Personal and Local IMPORTANT TERM

Brenton Jones of Metolius was a business visitor in Madras yesterday.

A. W. Culp left Monday morning for Portland for a visit with roads. And now is presented a nis parents.

C. W. Carter, a real estate man from Metolius, was a business visitor in Madras Saturday.

Jno. T. Dizney, postmaster at Vanora, has been making daily trips from Vanora to Madras, carrying the mail.

Mrs. J. G. Hardy and children returned from Portland Sunday evening, after making a second trip to Fallbridge.

John Payne, a rancher from the Ashwood country, was in town Sunday and Monday attendi g to business matters. Carl W. Schrieber of Culver

made final commutation proof on his homestead before Commissioner Turner Wednesday. Mike Campbell returned the

early part of the week from Portland and St. Paul, Oregon, having spent several days with friends and relatives.

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Madras Tuesday evening and is made. visiting friends an 1 relatives.

mutation proof on his homestead couraged and homesteading made before the U.S. Commissioner easier. Senator Chamberlain Saturday, with Isaac Martin and Lawrence L. Nichols as witnes- ed to attract settlers to those

Dr. Harold Clark and wife came down from Prineville Tuesday and expect to be in Madras for a few weeks. The doctor ters remaining uncalled for at the Madhas opened an office in the Mc- ras postoffice for the week ending Taggart hotel.

Robert Rea came up from Portland Monday evening and will spend some time in Madras looking after the interests of the town in the construction of the new water system.

The Epworth League of the M. E. church, on Friday night at 8 o'clock, Jan. 19, will debate on "Resolved, That Home Missions are of Greater Importance than Temperance Work." Admission free to all.

Miss Mary Prickett of Shaniko came in Tuesday evening and made final proof on her homestead before the Commissioner. She was accompanied by Mrs. J. McClellen, who acted as one of her witnesses, the other witness being Mrs. Margaret Mason of this place.

County Judge Ellis and Commissioner Rice came down from Bend Saturday, looking after some county business. Sunday they returned to Culver and looked over the work that has been started on the road across Deschotes river. Mr. Rice returned to Haycreek Tuesday evening.

Installation of Officers

Announcement has been made that the public installation of the officers of Mt. Jefferson Local of the Farmers' Union for the coming year will be held at the Mountain View school house on the Plains, Saturday evening, January 20th.

Everybody is invited to attend. After the installation a mock trial will be held, with C. F. Powell, defendant, and Bernice follows: Ramsey, plaintiff, in a breach of promise suit. After which refreshments will be served and a general good time is expected for those who attend.

WANTET-All kinds of help at the M.dras Hotel.

Constitution is the cause of many allments and disorde a that make life miserab e. T ke Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets, keep your bowels regular and you will avoid these diseases. For saie by M. E. Shook.

OF COUNTY COURT

(Continued from first page.)

petition requesting this court to notify all those interested in considering the possibility and advisibility of a bond issue for

It is therefore directed that the county clerk cause a circular letter to be sent to each postmaster, to each newspaper and to each commercial club in Crook county notifying the public that the question of a bond issue by Crook county to aid in the construction of good road will be held at Prineville, at 10 a, m., Feb. 5, 1912, and it is earnestly requested that every section of the county be represented at such meeting.

Homestead Aid Proposed

Senator Chamberlain is preparing and will introduce a bill for the relief of homesteaders, differing from all measures now pending in that it will provide Friday of last week Mrs. Eliz- that any homesteader, after six abeth Reuter made final proof on months' continuous residence on the homestead of her husband, his land, may be entitled to leave John Reuter, before the Commis- of absence for six months of each year; that is to say, home-James Kaas, a former resident steaders will be required to reof this section but now located side upon their land only half of at Richland, Oregon, arrived in each year until final proof is

By this means, he believes, William C. Young made com- settlement will be greatly enthinks some relief must be grantlands now open to homestead business matters.

Advertised Letters

Following is the list of advertised let-January 6, 1912:

Mrs. Gilbert Davis. R. G. Gardner. L. R. Garrett. Mrs. Lillie Bell J. B. Ramsey.

Letters-L. W. Thompson. Carrie B. Smith (2). M. P. Rycraft (2). Harold Hamiley. Guy Taylor.

Ervin Wilks. Maik Ysewitz.

For the week ending January 12:

Candido Rodriguezsal. Mrs. Owen Purden. Mrs. Myrtle McKelvey. Mrs. Will Hanna. Master Paul Ewing.

Mr. C. A. Bennett. Persons calling for above letters please say "advertised."

FRED DAVIS, Postmaster

Columbia River Frozen Friday morning the Columbia river was blocked with ice from the upper river down to Crate's point. The Bailey Gatzert came up from Portland Wednesday of last week and left on the return trip at 7:30 that same evening for fear if she waited until morning she would not be able to nake the trip and the fear was well founded. By Thursday norning at 10 o'clock she was no further than Cascade Locks and did not reach Portland until that evening. The lower river has filled more and more with moving ice and frozen until it is blocked as far dov n as Vancouver. - The Dalle', Optimist.

Special Tax in Incorporated Cities

Crook county has four incorporated towns that pay taxes as

Prineville Madras Bend Redmond	Equalized by Co Bd \$203,360 112,855 216,050 116,280	Special Schl Tx \$3050,44 1015,68 3888,90 1395,36	City Tx \$1009.65 621.51 1528.96 1125.15
Pein aville	Special Tax	School	City

" " 9 " 6 " " 18 " 8 " " 12 " 10 " This does not include the county and state tax.

C. S. Vantyne came in Sun'lay svening and is looking after his interests in this section.

Everything is Going Regardless of Cost

Notice a Few of Our Reduction Prior

4 pack	ages Corn Starch	25c
3 "		25c
3 "	Rice Flakes	25c
2 ***	Grape Nuts	25c
2		35e
2 .		25c
1 '	Columbia Oats	30e
1 .		30e
3 '	Jello, any flavor	25c
	Sauerkraut	25e
3 "	Condensed Milk	25c

Corn

Tomatoes

String Beans

4500 Matches

Men's fleece lined Underwear, per garment

Ladies' fleeced lined Underwear, per garment

Blanket lined Coats, each

Good quality, one-piece Sheats, 72x90, each

Children's heavy cotton Hose, two pair

There are no better bargains anywhere or in any than you will find in our Shoes and Hats. Do not on them. The greatest money savers you can find

Now is the time to buy a supply and save mone

Madras Trading Co.

MADRAS

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Notice of Con

John Lewis, the merchant at Grizzly, has been in town the last two days on

Mr. Harmon Cook of Laidlaw wants to meet the voters of Madras at the M. E. church at 7 P. M. Friday evening.

E. J. Jeffery, of the firm of Jeffery & Bufton, who are installing the water system in Madras, left for Portland this is going to climb Mt. Hood the latter part of the week.

M. W. Bennett has sold house and lot to William J. Branstetter here in Madras, the consideration is understood to be \$1000.00. Mr. Bennett and family left this morning for Walla Walla, Wash . where they will make their fu-

City Marshal Frank Stangland arrived home from The Dalles Tuesday evening, where he has been confined to the hospital for several weeks past receiving treatment for a wound in his leg. He states that several operations were performed for the removal of particles of bone but that it is so far improved that he will be able to take up the dv.ties of his office within a few days.

DR. GRANDMA'S O. K. My grandma is a doctor.

You bet she is O. K.! I don't care what those other quacks From college have to say. Her garret is a drug store.

With herbs a-hangin' all around In bunches done up neat. There's pennyroyal and boneset To take when you catch cold, And sage to put upon your head

It smells just awful sweet

When your hair doesn't hold. There's wintergreen for backache And horehound for a sneeze, There's sassafras to cure the boils

When you can't gut with ease. There's peppero int and catnip To take for Flomach ache. They're awful good to fix you up

When you rat too much cake. I don't rem ember all the herbs

That have g upon the wall. I know to ey cannot kill me, For I baye tried them all. The fanny thing about it-

There is no doctor bill.

I just get cured for nothin' V/honever 1 am III. I adeed, my grandma doctor

Just hugs me awful close And pays a kiss and nickel For takin' every dose. C. M. BARNITZ.

How to Make a Cornucopia. Where the Christmas tree is small and it is desired to find place for more presents than it will hold a cornucopia can be effectively used in connection with the tree. Get barrel and firkin hoops of different sizes and over them fasten flexible strips of wood or the "suckers" from an old stump or tree. The strips may be nailed or they can be secured with bits of string or small wire. After the cornucopla is shaped make a lining of cheesecloth in the form of a bag, fastening the outer end to the big end of the "horn" and pulling the other end inside and making it tarit. Then wrap crape paper over the futside of the frame and the cornu-

How to Drive Out Wasps. If chloride of lime is sprinkled in the corn ers and on window sills in attic the wasps will disappear. Then have the grindows well screened.

DRESSMAKING

A limited number can be accomodated at S. O. Herman's resimorning, expecting to join a party that dence on Fifth St., by

Madras Dray & Transfer

Work neatly and quickly done

Prices reasonable

Phone in your order

F. A. ZELL, Drayman

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nformation on Poultry

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Piles permanently cured or money refunded.

I have cured the worst cases in Oregon. NO FAKE.

Terms: \$2.50 down, \$2.50 when cured. Address

J. W. ROBINSON Madras

I have a fine lot of bargains in the relinquishment line; price from \$200 up, some of them with water. * See Bruce Hood, Madras.

Notice For Publication

PUBLIC LAND SALE
Department of the Interior, United States, and Office, at The Dalles, Oregon, December

13, 1911.

Notice is hereby given that as directed by the Commissioner of the Geograf Land Office, under provisions of Act of Congress approved June 27, 1906 (34 Stats, 517), we will offer at public sale, to the highest bidder at 10:15 o'clock a.m., on the 12thday of Feb. 1912, at this office, the following described land:

styswl, sec. 31 T. 10 S, R. 17 E, and Lot S, sec. 31 T. 11 S, R. 17 E, W. M., No. 09420.

Any person claiming adversely the above described land are advised to flie their claims, or objections, on or before the time designated for sale.

at Mrs. Crosby's. Notice For Publication. Department of the Interior, U. S. Land

See new line of Gold-stone iewelry

Office at The Dalles, Oregon, December 21, Notice is hereby given that

Notice is hereby given that
Paul F. Barz.
of Madras, Oregon, who on October 2, 1905,
made homestead, No. 14717 Serial, No.
03711, for self nwld, sld nelf, and relf
self, sec. 9, tp. 12 South, Range 14 East,
Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of
intention to make Final five year Proof, to
establish claim of the land above described,
before Howard W. Turner, U. S. Commissioner, at his office at Madras, Oregon, on sioner, at his office at Madras, Oregon, on

the 30th day of January, 1912.
Claimant names as witnesses: Lena having b Claimant names as eyenski, Fred L. H. Re ter, Rosa Reuter, all of Madras, Oregon. d28-j25-pd C. W. Moore, Register.

Notice for Publication

NOT COAL LAND

Department of the Interior, United States Land Office at The Dalles, Oregon, Dec.

9, 1911.
Notice is hereby given that the California & Oregon Land Company by T. A. Hudson its attorney in fact, whose postoffice address is The Dailes, Oregon, filed in this office this 9th day of Dec., 1911, its application to select under the act of Congress approved June 4, 1897 (30 Stat. 36), the nw 4, sek, S. c. 2, T. 12, S., R. 15, E., W. M., Secial No. 67851.

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 of the appliant, should file their affidavits of protests in this office, on or before the 30th ay of January, 1912.

d21-j18 C. W. MOORE, Register.

Summons.

Pauline Jackson, plaintiff Edward Jackson, defendant

In the Circuit Court for the State of Ore-

gon in the County of Crook: Pauline Jackson, plaintiff Edward Jackson, defendant

To Edward Jackson, the above named In the name of the State of Oregon, you

In the name of the State of Oregon, you are hereby required to appear and answer the above entitled suit within six weeks from the 21st day of December, A. D. 1911, or suffer a decree of absolute divorce to be taken against you.

The order of publi atlon pursuant to which this is published is dated the 12th day of December, A. D. 1911.

LEWIS H. IRVING, d21 j25

Attorney for Plaintiff.

Notice for Publication Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at The Dalles, Oregon, December 15,

Office at The Dailes, Oregon, December 19, 1911.

Notice is hereby given that Raiph N. Buchwalter, of Madras, Oregon, who, on November 7th, 1910, made Homestead, No. 07677, for ne kyderical 19, Township 11 South, Range 14 East, Williamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above tescribed, before Howard W. Turner, U.S. Commissioner, at his office at Madras, Oregon, on the 24 h day of January, 1912.

Claiman names as witnesses: Morgan G. Irwin, William J. Eagles, William J. Smith, John C. Eargood, all of Madras, Oregon.

Notice For Publication. (Isolated Tract)

Department of the Interior, United States and Office at The Dailes, Oregon, November 1, 1911.
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Any persons claiming adversely the above described land are advised to file their claims or objections, on or before the time designated for rate.

C. W. MOORE, Register.

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Date of first publication Dec d21-j18

Notice of Cont. TO JOHN BACHMAN of Med

You are hereby notified in son, who gives Madra, Oreg fice address, did on Ucober office his duly corrolorate contest and sector the can homestead, Entry No., Saria May 3, 1910, for swi, Section. May 6, 1910, for swi, Section. May 6, 1910, for swi, Section. May 7, 1910, for swi, Section. May 7, 1910, for swi, Section. May 7, 1910, for swi, Section. May 1910, for swi, Section. May

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