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SWORN CIRCULATION.

Average daily for—	1910	1909
January, 1910	2,122	2,065
February, 1910	2,122	2,065
March, 1910	2,122	2,065
April, 1910	2,122	2,065
May, 1910	2,122	2,065
June, 1910	2,122	2,065
July, 1910	2,122	2,065
August, 1910	2,122	2,065
September, 1910	2,122	2,065
October, 1910	2,122	2,065
November, 1910	2,122	2,065

November Circulation.

1	2,122	2,065
2	2,122	2,065
3	2,122	2,065
4	2,122	2,065
5	2,122	2,065
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13	2,122	2,065
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15	2,122	2,065

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STATE OF OREGON, County of Jackson, ss.

On the first day of December, 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.

H. N. YORKER, (Notary Public for Oregon)

MEDFORD, OREGON.

Metropolis of Southern Oregon and Northern California, and the fastest growing city in Oregon.

Population—U. S. census 1910, 8540; estimated in November, 1910, 14,000.

Five hundred thousand dollar Gravity Water System completed, giving flow supply pure mountain water and 9000 miles of street being paved and contracted for at a cost exceeding \$1,000,000, making a total of twenty miles of pavement.

Postoffice receipts for year ending November 30, 1910, show a gain of 21 per cent.

Bank deposits were \$2,374,532, a gain of 25 per cent.

Banner fruit city in Oregon—Rogue River Spitznberg apples won sweepstakes prize and title of "Apple King of the World" at the National Apple Show, Spokane, 1908, and a cup of New York was

First Prize in 1910 at Canadian International Apple Show, Vancouver, B. C.

Rogue River apples brought highest prices in all markets of the world during the past six years.

Write Commercial Club enclosing a cent for postage for the finest community pamphlet ever written.

Preferred creditors are those who never bother us.

It's well to mix a little self suspicion with self-respect.

A good foot rule—don't wear shoes that are too small.

The sting of defeat lasts longer than the sweets of victory.

Ever notice how easy it is to get things you don't care for.

And the lighter a man's head is the higher he is able to carry it.

Lava has enabled many a man to avoid the disgrace of drying rick.

There is no help for a woman who can't get a servant to do her work.

A hero is a man who does disagreeable things from the sense of duty.

It is always advisable to select a brand of prosperity that you can stand.

Truth crushed to earth will arise again and it is kept busy getting up.

Of course, there is no such a thing as the bigger half, yet most people want it.

A girl with a plain face has lots of time to cultivate the beauties of the mind.

Not few men would care to pay down in the space they think they occupy in the world.

When some people talk we are reminded of the dictionary with the definitions missing.

What a good many people call luck is being on the spot when the trouble is out.

If a man is honest with himself he can be depended upon to give his neighbors a square deal.

After a man has been married a week he begins to know a lot of things that he knew about women.

When a man doesn't get married all the women think that it is because he has been disappointed in love—and the married man knows better.

MEDFORD'S FUTURE.

GOD made the country and man makes the town, as has often been said. The size of the town depends almost altogether upon the men who build it. There is practically no reasonable limit, provided the builders exercise brains, enterprise and energy in its construction.

Medford has become the largest town in southern Oregon simply because its citizens have made it. They have worked unitedly for a common purpose. They have, though, advertised and exploited but one of its many resources—horticulture. Fruit growers all over the world are becoming familiar with the wonderful horticultural possibilities of the Rogue River valley. The time is ripe to bring to their attention other resources whose latent possibilities are greater than horticulture—the undeveloped mineral and timber wealth of the adjacent territory.

The larger a city becomes, the greater the necessity for enterprise and energy. Chicago today, with its many millions, is working harder than ever to become still larger. Organized effort is constantly put forth to secure new enterprises and in every way to increase the resources, manufactures and commerce to extend the power and prestige of the mid-continent metropolis.

Medford has made a good start in its career, but it is only a start. Work must be continued along all lines. Citizens must pull together for the common good. Everyone must rise above personalities and petty rivalries. Animosity and jealousies should be forgotten and the citizenship be broad enough to smother all dissent. Shut up, knockers, and work unitedly for a greater, bigger and better Medford. Only by such action will Medford have a future.

WHERE ARE OUR PAYROLLS?

STRANGERS often express the query, "What are your payrolls to support a city?"

Our orchards are our greatest payrolls at present. The payroll on such producing orchards as the Bear Creek, Burrell, Snowy Butte and Hillcrest each average from \$6000 to \$10,000 a year. On every orchard it is a constantly increasing figure.

As only a few thousand acres out of the 65,000 acres of planted commercial orchards are in bearing, the payroll will eventually grow to immense proportions.

The orchard is better than a factory. Its output is shipped to the markets of the world, bringing a constantly increasing stream of revenue into the valley. It supports as many people and has no outgoing expense for raw material. The occupation is far more healthful and enjoyable than factory life.

Mining furnishes some payroll, and eventually its payroll will equal or exceed that of the orchards. Lumber will also furnish large payrolls, and not in the very far future.

As the natural wealth of the country, its coal and lime deposits, its granite and marble quarries, its water power and kindred enterprises are developed, payrolls in galore will be furnished, while the creation of a jobbing center here will give employment to an increasing army of men.

HOME-WRECKER MURDERED.

(Continued from Page 1.)
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Massin was found lying on the sidewalk near the Chamberlain home half an hour after the encounter. He died before medical attention could be given him.
The detectives today found a photograph of Mrs. Chamberlain in the room occupied by Massin and Jim Perello. According to Perello, Massin had told him some time ago that he was a good friend of the woman. No charge had been placed against Chamberlain's name up to noon today.
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A CHRISTMAS VAMPIRE.

A fool there was, and he made a gift,
(Even as you and I).
He bought it with static and care and thrift
(For a lady his friends thought rather or swift)
And when he gave it the lady snuffed
(Even as you and I).

Oh, the judgment and taste and time
Wet waste
On the gifts at Christmastide.
Which we give to the lady who isn't pleased
(And now we know she could never be pleased
And never be satisfied).

A fool there was and he gave his cheek
(Even as you and I).
For a necklace of pearls without a flick
(And it didn't the least suit the lady's neck)
And she never thanked him a single speech!
(Even as you and I).

Oh, the think we lose and the think we lose
To give to the lady who never is pleased
(And now we know she can't never be pleased
And never be satisfied).

The fool was floored to his last red cent
(Even as you and I).
She threw him aside, when his gold was spent
(And nobody cared where the lady went).
And the fool gave way to loud lament
(Even as you and I).

And it wasn't the loss, and it wasn't the loss
The reason that same fool erred;
It was coming to know that she never was pleased
(Seeing at last she could never be pleased
And never be satisfied).

FISHERMEN PAY FINES.

out of hiding and commanded them to stop. One of the Oden brothers immediately surrendered to Aiken while his companions fled in the darkness. Sundry gave chase to the two fleeing fishermen. Neathamer was soon overhauled by the deputy and after quite a search the other fugitive was found hiding behind a tree.
Illegal fishing of this sort is said to have been common for years past, owing to the lack of enforcement of the law, and Warden Sundry has his hands full of such cases since his appointment a short time ago.
The unusually large number of steel traps in the Rogue the past season may well be accounted for by his splendid work in keeping traps open which for a number of years past have had little or no at all business.

Senate Agreeable.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 15.—The senate committee on the judiciary today decided to report favorably on the nominations of Judges Van Devanter and Lamar to the supreme court of the United States. The recommendation of the committee will be presented, according to the present plan, at the next executive session of the senate, and the nominations probably will be confirmed under suspension of the rules.

Better Fair Grounds, Plan.

SALEM, Or., Dec. 15.—For the purpose of considering recommendations to the legislature as to improvements at the state fair grounds, a meeting

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of the state board of agriculture will be called for December 28 in Salem. It is understood there are many plans in view for changes at the grounds, which, if carried out, will result in a remarkable improvement.

Rudin for Judge.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 15.—It is whispered here today that Chief Justice Rudin of Washington state probably will be appointed as federal judge of Eastern Washington by President Taft. The position was Justice Whitson.
It is said that no tender has been made Judge Rudin or to any other candidate thus far.
Representative Poindester of Washington is publicly boosting the candidacy of his law partner, O. C. Moore, of Spokane for the position.

R. C. McMannus, came up from Grants Pass Tuesday morning.

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600 acres nicely located, close to good buildings, trade for city lots will make good subdivision.
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Lot 26x143, 3 blocks postoffice, \$850, easy terms.
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12 city lots, on W. Second and Dale streets, adjoining lots selling \$400 each. Price \$2800, good terms.
Lot on Irving, 60x200, \$700.
Modern residence, \$5000 with land. Lots at West Walnut Park, \$275 to \$350, easy terms.
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Pure Food Expert to Wed.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 15.—Dr. Harvey W. Wiley, the government's pure food expert, who heads the bureau of chemistry of the department of agriculture, soon will cease to be a bachelor. He admitted today that he was engaged to Miss Anna G. Kelton of this city and that they would be married next spring. Miss Kelton is an employee in the library of congress.

H. E. Bedford of Woodville Saturday evening purchased the poolroom and confectionery of John E. Ross.

XMAS PRESENTS.
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