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MEDFORD'S PROGRESS.

AT MEDFORD the property owners have petitioned for much additional street paving. If the petitions now in are granted, Medford will have something like 15 miles of hard surface paving after the work has been completed. Medford has been forging to the front rapidly within the past few years and it is entitled to rank as the chief city of its section. Its present enviable position is largely due to the fact that its people—the property owners and business men—have been active and enthusiastic in taking advantage of opportunities to take the city forward. They have not been afraid to work hard and to spend their money in improving Medford. As a result, Medford has outdistanced the other towns that are cursed with "municipal hook worm" and where the leading people are possessed of a narrow pessimism that makes them look with disfavor upon the efforts of those who favor advancement. The progress of any place depends largely upon the spirit of its people. Towns are built, they do not grow.

ARE SUBJECT TO COURT.

Congressmen Can't Ignore Summons of Judge.

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, D. C., 28. — Justice Wright in the District Supreme Court today decided that the court acted within its authority when it issued a writ of mandamus ordering the joint committee on printing of congress to show cause why it should not consider a bid of the Valley Paper Company of Holyoke, Mass.

HERE'S UNIQUE WOMAN.

Aged Kansan Has Never Worn a Corset.

PENDLETON, Ore., March 1. — T. J. Tweedy of this city saw a dispatch from Spokane to the effect that a pioneer resident of northern Idaho had lived for 46 years and never taken a ride on a train. He says he has an aunt, Mrs. Caroline Best of near Columbus, Kan., who is now 73 years old, and until two years ago had never been aboard a train, although during all of this time she had never resided farther than 10 miles from a railroad.

In addition to never having been on a train, Mrs. Best has never worn a corset or a woman's hat. She has raised a large family successfully, and says all women would be better off if they would eschew the wearing of corsets.

CURED HAY FEVER

AND SUMMER COLD

A. S. Nushbaum, Batesville, Indiana, writes: "Last year I suffered for three months with a summer cold so distressing that it interfered with my business, I had many of the symptoms of hay fever, and a doctor's prescription did not reach my case, and I took several medicines which seemed only to aggravate it. Fortunately I insisted upon having Foley's Honey and Tar. It quickly cured me. My wife has since used Foley's Honey and Tar with the same success."—RED CROSS Pharmacy, (John Preuss, Prop.)

MANY LIVING ANTECEDENTS

Gertrude Laird of Coquille, Has Six Grandmothers Or Great Grandmothers Living.

COQUILLE, Ore., Feb. 28. — The Sentinel says: "Coquille is the home of a little girl who at the present time has six grand mothers of various degrees living. The little girl's name is Gertrude Laird and she is now a year and a half old. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Blinger Laird.

"On her father's side the little girl has four grand mothers living. The first is Mrs. Nancy B. Laird, now living at Sitkum, who is forty-four years of age. Mrs. Chloe A. Laird living at the home of her son, G. W. Harry, is the child's great grandmother and is now sixty-eight years of age. Mrs. Kate Shepherd, seventy-seven years old, living with her daughter, Mrs. Wm. M. Bettles at Fairview is also the great grandmother of the child, being Mr. Laird's maternal grandmother.

"Mrs. Marian Wade, born the third day of June, 1809, living at the home of W. L. Laird at Parkersburg is Miss Gertrude's great-great-grandmother. She is now ninety-nine years old and hopes to live to see the child herself a grand mother.

"On the mother's side of the family Miss Gertrude has but two grandmothers but she does not complain. Her grand-mother, Mrs. Agnes Smith, lives near Gravel Ford and is now fifty years of age. Her great grand mother, Mrs. Mary Ann McCloskey, is now seventy-four years old and lives at her home at Norway.

"The little girl comes from long lived stock in both of her parents families and will no doubt live to see herself a great great grandmother provided she is not taken away by contagious disease."

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Five per cent of amount of bid to be deposited with the County Clerk with bid, such deposits to be forfeited in case bid is awarded and the bidder fails to enter into contract with sufficient bond within five days after such contract is awarded. All bids to be filed with the County Clerk of Coos County, Oregon, or before the 2nd day of March, 1910, at 1 o'clock P. M.

The Court reserves the right to reject any and all bids or to award the contract or contracts to a bidder not the lowest in case the Court deems it for the best interest of the county.

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