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MEDFORD, OREGON. Metropolitan of Oregon and Northern California, and the fastest-growing city in Oregon.

Population—U. S. census 1910—3840; estimated, 1911—10,000.

Five hundred thousand dollar Gravity Water System completed, giving finest supply pure mountain water, and 17.3 miles of streets paved.

Postoffice receipts for year ending November 30, 1911, show increase of 19 per cent.

Banner fruit city in Oregon—Rogue River Spitzberg apples won sweepstakes prize and title of "Apple King of the World" at the National Apple Show, Spokane, 1909, and a car of Newtowns won First Prize in 1910.

at Canadian International Apple Show, Vancouver, B. C.

NEUTRALITY LAWS TO BE ENFORCED

WASHINGTON, March 13.—President Taft has arranged to confer over the situation in Mexico with Secretary Stimson, Senator Culberson and the Texas congressional delegation. It is understood the president and secretary of war wish to impress Texas authorities that neutrality laws must be enforced strictly, and that no aid to Mexican insurgents must go from Texas.

It was learned that after the conference the president may issue a statement defining the attitude of the United States toward Mexico and giving assurance to the Mexicans that the United States has now no intention of intervening.

President Taft told callers today he would not consider intervention unless congress authorized him to take such steps.

An alarming report came from Ambassador Wilson today that many Americans in the western part of Mexico are destitute and needed help to get out of the country. Consideration will probably be given by the state department as the best means to get them out by way of the western ports.

NEW ENGLAND MILLS GRANT INCREASE TO TEXTILE HANDS

BOSTON, March 13.—The crest of the high wage movement in New England textile circles reached Fall River this afternoon. The 25,000 employees of 100 print cloth mills here will receive a 5 per cent advance on March 25. This brings to 175,000 the total of New England textile workers who will get better pay. The advance of 5 per cent was also announced in the cotton mills of Taunton, as well as by the Worcester woolen mills and the Hoacole Cotton company's mills at North Adams.

It is expected other wool and cotton mills employing 100,000 will advance an increase shortly. In some of the Lawrence mills it is understood the raise will be at least 12 per cent for many classes of labor. It is estimated the general advance of 5 to 7 per cent will cost the 1500 textile operatives \$5,000,000 a year. In Holyoke, Chicopee and other

TAFT TELLS MCKINLEY TO CLOSE HIS FACE

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 13.—President Taft today bluntly commanded Representative W. B. McKinley, his campaign manager, to desist from all personalities with the supporters of Colonel Roosevelt. The president was thoroughly aroused because of the controversy entered into by Representative McKinley and Senator Dixon, campaign manager of Roosevelt.

P. A. Stanton, a prominent Taft supporter of southern California, today wired President Taft from Los Angeles that a Taft organization of men and women had been formed in southern California.

CITY TREASURER'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that there are funds in the city treasury for the redemption of Warrant No. 193 water main improvement fund No. 2. Interest will cease after this date.

GUS H. SAMUELS, City Treasurer. Dated, March 11, 1912.

"THEY GOTTA QUIT KICKIN' OUR DAWG AROUND."

A GENTLEMAN from Cheyenne, Wyo., we have his name and address, yesterday purchased twenty-two acres of land from Roguelands, Inc. He has moved his family here—in short, he has become one of us.

But had he not made a deposit with this company last fall, he would not be here!

He would not be here because he would have been stopped by the persistent and malicious knocking of this city and valley by other sections—and by other sections in this state!

We have every confidence in this gentleman's word. He is an active business man who recently retired from the employ of the Union Pacific railroad, after several years of active duty as their agent at Cheyenne, Wyoming. He retired to make his home on an Oregon tract of land. His long service as an agent in passing out literature urging a "back to the farm" policy finally induced him to come. Yesterday he invested in a local tract. He has seen for himself what the Rogue River valley is, and is confident of the future.

But he was not allowed to reach southern Oregon unmolested. Only a partial payment made last November offset the tales he was told at Portland, Salem, Eugene. Among other things he was told that:

Medford is a bubble. The Rogue River valley as a fruit growing section is a joke.

Hot air alone keeps up this section.

The roads are impassable during five months of the year.

The climate is on a par with the winters of Dakota and the summers of Arizona.

Hundreds of people are forsaking this valley for other sections.

The supreme court threw out our bond issue because we were taxed so heavily we couldn't pay our debts.

Farms and orchards by the score are now tenantless and are ragged with neglect.

There are so many different kinds of soil that you would get skinned anyway.

The prize wheat section of the state is the Rogue River valley, and Medford is its prophet.

The Southern Pacific is operating against us as the town is dead.

"You are getting one out of each fifty starting for this section," concludes the gentleman. "I am indeed surprised. I fully expected to get my deposit back, and hike."

It is lamentable that the other sections of Oregon should so maliciously slander Medford and the Rogue River valley, whose only crime has been progress and advancement. Verily, as Hamlet said:

"Rightly to be great Is not to stir without great argument."

It is not our purpose to defend the Rogue River valley nor Medford—here they are, let them stand for themselves, for they need no defense. In a great state like Oregon it is a regret to see it torn by petty jealousies and sectional strife. The upbuilding of every district is a matter in which every other district should take pride. Let not one tear down another for its own advancement, for therein lies destruction. Let the colonist come—show him the best you have—then if he would first see other districts let him see them. Come gentlemen:

"Away with discord Lest it spread, and like a two edged sword, Seek our own end."

LA FOLLETTE CLUB REBUKES JOHNSON

LOS ANGELES, Cal., March 13.—The La Follette club of Los Angeles is on record today with a stinging rebuke to Governor Johnson for failing to reply to questions the organization, through the press, asked the governor at the time of his recent visit to Los Angeles.

After declaring that Johnson always has been a courageous fighter—when his cause was just—the statement issued by the La Follette men asks:

"Do the trenchant sentences of his (Johnson's) Saturday speech answer the questions propounded by the La Follette club?"

The statement concludes with another question to Governor Johnson, as follows:

"Is it because you sought the justice of your case that you neglected to answer the questions that are being put to you wherever you appear concerning your recent attitude and association with Senator La Follette?"

NO CLUE FOUND TO TONG LEADER SLAYERS

LOS ANGELES, March 13.—Although detectives have combed Chinatown from sub-cellar to roof, they have made no progress in their search for the men who garrotted Wah Lee, a tong leader, compelling him to die with his gaze riveted on a pile of gold coins on his table.

Officer Moyer of the Chinatown squad, who found Wah's body, told Chief of Police Sebastian today that three days previous to the murder Wah had informed him that he expected to die before the end of March. He refused to speak further. The police officials offer the opinion that the murderers came here from San Francisco to kill Wah.

LIMITED TRAIN IS DITCHED; MANY HURT

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., March 13.—A score or more passengers on the New York Central eastbound Twentieth Century Limited were injured at Hyde Park six miles east of here today when the four rear passenger coaches were derailed. The officers of the company announced that there were no casualties but admitted that a number of passengers had been injured.

A broken rail is declared to have been the cause of the accident.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal.—Enterprising burglars entered the home of John P. Amos, and ripped up the carpets in their search for coin. They got \$162.

To Break Up Cold

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Strong drink and quinine may relieve a cold, but it usually does more harm than good.

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LA FOLLETTE TO STUMP DAKOTA

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 13.—Determined to take the stump in North Dakota Senator Robert M. La Follette, accompanied only by his wife, is speeding west today to personally get into the presidential primary fight in that state where the Taft, Roosevelt and La Follette forces are fighting for "first blood" in the fight for the republican presidential nomination.

The Wisconsin senator charges flatly that Roosevelt broke faith with him. He declares Roosevelt sent him word by Gifford Pinchot that in no case would he be a candidate, and that he would not participate actively in the campaign but would endorse La Follette.

POLITICAL CARDS

(Paid Advertisement.)

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the democratic nomination for the office of county clerk, subject to the will of the voters of that party at the primaries. I promise the people of Jackson county that in case of my nomination and election I will fulfill the duties of the office according to law and the best of my knowledge and ability.

W. H. MILLER, Gold Hill, Ore., Feb. 16, 1912.

County Recorder.

I am a candidate for a second term for the office of County Recorder on the Republican ticket, subject to the coming primary.

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FRED L. COLVIG.

For Sheriff.

I announce myself as a candidate for sheriff, promising a continuance of the businesslike administration I have given the office in the past.

W. A. JONES.

For County Recorder.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the republican nomination for the office of County Recorder subject to the will of the voters of that party at the primaries.

I was born and raised at Eagle Point, Ore. I have for the past two years been deputy in the assessor's office, and all I ask the people to do is to look up my past record before casting their ballot.

CHAUNCEY FLOREY.

For Prosecuting Attorney.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the democratic nomination for the office of prosecuting attorney for the first prosecuting attorney district of Oregon, embracing the counties of Jackson and Josephine, subject to the will of the voters of that party at the primaries, and I pledge the people of Jackson and Josephine counties that in the event of my nomination and election I will fearlessly, impartially and to the best of my ability prosecute all violations of law in said district and endeavor to administer the duties of said office with the utmost efficiency and economy.

E. E. KELLY.

For Representative.

I respectfully present my name as candidate for representative to the republican voters at the coming primary. I have been once honored by the people of Jackson county, having been chosen to represent them in the state assembly two years ago. If nominated and elected, I shall do in the future as I have in the past; give to my constituents as honest and faithful service as lies within my power. I realize that there are matters of importance to southern Oregon that will come up in the next meeting of the legislature at Salem, and it will be my earnest desire if elected to act to the fullest satisfaction of all the people of Jackson county.

J. A. WESTERLUND.

For Assessor.

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of assessor subject to the republican primaries in April.

W. T. GRIEVE.

For County Commissioner.

I hereby announce myself as candidate for the nomination of county commissioner for the four year term, subject to the endorsement of the republican voters at the primary election April 19, 1912.

If nominated and elected I will during my term of office conduct the business of Jackson county on a strictly business basis, and to the best interests of the taxpayers, and without fear or favor to any party, parties or to any particular section of the county.

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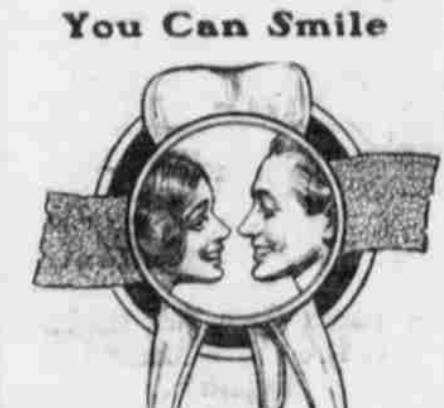
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