 29 and n 1/2 sec 21, tp 11 s, r 14 e, w m, has filed notice of intention to make final five-year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Howard W. Turner, United States Commissioner at his office at Madras, Oregon, on the 14th day of December, 1909.

Claimant names as witnesses: Ira D. Eagles, W. J. Eagles, James Atkins, A. S. Phillips, all of Madras, Oregon.
C. W. MOORE, Register.

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HOMESTEAD.—Notice for Publication, Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at The Dalles, Oregon, November 2, 1909.

Notice is hereby given that **HARRISON G. GRATER**, of Ashwood, Oregon, who, on April 4, 1904, made Homestead [Serial No. 03127] No. 15352, for w 1/2 sec 29 and lot 1, sec 18, tp 11 s, r 17 e, w m, has filed notice of intention to make final five-year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Howard W. Turner, U. S. Commissioner, at his office at Madras, Oregon, on the 18th day of December, 1909.

Claimant names as witnesses: R. D. Huston, J. G. Clark, S. E. Black, of Ashwood, Oregon, A. V. Warren, of Haycock, Oregon.
C. W. MOORE, Register

ESTRAY.—I have taken up a dark bay colored horse, branded circle J on left side; branded in left shoulder. Owner can have same by calling on me and paying charges.—A. E. Williams, Madras.

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HOMESTEAD.—Notice for Publication, Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at The Dalles, Oregon, November 13, 1909.

Notice is hereby given that **ROBERT E. GALLOWAY**, of Madras, Oregon, who, on December 5, 1904, made Homestead [Serial No. 08495] No. 40324, for e 1/2 sec 20, 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 Howard W. Turner, U. S. Commissioner, at his office at Madras, Oregon, on the 22nd day of December, 1909.

Claimant names as witnesses: Mrs. Fannie Barton, Chris Hegener, B. C. Dombroe, Gillis Diney, all of Madras, Oregon.
C. W. MOORE, Register

NOTICE.—All accounts due me for professional services or otherwise, I have left with Howard W. Turner for collection. Please call and settle at earliest convenience.—Dr. J. C. Bartlett.