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SWORN CIRCULATION. Average Daily for: November, 1909, 1,700. December, 1909, 1,812. January, 1910, 1,925. February, 1910, 2,038. March, 1910, 2,151. April, 1910, 2,264. June, 1910, 2,377.

JUNE CIRCULATION. 1. 2,500. 2. 2,500. 3. 2,500. 4. 2,500. 5. 2,500. 6. 2,500. 7. 2,500. 8. 2,500. 9. 2,500. 10. 2,500. 11. 2,500. 12. 2,500. 13. 2,500. 14. 2,500. 15. 2,500.

Average net daily, 2,500. STATE OF OREGON, County of Jackson, ss: On this 1st day of July, 1910, personally appeared before me, the highest-ranking manager of the Medford Mail Tribune, who, upon oath, acknowledged that the above figures are true and correct.

MEDFORD, OREGON. Metropolis of Southern Oregon and Northern California and fastest-growing city in Oregon. Population, 1910, 9,000. Bank deposits, \$2,750,000. Banner fruit city of Oregon—Rogue River apples won sweepstakes prize and title of "Apple Kings of the World" at National Apple Show, Spokane, 1909.

THE RENO FIGHT EXTRA. Fifteen minutes after Johnson had knocked out Jeffries the Mail Tribune extra, containing a complete leased wire account of the fight, was on the streets.

Crowds had watched the Mail Tribune bulletins all afternoon and when the fight was over a large throng besieged the newspaper office waiting for the paper. A thousand extra copies were sold at Medford, Jacksonville and Woodville, and only the size of the regular subscription list and the limited capacity of the press prevented the sale of twice as many copies.

Medford's demands upon a newspaper have passed the village stage. City service is expected and the Mail Tribune does its best to fill the bill. It is enabled to do it because the field is not divided and it receives the united support of the business interests.

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Severe Quake Recorded. WASHINGTON, D. C., July 7.—The most severe earthquake shock since the tremor of 1907 in the West Indies, was registered today on the seismograph of the Georgetown University. Scientist Thorndorn estimates that the quake was about 1500 miles distant, possibly in the Atlantic ocean. The tremor continued for fifteen minutes, the maximum shocks having occurred between 12:01 and 12:03 a. m. Taft Grants Pardon. LEAVENWORTH, Kans., July 7.—Natalia Nalis, a Filipino, who has been confined in the federal penitentiary...

THE GIRLS' PROBLEM.

TWO views of the girl—the girl just emerging into womanhood, are reflected in the writings of two authors, Oliver Wendall Holmes, the poet of the last generation, and H. G. Wells, the novelist of today. Says Mr. Holmes: "Here is that terrible fact to begin with—a beautiful young girl, with the blood and nerve fiber that belong to Nature's women, turned loose among live men. . . . I wish the girl would go. I don't like to look at her so much, and yet I cannot help it. Always that same expression of something that I ought to know—something that she was made to tell me and I to hear—lying there ready to fall off from her lips, ready to leap out of her eyes and make a saint of me, or a devil or a lunatic, or perhaps a prophet to tell the truth and be hated of men, or a poet whose words shall flash upon the dry stubblefield of worn-out thoughts and burn over an age of lies in an hour of passion."

Here is the romantic view of the girl—the girl of youth and dreams and sentiment. But the girl of today doesn't regard herself in any such light. Her thoughts are far more practical. Mr. Wells comes nearer analyzing her thoughts when he makes his heroine bluntly say: "The point is, we're not toys, toys isn't the word; we're litter. We're handfuls. We're regarded as inflammable litter that musn't be left about. We are the species and maternity is our game; that's all right, but nobody wants that admitted for fear we should all each fire and set about fulfilling the purpose of our being, without waiting for further explanations. The practical trouble is our ages. They used to marry us off at seventeen, rush us into things before we had time to protest. They don't now. Heaven knows why! They don't marry most of us off now until high up in the twenties. And the age gets higher. We have to hang about in the interval. There is a great gulf open and nobody's got any plans what to do with us. So the world is choked with waste and waiting daughters. Hanging about! And they start thinking and asking questions, and begin to be neither one thing nor the other."

This is the predicament of many of the girls of today. They learn to think before they marry, and when they think, they grow discriminating and don't care so much about marrying. They find some practical work to occupy their minds and work out their destiny and cease being either "toys or litter."

And who shall say the world is not better thereby?

MEDFORD VOTING PRECINCTS.

AT THE June meeting, the Jackson county court re-districted North and South Medford, cutting them up, along with Roxy precinct into Northeast, Northwest, Southeast, Southwest and Central Medford precincts.

Chapter 101 of the general laws of Oregon, passed by the legislature of 1909, amended section 2762 of Bellinger and Cotton's Annotated Codes and Statutes of Oregon to read as follows:

"Section 2762. It shall be the duty of the county court in the several counties of the state at the regular July term preceding the general election to set forth and establish election precincts within the county. Said court may set off and establish within such county as many election precincts as may be deemed necessary or convenient, and they shall be designated by numbers or names; provided, that no election precinct shall contain more than three hundred electors or as nearly as may be ascertained by the court, and shall particularly bound the same."

The attention of the county court is called to the fact that June is not July and as the action of the court in establishing the precincts must be done in July, the fact that it was done in June might furnish a basis for invalidating the entire election. It is therefore respectfully suggested that the court avoid possible complications by doing it over again this term.

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issued by President Taft. Nalis was convicted of murder in the consular court at Shanghai and sentenced to fifteen years' imprisonment.

LOCAL BOY WINS BIG WRESTLING MATCH. Louis Walters of Medford returned Wednesday evening from Dunsmuir, where on July 5 he met Jack Crum of Pocatello, Idaho, in a wrestling match, winning easily.

Read the furnished room ads in the paper today—and then write a

SHARP RALLY FOLLOWS DECLINE IN MARKET

NEW YORK, July 7.—A downward tendency of prices marked early dealings in stocks today but a rally followed and many losses were turned into sharp gains. Rock Island and preferred and Western Union fell 1 1/4; Rock Island, D. R. G. preferred 1, Union Pacific, Reading, Anaconda and Canadian Pacific fractions. Reading reacted 2 3/8, Union Pacific 2, Hocking Valley rose 5 and Schloss, Sheffield Steel 2 1/2. Later Reading ran off a point. Bonds were irregular.

DIED.

TAYLOR—In Grants Pass Sunday, July 3, 1910, John T. Taylor, aged 68 years. Mr. Taylor was a man well known throughout Southern Oregon having been county treasurer in Josephine County for the past twelve years and a resident of the county 33 years. Prior to being elected county treasurer he was in the nursery business and continued in that business after being elected treasurer. He was always very much interested in the development of the fruit industry in this section and was well posted on the different varieties of fruits that did well here.

John A. Gellatly, mayor of Wenatchee, Wash., has arrived in Medford on an auto tour of the state, driving a Thomas Flyer. Accompanying him is Mrs. Gellatly, his son, W. A. Gellatly, who is the sheriff of Benton County, Wash., and R. H. Gellatly. The party arrived late Wednesday evening and have not as yet seen the valley, but will spend a day or two here for that purpose. They also plan to visit Crater Lake. "Wenatchee," states the mayor, "is growing rapidly as are the other towns of the Northwest. This year we are spending \$500,000 for new sewer and water mains, and additional sums for other civic improvements."

WENATCHEE MAYOR VISITING THIS CITY

PRICE ESCAPES AND WALKS BACK TO KLAMATH. KLAMATH FALLS, Ore., July 7.—Footsore, George L. Price, a telephone promoter, who recently escaped from a detective while being taken back to San Francisco to face a charge of issuing fictitious checks, has returned to Klamath Falls. He has talked to a number of persons and declared that he intends to sue local authorities for alleged false imprisonment. Price walked most of the way back to Klamath Falls after escaping from the detective who had him in charge. Price presumably is not badly wanted in San Francisco as the local authorities have been notified that no more money will be expended to take Price to California.

MINNESOTA PEOPLE MAY LOCATE HERE

D. A. Reed, wife and two sons, of Lake Crystal, Minn., visited with the Humphreys several days last week. Mr. Reed disposed of his holdings in Minnesota consisting of several farms and a fine home in the village and is looking over the Pacific coast country in search of a location. They left Saturday evening for San Diego and intermediate points, but will probably return to Medford to locate as they were so favorably impressed with Medford and the Rogue River Valley. Ed. Andrews, also an old friend, spent a day and a half with his auto showing them our fine orchard and farm lands. H. N. Paist of St. Paul, Minn., paymaster of the Soo lines of road, with offices in Minneapolis, was also a visitor with the Humphreys and left for home today. He has been touring the entire coast country and says this is the most beautiful and progressive city and country and the best climate that he has visited in all his travels. He thinks Medford's future the brightest of any inland town in the Pacific coast country. "Put money in thy purse" by selling—through a "for sale" ad—some of the too-many things you own.

PROSPERITY IS KNOCKING AT THE DOOR.

SO WE CAN ALL HAVE CAKES. RARDON'S BAKERY HAS TWENTY DIFFERENT KINDS. ALL FRESH AND DAINTY.

NOTICE. To those who so kindly assisted us during our recent bereavement and also for the beautiful floral offers, we wish to express our most heartfelt thanks. MRS. B. P. O'NEIL AND FAMILY. YOUR GUESTS WILL SMILE APPROVAL IF OUR ANGEL CAKE AND LOGANBERRY SHERBET GRACES YOUR DINING TABLE. THEY ARE BOTH DELICIOUS AND SATISFYING TO THE PALATE. RARDON'S BAKERY. All members of local 1840 are notified to be present July 7. Quarterly meeting and installation of officers. Refreshments. C. E. LEATHERMAN, R. 8.

Medford to Crater Lake BEGINNING FRIDAY, JULY 8, 1910. AUTOMOBILES leave Medford—Hotel Nash—Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 7 a. m.—arrive Crater Lake 5:30 p. m.—leave Crater Lake Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays at 7 a. m.—arrive Medford 5:30 p. m. Cars stop Trail, Rogue River Ranch, Prospect and connect for Fort Klamath, Indian agency and Steam-er Klamath, to Klamath Falls. 1910 LOCOMOBILES 1910 CRATER LAKE TRANSPORTATION CO. R. M. CUTHBERT, Manager.

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