

GREEN LICENSE TAGS ARE HERE

But Auto Owners Fail to Get Tags for 1912—Out of 6500 Registered Machines But 1300 Have New License Numbers.

The 1912 automobile license tags are beginning to be seen on the machines of Medford. However, from Salem comes the report that only 1300 tags have been mailed, while there are 6500 registered machines in the state, as shown by the 1911 records in the secretary of state's office. Unless the owners of the remaining 5200 automobiles can display a tag bearing black letters on a green background after next Monday, they are subject to arrest for not complying with the state law, as all tags bearing black letters with a yellow background are worthless after the first of the year.

GOOD SHOW AT THE STAR.

That good, clean motion pictures thrown on a screen without a flicker to tire the eyes, take in Medford, when presented in a comfortable house with modern accommodations, is demonstrated by the immense throngs of people which fill the Star theater each night. Under the direction of Manager Sather, the Peoples Amusement company is giving a high class show each evening. One of the most thrilling films which has ever been brought to this city is being exhibited at the Star this afternoon and evening, entitled "Lost in the Jungles." This picture is the last and most realistic of a series of animal pictures produced by the Seltz company, and which have caused no end of comments. Two other strong dramas are shown, "When California Was Won," and "Two Daughters of Havana." As laugh producers, "Comic Games in Singapore" and "Too Much Turkey" are very hard to beat, and the admission is given by the management that if a spectator does not desire to laugh, he had better stay away.

NOTICE, MERCHANTS.

The merchants will close all day Monday, New Year's.
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JACK JOHNSON TO MEET M'VEY

Bout to Be Fixed for Easter Monday in Sydney—Champion to Get \$30,000, Win, Lose or Draw—Expenses Paid.

CHICAGO, Dec. 30.—Jack Johnson, heavyweight champion of the world, will defend his title against Sam McVey in Australia next spring. The bout probably will be fixed for Easter Monday in Sydney. Johnson's demands for \$30,000, win, lose or draw, will be granted and he will also get \$5000 for traveling expenses and four round trip tickets to Australia.

Tom Andrews of Milwaukee, representing Hugh McIntosh, made the agreement with Johnson. Cables from McIntosh are expected to confirm the arrangements today.

Johnson says that he will in the meantime meet any and all comers willing to pay his price.

Johnson and McVey have met in three 20-round bouts. Two of them were declared in Johnson's favor and in the third Johnson won by a knockout in the last minute of the 20th round.

MEDFORD YOUNG PEOPLE'S UNION OF DIFFERENT CHURCHES GETTING BUSY

The Medford Young People's union was organized in Medford last March by the Christian Endeavor societies of the First Christian church, the First Presbyterian church and the Baptist Young People's union of the First Baptist church. Later the Epworth league of the Methodist Episcopal church joined the union.

The officers of the union are: Miss Bertha Pierce, president; Ernest Price, vice president; Miss Genevieve Wortman, corresponding secretary; Miss Elsie Wallace, local secretary.

At a meeting of the nominating committee, held at the First Presbyterian church last evening, the following persons were nominated to fill the different offices for the ensuing year: J. Herman Harrison, president; Earl Kaiser, vice president; Miss Edith Carper, local secretary; Miss Genevieve Wortman, corresponding secretary; Percy Talent, treasurer.

The various young people's societies are a very busy lot of young people and are taking a forward step

MONDAY WILL BE HOLIDAY

Stores and Banks Will Be Closed—Welcoming of New Year in This City Will of a Necessity Be Very Quiet.

Medford will generally observe New Year's day on Monday as a holiday. Most of the stores will be closed during the day, while the banks will not open.

The welcoming of the youngest 1912 will of a necessity be quiet this year, as no liquor will be sold in the city on Sunday, New Year's eve.

Not many good stenographers, good clerks or other efficient helpers will be found in this city this week except through want advertising.

in this great work. At the next meeting of the Medford Young People's union all the young people of the town are urged to be present. The date of this meeting will be given out at a later date.

Splendid Music at the U-go Theatre

Lovers of music will have the opportunity of beginning the New Year by gratifying their craving for the best efforts in that line, Monday night at the Ugo theater. The management of that popular place has been fortunate to secure for the delight of their patrons the famous Bistolfi's Unique Italian Orchestra, fresh from its successes in musical centers. Following is what the Baker Herald says about the performance of this artistic company:

"The playing of Bistolfi's 'Maltum in Parvo Orchestra' was a revelation to those who are prone to judge of the merits of a performance by the price of admission. To hear these artists play is a liberal education, indeed, for their interpretation, expression and shading is masterful. The ensemble work of this unique aggregation is equal to more than twice its number of performers and the violin solo is alone worth many times the price of admission. It is seldom that music lovers anywhere are given the opportunity to enjoy such music at such minimum cost." 241*

HAMMERSLY TO HUNT WOLVES

Forestry Bureau and State Game Commission Gets Together on the Matter of Keeping Trapper in Hills for Next Four Months.

Trapper Hammersly will trap and hunt for wolves in the Crater national forest for the next four months at least, and possibly longer, as the forestry service and the state game commission have gotten together and each will pay Mr. Hammersly one-half of his salary. The appointment

runs from January 1, 1912 to May 1, 1912. If successful Mr. Hammersly will probably be retained.

In addition to his salary Mr. Hammersly will be allowed to accept bounties on wolves, offered by stockmen, to an amount of \$50 a month. He is now in the hills phasing his trapping line.

Died.

Alexander Johnson, aged 77 years, 10 months and 6 days, died at the home of W. H. Maulby Friday afternoon at 1 o'clock. Four children survive—Alvin and Arthur Johnson, Mrs. R. L. Hale and Mrs. R. K. Maulby of this city. The body is at Weeks & McGowan's. Funeral announcement later.

Senator Gaylord Coming.

Local socialists have arranged for the appearance soon of State Senator W. R. Gaylord of Milwaukee, who will speak on socialism here next week.

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Made in all styles, fine materials, very newest patterns, daintily trimmed with laces and embroideries.
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9-4 brown Pepperell Sheetting **24c**
9-4 bleached Pepperell Sheetting **28c**
1-1 bleached Hope Sheetting, 10c grade..... **8c**
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