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### TODAY'S WEATHER PREDICTION.

Clear today and tomorrow. Warmer.  
 A rare and salubrious climate—soil of remarkable fertility—beautiful scenery—mountains stored with coal, copper and gold—extensive forests—streams stocked with speckled beauties—game in abundance—a contented, progressive people—such is the Rogue River Valley.  
 Average mean temperature.....55 degrees  
 Average yearly precipitation.....21 inches

### WELCOME TO THE INDIANS.

All Medford welcomes the Pacific Indians, the best marksmen in the world, to the best country on earth.

The Indians are all good fellows and will find themselves in the hands of good fellows. They are Medford's guests and the freedom of the city is extended to them.

They have come to the richest section of the richest state in the Union. No matter what they want, they can find it here, and along with it the best climate that exists.

Medford can offer the ideal life. It is surrounded by the finest orchards in the world, in the midst of great undeveloped resources, with untold mineral and timber wealth awaiting exploitation. There is the best of fishing and hunting and automobiling the year around. Its scenic attractions are unsurpassed and its people the most cosmopolitan, and the city itself the most metropolitan of any place of its size in America.

### THE NORTH POLE DISCOVERY.

Americans rejoice in the discovery of the north pole by a fellow countryman. That the successful explorer is such a typical American as Dr. Cook, rather than one of the brass band, self advertising, notoriety seeking variety, in which must be classed Peary and Wellman, is an added source of gratification.

The discovery is the result of merit, of courage, persistence, pluck and energy, characteristics which in the long run always win. It was accomplished without blare of trumpets or spectacular pyrotechnics.

The world at large was ignorant even of the fact that the exploration was under way. The financial backer of the expedition, J. R. Bradley, who divides with Dr. Cook the credit of the discovery, has been equally modest regarding his part in the venture.

The yellow press of the country has been given oppor-

tunity to spring the usual array of fakes. While Dr. Cook was still in mid-ocean, long-distance dispatches from him appear, some of which quote him as saying: "Land has been discovered on which rests the earth's northernmost rocks. A triangle of 30,000 square miles has been cut out of the terrestrial unknown." In another he is made to say: "There is no land at the pole, only water, the depth of which I could not gauge." In still another vivacious narrative he is made to say: "I said to myself, 'Bully, Bully for Frederick.' I planted the Stars and Stripes in the ice field and my heart grew warm," though the thermometer read 117 degrees Fahrenheit.

The world will wait until Dr. Cook submits his proofs of discovery and until he publishes his own narrative. Meanwhile it will be entertained with fresh copyrighted fakes and the carping of envious critics, too small to give credit to rivals.

The discovery is interesting from a scientific point, but its main effect on the world will be that it will no longer be called upon to financially assist enterprising grafters win fame and free advertising.

Water bills are payable at the office of the city recorder from the first to the tenth of each month. No notice other than this will be given. Water bills not paid on or before the tenth will become delinquent and water will be shut off without further notice.

ROBT. W. TELFER,  
145 City Recorder.

### NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Notice is hereby given that the city council of the city of Medford, Oregon, will receive sealed proposals for the construction of lateral sewers as follows, to-wit:

A 6-inch lateral sewer along Riverside avenue a distance of 450 feet.

An 8-inch lateral sewer along Rose avenue a distance of 600 feet.

An 8-inch lateral sewer along North Oakdale avenue from Hamilton to Third street.

A 6-inch lateral sewer along Summit avenue a distance of 600 feet.

A 6-inch lateral sewer along West Third street from North Oakdale avenue to Holly street.

A 6-inch lateral sewer along Ham-

ilton street from west end of street to North Oakdale avenue.

A 6-inch lateral sewer along alley through block 25.

A 6-inch lateral sewer along alley between d'Anjou street and Central avenue from Eighth street to Ninth street.

A 6-inch lateral sewer along Orange street between Eighth street and Tenth street.

All bids must be filed with the city recorder on or before 4:30 p. m. September 7, 1909, and accompanied by a certified check payable to the city treasurer of said city equal to five per cent of the contract price; check to be forfeited to the city of Medford in case the successful bidder fails to enter into contract for same. Contractor to furnish all labor and materials necessary to complete said sewers. Plans and specifications may be had for said improvement by calling at or addressing the city engineer's office.

Done by order of the city council of the city of Medford, Oregon, this 23d day of August, 1909.

ROBT. W. TELFER,  
City Recorder.

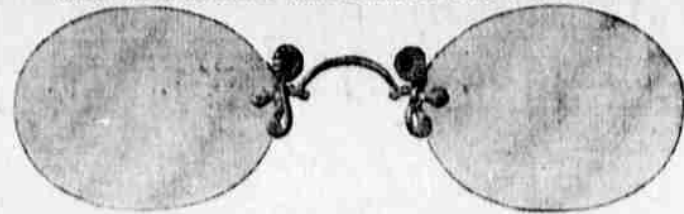
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