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ALL PULL TOGETHER.

Now that the city election of 1910 has passed into history and the majority has stamped its approval upon the administration by retaining the present council in office, insuring a harmonious and business conduct of public affairs, the animosities and jealousies engendered by the campaign should be forgotten and all elements work together for a greater Medford.

"All men are liars," once remarked King David, and this is the universal opinion of defeated candidates. Politics is a buzz-saw and whoever monkeys with it is apt to get hurt. It is the great American game, and though many play at it, few master it.

The only sharp contest was between Messrs. Wortman and Nicholson—both excellent men and good citizens—in the second ward, where the opponents of the administration centered their efforts and massed their strength to defeat the incumbent. It is always easier to attack than to defend, but the excellent record made by Mr. Wortman won the day for him.

The success of the first three amendments proves the realization by the people of the growing needs of the city in its process of transformation from village to city, and their willingness to lend every effort to co-operate and help the cause along.

With such a business administration and with such a citizenship, it is no wonder that Medford pushes ahead by leaps and bounds while other Oregon towns are marking time. Unitedly and of single purpose citizens face the future, determined to make Medford a large city—and where there is this will, there is always the way, and Medford has found it.

AN OLD IDEA REVIVED.

Considerable ridicule and some abuse has been showered upon this paper and its editor by Portland and some California papers for proposing the new state of Siskiyou, but the merits of the proposition speak for themselves and in unprejudiced quarters, the proposal meets with the earnest discussion and consideration it deserves.

That there is nothing new under the sun and that the so-called new ideas of today are but repetitions of old ideas, and that man in his progress follows a special course, constantly doubling back and over the efforts of the past, is shown by facts this paper has recently learned, that twenty years ago a movement was started in Ashland for a new state division, to embrace much the same territory as that in the proposed state of Siskiyou.

This proposal met general favor in the regions affected. It came from a live and progressive set of men who had started Ashland on the boom, and made it the metropolis of southern Oregon. The panic of '93 broke most of them and forced them to leave and scared the remainder into becoming ultra conservatives but Ashland never since has had the same enterprise and dash it did in those days.

The creation of a new state is bound to come—it is only a question of time. Not only the territory affected needs it, but the entire coast needs it, to strengthen it at the national capital. Now is the time to start the ball rolling—and it will not take any longer to accomplish than it has for Arizona to achieve statehood.

UNCLE JOE CALLED A HERO BY DAWES

CHICAGO, Ill., Jan. 12.—Joseph Cannon, speaker of the house, is a hero, according to Charles G. Dawes, former comptroller of the currency. In a speech today which is regarded here as "the first gun in a campaign to kill any chance the insurgents may have of gaining a foothold in Illinois," Dawes likened Cannon to Alexander Hamilton.

The former comptroller said: "Joseph G. Cannon is another Alexander Hamilton—a constructionist and a man who does things. He is a deer, not a drone. Cannon willingly bears the lash in his efforts to uphold conservative legislation."

Notarial Commissions.

SALEM, Or., Jan. 12.—Notarial commissions have been issued to Joseph A. Wright, Sparta; C. C. Calvert, Baker City; Jay B. Tower, Marshfield; E. L. Penneck, Cascade Locks; W. H. Pattillo, Grants Pass; W. S. Contant, Grants Pass; Glan O. Powers, Blue River; L. H. Peterson, Gooch; J. H. Farrar, Salem; Paul Danahel, Edwin L. Hollyer and L. Finckney White, Portland; L. H. Russell, La Grande; Charles Thomas, Enterprise; W. H. McEldowney, Forest Grove and H. C. Wyatt, Velle-vue.

Free Delivery for Klamath Falls.

KLAMATH FALLS, Jan. 12.—Klamath Falls will have free mail delivery this year, providing the postal receipts for the first quarter of 1910 exceed \$2124. The total receipts for the nine months ending December 31 were \$7975.12, and for the first quarter of 1909 exceeded the amount necessary for this quarter to gain the new service by increasing volume of postal business. There is no doubt that the record will be surpassed this year in the opinion of Postmaster Emmitt.

Hotel Arrivals.

The Nash—E. F. Wassam, Miss Genevieve Wassam, Spokane; A. B. Fassett, A. M. Shannon, L. H. Willett, J. Forsythe, W. R. Wallace, Portland; A. C. Stock, Tonopah; W. P. Smith, John McCarthy, W. C. Smith, Jr., C. Fredericksen, C. C. Feltz, Portland; F. G. Kerlin, Detroit; C. Merrick, B. W. French, Evanston, Ill.; Harry K. Levi, A. Goldberg, New York; M. S. Leahy, Redding; C. H. King, Portland. The Moore—B. B. Ireland, Chicago; A. Stencil, New York; J. R. Knodell, Portland; Carl Bennett, Marysville; C. Sanderson, city; W. H. O'Connell, Steamboat; W. Daering, Washington; A. E. Jepps, Eugene; G. L. Mordant, city; J. R. McReynolds, Willow Springs; J. P. Dobbin, Red Bluff; R. J. Cole, Coles.

FOLLY AS IT FLIES

Did He See the Point?



He (frightful bore)—Now, can I fetch you anything else? She (sweetly)—Oh, thank you so much. I wish you would fetch me that tall, dark man I danced with before you and I had the last.

Fortune, Maybe!



Weary—Gee! If I kin keep up dis speed till I reaches de pound, me fortune's made.—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

No Hardship.



"So when they get fat you kill and eat them? Poor little beast!" "Oh, they're quite used to it, miss."

Motherly Advice.



Accurate information.



Fortune Teller—This line here shows that you will die in a year. Client—Good heavens! In a year? "H'm, yes—but in which year I can't quite tell you."



"Ma, do I have to wait till all the grownup folks have had their dinner?" "Of course you do." "Why don't you make pa wait once in awhile? He's always kickin' 'cause he ain't got no appetite."—New York World.

FAIR OPERATOR STOLE TO PLAY THE RACES

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Jan. 12.—Declaring that horse racing was responsible for her predicament, Mrs. Evelyn De Bolt, a telegraph operator, was held in detinue in the city prison today while detectives investigated her alleged appropriation of \$1700 not belonging to her.

Mrs. De Bolt declared that she was urged to place the money that was in her keeping, apparently as a trustee, on the races by one R. Abrahamson. She refused to say where the money came from, but stated that only \$1100 had been bet.

Mrs. De Bolt was formerly employed at Santa Cruz and said that she had an 8-year-old son there. She wanted to secure her release so that she could support the boy, she said.

AUTOMOBILIST CHARGED WITH AN OLD CRIME

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Jan. 12.—That a charge of manslaughter brought against Ralph I. Leavitt, automobile salesman, at Seattle two years ago, had been revived, was the statement made today by detectives who were searching the city for him. Leavitt had not been seen since he deposited a bond of \$1000 for his appearance here on January 2 on a charge of paying a poker debt with a check when he had no money in the bank to meet it.

That was last Sunday. Within a few hours after he had been given his liberty a telegram was received from Chief of Police Irving Ward of Seattle asking the San Francisco police to arrest him and hold him for manslaughter.

Leavitt was arrested in Seattle on a manslaughter charge, two months ago, but managed to have extradition proceedings against him dropped. His case was before the grand jury this week.

K. OF P. GRAND OFFICERS TO BE ENTERTAINED

D. T. Yoren, grand vice-chancellor, and L. R. Stinson, grand keeper of records and seals of the order of Knights of Pythias in Oregon, will be the guests of Talisman Lodge, K. of P. of Medford tonight.

The two grand officers are on an official tour of the lodges in Oregon. After the regular business of the lodge a banquet will be served.

Notice.

A large attendance is desired this (Wednesday) evening at 7:30 at the Reames Chapter No. 66, Eastern Star. Following the installation of officers there will be a social. LILLIAN B. WOODFORD, Sec.

Table listing land parcels with acreage and township information. Includes entries for J. B. Morris to Cynthia Sarah Morris, J. Elyegen to M. B. Whipple, Clara L. Danielson to Look-out Lumber Co., W. H. Oden to W. Hillis, C. H. Pierce to G. A. Morse, Caddie L. Andrews to Clara W. Moulden, W. J. Cameron to P. & E. railroad, J. Brackett to Lookout Lumber Co., T. W. Daily to J. R. Hannah, S. A. Pattison to F. W. Wright, Same to Sarah E. Wright, A. W. Lucey to Frances Rumley, J. M. Butler to J. G. Goble, J. M. Casbeer to A. D. Helman, D. L. C., township 38, 1 east.

Table listing land parcels with acreage and owner information. Includes entries for T. A. Culbertson to Laura A. Erb, lot 22, Southern Home tract, section 10, township 39, 1 east; lot 4, block 2, Willeke's addition to Medford; Nancy Obenchain to Minnie C. Peninger, land in Central Point.

Advertisement for Olympic Flour. Features an illustration of a woman and a child. Text includes: "Mother Knows!", "Olympic Flour makes good pastry, too.", "The plump, hard grains, selected from the entire Northwestern wheat crop and thoroughly cleaned and secured—just fill the bill for a perfect pastry flour—besides it is the flour for good bread and cakes and biscuits. Olympic Flour—always the same, always clean, pure, wholesome and nutritious—is an aid to rather than a test of a young housewife's ability. If your grocer can't supply you we'll tell you who can—but insist upon Olympic—demand it—there isn't any just as good." "AT YOUR GROCER'S PORTLAND FLOURING MILLS CO., PORTLAND, OREGON"

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Advertisement for 1910 Buick. Text includes: "1910 BUICK 1910", "WHITE STREAK," THE FAMOUS LITTLE RUNABOUT THAT HAS MANY IMITATORS BUT NO EQUAL ON THE MARKET. THE BUICK WHITE STREAK IS NO EXPERIMENT AND NEEDS NO APOLOGIES. ASK ANYBODY. \$1150.00 F. O. B. PORTLAND. BUICK 30 105-INCH WHEEL BASE, 4-CYLINDERS, 4 1-4x4 1-2. VALVE IN THE HEAD CONSTRUCTION, SLIDING GEAR SELECTIVE TYPE, THREE SPEEDS FORWARD, ONE REVERSE, REMY MAGNETO, COMPLETE \$1550.00 F. O. B. PORTLAND. VICTORIOUS BUICK 40 Touring Car and Roadster Bodies. Powerful, Speedy, Durable, Differs Only in Price-From Any \$3500.00 Car obtainable. 112-Inch Wheel Base, 4 Cylinders 4 1-2x5 Valve in the Head Construction, Sliding Gear Selective Type, Three Speeds Forward, One Reverse, Remy Magneto, Complete, \$1900.00 F. O. B. Portland. MEDFORD BUICK CO. TOU VELLE MANAGER. Garage Next Merriman's Blacksmith Shop on Riverside Avenue.