

863 VOTERS TO DATE REGISTER

Board of Reistration Will Sit This Afternoon and Tomorrow—Those Who Do Not Register Must Swear in Votes.

Medford voters who have not registered have only this afternoon and tomorrow to get busy. Up to the close of registration business last night only 863 out of a possible 1200 voters had registered. There is going to be all kinds of trouble experienced on election day if you are not registered. The object of the registration law is to give to every actual citizen the right to cast his vote unquestioned on election day, but a great number of Medford's citizens are defeating the object when they do not register. It is estimated that not five per cent of the business and professional men of the city have registered. Only two lawyers had registered up to Tuesday night and not more than that number of physicians. Of the 863 who had registered up to Tuesday night only 8 per cent of them were of foreign birth.

200 YARDS ROCK IS LAID DAILY

Over 4600 Feet of the Road Has Been Completed, Leaving 2500 Feet More to Be Covered—Is a Very Big Improvement.

Over 200 yards of rock are being put on the Medford-Central Point macadam road daily. At this time 4600 feet of the road, 20 feet wide, has been completed, leaving only 2500 feet more to cover to complete the contract to within one mile of Central Point, which is as far as the old road was torn up and graded. The placing of the rock began at this end and all the rock used as the work progressed has been hauled over the newly made road and as this is being done with wagons containing three cubic yards of rock the road ought to be pretty thoroughly packed. In the spring the five feet of earth grade on either side of the macadam will be put in and the macadam dressed up to meet the requirements of the contract. It is said there are no slag holes or lowplaces in the road, hence the dressing required will not be much.

RACES AT THE RINK.
There will be roller skating races at the rink Saturday night. Bryan Carum and Charles Carr, both fast skaters, will compete in a 15-minute run. From Tuesday, December 26, to December 30 the rink will be open from 10 a. m. to 12 m. for lady beginners and skates will be free. The rink is now under new management, the skates are in the best of shape and the floor is well kept. Give the rink one more trial for your amusement and good times. Prof. J. Laundry, manager. 233*

Another Delay Sought.
CHICAGO, Ill., Dec. 20.—The defense sprung a new technicality in the trial of the ten beef barons by the government here, when Levy Mayer, counsel for the indicted packers, moved for a dismissal on the ground that three of the seven counts of the indictments are defective. Federal Judge Carpenter took the motion under advisement.

Official Sued.
TACOMA, Wash., Dec. 20.—Fred Rhoda and Harry Baker, members of the Industrial Workers of the World, today, through Attorney Brooke M. Wright, filed suit against Chief of Police Fraser and Patrolman Kincaid charging false arrest. The men were arrested several days ago apparently without cause and released without explanations.

Wolgast as Santa Claus.
LOS ANGELES, Cal., Dec. 20.—When it comes to delivering the goods around Christmas time, Santa Claus has nothing on Ad Wolgast, the world's champion lightweight pugilist, who is convalescing here after an operation for appendicitis. Wolgast's prize gift will be a five acre poultry ranch near this city which cost between \$5000 and \$6000, to "Hobo" Dougherty, Wolgast's loyal friend and sparring partner.

Sulzer Resolution Adopted.
WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 20.—The substitute Sulzer resolution was adopted today by the house commit-

tee on foreign affairs. There was no opposition. Representative Sulzer announced that he would ask the house to act on the substitute today.

Coast Wants Service.
CAPITOL, Sacramento, Cal., Dec. 20.—Senate joint resolution No. 9 memorializing congress to give the Pacific coast the same governmental steamship from the western port of the Panama canal as is contemplated from the Atlantic coast, was today unanimously concurred in by the assembly.

The resolution asks that a government steamship line be operated from the canal to San Francisco and other Pacific coast points upon completion of the Panama passage.

Trail Lumber Co. Secures Nice Contract

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The Trail Lumber company was awarded the contract for furnishing all lumber and mill works for the thirteen new, modern bungalow homes that will be built on Rose avenue by H. E. Gates. Recently at the Trail plant new, modern machinery has been installed, and this enterprising and busy firm are turning out some very classy mill works. Mr. Garetson of the Trail company reports that they are quite busy at the present time and are looking forward to a "rush" of business in early spring.

She Loves a Jan.
SAN DIEGO, Cal., Dec. 20.—Phillip Sackmaton, Japanese, formerly in the employ of the immigration service at Los Angeles, and Ethel David, 23, and Mabel Smith, 21, of Los Angeles, were detained by the local police this morning when they attempted to get rooms at a Japanese apartment house. The Japanese and the David girl declared that they were infatuated with each other and the Japanese says they came to San Diego to marry. The Japanese was released

on condition that he return to the northern city. The girls promised to go to work here and were also released.

To Take Long Cruise.
SEATTLE, Wash., Dec. 20.—Mrs. William Leeds, New York society leader, has chartered Anthony J. Drexel's steam yacht Margaita and plans to undertake the longest yachting tour ever attempted by a woman. Friends of hers in this city said today that she will start from Eng-

land January 1. The duchess of Manchester and lady Sarah Wilson will accompany her.

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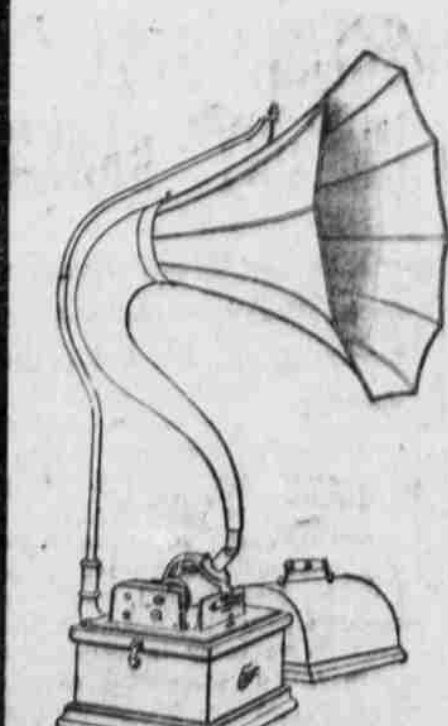
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