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 Daily average for eleven months end-
 ing November 30, 1911, 2751.
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MEDFORD, OREGON.
 Metropolis of Southern Oregon and
 Northern California, and the fastest-
 growing city in Oregon.
 Population—U. S. census 1910—5840;
 estimated, 1911—6000.
 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 12
 per cent.
 Banner fruit city in Oregon—Rogue
 River Spitznberg apples won sweep-
 stakes 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.

FOUR KILLED IN CONWAY WRECK

PITTSBURG, Pa., Aug. 30.—Four persons were killed near Conway and several seriously injured when a passenger train on the Pennsylvania en route to Cleveland, collided with a wrecking train. The dead are: Engineer E. L. Coughlin and three laborers.

Several freight cars had been derailed during the night, and the wrecking train was clearing the track when the passenger crashed into it. A misunderstanding of orders is said to be responsible.

Six of the passenger coaches left the rails, and the passengers received a severe shaking up.

YESTERDAY'S SCORES

Northwestern			
	W.	L.	P. C.
Spokane	74	58	.561
Seattle	73	62	.540
Vancouver	74	64	.526
Portland	64	69	.451
Victoria	61	71	.462
Tacoma	56	79	.415
R. H. E.			
Spokane	6	10	1
Victoria	2	4	2
Batteries: Strand and Ostleik; Kaufman and Meek.			
Vancouver	3	8	1
Portland	2	8	1
Batteries: Schmutz and Lewis; Doty and Burch.			
Tacoma	0	4	4
Seattle	11	12	0

Coast			
	W.	L.	P. C.
Vernon	83	57	.593
Los Angeles	80	56	.588
Oakland	78	62	.552
Portland	58	68	.449
San Francisco	60	81	.425
Sacramento	59	84	.373
R. H. E.			
Portland	2	6	1
Vernon	13	17	5
Batteries: Gregg, Suter, Koestner and Howley; Hitt, Carson and Brown.			
Oakland	3	8	3
San Francisco	1	3	2
Batteries: Gregory and Mitz; Fanning and Schmidt.			
Los Angeles	6	12	2
Sacramento	5	9	2
Batteries: Halla, McCaffery, Nagle and Boles; Gilligan and Kreitz.			

National			
	W.	L.	P. C.
New York	82	35	.701
Chicago	78	41	.656
Pittsburg	69	50	.580
Philadelphia	58	58	.500
Cincinnati	57	63	.475
St. Louis	52	68	.433
Brooklyn	53	76	.413
Boston	35	83	.297
New York 4, Brooklyn 3.			
Philadelphia 4, Boston 1.			
Chicago 10, St. Louis 5.			
Pittsburg 2, Cincinnati 7.			
American			
	W.	L.	P. C.
Boston	68	37	.699
Washington	76	48	.613
Philadelphia	73	48	.604
Chicago	60	61	.496
Detroit	57	67	.460
Cleveland	53	69	.424
New York	44	77	.364
St. Louis	40	82	.328
Boston 3, Philadelphia 1.			
Washington 2, New York 1.			

THE ALTRUISM OF PERKINS

GEORGE W. PERKINS has announced to the local Bull Moosers that he is no longer a partner of J. P. Morgan's having retired from the firm. Nevertheless he is still a director in the International Harvester and other trusts.

Mr. Roosevelt in his speech of August 17, said: "Mr. Perkins is a rich man. He came into my movement on his own initiative. I have known him for fourteen years, and when he joined me I asked him, Why are you supporting me?"

"He said the primary reason was because he had children. He had all the money he wanted, he said, and had come to the conclusion that this country won't be a good place to live in when his children become the age we are unless business and government are brought into proper relations, unless the relations of capital and the wage earner are placed on a better basis."

Mr. Perkins in his statement of August 20, said: "Money is not all in this life. The mere accumulation of wealth will not bring an honorable heritage to my only son. Is there not something more than the incentive to make money which I can leave him?"

The inference is that Mr. Perkins, having amassed all the money he wants, is devoting his life to altruistic movements benefitting humanity, and has therefore entered the Roosevelt party as the party of promise to improve conditions.

A report has just been made public by the New York state factory investigating committee, headed by Senator Robert F. Wagner, which discloses deplorable conditions in the factories in New York, among them, the factories owned by the Harvester trust at Auburn, N. Y., the mills of the Osborne Twine Company. It is a recital of tears and misery, of enforced slavery, of unsanitary conditions, of twelve hour shifts, of all night labor and pitifully small wages. Four hundred women are employed, two hundred work all night.

Seven dollars per week is the highest wage paid for all night labor. Married women are selected for the night shift. The father of the family gets an average wage of \$8 a week and it takes the combined wages of the entire family to support it. The report says in part:

"The appearance of the women workers in this plant was very disheartening. They were worn and pale, and their clothes, faces and hands were covered with oil and hemp cloth. Many of these women, so called, are only children in age, and they have to lug huge piles of hemp, weighing 150 pounds each, across the floor, the load in some cases being bigger than the women themselves.

"In the spinning room, where women are employed alone, to the exclusion of men, who would have to receive higher wages, the clatter of machinery is so frightful that a voice below a shriek cannot be heard. The rooms are dark, though for no necessary cause, and no attempt is made to remove the dust, which is kept in constant motion by the line shaftings, despite the requirement of the law. This dust is breathed continuously by the women, many of whom complain of chronic coughs and colds. The dust and dirt are so thick upon the clothes of the girls that at the noon hour, which in many cases consists of but a few minutes, and at the close of the day's or night's labor, the girls have to sweep each other clean with brooms."

From the foregoing, there seems to be ample opportunity for Mr. Perkins to improve the condition of humanity in the concern in which he is a director.

Altruism should begin at home. It is not necessary for trust magnates to organize new political parties to improve the condition of humanity. If they mean what they promise, a reform in their own factories would be an earnest of their intentions.

Let Mr. Perkins put in effect the eight-hour day, the safety appliances, the healthful conditions, the minimum wage scale advocated by the progressive platform in the various mills he controls before posing as a humanitarian. Let him put his own house in order before reforming the world.

PARCELS POST LAW WORKING BY JANUARY

WASHINGTON, Aug. 30.—On January 1, 1913, the recently enacted parcels post law will be ready to go into general operation, according to announcement here today by Post Master General Hitchcock.

The postal express business will extend over more than 1,000,000 miles of rural delivery service. A series of committees will work out the details of the system.

FIRST CAR OF WHEAT FROM CENTRAL POINT

The firm of Cranfill & Robnett announced that on Wednesday of this week they shipped out the first car of wheat they have ever exported from this point during their seventeen years of being in business in this city.

CAMERON TO FIGHT HIS OFFICE OVER WEST'S CHOICE

PORTLAND, Aug. 30.—Governor West Thursday appointed H. M. Esterly, a Portland attorney, district attorney of Multnomah county, to succeed Geo. J. Cameron, removed by the governor. Governor West assured himself Esterly would be recognized as district attorney by the circuit court and the grand jury. Cameron, who still contends he is district attorney, began quo warranto proceedings today. This is expected to bring about a settlement of the question of the legality of the governor's action in removing Cameron from office.

Cameron says he will still issue arrest warrants. Esterly says he will begin issuing warrants tomorrow. Tom Word has not yet accepted the governor's appointment as special agent in connection with the duties of the sheriff's office. Governor West today sent to Sheriff Stevens a letter labelled "Letter No. 1" outlining the duties of sheriffs under the law.

GRAND JURY HAS ADJOURNED

The grand jury for the March term of the circuit court concluded its labors at Jacksonville Thursday and adjourned having returned sixteen indictments, all of them of minor crimes. The grand jury in its final report says:

"We have examined into all alleged violations of the law coming from all sources and have returned in all 16 indictments.

"We have made an examination of none of the offices or records of the county officers not deeming it necessary. Of the buildings of the county jail which we find to be a good building, a credit to the county and the manner in which it is kept reflects credit on the present management of the same."

ANTI HAT-PIN LEGISLATION DEMANDED AT LOS ANGELES

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Aug. 30.—Unoffending males are to be more than ever at the mercy of careless women who carry formidable spears and lances in their hats, according to a statement demanding anti-hat-pin legislation, which is in the hands of the city council today.

A body of public spirited women who realize the grave danger to which man is subjected by protruding pins are backing the demand. They explain that with decreasing size in hats provided by this year's styles, the hatpin danger increases. They petition the council to limit to one inch the distance a pin may protrude from a hat.

INTERNAL DISSENTIONS SEND SACRAMENTO DOWN

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Aug. 30.—Internal dissensions threaten to push the Sacramento Coast League team further down the percentage ladder, according to many followers of the game here. Reports are current that the club is not pulling together. It is rumored that after yesterday's game, which went to the Angeles after a brilliant ninth and tenth inning rally, Pitcher Gilligan and Kreitz, his catcher, almost came to blows in the club house. Several peacemakers also became involved in the quarrel.

Captain Dillon of the Angeles predicts a clean sweep of the series for his men.

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 There's no longer the slightest need of feeling ashamed of your freckles, as a new drug, othine—double strength has been discovered that positively removes these homely spots.

Simply get one ounce of othine—double strength, from any first class druggist in Medford and apply a little of it at night, and in the morning you will see that even the worst freckles have begun to disappear, while the lighter ones have vanished entirely. It is seldom that more than an ounce is needed to completely clear the skin and gain a beautiful clear complexion.

Be sure to ask for the double strength othine, as this is sold under guarantee of money back if it fails to remove freckles.

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FISHER TELLS OF PLANS FOR ALASKA

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 30.—Secretary of the Interior Fisher who is enroute today to the Hawaiian Islands where he will investigate the opposition to the reappointment of Governor Frear, commented on the government's proposed development of the coal resources in Alaska. He said a thorough scientific study of coal lands would be made by the commission which will leave Washington Tuesday for Alaska. It will be composed of an officer of the navy, a member of the geological survey, an army engineer and a civil engineer.

Fisher said, "every possible means of expediting mining in Alaska coal scientifically and economically will be studied. The country faces the urgent necessity of developing all the coal resources as the navy alone requires 400,000 tons yearly.

Fisher commented on the plan he recently advocated allowing municipalities to mine coal in nearby fields without charge providing coal used by residents. He said he would recommend a bill which will allow Grand Junction, Colo., which has applied for the use of six hundred and forty acres.

Pitchee Meldon Wolfgang, who had a trial with the St. Louis Browns last Fall, is doing great work for the Lowell team of the New England League.

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 A rich and laughable comedy

"ON MOBILE BAY"
 DUET
 Sung by Al Sather and H. D. Forrest

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APPLES

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 What sorts and quantities, and what price? We are not tendering for anybody's fruit.
 Do you want to consign and chance the market? Consult us and we will give you quotations. I every case we send the sellers sale not. N New York we use our own sale note, and do not have apples sold by auction.
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POPULAR EXCURSION

PACIFIC & EASTERN RAILWAY
 SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 1, 1912
 TO BUTTE FALLS
 Fare the Round Trip Only \$1.00
 Delightful day's trip. Good shade for picnic grounds on banks of cold mountain stream. Take your picnic baskets or go to the good hotel on the grounds. Leave Medford 8:00 a. m. Returning leave Butte Falls 5:00 p. m.

Crater Lake Auto Line

Car will leave Hotel Medford, for Crater Lake at 8 a. m. Tuesdays and Saturdays. Return Mondays and Thursdays.
 Spend Sunday at Crater Lake. Reservations made at Medford Hotel office.

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Quick Sales Are the Real Real Estate Bargains

Wednesday we sold two more building lots to parties that are going to build homes on Rose Avenue, making our total sales this week eight building lots and one bungalow.

Moving to Wyoming and the health of my family demand that I move quick to a high altitude.

We have left for sale one new, modern bungalow home, just finished. Fine lawn, elaborate fireplace, maple floors, electrical fixtures, window shades, sleeping porch, laundry trays. The price will interest anyone desiring one of the best built homes in the city in a desirable location, on a paved street, four blocks from the Medford Hotel. Inquire

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 23 Rose Avenue