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The Democratic Times, The Medford Mail, The Medford Tribune, The South-ern Oregonian, The Ashland Tribune. Medford was the pioneer in community p

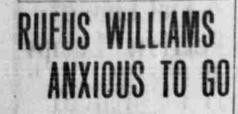
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SWORN CIRCULATION. Daily average for eleven months end-ing November 30, 1911, 2751.

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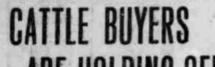
Main Event at Smoker of Athletic Club on January 8 Will Be Between Jack Johnson and Rufus ford does. Williams

Manager Frankie Edwards received up closer together. word yesterday from Rufus Williams accepting the match with Jack Johnson, the local colored boxer.

the Natatorium Athletic club's next smoker, January S, and is surely a good starter for the New Year, as these boys are more of the seasoned and experienced kind of hoxers, and worth going a long way to see. They will box six rounds and weigh

in at 154 pounds. Besides the main go there will be able to La Follette. a special event and two preliminaries.

That popular prices may be charged, the large skating rink of the Natatorium has been secured.



MEDFORD POINTS THE WAY.

Medford was the pioneer in community publicity work. HARVEY CASE IS She issued the first pamphlet descriptive of the country's resources. She was the first of the Oregon cities to advertise. All the other cities have followed.

Medford has led the way in municipal improvementsin water systems, sewer systems, and in paving. The Entered as second-class matter at other towns are following her lead and shaking off the March 3, 1878. lethargy of decades.

Medford has led the good roads fight. She first recognized scenery as an asset. She initiated the movement to

Medford is to establish a public market, thus aiding the solution of the market problem for the producer. If it is successful, they will be established throughout the state. wald nursery man, who was charged In many other lines of municipal endeavor Medford points with the murder of the Hill family, The Mail Tribune is on sale at the Ferry News Stand, San Francisco, By the following item from the Oregon City Courier: W. O. Whitney, Scattle, Wash. "Down in Medford the other day the Courses is that evi-

manimously voted for public market days.

"In Oregon City we hum over it week after week and then let it slide.

"In Medford there was not a dissenting voice against him. trying out this trade drawing idea.

"Now commercial clubs the world over are largely made up of business men, and circumstantial evidence tends to show that the business men of Medford are guilty of pulling together.

"The result is that while Oregon City 'considers,' Med-

"This isn't a slam on the Commercial club or Live Wires. They have done much for Oregon City in the past four years. This is just a little slam to keep 'em moving

"We have got to get together, hide jealousies and pull for the city's good.

The boat will be the main event of nursing air castles. The Medford way is better."

A NATIONAL AWAKENING.

C TRAW votes are being taken all over the country by proper use of Herpicide has been folall sorts of journals. The surprising thing about lowed by a remarkable growth of they no doubt will put up a contest them is that every one so far announced, whether it be hair. east, west or south, or whether it be national in character, remedy which kills the dandruff reflects a public sentiment unfavorable to Taft and favor- germ and stops falling hair.

As the result of a national plebiscite or referendum and guaranteed by all druggists. conducted during a period of sixty days by the Farm and Home Magazine, La Follette received a total of 2690 votes R., Detroit, Mich. for the presidency as against 363 for Roosevelt and 1062 for Taft.

While the characteristic La Follette strength is shown in the states of the middle west, two surprising items in



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Market for Last Week Was Somea Pound.

day tendency for buyers to hold off itics. and give themselves a chance to cuf down their cooler stocks had the effeet of making the market for the week somewhat slow. The slight supquirements and the most noted happening of the week was the sale of a Christmas steer at 10 cents, which weighed 2100 pounds and dressed 72.14 per cent. This is a phenomena steer. The cow market showed an increase, and on the whole prices may be said to be stronger and higher at the week's close.

The hog market showed further rival of contracted deliveries had a damaging effect on the price of local failure of shippers to notify com- journalism: mission men of their anticipated movement of live stock. Had the market handlers known of the hogs that were coming forward to market they might have prevented the placchases.

Lambs sold at \$4.85 and \$5. The sale of 131 83-pound lambs that had been properly fattened at \$5.65 is an

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Dec. 27,large independent competitors of the members of the National Erectors' viduals connected with the competing ed largely to the funds of the iron workers' union.

Haskins for health.

ARE HOLDING OFF the poll evidence that the Wisconsin senator is head and shoulders above all other candidates in New England and the south among the farmers.

"La-Follette," answer 65 per cent of the votes, while Taft receives 25 per cent and Roosevelt 10 per cent. Sentiment is overwhelming from Maine to Texas and from what Slow, Not Much Doing- New Jersey to California for initiative, referendum, re-Christmas Steer Sells at 10 Cents call, popular election of senators and lower tariffs.

Stand-patters are those who eling to exploded fallacies and try through partisanship and prejudice to induce the people to cling to harmful policies and special legislation. PORTLAND, Dec. 27 .- The holi- In other words, the stand-patter is the mossback of pol-

As a recent writer remarks:

"When the erab outgrows his shell it sloughs off and so far as we know, he offers no objection, but takes the plies were just about up to the re- new shell which answers his needs better. But we, who consider ourselves infinitely superior to the crab, try to compel ourselves to keep within the bounds of old thoughts, lazy habits and outgrown customs after we no longer need them. When we are unfortunate enough to dress for a 2-year-old and under 3 succeed, we rejoice at our cramped souls, as the Chinese woman prides herself upon her cramped, misshapen foot."

"STABLE" METHODS DISTURBED.

weakness, tops being \$6.40. The ar-rival of contracted deliveries had a THE optimistic and cheery Gold Hill News contains the following reply to the captious, carping criticism of hogs, a condition which is due to the a vinegar tempered, sour faced playmate in the garden of

> "Says the Portland Oregonian, venomeus critic of Governor West: 'He has got into trouble through his egregious meddling with stable methods of government.'

"That's just it-'stable' methods of government. It ing of contract for eastern pur- is 'stable' methods of government that Governor West has been trying to clean up ever since his inauguration-he and Ben Olcott, his secretary of state. To the Oregonian this is nothing less than sacreligious meddling.

evidence of the contention that good mutton will always bring a good price. "By all means, the governor should let the Salem "stables" stand as they have always stood. Don't clean out a single stall. Don't let in the light. Don't ventilate. It is reported here today that Burns Let every old departmental grafter continue to munch at detectives and United States secret the public crib. Lead out no worthless old nag that has service men are investigating evi- been eating his head off-at public expense-for years. dence which perhaps may involve Don't touch a single sacred, stinking straw of the old 'stable' method of government. Don't make state instituassociation in the McNamara dyna- tions self-supporting. Don't give penitentiary inmates a mite conspiracy. It is further reports chance at useful labor in the open air, under the broad ed that indication has been found blue sky. Keep them penned up like cattle-such was the that the funds the MeNamaras used 'stable' method in vogue aforetime, good enough since time treasury. It is said also that indi- began, good enough now, always and forever.

"Yes, Governor West 'has got' into trouble because of firms with the members of the Na- his progressive, humanitarian policies. But the seat of the tional Erectors' association contribut- trouble is in the editorial stomach of the Oregonian; also the location of the most pitiful and apparently the most chronic case of aggravated mossback dyspepsia on record. "West has made good. He is manfully performing a



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