

# Personal AND Local

POINTED PARAGRAPHS  
PLEASINGLY PRODUCED. TIMELY  
TOPICS TERSELY TOLD

Born to J. C. Vannoy and wife of Agency Plains a girl on Wednesday, Dec. 4.

Arthur Shegert left for Portland this morning for a few days business trip.

D. G. Gay of Haycreek, returned from a visit to Portland and Eugene the latter part of the week.

Sam Compton of Grizzly, was in Madras the early part of the week in the interests of the lumber business.

Mrs. G. V. Stanton returned the middle of last week from a visit with Mr. Stanton's mother at Grass Valley.

S. Nace and family have moved out to the Dr. Haile place where they will reside during the coming year.

John Wishart of Blizzard Ridge, made final five year proof on his homestead before Commissioner Turner, Tuesday.

Fred Green now wears a smile that won't rub off, on account of the arrival of a baby girl at his home Monday, December 9, 1912.

H. Ruttledge, having resigned as city marshal, George Dodd has been placed in charge of the city's big stick for the present.

Stanton Black and Albert Simms of the Blizzard Ridge country were in Tuesday as witnesses in the proof of John Wishart.

Mrs. Mary E. Thompson of Haycreek, was over the early part of the week, and made application to prove up on her homestead.

Sunday, December 8, 1912, the stork visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. Steven Waite, two miles east of Lamonta, and left a bouncing baby boy.

To Trade—A full paid up \$300 share in a bay Belgian horse for work horse that will weigh between 1000 and 1200 pounds. For particulars enquire of W. C. Moore, Madras Hotel.

P. W. Ashley and wife, returned Tuesday evening from Portland, where they have been spending several days looking after business matters.

S. W. Robards and family came in last evening from their home at Albany, Oregon, and will spend some time in Madras visiting at the home of Mrs. Robards mother, Mrs. Baker.

Monday of this week, L. C. Savage took charge of the J. P. Hahn store, under the direction of R. L. Sabin of Portland, who has the business in hand for the creditors, Mr. Savage and some assistants are taking inventory this week.

The members of the Christian Church desire to announce that there will be held appropriate Christmas services Christmas Eve, the 24th, with a Xmas tree for the children, and a cordial welcome is extended to old and young.

Chas. Crofoot, a former resident of the Agency Plains for several years, and whose present residence is Maupin, was in Madras and vicinity the latter part of the week, calling on friends and looking after his interests here.

We are told that the largest car load of wood to be received over either railroad at the Madras depots, was received this past week and was consigned to the Tum-A-Lum Lumber Co. There was 26 cords on the car, and came in over the O. W. R. and N. line.

Mr. and Mrs. O. I. Mofford, now of The Dalles, Oregon, but who have been residing in Wyoming for a number of years, have been spending several days past visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Snook. Mrs. Mofford is a sister of Dr. Snook.

James Hurt was in town from his ranch on Lower Trout Creek, today.

Oliver Swanson of Terrebonne, came down to Madras today and made this office a pleasant call.

Billy Garrett, representing Wadhams and Co., of Portland, wholesale merchants, was in Madras today, calling on the local merchants.

J. C. Cockerham of Portland, who has an interest in the Culver Townsite and W. C. Barber of Culver, were in Madras today looking after business matters.

James Rice of Haycreek, returned from Prineville yesterday where he has been in attendance at the December meeting of the county court, and continued meeting of the circuit court.

Miss Minnie B. Taylor, who is now teaching school at La Pine, came down Saturday and made final proof on the homestead of her brother, E. P. Taylor, who has been declared incompetent.

Rev. Israel Putnam has been holding revival meetings this week at Mud Flats. The meetings were very largely attended, and Mr. Putnam reports remarkable success with his good work.

The early part of the week J. L. Campbell shipped half a car load of hogs and half a car of cattle to the Portland market. Mr. Campbell accompanied the shipment. At the present Portland prices he had ought to realize an exceedingly good price.

The completion of the consolidation of the two banks at Metolius was consummated last week, the Metolius State Bank and the Citizens State Bank, the former retiring from business and the new institution will continue under management of C. S. Marsh as president and N. A. Burdick as cashier.

Allen Harvey, who has resided a few miles west of Madras for several years past, has bought W. H. Cook's residence, and will move his family into it soon. Mr. Harvey desires to be closer to school facilities, and with both the Public school and the High School, Madras was the place most suited to his needs.

During the latter part of last week and the forepart of this week those who desired had the opportunity of witnessing a moving picture show in Madras. The two young men who conduct the show generate their own electric light, using the engine of their automobile to operate the dynamo. The pictures were first class in every particular, and a large crowd attended the show each night. The company left yesterday for other towns, but expects to return to Madras in about two weeks.

During the last week or over the weather was certainly all that a person could desire, just cold enough of mornings to make it interesting for a person to get up and get a hustle on them, yet not disagreeable.

The frost has made it impossible for the farmers to do much in the way of farming, and in fact some more moisture is needed before much can be done along that line. We may expect some falling weather soon now, the moisture during the winter months is what we need to insure a good crop for the coming year.

**He Advertised--At Last**  
There was a man in our town, And he was wondrous wise; He swore (it was his policy) He would not advertise. But one sad day he advertised, And thereby hangs a tale, The ad. was set in quite small type And headed "Sheriff's Sale."

**The PIONEER**  
For  
**Printing**  
OF ANY AND  
EVERY DESCRIPTION



The above is a picture of H. T. Lacelle, who has charge of the two stores at Metolius, Wm. Trunkley and Smith's, who are intending to reduce their stock before the first of the year.

Mr. Lacelle is connected with a large sales firm at Spokane, Washington, in fact is one of the firm, and they make it their business to turn into cash stock of goods that the owners desire to have reduced. Their methods being by very extensive advertising, as well as salesmanship.

## CHURCHES

**Methodist Episcopal**  
Methodist Episcopal Church Every Sunday. Sunday School 10 A.M. Preaching 11 A.M. Epworth League 6:30 P.M. Preaching 7:30 P.M. Prayer meeting Wednesday 7:30 P.M. Israel Putnam, Pastor. Residence near church.

**Free Methodist.**  
Regular services will be conducted at the Free Methodist Church as follows:  
Sunday School at 10 o'clock A.M. Preaching at 11 A.M. and 7:30 P.M. Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7:30.  
Ernest W. Hillis in charge.

## Report of the condition of the Madras State Bank

— NO. 38 —  
at Madras, in the State of Oregon, at the close of business, November 26th, 1912.

RESOURCES	
Loans and discounts	\$ 76,138 40
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	264 15
Bonds and warrants	1,944 00
Stocks and other securities	40 00
Banking House	5,560 00
Furniture and fixtures	2,000 00
Due from approved reserve banks	11,519 39
Checks and other cash items	4,477 60
Cash on hand	1,152 00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$108,401 47</b>
LIABILITIES	
Capital stock paid in	\$ 15,000 00
Surplus fund	1,390 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	1,458 01
Individual deposits subject to check	72,090 32
Certified checks	24 00
Cashier checks outstanding	15,601 29
Time certificates of deposit	2,935 70
Liabilities other than those above stated	11 41
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$108,401 47</b>

STATE OF OREGON )  
County of Crook )  
I, O. A. Pearce, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.  
O. A. Pearce, Cashier.  
Correct—Attest: C. E. Roush, A. W. Boyce, Directors  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of November, 1912. Howard W. Turner, Notary Public

## Notice of Contest

Department of the Interior, United States Land Office, The Dalles, Oregon, December 6th 1912.  
To Grover C. Condon, of Lamonta, Oregon, Contestee:  
You are hereby notified that John D. Aldrich who gives Haycreek, Oregon, as his post-office address, did on November 5, 1912, file in this office his duly corroborated application to contest and secure the cancellation of your homestead, Serial No. 02245, made July 19, 1911, for s.w. 1/4 sec. 21, Twp. 12 N., Range 15 E., Willamette Meridian, and as grounds for his contest he alleges that said Grover C. Condon has wholly abandoned said tract of land for the last six months past and that said abandonment still exists; that he has never made any improvements of any kind or description on the place to the present 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 canceled thereupon 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 date of this notice a copy of your answer to the copy of your answer to the contestant in person, proof of such service must be either the said contestant's written acknowledgment of his receipt of the copy, showing the date of its receipt, or the affidavit of the person by whom the delivery was made stating when and where the copy was delivered; if made by registered mail, proof of such service must consist of the affidavit of the person by whom the copy was mailed stating when and where the copy was mailed, and this affidavit must be accompanied by the postmaster's receipt for the letter.  
You should state in your answer the name of the post office to which you desire future notice to be sent to you.  
C. W. Moore, Register.  
Date of first publication December 12, 1912  
" " second " " 19, " "  
" " third " " 26, " "  
" " fourth " " January 2, 1913

**Petition for Liquor License**  
To the Honorable County Court for Crook County State of Oregon: We the undersigned legal voters of Ashwood Precinct Crook County Oregon respectfully petition your honorable body to grant a license to E. D. Gonsor to sell spirituous malt and vinous liquor and hard cider in quantities less than one gallon in Ashwood Precinct Crook County State of Ore-

# FREE FRUIT LAND AT Paisley

## DON'T BE AFRAID OF U. S. GOVERNMENT CAREY ACT IRRIGATION PROJECTS IN OREGON.

The day of irresponsible irrigation companies in this state is past. When the Northwest Townsite Company of Philadelphia took over the Paisley Project in Lake County, it gave the largest bond ever given in the state—fifty thousand dollars—guaranteeing completion of the project. Every three months it makes an itemized statement of expenses to the Desert Land Board. All of its advertising books, maps, contracts, subscription agreements and literature is submitted to the Desert Land Board for inspection before being issued. The land is level, free from rock, and is a rich Volcanic Ash Soil. The climate is perfect for fruit, which now grows to perfection at Paisley.

## APPLES PEACHES PEARS PLUMS PRUNES

Construction work upon the dam and reservoir has now been in progress for three months, with Thomas Hawthorne, State Inspector, on the ground. He was formerly with the U. S. Reclamation Service on the Umatilla Project. Send for 32 page illustrated book. Go to Paisley by automobile stage from Bend and see the land. Our agent at Paisley, Hugh K. Gilmore, will show you the land. It is free to those who pay the cost of putting water on it. Northwest Townsite Company is among the largest taxpayers in Oregon, owning townsite sub-divisions at Prineville, Madras, Redmond, Bend, Burns, Vale, and also the 840-acre Conn ranch at Paisley, including a 50-barrel-a-day capacity flour mill and general store.

Our Bank References are:  
First National Bank, Philadelphia, Pa. Commercial Trust Company, Philadelphia, Pa. Merchants' Trust Co., Camden, N. J.  
Girard National Bank, Philadelphia, Pa. Interstate Finance Corporation, Philadelphia, Pa. Security Savings & Trust Co., Portland, Ore.  
Address all communications to our Portland office, 601 Yeon Building  
Write now. The average cost of water will be \$46 an acre. We will give you a square deal

## NORTHWEST TOWNSITE COMPANY

308 Chestnut St., PHILADELPHIA, PA.  
See Our Agents in Bend—Homeseekers' Land Company

gon, for a period of six months beginning on the first day of January 1913:

James Wood, C. P. Maupin, S. E. Sears, C. E. Sandy, Chas. Swanson, J. C. Grater, E. L. Oakes, Lee Wood, Milo Wood, E. D. Gonsor, F. T. Doak, Patrick Reilly, Ernest Rieber, Rod Grant, Allen Maclanan, C. O. Short, J. C. Brogan, Jack Brogan, Jno. F. Brogan, Walter Mitchell, John Payne, F. D. Handendorf, Dan Crowley, Elrie Crowley, E. C. Fennell, Walter T. Symons, John T. Taylor, J. D. Symons, Howard Maupin, John Hale, Chas. B. McCollum, Dan Trolan, Bert G. Clark, Homer Smith, J. R. Baytis, Alex. Colett, H. C. Grater, H. G. Grater, Fred James, W. C. James, Chas. Campbell, John T. Wishart, Albert Sims, Ernest Wood, J. A. Gonsor, T. J. Wyman, Clarence M. Greenwald, H. Hawley, J. G. Clark, E. W. Crosswhite, pd.ad.

**Summons.**  
In the Justice's Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Crook, Precinct of Madras.  
D. C. Burns Co., a corporation,  
Plaintiff,  
vs.  
O. A. Fields,  
Defendant.

In the name of the State of Oregon you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit on or before the last day of the time prescribed in the order for publication of this summons, to-wit: on or before the 2nd. day of January, 1913, said day being more than 42 days from the first publication of this summons and notice; and if you fail to so appear and answer, for the want thereof the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief prayed for in the complaint, to-wit: in the sum of \$83.99 and interest per annum at the rate of 10 per cent from November, 1st, 1912.

This summons is served on you by publication by order of the Honorable J. H. Jackson Justice of the Peace for Madras, Precinct, Crook County, Oregon, made November 14th, 1912. By said order it was directed that this summons be published in The Madras Pioneer, a weekly newspaper published at Madras, Oregon, once each successive week, and the date of the first publication thereof is November

21st, 1912, the date named in said order for the said first publication.

Lewis H. Irving, Attorney for Plaintiff, Madras, Oregon.  
m.21—J.2. m.p.

## SUMMONS.

In the Justice's Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Crook, Precinct of Madras.  
Patrick Welsh and :  
R. T. Olson, doing :  
business under the :  
firm name of Cen- :  
tral Oregon Mer- :  
cantile Company. :  
Plaintiffs, :  
vs. :  
O. A. Fields. :  
Defendant.

In the name of the State of Oregon you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit on or before the last day of the time prescribed in the order for publication of this summons, to-wit: on or before the 2nd. day of January 1913, said day being more than 42 days from the first publication of this summons and notice; and if you fail to so appear and answer, for want thereof the plaintiffs will apply to the court for relief prayed for in the complaint, to-wit: for the sum of \$14.00 and interest at the rate of 6 per cent per annum from the 6th day of November 1912 and for the costs and disbursements of this action.

This summons is served on you by publication by order of the Honorable J. H. Jackson, Justice of the Peace for Madras Precinct, Crook County, Oregon, made November 14th, 1912. By said order it was directed that this summons be published in The Madras Pioneer at Madras, Oregon, once each successive week and the date of the first publication thereof is November 21st, 1912, the date named in said order for the said first publication.

Lewis H. Irving, Attorney for Plaintiff, Madras, Oregon.  
M21—J2. m.p.

**Notice for Publication**  
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office, at The Dalles, Oregon, November 11, 1912.  
Notice is hereby given that William Bigelow, of Lamonta, Oregon, who, on May 4th, 1909, made Homestead, No. 04835 for s.w. 1/4, section 23, Twp. 12n, Range 14

East, Willamette Meridian, notice of intention to make final proof, to establish claim to land above described, before W. Turner, U. S. Commissioner, office at Madras, Oregon, on the day of December, 1912.  
Claimant names as witnesses: Thomas J. Bennfield, Willamette Meridian, Oregon, N14-D12-Pd C. W. Moore, Register.

**Notice for Publication**  
Department of the Interior, United States Land Office at The Dalles, Ore., Nov. 18th, 1912.  
Notice is hereby given that Hubert A. Mounser, of Madras, Oregon, who, on February made Homestead, No. 0602 for s.w. 1/4, sec. 23, Twp. 12n, Range 14 East, Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of final proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before W. Turner, U. S. Commissioner, office at Madras, Oregon, on the 21st day of December, 1912.  
Claimant names as witnesses: Charles P. U'len, of South Junction, John Farr, of South Junction, Oregon, and John W. Young, of Youngs, Oregon.  
N14-D12-Pd C. W. Moore, Register.

**Notice for Publication**  
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at The Dalles, Oregon, November 11th, 1912.  
Notice is hereby given that Douglas W. Hood, of Madras, Oregon, who, on January made Homestead, No. 142, Serial No. 04299, for s.w. 1/4, sec. 23, Twp. 12n, Range 14 East, Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of final proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before W. Turner, U. S. Commissioner at Madras, Oregon, on the 14th day of December, 1912.  
Claimant names as witnesses: Charles V. Billing, all of Madras, Oregon, and James L. Thomas, all of Madras, Oregon.  
N14-D12-Pd C. W. Moore, Register.

**Notice for Publication**  
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office, at The Dalles, Oregon, December 5th, 1912.  
Notice is hereby given that Douglas W. Hood, of Madras, Oregon, who, on January made Homestead, No. 142, Serial No. 04299, for s.w. 1/4, sec. 23, Twp. 12n, Range 14 East, Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of final proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before W. Turner, U. S. Commissioner at Madras, Oregon, on the 14th day of December, 1912.  
Claimant names as witnesses: Charles V. Billing, all of Madras, Oregon, and James L. Thomas, all of Madras, Oregon.  
N14-D12-Pd C. W. Moore, Register.

**Notice for Publication**  
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office, at The Dalles, Oregon, November 11th, 1912.  
Notice is hereby given that Ray D. Clark, of Ashwood, Oregon, who, on 10th, 1908, made for s.w. 1/4, sec. 23, Twp. 12n, Range 14 East, Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of final proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before W. Turner, U. S. Commissioner, at Madras, Oregon, on the 18th day of November, 1912.  
Claimant names as witnesses: James A. Brown, Albert S. A. Garrett, all of Ashwood, John R. Baylis, of Ashwood, Oregon.  
N14-D12-Pd. C. W. Moore, Register.