

MADRAS, OREGON

THE GATEWAY CITY

MADRAS

is the business center for the entire Northern Crook County district, and is the first town of importance reached via the O.-W. R. & N. and the Oregon Trunk Railway after the Columbia River is left behind. Since the coming of the railroads its growth has been steady and substantial. It offers to its residents the comforts and facilities of modern civilization--numerous churches, progressive grade and high schools, well-stocked stores and a substantial bank, close communication with the outside world, a city water system affording adequate fire protection and an abundance of pure water for domestic uses, and, soon to be installed, electric lights and power. A flouring mill manufactures a most excellent quality of flour, and numerous warehouses provide marketing and storing facilities for the products of the district.

Madras and vicinity offer exceptional attractions to the homeseeker and the investor. Present values are in keeping with production.

Situated at the Gateway to the vast Oregon interior, in the heart of the most fertile dry farming country in the Northwest, Northern Crook County, whose products have received prize after prize at the Dry Farming Shows

Wherever Madras products have been exhibited they have taken the lion's share of prizes.

They have entered into competition with the best specimens that could be procured from the fields of the most productive dry farms in the west, from localities where dry farming is a much older industry than it is in Northern Crook County. The transformation of this great territory from range to farm is a process that has occupied far less than a decade.

The prize-winning products of Northern Crook County are not limited to grain alone.

Under the methods of scientific tillage practiced by the farmer of today, the diversified crops of the American farm are produced in like profusion and quality. Alfalfa, the richest of forage crops, is an important factor in making the farmer's profits, and Corn, Fruit, Potatoes, and Vegetables of all kinds are sure and profitable. Poultry and Live Stock thrive, and animal health ranks high.

WATCH FOR THE LETHBRIDGE WINNERS, and MADRAS

THE MADRAS COMMERCIAL CLUB

will take pleasure in furnishing you with any desired information concerning Madras and the Northern Crook County country from which the prize-winning dry farmed products come

HOBSON CAFE

CHAS. HOBSON, Prop.

Quick Order Service

WE SERVE YOU TO PLEASE
WE ARE PLEASED TO SERVE

FREE EMPLOYMENT BUREAU IN CONNECTION

Don't "Let Fly" Your Money



It will soon "take wings" if you give it a chance, but it is much wiser to bank it with us and have the satisfaction of knowing that it cannot get out of your reach without your knowledge and consent. Riches have wings as we all know, but not for the man of saving disposition. In your care they will grow and thrive and fatten. Provide for the future by taking care of your present earnings.

FARM LOANS AND INSURANCE
Madras State Bank

The PIONEER
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WYOMING CONVICTS AND GUARDS FIGHT

Rawlins, Wyo.—A battle raged in the state penitentiary Sunday. Locked inside the walls with hundreds of mutinous prisoners, a few guards fought desperately to restore order and prevent a wholesale prison delivery. Camped outside the walls was a force of citizens, heavily armed, ready to drive back the convicts if they murdered the remaining guards and made a rush through the gates. The mutinous prisoners were subdued late Sunday night and locked in their cells.

Another battle took place in the hills south of Rawlins between a posse of citizens and from 20 to 40 escaped prisoners. Two men have been killed in the streets of Rawlins, and one is desperately wounded.

The outbreak was the second within 24 hours. About 8 o'clock Saturday afternoon 20 prisoners escaped, and nine were recaptured before 8 o'clock. At 2:30 Sunday afternoon a party of life-termers overpowered the cellhouse keeper, took his keys and released their comrades from the cells. Every prisoner willing to risk a battle with the guards made a rush for the gates.

A moment later the citizens of the town heard a fusillade of shots inside the walls. A bedlam of shouts and yells echoed from the prison. A few seconds later more than a dozen men dashed down the main street, armed with guns and knives. Holding the few citizens on the street at bay with revolvers, they charged into a livery barn, held up the proprietor and saddled and bridled the horses and fled to the hills.

While most of the penitentiary guards were pursuing the convicts that fled to the hills, the small body left in the prison faced a still more desperate situation. When the doors of the cells were unlocked, a large number of convicts who did not join in the break for liberty were set free inside the walls. Many of them were armed. Soon a riot was in progress, the guards battling desperately to save their own lives and prevent the escape of every convict in the institution.

Petticoatless Women Cause Failure.
New York—The Jackson-Mack Manufacturing company, one of the largest makers of silk petticoats in New York, has gone into bankruptcy. The failure is the culmination of a widespread complaint among petticoat manufacturers that the close-fitting dresses now worn by women have so reduced the demand for petticoats as to make them a glut on the market.

A Marvelous Escape
"My little boy had a marvelous escape," writes P. F. Bastians of Prince Albert, Cape of Good Hope. "It occurred in the middle of the night. He got a very severe attack of croup. As luck would have it, I had a large bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in the house. After following the directions for an hour and twenty minutes he was through all danger." All dealers.

A SUMMARY OF IMPORTANT EVENTS

National, Political and Personal News Items Briefly Sketched.

During the first nine months of this year 31,246 babies were born in Chicago.

The missionary societies of America have just reported that their gifts exceeded \$13,000,000 during the year 1911.

Reports received by railroads operating westward from Chicago indicate that colonist travel this fall will be much heavier than a year ago.

Nearly 80,000,000 bushels of wheat were produced in the Pacific northwest this season, by far the greatest harvest in the history of the three states.

Mexican rebels have given warning that all American railroad men captured while operating trains in certain portions of Mexico after October 15 will be shot.

The October crop report of the department of agriculture, just issued, shows that spring wheat, oats, barley, rye and hay have all exceeded the best record productions, while the crops of corn and potatoes also will be the greatest ever when harvested.

A great hunger strike by women throughout Great Britain is the latest move leading suffragettes propose to initiate if the government continues to ignore the suffragettes' demands during the parliamentary session just begun. It is proposed to commence the strike on December 25.

More than a score of cases of unusual consequence are on the docket for an early hearing before the supreme court of the United States, which convened Monday for its fall term. The cases include those of the anthracite coal trust, the Union Pacific-Southern Pacific merger, the intermountain rate cases, the Kansas election case, the cotton corner case, the suit to dissolve the bath tub trust, the Louisville and Nashville rate case, and several cases involving the interstate commerce laws.

20,000 CARS ARE NEEDED

In Three Months Western Roads' Supply Decreases 90,000.

Salem, Or.—That there is now a shortage of at least 20,000 cars on the roads west of Chicago is the information received by the state railroad commission from the Association of Western Railroads.

These figures are all the more startling in light of the fact that there was a surplus of 68,922 cars on July 18, or a difference of nearly 90,000 cars within three months. Comparative statistics as to car shortage and surplus since that time show as follows: August 1, 56,510 cars in surplus; August 15, 43,901 cars in surplus; August 29, 9,750 cars in surplus; September 12, 8,620 cars shortage; September 26, 17,793 cars shortage.

KEEP IN MIND THE FOLLOWING EVENTS

Eight Annual Central Oregon Fair PRINEVILLE October 16 to 19	International Dry Farming Congress LETHBRIDGE October 21 to 26	Pacific Northwest Land Products Show PORTLAND November 18 to 23
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MR. FARMER:

You have grown and harvested the most bounteous crop that Central Oregon has ever known. Your duties to the soil are not over. You owe it to the soil—and to yourself—that the products of its fertility—and your efforts—be advertised throughout the land. Such advertising cannot help but repay you manifold in increased market demand for your products and enhanced land valuation. You are invited to participate to any extent you may see fit at the events named above. They are exceptional opportunities for demonstrating to the investor and homeseeker the wonderful richness of Northern Crook County

YOU REAP THE BENEFITS

THE MADRAS PIONEER will be pleased to furnish, without charge, appropriately printed cards for any products you may wish to send to any of the above shows

LOW FARES WEST

Fall Colonist Period
Daily until Oct. 10 to
ALL CENTRAL OREGON POINTS



Chicago . . . \$38.00	Cincinnati . \$42.85	Milwaukee . \$36.70
St. Louis . . . 37.00	New York . . . 55.00	Detroit . . . 43.00
St. Paul . . . 30.00	Kansas City 30.00	Omaha . . . 30.00
Des Moines . 32.83	Indianapolis 40.60	Denver . . . 30.00

Tell your friends in the East of this opportunity of moving West at low rates. Direct train service via Burlington Route, Northern Pacific, Great Northern, "North Bank", and Oregon Trunk Railways. You can deposit funds with me and west bound tickets will be furnished people in the East. Details will be furnished upon request.

A BOOK ABOUT OREGON
A fifty page illustrated booklet describing the districts of Central Oregon will be forwarded to you or your friends if you will write W. E. Coman, General Freight Agent, Oregon Trunk Ry., Portland.

W. E. Coman, Gen'l Frt. & Pass. Agent, Portland, Or. A. P. Meyers, Agent Madras, Or.

New Crop Extracted Honey

Gathered from ALFALFA and CLOVER BLOSSOMS in the Yakima Valley and left on the hives all summer until thoroughly ripened; is thick, rich, and has a delicious flavor; put up in new, square, 60 lb. (net) cans securely boxed, f. o. b. my shipping point, Sunnyside, Wash. Single cans \$6.00. Two or more cans 9 cents per pound. Club with your neighbor and secure the lower rate. O.-W. R. & N. and Northern Pacific.

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If you want to contribute directly to the occurrence of capillary bronchitis and pneumonia use cough medicines that contain codine, morphine, heroin and other sedatives when you have a cough or cold. An expectorant like Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is what is needed. That cleans out the culture beds or breeding places for the germs of pneumonia and other germ diseases. That is why pneumonia never results from a cold when Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is used. It has a world-wide reputation for its cures. It contains no morphine or other sedative. For sale by all dealers.

Blue Print Township Plats

Corrected up to date, showing names of entrymen, vacant land, rivers and creeks, 50 cents each.

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For securing title to all kinds of Government land without residence or improvement, at lowest market prices. Write us for particulars. All kinds of Land office business a specialty. Twenty five years experience. Reference, French & Co., Bankers.

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