Personal and Local RECENT DECISIONS OF INTERIOR DEPARTM

Herman Kersten left the early part of the week on a business trip to Portland.

Robert Armstrong was down from his ranch in the Lamota country yesterday.

ing after business matters.

Joe Stuart, of Lower Trout Creek, was in Madras the latter part of the week attending to some land matters.

ver was down Friday looking and also filed his contest prior tice Court ..

W. J. Buckley of Redmond was law suit that came up before tested. Judge Jackson.

week looking after business in- unduly prolonged. terests here.

Dr. Gale, left Monday for Portpionts expecting to be absent not a bona fide purchaser within

which Mr Culp recently purchased from S. O. Herman. S. O. Herman and wife accom- 476.)

panied by Mrs Herman's mother left Monday morning for Port-

Douglas Hood, who has been spending several weeks in Port- of such purchaser. land and Williamette valley points, returned to Madras Friday evening.

Goe. Hamilton and John Lewis of Grizzly, were in Madras the latter part of the week, the former made a filing on a home-stead in the Grizzly section while here.

freight and passenger agent for not be closed, but the ehtry may the Northern Pacific Railroad be held intact, subject to future Company, was in Madras Wed-nesday looking after the interests per showing. of his company.

Oregon Trunk, was a business dence was substantially continuvisitor in Madras this week. He ous. If in making such proof, made a hurried trip to Metolius, an entryman admits his absence and returned to Portland Wed- from the land for short periods, nesday morning.

S. Sherwood of The Dalles, were entryman has lived continuously in Madras the early part of the upon the land for the requisite hatch. There's that damp, dark cellar render better service. week visiting friends and relatives, leaving for Bend Tuesday period of time. evening to visit the Sanford accepted when it fails to show set the eggs and their embryos were SENT THE PUBLIC. THE NEWS-

Married-On Sunday, January 28, at the home of the bride's on which application for notice mother, at the Nye Ranch west of intention to make proof was of the Deschutes river, W. F. filed. Citing section 3, regula-Glover and Miss Madge Jensen, tions of October 18, 1907 (36 L. P. A. Chandler J.P., officiating. D., 124.) -Culver Tribune.

Frank Pratt was put under \$500 peace bond by Judge J. H. plaint made by Lew Baker, in which has been, prior thereto, threatening to commit a crime. entry was subsequently relin-After hearing the testimony of quished, ruled that Pratt should be put after obtaining final receipt, and several witnesses, Judge Jackson under a peace bond, subject to the orders of the Judge of the Circuit Court.

Geo. Austin, manager of the well drilling department of the allowed to amend his entry, and Oregon Trunk Line, was in Mad- embrace therein adjoining land ras Wednesday. He is now locat- which he was not allowed to take Poultry association counted the re ed at Opal City, where he has a at the time of making his entry, well down to a depth of 1004 because of its being then covered show its receipts were \$823 and exfect with very little if any indiby an existing entry, providing penses \$823.41. So near and yet not so cations of water. The company contemplate going deeper until its purpose to contest said entry, find that it is not practical to done. pump water from that depth.

W. F. Hammer and son, Lewis to look over the country, and try to bag some of the ducks and geese that are plentiful in that L. D., 394.) section. Other Madras parties intend making the trip a little later in the spring in search of land claims.

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

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INTERIOR DEPARTMENT

Rulings of Interest to Homesteaders In This Locality Made by Secretary of Interior

The Secretary of the Interior G. Springer of Culver, was down Monday and Tuesday, look- has recently decided a number of important land cases of interest to homesteaders and others, a digest of which is given below:

According to published Departmental instructions of August 7, 1911 (40 L. D., 236), the contest-Attorney W. P. Myers of Cul- ant who establishes his residence after some business in the Jus- to September 1, 1910, and maintained his residence may receive credit for the time he resided upon the land before the cancelin Madras Friday, attending to a lation of the entry, which he con-

The sickness of an entryman M. Heywood, of The Dalles may be accepted as sufficient exwas in Madras several days this cuse for occasional absence, not

Purchase of land after final receipt and prior to patent gives land and other Willamette valley an equity only. Such person is the meaning of the pre-emption Mr. and Mrs W. G. Culp, have moved into their new home, which Mr Culp recently purchas as to acts of entryment. Citing Hawley vs. Diller (178 U. S.,

When purchase was made in good faith, and the face of the land, where they will make their record appeared regular and valid in all respects, the department will consider the equitable rights

When a leave of absence is granted a homesteader, a charge of abandonment will not lie against the entry until the expiration of six months after the time for which leave of absence was granted.

When commutation proof is rejected by the Commissioner upon only one ground-such as W. H. Ormsby, traveling lack of cultivation—the case will compliance of the law, upon pro-

In offering commutation proof, Claim Agent Robinson, of the it must be shown that the resithe showing thereupon becomes Miss Nellie Harper and Miss certainty be determined that the

> that the required residence and cultivation continued to the date

The act of February 18, 1911, construed in view of the act of June 25, 1910, simply makes the latter act inoperative as to land which Baker charged Pratt with properly entered, where such benhouses are for hens.

Where entryman sells the land before patent, the purchaser takes no better right than the entryman had at the time of the

A homestead entryman may be notice was given at the time, of they find plenty of water or else and the same has actually been

Land that is heavily timbered is not necessarily excluded from H. Irving, and Ben Ashley are homestead entry. It may be proves so fast. This is a day of adfor next week. Irving has a such a character as would be land claim in the artesian basin, suitable for agricultural use if might and main of heart, of hand, of and is going to look after that. the timber was removed. Other-The others in the party are going wise, heavily timbered land is not subject to the homestead laws. Citing Finley vs Ness (38

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Listen: There's that dirty nest full of bacteria in which the egg lies all so indefinite that it cannot with day. There's that hot place in which cubate. There's that incubator that with its smells or that badly ventilated Commutation proof cannot be room with its rank, dead air where you weakened or killed.

Yes; there are many ways by which eggs are infected so they become unfit for food and incubation, but this may mostly be prevented by keeping them in clean and cool environment.

FEATHERS AND EGGSHELLS.

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Don't let your temper get the best of you, for then you surely show the worst of you. That temper is to steel your will, your heart, your brain, your hand, that you may reach success, sublime and grand. So make it help you in your valiant fight until you're crowned a victor on you golden

Don't ship dressed or live fowls by freight. If they don't spoil or die they may get there too late.

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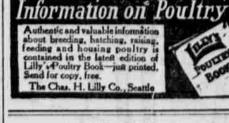
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Wanted—Estimates on clearing and plowing 160 acres brush land 3 miles southeast of Madras. E. L. Milner. 1t-Pd

Notice for Publication

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land 1912, and directs that Office at The Dails, Oregon, February 3, mons be published for 1912. Notice is hereby given that

Newt E. Meiton,
of Madras, Oregon, who, on May 9th,
1910, made Homestead, No. 06728, for ely
swl4, nwl4swl4. Sec 29 and nely sely. Sec.
30, township 9 South, range 13 East, Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final commutation 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 March, 1912.

the 18th day of March, 1912. Claimant names as witnesses: Alfred H. Parkey, Aiven Parkey, Stanley Grew-ell, John L. Campbell, all of Madras, Ore-C. W. MOORE, Register.

Notice of Contest

Department of the Interior, United States and Office, The Dailes, Oregon, February 3,

To GEORGE W. CLARK of Madras, Oregon,

To GEORGE W. CLARK of Madras, Oregon,
Contestee:
You are hereby notified that James E. Taylor, who gives Madras, Oregon, as his postoffice address, did on Dec. 27, 1911, file in this
office his duly corroborated application to contest and secure the cancellation of your homestead, Entry No., Serial No. 06056, made Fabruary 9, 1910, for whichely, elimby. Section 15,
Township 11, S., Range 14, E., Willamette Meridian, and as grounds for his contest he alleges
that said George W. Clark has wholly abandoned said tract of land for the past eighteen
months, that said abandonment still exists;
that the said George W. Clark has wholly abandoned said tract of land for the past eighteen
months, that said abandonment still exists;
that the said George W. Clark left this tract of
land during the spring of 1910 and has not
been in this section of the country to my
knowledge to this time.

You are, therefore, further notified that the
said allegations will be taken by this office as
having been confessed by you, and your said
entry will be cancelled thereunder without
your further right to be heard therein, either
before this office or on appeal, if you fail to file
in this office within twenty days after the
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copy of your answer, under oath, specifically
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J. H. Jackson, Jus Peace, Madras Precin County, Oregon. E. Bergland, Plainti

Date of first publica uary 25, 1912. Date of last publicat ruary 29, 1912.

Notice For Publi Department of the Int U. S. Land Office at The Shinary 29, 1912.
Notice is hereby given that Gitbert T. Davis, of Haycreek, Oregon, who on Amade Homestead No. 07880, for 28, township 10 south, range; has filed notice of intention commutation proof, to establish the land above described, by Turner, United States Conhis office, at Madras, Oregon, of March, 1912.
Claimant names as winesses:

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C. W. MOOI

Notice for Public O'Neil Brothers Company, a corporation, vs. Frank Jean and Ed Prather, co-partners, doing business under the firm name and style of Frank Jean, defendants.

To Frank Jean and Ed Prather, co-partners as Frank Jean, the above named defendants:

In the name of the State of Oregon, you are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint filed. Igainst you in the above entitled action within six weeks from the date of the State of