

# BOY PLEADS FOR "PLANE WASHING"

This is Only Discordant Note at Party Given by "Millionaire Baby" to His Friends—Over \$500,000,000 Represented at the Fete.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 23.—Pleading for "plane washing" to help his mother, a letter from a wistful little boy was the only jarring chord in a record Christmas celebration here last night in the marble palace of Vinson Walsh McLean, the \$100,000,000 baby, who was host around a marvelous Christmas tree to child guests whose fortunes aggregate \$500,000,000.

Gifts worth thousands of dollars were distributed to the gilded children from a mammoth pine tree which filled an entire room in the mansion of Edward B. McLean and his wife and around the base of which a miniature Santa Claus raced behind galloping reindeer, propelled by hidden electrical devices.

Just as the millionaire, as Santa Claus, was distributing the trinkets he received a crumpled and badly written note. It was as follows:

"Dear Santa: Do you or your wife need any plane washing? Mother's poor, but don't want charity and I can help her. We're real good at plane washing if you could put some work our way please do so as we need money. Yours, PERCY SCOTT."

## STENOGRAPHER'S BILL IS OVER \$30,000

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Dec. 23.—One stenographer's bill for preparing transcripts of testimony, \$30,000. Item, 29 volumes of typewritten data, consisting of about 4,000,000 words.

That's Stenographer A. J. Gerwin's bill for his work in transcribing one of the most expensive appeals ever brought to the attention of the supreme court, filed by Attorney Samuel Shortridge, representing Papa DeLaveaga.

### Died.

Susan S. Ferguson died in Ashland at 1 o'clock this morning. Funeral services will be held at the undertaking parlors of the Weeks & McGowan Co. on Sunday at 10 o'clock. Deceased was a native of Tennessee, aged 85 years. Interment in Jacksonville. Deceased was the mother of Mrs. C. C. Barkdull of Medford.

Not many houses will be rented in this city this week except through want advertising.

## At the Churches

### Presbyterian Church.

Christmas service in the morning at 11; a sermon and music, Sunday school services at 7:30 p. m., a fine program of play and song on the Christmas theme. The primary department of the Sunday school will have Christmas exercises at 3 p. m. To all these services you are cordially invited. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Christian Endeavor society at 6:30 p. m. Prayer meeting every Thursday at 7:30 p. m.

### At the Christian Church.

"The First and Second Comings of Christ" will furnish themes for discourse, both morning and evening. Music, appropriate for the glad season, will be rendered by a well trained choir. A cordial welcome is extended to all. D. D. Boyle, minister.

### Methodist Episcopal.

Rev. E. O. Eldridge, pastor. Services Christmas Sunday as follows: Preaching 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; subjects, morning, "The Gladder Event of the Centuries"; evening, "A Good Find." Special Christmas music, under the direction of Prof. Chidester. All other services as usual. You will be heartily welcomed. Come and bring your friends.

### Christian Church.

The following programs have been arranged for tomorrow at the Christian church: Morning—Doxology, carol, communion, offertory, "Christmas Joy" by choir, reading of lesson, prayer, anthem "Glory to God," sermon, invitation. Evening—"O Little Star of Bethlehem."

## Best for Asthma, Catarrh, Bronchitis

Why need anyone suffer from any throat or nose troubles when soothing, healing HYOMEI is guaranteed to banish all misery or money back? The undersigned herewith recommends HYOMEI to all who are afflicted with asthma, catarrh, or bronchitis. HYOMEI was used by my wife for bronchitis and asthma and I used it for bronchitis and sore throat.

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hem," announcements, offertory, "Hark the Herald Angels Sing," reading, prayer, anthem "There is a Sign in the Air," sermon, invitation.

### First Church of Christ, Scientist.

Services Sunday at 11 a. m. Subject of lesson—sermon: "Christ Jesus." Sunday school at 10. Wednesday evening prayer meeting at 7:30; all are welcome. Reading room hours, 2 to 5 daily, except Sunday, also Sunday evening from 7:30 to 9. Church edifice 212 North Oadale.

### NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned will apply to the city council of the city of Medford, Oregon, at its next regular meeting on January 2, 1911, for a license to sell spirituous, vinous and malt liquors in quantities less than a gallon at its place of business on lots 5, 6, 7, 8, block 20, in said city, for a period of six months.

### HOTEL NASH CO.

Dated Dec. 14, 1911.

### MILK ROUTE EXTENDED.

The Medford Dairy, J. W. Sulder, proprietor, has decided to extend its milk route to cover all of that portion of the city of Medford lying east of Bear creek bridge, and hereafter Mr. Sulder will serve customers in

any part of that territory, as well as other parts of Medford. Mr. Sulder guarantees the milk from his dairy to be pure, sanitary and fresh. The milk furnished is highly recommended as an excellent baby food. Phone Pacific 201 P J 3; or Home 285-M.



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Eyesight Specialist  
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## We Have Moved

The J. T. Broadley flower store is now in the M. F. & H. store, across the street from former location. Choice lots of cut flowers, bulbs, ferns, palms, etc., always on hand. J. T. BROADLEY

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### A Merry Christmas

Our business for the year now closing, through your loyalty and patronage, and our careful attention to the interest of our depositors, has been very satisfactory, and we hope that you and each of you can make the same report.

We have shown our faith in Medford's future growth and prosperity by the erection of our magnificent new Banking Rooms, and will soon be able to extend to our many friends and patrons one of the best equipped banks between Portland and San Francisco.

With the season's most cordial greetings, we remain,  
Sincerely yours,  
F. K. DEUEL, President. M. L. ALFORD, Cashier.  
CHAS. M. ENGLISH, Vice-President. ORIS CRAWFORD, Asst. Cashier.

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Medford, Oregon