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STATE OF OREGON, County of Jackson. On this 1st day of July, 1910, personally appeared before me, G. Putnam, 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, 18,900. Bank deposits, \$2,750,000. Banner fruit city of Oregon—Rogue River apples won sweepstakes prize and title of "Apple Kings of the World".

THREE SOLDIERS DIE IN 200 MILE HIKE. AMERICAN LAKE, Tacoma, Aug. 1.—Three soldiers met death on the 200-mile hike undertaken by practically all the regular troops now in camp here for the army maneuvers.

Private Turner of company F, second battalion, fourteenth infantry, was crossing the Missoula river at Fort Benton, Mont., while attempting to swim the stream.

Private Bergsen, company M, fourteenth infantry, was struck by a limited train at Heron, Mont., and was killed.

CRUSHED TO DEATH IN QUARRY BEFORE FAMILY. NORTH YAKIMA, Wash., Aug. 1.—The body of William Overman, who lost his life as a result of a cave-in while working in a quarry, reached North Yakima today.

Overman was 35 years of age. He was caught beneath a mass of rock which he had loosened while at work in the Patten quarry and was crushed to death before the eyes of horror-stricken wife and two children, who were unable to assist him.

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PEAR SHIPMENT UNDER WAY.

SHIPMENT of pears has begun in the Rogue River Valley and soon the fruit world will resound with the record breaking prices received. It is estimated that the yield of the Medford district will approximate four hundred cars, which will net the growers half a million dollars.

Medford pears command the highest prices. Bartletts have sold in eastern markets as high as \$5 a box f. o. b. car. The other other varieties, such as Comice, have brought in the vicinity of \$10 and D'Anjon as high as \$7.50.

Another thing that helps the local grower secure high prices, is that Medford pears reach the consumer just as the last of the California crop is marketed and before the local eastern crop is ripened.

Only a small fraction of the planted pear acreage is in bearing. When the full 40,000 acres comes to maturity, many millions of dollars a year will find its way to the Rogue River Valley.

CANARDS AS ADVERTISEMENTS.

A SHORT while ago a canard was published asserting that Medford, just completing a half million dollar water system, was without fire protection, when over 2,000,000 gallons of water in the heights reservoir were available for emergency use.

A second canard has been printed conveying the insinuation that graft is rampant in the city administration because the monthly budget of bills was not printed.

Neither the Mail Tribune nor any other city newspaper prints the lists of city warrants, because there is not sufficient news in them to justify it.

Medford has as good a city government as any city of its size anywhere—and as clean and free from graft. For home papers to publish falsehoods and groundless insinuations of scandal is not a good way of advertising Medford.

COMPANION BREAKS DOWN.

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sullen and silent after the cell door clanged shut upon him.

Is Pitiful Sight. The girl, however, wrung her hands, moaned and rolled on the floor when placed in the cell.

The ship's officers declare that the girl was astounded when she learned that she and her companion were suspected of murder.

Wore Canvas Harness. When searched by a stewardess she was wearing a canvas harness to conceal her figure, besides which she wore a soft shirt, loose-fitting trousers and a cap.

BAKERS FORM TRUST TO FIGHT OLD TRUST. NEW YORK, Aug. 1.—With a capital of \$30,000,000 the merger of over 100 independent bakeries with interests throughout the United States was completed under the name of the Federal Biscuit Company.

Faints on Arrival. After the arrest Mlle. Leneve was given a loose gown by the steward-

ess. She was led sobbing and stumbling down the gangplank and when she reached the cab that took her to parliament prison she fainted.

Inspector Dew today expressed the belief that the woman did not participate in the alleged murder at the Crippen home in London.

Ignorant of Charges. That she was amazed that Crippen and herself were charged with murder is one of the things upon which the police rely in their desire to have her turn against Crippen.

Even if your store were, actually, more important that your advertising would indicate, the public would not believe it.

BERNIER TO TRY BEHRING PASSAGE

Balked in Ambition to Discover the North Pole, Canadian Captain Is to Try Forcing Northwest Passage and Plant British Flag.

OTTAWA, Ont., Aug. 4.—Balked by his lifelong ambition to make a voyage to the north pole, Captain Bernier, who sailed for the polar regions from Quebec a few days ago on the government steamer Arctic under sealed orders, has evidently been placated by a commission from the Canadian government to essay the northwest passage.

It was Commander Robert McClure of H. M. S. Investigator who, in 1854, sailing eastward from Behring straits, reached the barrier at Banks island. There the crew abandoned the ship and, walking over the ice to Barry island, found the northwest passage after a fashion.

Whether or not, however, Bernier succeeds in forcing the northwest passage, his instructions are to plant the British flag and assert Canadian sovereignty over Arctic lands that he may visit in the course of his expedition.

Hotel Arrivals.

The Nash—Mrs. E. A. Renison, G. T. Monroe, Silver Springs; G. H. Kidd and wife, Cincinnati; E. M. Wilson, Adia; E. W. Hawes and wife, A. G. Churchill and wife, Seattle; F. E. Naylor, F. Johnson, city; W. N. Moses, Hood River; C. J. Sadtler and wife, L. Fry, R. Blair and wife, Reno; S. Henry and wife, San Francisco; W. Maunatt, Grinnell; W. E. Wells, Minneapolis; Miss M. M. Hostmer, Ashland; L. Hawkins, Portland; D. Ruff, San Francisco; J. C. Neff, Crater Lake; H. E. Eastman, Roseburg; J. H. Becker, St. Louis, Mo.; Mrs. C. Davidson, Katherine Davison, P. S. Davidson, D. B. Davison, Davenport; H. S. Poppelbaum, Bremen; J. Hartzberg, San Francisco; W. E. Hammell, Eagle Point; Mrs. A. E. Keeler, Chicago; F. R. Moore, Goldfield; W. Swafford and wife, Anson; J. H. Bullard, St. Paul; Mrs. J. W. Good, New York.

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suits in the history of Scotland Yard. No revolver was found on Crippen. After Mlle. Leneve had revived from her swoon in the stateroom of the Montrose, the girl rushed to a porthole and threw something into the river. It is believed that the object was Crippen's revolver.

Powder Is Found. An envelope was found in Crippen's effects that had contained a powder. This will be analyzed later. It is thought that it is a poison.

Although the passengers on the Montrose did not recognize Crippen and his companion, and although the pair were not aware that their identity was known to the officers of the ship, the captain, the three mates and the Marconi wireless operator knew that the suspects were on board.

Lewellyn Jones, wireless operator on the steamer Montrose, was praised by Captain Kendall and the passengers of the steamer as one of the heroes of the trans-Atlantic pursuit of Dr. Crippen.

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JOY RIDERS FATALLY HURT

Seattle Auto Crashes Into Milk Wagon While Speeding at Forty Miles an Hour—Driver Claims Brakes Failed to Work.

SEATTLE, Wash., Aug. 1.—A. C. Carlson, a New York traveling man whose skull was fractured in an automobile accident yesterday, when three others were injured, was still alive at the county hospital today, but physicians have little hope for his recovery.

The accident occurred at 7 o'clock last night, when an automobile driven by T. S. Emerson, a commission merchant, collided with a slow-going milk wagon driven by an Italian, Adolph Biando, at the Oxbow bend of the Duwamish river.

Emerson admitted he was driving 40 miles an hour, but says his brakes failed to work. Miss Susan McCormack was thrown against the wagon and was cut and bruised badly.

Emerson was thrown into the milk wagon and alighted on the seat beside the driver. Both were unhurt. Emerson was arrested, but later released on his own recognizance.

IOWA CONVENTION TO FIGHT OVER PLATFORM

DES MOINES, Ia., Aug. 1.—A fight in the Republican state convention, which convenes here Wednesday, is expected between the progressives and the stand-patters over the platform. Senator Cummins will be temporary chairman and will deliver the keynote address, which will be a strong argument for progressive principles.

Haskins for Health

For Watches FINE WATCH AND JEWELRY REPAIRING Martin J. Reddy THE JEWELER NEAR THE POSTOFFICE

CABLES LENEVE FOR CONFESSION

Mother of Crippen's Companion Instructs Daughter to Tell Authorities All That She Knows—Arrangements for Speedy Trial.

LONDON, Aug. 1.—The mother of Mlle. Ethel Claire Leneve today enabled her daughter, who is held at Quebec with Dr. H. H. Crippen as an accessory to the alleged murder of Belle Elmore Crippen, to tell the police all she may know concerning the case.

"I have been fearing that Crippen might injure my daughter," said Mlle. Leneve's mother today. "I am relieved that he is in custody. We are angry that our child has been deceived, but we do not think she knew of the horrible crime of which Crippen is suspected. We believe that Dr. Crippen told her something wrong with his business of which she might be suspected of complicity."

Inspector Dew and his prisoners are expected here next Thursday. Arrangements for a speedy trial are under way. It is reported that the Scotland Yard officials have secured new evidence that the body found in the cellar of No. 39 Hildrop Crescent, Islington, is that of Mrs. Crippen.

Sell more goods in a week than you have ever sold in a month—by advertising more in a week than you've ever advertised in a month.

GUGGENHEIM TO FINISH RAILROAD IN ALASKA

VANCOUVER, B. C., Aug. 1.—Jacob Schiff, the New York banker, and party, among whom are Robert M. Guggenheim and J. H. Young, president of the Guggenheim Alaska Syndicate company, are in Vancouver today after an extensive tour of Alaska aboard Schiff's private yacht Ramona.

The party will leave here tonight on a special train for Field, B. C., where two days will be spent inspecting mining properties.

From Field they will go direct to Quebec, thence to New York. Young, on behalf of the Guggenheims, gave out the statement that the remaining 20 miles of the Copper River & Northwestern Railway line will be completed and in running order by the end of the year.

POPE WAVERING IN STAND AGAINST SPAIN

ROME, Aug. 1.—Indications were that the vatican is wavering in the hitherto firm stand taken against King Alfonso and the Spanish cabinet regarding religious affairs in Spain. High dignitaries of the church believe that the pope stands in danger of weakening his influence if the clericals force matters to a crisis and then sustain defeat.

It is charged, unofficially, that the anti-clerical moves in Spain and Portugal are parts of a plot to unite the countries as a republic. It is intimated that members of the Masonic order are shaping the policies of Premier Canalejas of Spain.

"Put money in thy purse" by selling—through a "for sale" ad—some of the too-many things you own.



YOU ARE GROWING YOUNGER MOTHER. BANISH THOSE GRAY HAIRS! Kill the Dandruff Germ—Stop Hair Falling. Thousands of mothers are looking younger. Their gray hairs are gone. The natural color has come back, and with it a new growth of soft, pliant, lustrous hair.