

MEDFORD SECURES EASTERN NOTICE

(Waverly, Iowa, Democrat.)
We are in receipt of a copy of the New Year's edition of the Medford, Ore., Mail Tribune, the sending of which we credit to our former townsman, E. J. Runyard, and to him we tender our thanks for the same. The paper is in itself very interesting, both as to the mechanical and editorial work, but what is of more interest is the write-up of the city of Medford and its wonderful advantages, both natural and acquired. The Mail Tribune shows pictures of many of the industries and public buildings, as well as some of the beautiful residences. It is claimed that Medford is the best paved city in the world for its size, and from the looks of the streets as shown in the pictures, we have no reason to doubt this assertion. Then another feature which is of great interest is the fruit industry, both as to the large orchards and the canning factories. The market place, over which Mr. Runyard presides, is another interesting feature, showing the products as they are offered for sale in a well-equipped market house. In this illustration is shown a good picture of our former townsman, and his write-up of the market is of great interest. Mr. Runyard has lived in Medford for several years, and it looks as if he made no mistake when he chose that city for his permanent home on the Pacific coast.

WILL PROPERLY OBSERVE ABE LINCOLN'S BIRTHDAY

Plans for the annual Lincoln's birthday celebration of the Illinois club are to be perfected Monday evening at a meeting in the old I. O. O. F. hall, over Daniels store. The officers of the Illinois club wish everyone who formerly lived in Illinois to feel free to attend this meeting and suggest plans for the annual celebration. In this way it is thought that the plans favored by the majority of the club will be adopted. A number of tentative plans will be discussed.

Brady Is Senator

BOISE, Idaho, Jan. 24.—Former Governor James H. Brady was today elected United States senator by the Idaho legislature to fill out the unexpired term made vacant by the death of Senator Heyburn.

STATE FEDERATION SLAPS LAWRENCE

SALEM, Jan. 24.—By a vote of 48 to 25, the State Federation of Labor today passed the resolution censuring Representative Lawrence for introducing the workmen's compensation bill in the legislature before ascertaining the views of the federation. The resolution repudiates his action as not being consistent with organized labor.
Another resolution was passed providing for the appointment of a committee of ten members from the ranks of organized labor to draft a state insurance or compensation law in harmony with the laborers' views.
Nominations for the various offices and delegates were made today, to be elected later by a referendum vote of the affiliated unions.

SECOND PANEL VENIREMEN DARROW CASE NEARLY GONE

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 24.—Only 12 out of a second panel of 75 veniremen called in the case of Clarence S. Darrow, charged with bribing Robert F. Bain, a McNamara juror, remained today after the prospective jurors had presented varied excuses to Judge Conti. Of these twelve, Francis F. Knapp and B. E. Street were called to fill the two places vacant in the jury box when the case was resumed.

Following the filing of a physician's report on the physical condition of John Farley, a sworn juror, Judge Conti refused to accede to Farley's request for dismissal. It is expected that the defense will exercise the peremptory challenge reserved when Farley was conditionally sworn.

Farm House Burned

The house belonging to Frank Dist in Bises Gap between Selma and Kerby burned down recently. Ben White and family were living in the house at the time. A defective flue in the kitchen is supposed to be the cause of the fire. A few articles of furniture were saved from the front part of the house and the family all escaped safely. This is the third house to burn in that vicinity this winter.

TOLEDO, O., Jan. 24.—"Praying Pilgrim," a \$250,000 Rembrandt painting and eight other masterpieces are today purchased by John N. Willys at a total cost of \$750,000.



WHEN SHE GOT THERE THE CUPBOARD WAS BARE.
MOTHER GOOSE LHYME.

WELL KNOWN NORTHWEST BUSINESS MAN DIES

PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 24.—J. Kingston Smith, manager of the Pacific States Rubber company, and organizer of that concern, is dead today as the result of heart disease, following a brief illness. He was formerly manager of the Gorman Rubber company.

200,000 Acres Bring Million

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 24.—Three big and several small Nevada ranches, comprising 200,000 acres valued at \$1,000,000, are today sold to an English syndicate, according to announcement by former State Senator Lanagan, who owned the properties.

Col. Stevens Relieved

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—Lieut. Colonel Gustav W. S. Stevens, is today relieved of command of the artillery in the District of Columbia, and is ordered to Charleston. He will be succeeded by Lieut. Colonel Oscar L. Straus, now at Fort Baker, Cal.

WEST DECLARES HE'LL KEEP EXPENSES DOWN

SALEM, Ore., Jan. 24.—"I am going to draw a dead line on appropriations. Above a certain amount nothing will receive my approval, and I will stand up to that line to the end of the session. Let the legislature do what it will to the bills it has before it. My fun is yet to come."

Governor West today laid out the course he is to pursue in dealing with the two houses, and the plan of his opponents in trying to organize the two branches with a two-thirds majority to pass bills over him.

He explained that he will have a chart drawn, which will be placed in a conspicuous place in the state house, on which a line will be drawn at the top. That line will be in red ink, and it will carry in figures the limit he is willing to go on appropriations at this session.

This chart will be prepared by next Monday, and each day the money bills will be chalked up on it. As the bills become laws, the total will be shown, and after the deadline is reached, the veto axe will fall, whatever it may hit.

THINKS ASSETS OF COMPANY SHOULD GO TO STOCKHOLDERS

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 24.—"It is my opinion that any moneys or assets claimed by the Continental Building and Loan society should be distributed among the 2500 depositors in that concern in the state," today declared State Building and Loan Commissioner Walker following forced seizure of the company's property.

Congregation Riots

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Jan. 24.—Because the congregation engaged in a riot when the rules and regulations of Archbishop Messmer were read in English, that dignitary has today ordered St. Adalbert's Polish church and school closed until further notice.

Steamer Purchased

PORTLAND, Jan. 24.—According to announcement today the steamer Portland has been purchased by the Globe Milling company of Portland and will be used in transporting grain from this city to San Francisco and San Pedro.

HOUSE OF COMMONS CONSIDERS SUFFRAGE

LONDON, Jan. 24.—The House of Commons, in committee of the whole, this afternoon considered the franchise reform, which if passed, will provide for women suffrage. Alfred Lyttleton offered Sir Edward Grey's amendment to the government measure.

Girls on Strike

CAMA, Wash., Jan. 24.—Thirty-nine girls employed in the Crown Columbia Paper company's bag factory are on strike today following a demand for an increase in wages. The girls have been receiving \$1.10 a day and ask for \$1.50.

District Judge Stricken

NAPA, Cal., Jan. 24.—United States District Judge John de Haven of San Francisco was stricken with paralysis early today at his country home near here. His condition is critical.

A New Discovery.

One of the sensations of the twentieth century is Meritol Rheumatism Powders. A boon to every sufferer. The best known remedy for rheumatism in all its forms. Ask those who have tried it. Haskins' Drug Store.



"KEY EDGE" the only ladies' shoe dressing that positively contains oil. Restores color and children's boots and shoes, shines without rubbing. 25c. "TRUCKS CLEAN" 15c. "BABY" combination for cleaning and polishing all kinds of rubber or tan shoes, 15c. "HEAD" shoe, 15c. "QUICK WHITE" (in liquid form) will remove scuffs by chains and whitens dirty canvas shoes. 15c. A 5c. "ALSO" CLEANER and WHITENER for shoes. In round white cases packed in smooth boxes, with sponge, 15c. In handsome, large aluminum boxes, with sponge, 25c. "BABY" combination for gentlemen who take pride in having their shoes look A. 1. Restores color and luster to all black shoes. Polish with a brush or cloth, 25c. "BABY BLEND" size, 10c. If your dealer does not keep the kind you want, send us the price in stamps for full size package, charge extra. WHITTEMORE BROS. & CO., 20-26 Albany Street, Cambridge, Mass. The Oldest and Largest Manufacturers of Shoe Polishes in the World.

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WE HAVE SECURED A TEN YEARS LEASE ON THE SPARTA BUILDING, CORNER MAIN AND RIVERSIDE AND WILL BE OPEN THERE READY FOR BUSINESS.

TOMORROW, JANUARY 25, at 9 a. m.

REMEMBER THAT OUR MAIN METHOD OF ADVERTISING IS BY GIVING BARGAINS, SELLING STAPLE MERCHANDISE AT SENSATIONAL PRICES FOR THE PURPOSE OF COMPELLING ATTENTION—FOR THE PURPOSE OF PROVING TO THE PEOPLE THAT WE HAVE VALUES THAT ARE UNEQUALLED.

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