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On the 1st day of August, 1910, personally appeared before me, George Putnam, manager of the Medford Mail Tribune, who upon oath, acknowledges that the above figures are true and correct (SEAL) Notary Public for Oregon.

MEDFORD, OREGON Metropolis of Southern Oregon and Northern California, and the fastest-growing city in Oregon. Population, 1910, 8,000. Bank deposits, \$2,750,000. \$500,000 Gravity Water system completed in July 1910, giving fine supply pure mountain water.

Sixteen miles of street being paved at a cost exceeding \$1,000,000, making a total of twenty miles of pavement. Postoffice receipts for year ending June 30, 1910, show gain of 36 per cent. Banner fruit city in Oregon—Rogue River apples won sweepstakes prize and title of "Apple King of the World" at the National Apple Show, Spokane, 1908. Rogue River pears brought highest prices in all markets of the world during the past five years.

Write Commercial Club, enclosing 6 cents for postage of the finest community pamphlet ever written.

Copies have been received in Medford of the July issue of "Abroad," a booklet published and distributed in foreign countries by the Southern Pacific company. This issue is devoted to Medford and the Rogue River valley, being in fact a reprint of the Medford 1910 pamphlet. It is unfortunate that one of the two illustrations is a Willamette valley scene taken near Salem. Why a Willamette valley orchard should be used to illustrate a Rogue River pamphlet is something that only a foreign editor can explain, for orchard scenes around Medford are so much more superior to those around Salem. Many thousand copies of the pamphlet, distributed through the desirable class of emigrants, are calculated to do much good to this section and attract here a large element of foreign population.

It would not be a bad idea to compel persons cutting up Medford's new pavement for trenches, to put the pavement back in as good condition as it was before the operation. There have been several trenches dug across Main street, and the pavement put back in a rough fashion, insuring everybody that goes across with any kind of vehicle, a good bump. When this condition has existed for months at a time, it would seem that it is in the province of the city officials to force those who did it to remedy the situation. Two paving companies have been here a good part of the season, either of which could mend the pavement in a few hours' time.

The August number of Better Fruit, which, by the way, is the best publication of its kind in America, is an unusually handsome one. It is devoted to the Rogue River valley, and contains much data concerning the fruit resources of the county. The cover contains a colored illustration of Rogue River Comee pears, which were grown by Colonel R. C. Washburn of Table Rock. A colored picture of Crater Lake is among the numerous illustrations. Among other features, Better Fruit is reproducing the article on pear blight, written by Professor O'Gara for the Mail Tribune.

Not one of a store's "regular customers" fail to note—with personal interest and pleasure—every evidence of increasing advertising enterprise which it shows.

CANNON AND HAWLEY

UNCLE JOE CANNON is a brazen old sinner, but there is nothing of the hypocrite about him. In this regard, he is a great deal better than those party Pharisees who, with a fine showing of scorn, have kicked him out, after fawning at his feet these many years.

Uncle Joe has many admirable traits. He is sincere in his cussedness, straight in his rascalities and courageous in his crookedness. He is a firm friend, a good hater and a hard fighter. He never deserts a cause because it is unpopular and defies the lightning like an Ajax.

If Speaker Cannon was worthy of support during the recent session of congress, he is all the more deserving of it now. If Cannonism was right then, it is right now. Who, worthy of the name of man, deserts a champion under fire? What kind of a soldier is it that follows his captain into battle, shouting his praises, to cowardly desert when the battle rages fiercest?

Between the smug hypocrisy of party leaders, who affect horror at this limb of satan that their own hands have so long held up, and the uncompromising old rascal himself, give us the latter. Better sin unvarnished than plated with mock virtue.

And this brings us down to our own Congressman Hawley. During his two terms Mr. Hawley has been a staunch supporter, even a sycophant, of Cannon. In his campaign for re-election he now deserts the game old man and says he will not vote for him if elected.

Mr. Hawley is a conscientious man. He must have been convinced in his own conscience that Cannon was right, or he would not have sanctioned his rascalities. If Cannon was right then, Hawley was right, but if Hawley is right now in deserting Cannon, Hawley was wrong in sustaining him then. In brief, if Hawley was right then, he is wrong now, and if right now, wrong then.

Mr. Hawley says he stood in with Cannon to secure legislation for Oregon. What, smother his sense of right and wrong for a grab at the pork-barrel? Sell his birth-right for a mess of pottage? But, admitting a successful bargain sale, confessing gifts from Uncle Joe in return for support, how base and ungrateful to turn and rend the hand that gave them!

Playing the part of ingrate will get few votes for Mr. Hawley. Turning traitor to Uncle Joe will not wash the stains of Cannonism from his hands, for Cannonism, and not Cannon, is the issue, and Mr. Hawley is firmly committed to Cannonism.

One Performance at 10 a. m. Tomorrow, Monday, in Medford Big Street Parade at 10 a. m.

BARNUM AND BAILEY GREATEST SHOW ON EARTH. THE WORLD ITS FIELD. CAPITAL INVESTED, \$3,500,000. 1280 PERSONS, 700 HORSES. THE WORLD'S MOST FAMOUS ARTISTS ALL FROM ABROAD. THE THRILLER SUPREME DESPERADO'S. POSITIVELY THE MOST TREMENDOUS, BIG, GORGEOUS FREE STREET PARADE.

ADMISSION TICKETS AND RESERVED SEATS WILL BE ON SALE CIRCUS DAY AT HASKIN'S DRUG STORE, AT EXACTLY THE SAME PRICES CHARGED AT THE REGULAR CIRCUS TICKET WAGON.

AT THE CHURCHES

Christian Church. Corner 6th and Ivy streets. The pastor has returned from his vacation and there will be preaching services at 11 a. m., at which time it is hoped there will be a large attendance of the membership of the church.

Christian Science. Service Sunday at 11 a. m. Subject of Lesson-Sermon: "Christ Jesus." Sunday School at 10. Testimonial meetings Wednesday 8 p. m. All are welcome. 128 North Grant Street, North Sherman-Clay Music house.

Presbyterian Church. President Crooks of Albany college will speak in the Presbyterian church at 11 a. m. and at the union services at the M. E. church south at 8 p. m. His subject in the morning will be, "Christian Education," and in the evening his subject will be, "How Readest Thou?" All should hear President Crooks. Mrs. Drewrey will sing, as always, in an uplifting and inspiring way. Sunday school at 10 a. m. C. E. society at 7 p. m.

Too Late to Classify

FOR SALE—10 h. p. upright boiler at a bargain. J. T. Norman, Box 511, Ashland, Or. 144

LATE LOCAL NEWS.

"Dick," the coach pup, which has been following the fire wagon since he was weaned, was run over and killed on Main street by an automobile Friday afternoon. Apparently no effort was made by the drivers of the car to dodge the little dog and he was instantly killed.

Mr. J. C. Howe, Jr., and wife, are at Fairdale orchards, for an extended visit with their cousins G. G. Gould and family; and their aunt Mrs. C. W. Potter. Mr. and Mrs. Howe made the trip overland from their home in Portland, and report many forest fires along the route. Also much game near the road evidently looking for a place of safety from the fires raging in the timber.

Dr. and Mrs. F. B. Kremer of Minneapolis arrived Saturday to spend a month with their son, Geo. E. Kremer.

Remember, the circus performance is to be Monday morning only. Come to Tent City on Sunday evening and get a refreshing sleep in one of our delightful beds and be on the ground early. 137*

J. F. Kennedy, of Eagle Point, was a Medford Visitor Saturday.

A restful sleep in one of the tent houses at the Tent City will give you an early start for the circus Monday Morning. There will be a morning performance only. 137*

The Wood's Lumber company will furnish the materials for the Medford National Bank building. Mr. Stuart of Natatorium fame is the contractor. Powers and Reeves architects.

Fine watch repairing at B. T. Van De Cars, Phipps Building. 14*

S. A. Pattison was in Medford from Central Point, Saturday.

B. F. Van De Car has just received a new line of back and side combs Barretts to match. They are the latest fad. Phipps Building, Medford, Oregon. 138*

THREE BARGAINS. \$5500—7 acres just at edge of city limits. One half cash, easily worth \$7000. \$1825—Three-quarter acre and 5 room house. Land will cut into 4 nice lots, owner leaving town and will sacrifice to get the money. \$2100—5 room modern home, shade trees and lawn lawn on paved street. McARTHUR and Alexander Postoffice Block Phone 3681

Another Three Carloads. Added to the 24 already reported, makes 27 cars of pears from the Burrell Orchard. This orchard contained 605 acres and is being sold in blocks to suit the desires of our customers. 70 Acres Apples. In one solid block, with ten acres adjoining planted to Jonathans, all together or in part, would make an income proposition for even a common millionaire. Small Blocks. Can be had in almost any part of the orchard. For instance: We have one block of about ten acres right in the heart of the old orchard, half Bartlett and Winter Nelis pears, and half Yellow Newtown Pippin and Jonathan apples, which we will sell with or without crop. Jno. D. Olwell Agent. EXHIBIT BUILDING, MEDFORD, OREGON. OVER TWENTY YEARS' RESIDENCE HERE.

Join the Circulating Library. We are starting a circulating library. It will be our aim to stock the new standard fiction etc. and you can easily join and enjoy the best reading. Call and let us explain. The Merrivold Shop. 134 WEST MAIN ST. Haskins for health.

Investigate the SOUTH BEND MALLEABLE A Splendid Range. Always Satisfactory NICHOLSON HARDWARE Main and Bartlett Sts. The service at the grave were in charge of the Knights and Ladies of Security. The pall bearers were of the same order: W. E. Jones, W. A. Pyburn, J. R. Clark, Patrick Stidham, W. E. Lammy, F. Hammick. Burial at Central Point cemetery. SAN DIEGO, Cal., Aug. 27.—Heavy clouds of smoke hung over San Diego today. No fires could be located in any of the surrounding territory and the opinion was expressed that the smoke was brought here by air currents following the ocean current from the forest fires on the northern coast.

TOWNSEND & LUX RANCH BRINGS \$20,000. Bitner & Clark have sold the Townsend & Lux ranch to Frank Goulet, lately of Minnesota, for a consideration of \$20,000. This property comprises some of the best fruit and farming land in the valley and is considered one of the best bargains in the valley. Funeral of William Kincaid. The funeral service of William Kincaid were held at the Christian church at Central Point at 3 p. m., August 26. Rev. Jones officiating. Haskins for health. Haskins for Health.