

ITEMS OF NEWS.

T. Monroe and Bernard Marx were in the city last Friday.

Moore and wife of Lamonia were in the city yesterday trading.

Young of Culver Junction was a visitor in the city Saturday.

Hault departed this week for an visit with his family at Mt. Madron's little daughter was with pneumonia the latter part of the week.

Robb, a salesman for J. P. Robbins, left Monday on a visit to the coast.

Hort was a business visitor in the city last Friday from his place on the coast.

Shroy and James E. Drogan were in the city Friday.

Saleman Fowler, representing the city of Portland, was in the city Monday.

Manager of the Red Cross in the city this week.

Caples was in the city Monday looking after road matters.

Commissioner R. H. Bayley was in the city Monday looking after road matters.

Mr. Fred Davis was very ill last week, but is now able to be out.

Robinson ventured on a trip to the coast with his auto this week, taking with him several salesmen as passengers.

B. Haile has established his office in the Loucks building in the room occupied by Shroy's store on Main Street.

Hartnagle was ill last week with a fever. He is improving at the present time.

Mr. Co's big man, M. R. Matson, was in the city the first of the week making his periodical call upon the merchants.

Duffy, railroad contractors, finished a ten-mile stretch of road from Crooked River extending near Culver Junction.

Brown of Kaskela, which is to be built on the Deschutes about north of Madras, is in town after business matters.

Elkins was a visitor in the city. He and John Moore have a company for the handling of an passenger business, and will operate between the different towns of the county.

Chestnut & Savage, recent arrivals in Shaniko, have leased the H. A. building on Main Street and are making arrangements for establishment.

Single Comedy Co. showed three comedians in Madras to good houses last Saturday night. The play was good and sparkling with fun, and the comedians showed their appreciation of the good houses.

Antin is making preparations to erect a water tank near the head of the creek canyon on the Oregon coast for the use of the locomotives which arrive at that point in the construction of the Hill line. The water will be pumped from the well at Clark's camp No. 1.

Attorney Fred Wilson writes to the friends of Madras from The Dalles. Harper, who was interested in the city here recently is out of town, and that as soon as possible will be returned to this place for a preliminary examination. A. J. is the other party to the affair, is in the city, and is also rapidly improving.

Services are in progress at the church. Special service for children last afternoon. Parents are in attendance and bring their children. The choir will be present next week and the choir will be present next week and the choir will be present next week.

On Jan. 14, the friends of the church gathered at his new residence which he has completed in fine style. He helped him to dedicate it, and the dance was better than the one at the church. The dance was better than the one at the church. The dance was better than the one at the church.

Madras public school has taken up the custom of spelling down for the children and there is intense rivalry among the school children of late that they are said to be poor. With the interest that the Madras children are taking in spelling, it is long before they can boast of being similar to their parents and friends in the matter of good spelling.

Hobson, a son of Jesse Hobson, who was in the city last week and will be in the city again, is handling the business of the Greater Portland and South Additions to the city. Mr. Hobson says that just as there is a break in the weather, the streets will commence on the city they handle. A pump is already in their well on the Steinke street, and about a week a test of the water is made to show just how much water there is. Mains are to be laid in those additions for the use of

S. S. Clover, the contractor in charge of the carpenter work on the Farmers' Union warehouse, says that the balance of the material for the structure has arrived and that work commenced today will be continued until the building is completed. Not many of the farmers in this section have sold all of their wheat, having held a good portion of it to be shipped out on the railroad.

Commercial Club Has Live Meeting

The Madras Commercial Club held a live meeting last Thursday evening at which there were about 40 business men and citizens present. All present were intent upon giving the organization new life and about a dozen new members were enrolled. Messrs. Oisen, Conklin and Segal were appointed a committee to canvass the city for new members.

The next meeting of the Commercial Club will be held at the Sanford hall this evening, when it is expected that all members of the club and any others interested in the boosting of Madras will be present. Several matters of importance are to be taken up in connection with the upbuilding of the city.

W. F. Hammer was elected president of the club and Jack McTaggart vice president. C. E. Roush was elected temporary secretary until some person can be selected who will devote the larger part of his time to the business.

W. R. C. Ok, local agent of the National Life Insurance Co. is just in receipt of a draft for \$2000.00 from the Company to pay the death claim of the late Wallace Williams, who was accidentally shot and killed a short time ago. A remarkable coincidence of this claim is that the deceased had never received his policy or paid for it, as he was killed on the morning of Dec. 4th and his policy reached the Madras post office by registered mail on the afternoon of the same day, and was received for by his parents. The promptness in which the National Life Insurance Company pays its claims is a subject of favorable comment by the citizens of Madras, as this company has over one hundred thousand dollars of insurance in force here.

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C. W. Moore, Register

Notice for Publication.
Department of the Interior, United States Land Office, The Dalles, Oregon, December 28th, 1910. Notice is hereby given that the California and Oregon Land Co. of San Francisco, California, has this 23d day of December, 1910, filed in this office its application, No. 07851 to select under the provisions of the Act of Congress, approved June 4th 1897, The n. e. c. 4, Sec. 2, tp 12, s. r 15, e. w. m.
Any and all persons claiming adversely the lands described, or desiring to object because of the mineral character of the land, or for any other reason, to the disposal to applicant, should file their affidavits of protest in this office, on or before the 9th day of February, 1911.
C. W. Moore, Register.

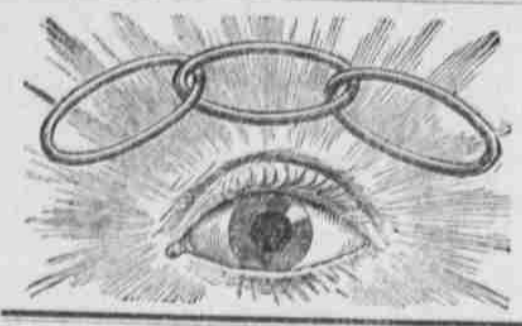
Mrs. J. E. Sears was awarded the set of dishes given away by the Central Oregon Mercantile Company at their store yesterday afternoon, she holding a ticket corresponding exactly with time registered by the clock—6-45-26.

LOST—Shepherd Dog, in Madras, Friday, the 13th, last seen in front of the Central Oregon Mercantile Co's. store. Dog is light brown, white ring around neck, white streak in face, white breast and white fore feet;

maltese on jaws, tip of tail white; right ear split one half inch; under please leave the dog with Mrs. Pontius of Madras, who will know him. T. W. Kilmer.

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