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

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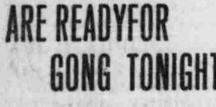
The Mall Tribune is on sale at the Ferry News Stand, San Francisco, Portland Hotel News Stand, Portland, Rowman News Co., Portland, Ora. W. O. Whitney, Scattle, Wash.

M. O. Waiting, Southe, Waan. Metropolis of Southern Oregon and Northern California, and the fastest-growing city in Oregon. Population-U. S. cemsus 1910-8840; estimated. 1811-18.000. Five hundred thousand dollar Gravity Water System completed, giving finest supply pure mountain water, and 17.3 milles of streets paved. Postoffice receipts for year ending November 30, 1911, show increase of 19 per cent.

per cent. Banner fruit city in Oregon-Regue River Spitzenberg apples won sweep-stakes prize and title of "Apple King of the World" at the National Apple Show, Spokane, 1803, and a car of Newtowns won <u>First Frize in 1910</u> at Canadian International Apple Show, Vancouver, B. C.

et Canadian International Apple Show, Vancouver, B. C. First Prize in 1911 at Spokane National Apple Show won by carload of Newtowin. Rogue River pears brought highest prices in all markets of the world dur-ing the past six years. Write Commercial Club. inclosing 6 cents for postage for the finest commu-nity namphlet ever published.





Bobbie Evans, Northwest's Lightweight Champion, to Meet Young Dixon in 10-Round Bout Tonight-**Eugene Visitors May See Bouts.**

Tonight's the night. Those who stay away will be sorry tomorrow, for the best 10-round boxing contest ever staged in the northwest will be pulled off tonight at the Natatorium Athletic club's smoker in the large skating rink of the "Nat."

Bobbie Evans, northwestern lightweight champion, will defend his title

JACKSON COUNTY'S WEALTH.

CCORDING to summaries furnished by the state tax Commission Jackson county, as equalized, ranks fourth among the counties of Oregon in assessed valuation, being rated at \$38,027,086, and exceeded only by Multnomah, Umatilla and Marion, in order named.

Jackson county's wealth in tillable lands is given as follows: 80,021 acres, valued at \$7,609,147 or \$95 an acre. The non-tillable lands are listed at 1,452,939 acres, valued at \$11,429,805, or \$7.87 an acre.

Town and city property in Jackson county is assessed at \$7,225,363 and improvements thereon at \$3,561,130. Machinery is assessed at \$182,330, merchandise at \$874,-962, farming utensils at \$334,272, money at \$63,835, stock at \$419,895, household goods at \$345,900.

There are 5390 head of horses and mules valued at 373,560 or \$69.31 per head; 8251 head of cattle, valued at Raturday only, by mail, per year 150 \$140,249 or \$17 per head; 8804 sheep, worth \$28,915, \$3.28 average; 4206 hogs, worth \$13,613 or \$3.24 apiece; 1048 dogs, valued at \$4038 or \$3.85 each.

Public service corporations are equalized by the state board at \$4,615,187 in Jackson county, and assessed at 5,494,270. Railroads are assessed at \$4,839,175 and apportioned \$4,064,908, sleeping car companies assessed at \$26,005, apportioned at \$16,643, electric companies as- translated from the French. David eraing body will authorize a walkout sessed at \$265,880 and apportioned at \$223,339, express Belasco was the first to take hold of during the next few days. companies at \$77,157 and apportioned at \$64,812, telegraph our home product. He brought Chas. companies \$41,899, apportioned at \$35,195, telephone companies assessed at \$214,305, apportioned at \$180,016.

The item of tillable lands evidently needs revising, for according to the census taken by the fruit inspectors there is in the neighborhood of 75,000 acres of planted orchardand not more than a quarter of the tillable land is planted tain Williams is an experienced actor. to orchard.

COOPERATION AN ESSENTIAL TO FARMING.

FARMERS of the Applegate valley have united, erected and equipped a creamery to utilize their dairy products. In this they have set a commendable example to other farmers.

Cooperation is an essential of successful farming. The farmer, like the dairyman and fruit grower, must learn the value of uniting to market their produce-otherwise but little will go to the producer.

Cooperation organizations have made corn and grain farming profitable to the farmer in the central west, where for many years he had either to feed or burn his surplus, It has made orange culture profitable in southern California where it was formerly a breeder of bankruptcy. In scores of lines, the value of cooperation has become an the play as a whole was one of the established fact.

Farmers of the Rogue river valley should heed the lessons taught elsewhere and profit by the example of other localities. As the orchardists have united, so should the truck raisers, gardeners and diversified farmers, of this section, so as to supply in businesslike manner the collecting and marketing machinery as well as the growing end.

What use is it to grow produce and let it rot upon the ground? Growers should organize and force the market for their output. Each farmer is a manufacturer in a against Young Dixon of Kansas City small way-and marketing his product is just as important in a 10-round boat. Both men have to him as to the manufacturer. Therefore the selling end showed plenty of class and are in cannot be overlooked-and the only way the small farmers can solve the problem is by cooperation.



THE MERRIVOLD SHOP

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"13 AND 23"

Their original comedy dressing

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Cast-Lucile High Salary, Ada

Heist Oberman; Ethel Fluffy (her

partner), Maud Williams; Bertie

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Scene-Two Dressing Room.

Time-Before the Show,

Budweiser, just a dog.

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Klingenberg, land in Tp. 37,

. H. French to George Lowd,

land in Tp. 36, 4W.

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LOS ANGELES, Cal., Feb. 13.-E. F. Guthrie to Rosa Wald Isaac Newton Van Nuys, pioneet Klingenberg, land in Tp. 37, usiness man of Los Angeles, is dead today after fire years' illness. He D. W. Day to S. L. Grigsby, lot I, blk 19, Butte Falts came to Los Angeles in 1871. His George Lowd to Sidney F. Potfortune is estimated at \$3,000,000. ter, land in Tp. 36, 4W.....

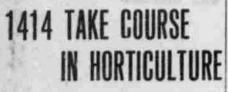
MEDFORD MARKETS Retail Prices.

Isaac N. Van Nuys Dead.

Vegetables.

the pink of condition to go 10 fast rounds. There will be several good preliminaries to precede the main event.

Seats on sale at Nash hotel. General admission, \$1.



CORVALLIS, Ore., Feb. 13 .instruction.

"There were \$42 students regis- temporis acti. tered in the regular short courses," he says, "and a conservative estimate places the number that attended the poultry lectures and demonstrations at 761, making a total of 1603 people benefited by the short per cent of the attendance, and women 24 per cent.

"The total enrollment may be classified by courses as follows: Agriculture, horticulture, including poultry demonstrations, 1414; domestic science and art, 136; special courses in business methods and rural law, 14.

WARRING CHINESE TONGS SIGN PEACE TREATY

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Feb. 13.-Warring Chinese tongs here have pre-March 7. Representatives of the a dinner at the White House this velt, as the ideal representative of tongs meet at the offices of the Six evening. The speaker's dinner, which Companies this afternoon to sign up was inaugurated last year by Presithe pact. This insures peace in dent Taft in honor of the then Speak-Chinatown through the Chinese new er Cannon of the house, is the last formal state dinner of the White your festivities at least.

Had this pact not been agreed upon House season. Unofficially, however, in answer to Chief of Police White's the White House entertaining will making history that will place him ultimatum, the authorities would have continue until Lent. blockaded Chinatown. All tourists

and non-residents of the Chinese colony would have been kept out and invention has a pivoted jaw, which principal of fidelity to truth, to the thousands of dollars' worth of trade permits it to grasp five of the six eternal laws of justice and the comwould have been lost, A HIT Y Y & MY Y W Y Y Y . WY .

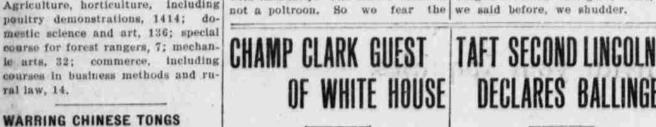
Even the Spectator Shudders

(From the Portland Spectator.) [worst-and more. And shudder. It was with deep sorrow that the The Spectator had hoped that the Spectator noticed the shocking lan- days of ruffian, swashbucklering guage the Oregonian employed on fournalism had passed. By following Tuesday in referring to the Medford a course of sweetness and light our-IN HORTICULTURE Tuesday in referring to the Mediord a course of sweetness and light our-Mail Tribune. As every one knows, selves, we have ever sought to set an the Oregonian does not love the Mail example worthy of emulation by our the Oregonian does not love the Mail example worthy of emulation by our Tribune; indeed, our Portland con- contemporaries. We thought that by temporary has an unfathomably deep an exhibition of gentleness and courdisesteem for our Medford contem- tesy and kindly patronage we might Registrar H. M. Tennant of the Ore- porary. But we submit that no news- soften the rankerous hatred that our gon Agricultural college estimates paper should allow its feeling of contemporaries feel toward each the total enrollment in the winter contempt, hatred, or loathing toward other. And we had flattered ourshort course, farmers' week and another to betray it into the use of selves that our ameliorative efforts poultry show as something over 1600 such wicked and approbrios epithets had not been wholly in vaia-until although the final figures have not as the Oregonian employed toward we found that the Oregonian, becombeen turned in by all departments of the Mail Tribune. The Oregonian ing even more brutal and vicious

> called the Mail Tribune a laudator than ever, had deliberately and wantonly insulted the Mail Tribune by This is not only libellous, but it is anathematizing it as a laudator tembillingsgate; not only billingsgate, poris acti.

There's no use trying to pour Sabut dangerous, as it inevitably tends to a breach of the peace. We feel maritan oil into the raw wounds of certain-and the certainty arouses in the Mail Tribune, nor will it avail to us the very darkest forebodings- preach peace. When one newspaper courses this year. Men formed 76 that the Mail Tribune will not tame- applies the approbrious epithet of ly submit to this brutal and uncalled laudator temporis acti to another, for insult. None but a poltroon may there can be but one result.

be called a laudator temporis acti We expect to see the pale air of 71/2 c. with immunity. The Mail Tribune is Oregon streaked with gore. And, as



SEATTLE, Wash., Feb. 13 .-WASHINGTON, Feb. 13.-Speaker 'Some prefer Washington, others and Mrs. Champ Clark will be the guests of President and Mrs. Taft at Mr. Lincoln, still others Mr. Roosetrue statesmanship and the friend of the majority," said former Secretary of the Interior Ballinger at the Lincoln day banquet here last night 'But without taking the glory from

any, I want to say that Mr. Taft is in the front rank of the presidents. "The greatest difference between

A new machine wrench of German Lincoln and Taft is corporal, but the faces of a hexagonal nut at once. mon people characterizes both."

Potatoes-\$1.50 per cwt. Cabbage-3c. Paranips-2 1/2 c. Lettuce-10c head. Carrots-214 c. Beets-2%c. Onions-3c. Celery-50c@\$1 doz. Cauliflower-10@20c head. Turnips-2 % c. Radishes-5c bunch.

the season.

Onions-Green, 5c bunch. Fruit. Cocoanuts-10c each. Prunes-Dried, 10c 1b. Lemons-25c dozen. Bananas-10c to 30c per dozen.

Oranges-15c to 40c.

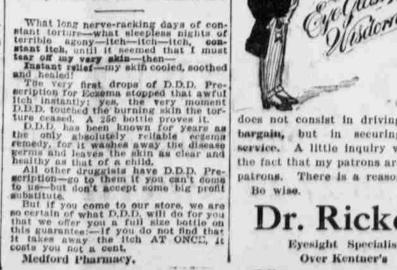
Cranberries-10c quart. Butter, Eggs and Poultry. Butter-Fresh ranch, per roll, 65c; creamery, 85c. Eggs-Fresh ranch, 30c; storage, 20e

Poultry-Hens, dressed, 18c; live 12c; springs, dressed, 20c. Turkeys-20c to 25c, dressed.

Meats, Wholesale. Beef-Cows, 41/2 c; steers, 5c. Pork-5% @ 6c. Veal-Dressed, 71 @10c. Mutton-2@3%c, live; lambs, 5@

Hay and Feed, Wholesale. Hay-Timothy, \$18; alfalfa, \$16; grass, \$16; grain hay, \$16. Grain-Wheat, \$1.02 bushel; oats. \$37 ton; barley, \$40 ton.

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