GEORGE PUTNAM, Editor and Manager



Official Paper of the City of Medford.
Official Paper of Jackson County.

Daily Average for eleven months end-ing November 20, 1911, 2751. The Mail Tribune is on sale at the Perry News Stand, San Francisco. Portland Hotel News Stand, Portland, Portland News Co., Portland, Ore. W. O. Whitney, Seattle, Wash.

Pull Leased Wire United Press

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

Population—U. S. census 1910—8840; estimated, 1912—10.000.

Five hundred thousand dellar Gravity Water System completed, giving finest supply pure mountain water, and 17.2 miles of streets paved.

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

November 30, 1911, show increase of 19 per cent.

Banner fruit city in Oregon—Rogue River Spitzenberg apples won sweepstakes prize ami title of "Apple Ring of the World" at the National Apple Show, Spokane, 1908, and a car of Newtowns won Tirst Frise in 1910 at Canadian International Apple Show, Vancouver, B. C.

First Frise in 1911

At Spokane National Apple Show won by carload of Newtowns.

Rogue River pears brought highest prices in all markets of the world during the past six years.

in the Sunday issue the passage of attempt was made to have land- attending him. the Rogne river fish bill by the state owners sign contracts for water, a Young Purdin was returning to Lee Black of Forrest creek spent senate, occurs the following:

"In the course of an aimated dearound the amendmenis offered by the matter to them in detail. Smith of Josephine, that senator de-

right for Grants Pass to have three 10,000 acres are signed up for irri- the side of the road. Mr. Wakeman Mrs. J. A. Kilburn left Sunday for months fishing," he said. "But he gation. The contracts are to be turned his machine into the ditch. Los Angeles to join her husband who went on to Portland and when he placed in escrow until such time as breaking his steering gear in doing has a position there came back it was not all right. Someit was I leave to to guess, but it was perhaps the same thing that has been done to others."

Dr. Smith, George Putnam states:

five years, attended the sessions of company. tiative to close the stream. I have results of the campaign. always believed that the upper Rogue was too small a stream to surrender the rights of the people to a dozen HITSON DOLLS

WHITE SLAVERY

WASHINGTON, Peb. 24 -The Tuited States supreme court today upheld the constitutionality of the Monu white slave act when it held that Jack Johnson, the negro prizefighter, must stand trial for alleged violation of the provisions of the act. The negro, through his attorneys, had asked the court to dismiss the indictments against him in Chicago, basing his plea on the alleged unconstitutionality of the Mann act.

The court reached its decision in five cases, that of Johnson heading the list. The principal finding of the court was that the human body. as well as merchandise, may be protected in inter-state commerce by the government.

ESPEE TO VACATE

of Portland, Oregon, was ordered to- Mrs. Wilson. day by a supreme court decision. Disby the court.

BARBAROUS MEXICO

I'T is still "barbarous" Mexico—when license is the con-ception of liberty and democracy an irridescent dream— a nation of slaves and slave drivers, the one as ignorant as the other is cruel-a civilization that is only a thin veneer over a primitive fuedalism.

What there was of enlightenment and democracy in the nation was represented by Madero-dreamer of liberty and a constitutional regime in a country hitherto ruled by and iron hand for the exploitation of the many by the grafting few. Slight as was his grasp, the murdered president stood for great reforms. He represented the nobler hopes and aspirations of his enlightened

That Huerta is a brutal savage, there can no longer be a doubt. His betrayal of his chief to exalt himself was dastardly. His cold-blooded murder of his helpless prisoner, the act of a bloody coward. His efforts to excuse the crime, only add to his guilt. It transcends all laws

of civilization. It is a delicate situation for the United States and intervention should be the last thing thought of-for intervention undoubtedly means the massacre of all Americans in Mexico and a long and bloody war, unpopular both at home and abroad. President Taft has pursued the Washington's birthday was not obthe same policy-upholding the right to guard the lives of served here by our business men or Americans and foreigners, but not attempting to interfere the bank which was closed all day. with the butchery of Mexicans by Mexicans.

IRRIGATION MEET IS GREAT SUCCESS **MUCH INTEREST**

Eliminuting all attempts to "go off that they were interested and asking Ashland. Passing the Gore place chants. that representatives of the canal near Phoenix he ran up behind an Wes Ingram of upper Evans creek bate, nearly all of which hinged company call upon them and explain automobile driven by L. E. Wakeman visited friends here the first of the

clared that George Putnam of Med- fered by the canal company was ex- pass it. As he did so Purdin, run- day afternoon in Medford were Mr. ford has changed his mind as to the plained to the landowners present by ning fast, passed him and shot across and Mrs. Jacob Stone, Mr. and Mrs. justice of such amendments. He re- Porter J. Neff who went over the the road in front of him. The rear Claude Clark, Miss Florence Stearns, fered to Pulnam as the author of the contract clause by clause. Briefly wheel of the motorcycle either skid- Miss Pearl Ross, Floyd Ross, Tom "At first Putnam said it was all their highline ditch at once providing Purdin plunging into the ditch by Pankey and Luke Peart. Every feature of the matter was In the reply to the insimuation of in the matter of securing water.

Prof. O'Gara spent some time in "Mr. Reames is the author of the discussing the need for irrigation that there was practically no doubt be held March 19th, 1913. Two original Rogue River fish bill. I am and what it would mean to the valley. not. I never said it was all right for Other speakers were J. A. Perry. W. Grants Pass to have three months L. Vawter, Delroy Getchell, M. L. Alcommercial fishing, have fought it for ford. E. E. Ryder spoke for the

the legislature at my own expense to The company officials state that prevent it and helped invoke the ini- they are very highly gratified by the

was secured by the chief on a recent visit at Portland. It is the latest and most up-to-date bit of police headgear in Southern Oregon. The annual Easter parade will have nothing on the chief.

The chief also dolled his force up on his return by presenting them with the latest wrinkle in police stars.

SIMPLICITY IN DRESS MRS. WILSON'S STYLE

WASHINGTON, Feb. 24,-Washington modistes and merchants are bemoaning the fate which led Mrs. Woodrow Wilson to declare her belief that \$1000 a year was enough for any woman to spend on dress. Adoption by society of "Jefferson WASHINGTON, Feb. 24 .- Remov- simplicity" in dress is feared by the ai of locomotives, trains and tracks merchants, and especially in view of of the Southern Pacific railway from the emphatic support which a num-Fourth street, the business center ber of society people are giving to

Mrs. Champ Clark, wife of the missal in the Oregon courts of the speaker, declared: "Mrs. Wilson railroad's suit to enjoin the city will easily be able to dress herself from removing the downtown tracks and her three daughters on \$1000 under a city ordinance was affifmed a piece while they are in the white house."

FRED PURDIN IS

at a tangent" and confining them- dent on the Ashland road Sunday Knackstedt, Clarence Paukey, Mr. selves strictly to a practical dis. afternoon, Fred Purdin, son of M. Davison, Miss Catherine Tuttle, Mrs. cusion of the irrigation situation in Purdin, attorney, of this city, lies to- M. M. Clark were Saturday afterthe valley, the mass meeting held at day at the Sacred Heart hospital re- noon visitors in Medford. the Nathtorium Saturday afternoon covering from painful injuries about | C. C. Sanderson has traded his was a decided success and lent a de. the head and a broken collar bone, tract of nine acres on millionaire cided impetus to the campaign to se- His escape from instant death is con- row to Wm. Mayfield for forty acres cure irrigation to cover the entire sidered miraculous. No complica- in section one, township 35, range in the Portland Journal's account floor of the valley. While no direct tions are expected by the physicians. 2, west. Central Point Realty Co.

of this city. Mr. Wakeman was ap-The contract and proposition of proaching a wagon and turned out to Among our people who spent Sunthe company offers to construct ded or the machine struck a rock, Cullom, R. If. Ellaworth, Clarence

thing had been done to him. What thousand acres have been signed up. Young Purdin was rushed to the in regular adjourned session with discussed by local citizens and all were scalp wounds only. Ribs on Councilman Dunlap, Moon, Alexanpoints not clear to those interested his left side were fractured and his der. Lindsay and Grim present. The of an early recovery.

a chance is blamed.

FLOOD DELUGES LOS ANGELES CITY

LOS ANGELES. Cal., Feb. 24 .-

of commission.

The rain began shortly before noon States weather bureau predicted a Sophomores, keep awake. continuous downpour tonight and to-

The rainfall for the last twenty tives in the Rogue river valley. lours exceeded any fall in twentyfour hours ever recorded by govern- and Mrs. C. B. Gay motored down ment observers here.

inadequate car service all schools this city. were closed today

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY. Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quining Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. 25 cents.

John A. Perl Undertaker

28 S. BARTLETT Phones M. 471 and 478

Ambulance Service Deputy Coroner | woman's ills.

NEW PRESIDENT OF FRANCE AND HIS WIFE



Here are pletured the new President of France, Mr. Raymond Poincaré, and his wife, Mme. Poincaré.

CENTRAL POINT ITEMS

Mark Perry of Ashlaond spent Saturday with friends here.

Mrs. A. P. Gillett has returned from a two week's visit in the vicinity of Gold Hill.

J. Conley and family spent Sunday in Grants Pass.

Miss Audrey and Gladys Holmes, Miss Ina and Elma Austin and Miss Sadie Beebe attended the enterainment at Willow Springs given the members of the Grange Saturday

Miss Blackford, Miss Margaret As the result of a motorcycle acci- Ensley, Mrs. T. F. and Miss Hazel

made the deal.

large number signed cards stating Medford after spending the day at Saturday here trading with our mer-

City council met Thursday evening hospital. The injuries to his head Mayor Cowley, Recorder Jacobs and collar bone broken. Dr. E. H. Por- recorder was instructed to post notter attended him and stated today tees for the annual city election to councilmen for three years, and one Judge Purdin today stated that recorder for two years to be elected. from all accounts of the accident no Resignation of Dr. E. H. Porter as one but the boy himself was to blame. city physician was accepted and Dr. Fast running with a tendency to take M. M. Dow was appointed by the mayor and confirmed by the council

to fill the vacancy. Miss Mary A. Mee. Mrs. Emma Bebb, Miss Sarah Bebb, Miss Lela White, Mrs. George Pankey, W. E. Price, T. O. Holden and Trix Peart were Friday afternoon visitors in

Medford. Miss Bertha Eliason spent the week end with relatives in Ashland. the system is run down and vitality

the freshman class at the Y. M. C. A. hold. Friday evening. Various amusements Chief Hittson's well known som- Deluged with more than 4.5 inches consisting of contests, music, etc., right way to cure a cough is to build brero is in the discard. There now of rain in the last twenty hours, Los were indulged in and light refresh- up your run down condition again? reposes in its accustomed place a cap Angeles is in a near-flooded condiments in keeping with the season resplendent with gold and silver tion today, and shortly before noon were served. The refreshments conbraid which is attracting a great deal torrential rains still were falling. stated of cherry pic, sandwiches of a chronic cough which had lasted Streets throughout the city cant many and delicious varieties and two years and the cough not only to the gutters with storm water, cherry punch. The nath was beauth disappeared, but it built up my Streetcar traffic was demoralized fully dear to the heart of the father strength as well." and much damage was done, particu- of his country, and our own, mainly larly in the wholesale district, where hatchets, cherries, flags, pictures. basements were flooded and many About fifty persons were present and in a delicious concentrated form all stores on the street level inundated. all consider this the most brilliant as the medicinal curative elements of Thousands of telephones were put out well as the most enjoyable event of cod liver oil, with tonic, blood buildthe season. Much credit is due the ing iron added. sophomores and their efficient helper, yesterday. It was general through- Miss Beebe, for the pleasant and out Southern California, but heav- flawless manner with which they entest in Los Angeles. The United tertained their guests. Do it often

the week end with friends and rela-

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Amy and Mr here Friday afternoon and spent the afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Gay in Because of impassable streets and

Nature and Woman's Work

have produced the grandest remedy for woman's ills that the world has ever known. From the roots and herbs of the field, Lydia E. Pinkham, more than thirty years ago, gave to womankind a remedy for their peculiar ills which has proven more efficacious than any other combination of drugs ever compounded, and today Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is recognized from coast to ment. coast as the standard remedy for

MARKET REPORT

Prices Paid by Dealers.

EGGS-15c BUTTER-30c. POTATOES - 60@ 75c. CABBAGE-1@11ge. APPLES-40ca 65c. ONIONS-75e@ \$1.00. CARROTS 75em \$1.00. PARSNIPS-75ca \$1. TURNIPS-75e(a \$1.

Livestock.

HOGS-Dressed, Se; alive 614s. SHEEP-4@41/20. STEERS-Alive, 6c. COWS-Alive, 5@512c. VEAL-Dressed, 11c. POULTRY-Mixed shickens, 10e springs, 12c; dressed, 12@14c.

Hay and Grain. (Selling Price.)

WHEAT-\$1.50. Oats-\$1.00. HAY-Vetch, \$11 ton; grain, \$13. BARLEY-\$27 ton.

Public Market Prices.

CORN-\$25 ton.

EGGS-20c. BUTTER-3212e. BUTTER FAT-33c. POTATOES-75cm \$1 per 100 lbs CABBAGE -1@11/2c. CAULIFLOWER-75e@ \$1.25. APPLES-45@75c box. HONEY-10@15c lb. SAUERKRAUT-30c.

ADA WALLACE UNRUH TO SPEAK WEDNESDAY

Hear Ada Wallace-Purali at the M. E. church south, Wednesday evening. February 26, in her famous address, "The Great City and the New

Mrs. Unruh knows how to handle the question of the hour. She lives angles. And her pleasing manner is to inspired she can impart the meaage with power and force which is

sure to tell. Ada Wallace-Unruh is not unknown n Medford. So let all make an ef fort to hear her and also get an up lift in the work all are interested in. the New Voter.

Legal blanks to: sale at the Mail

Strong vigorous men and women hardly ever catch cold; it's only when The sophomore class entertained low that colds and coughs get a foot-

The reason Vinol is so efficacious in such cases is because it contains

Chronic coughs and colds yield to Vinol because it builds up the weakened, run-down system.

You can get your money back any time if Vinol does not do all we say. Miss Bessie Randall is spending Medford Pharmacy, Medford, Ore.

E.D. Weston

Official Photographer of the Medford Commercial Club Amateur Finishing

> Post Cards Panoramic Work

Portraits Interior and exterior views

Flash lights Negatives made any time and any place by appoint-

208 E. Main Phone 1471

DECIDE YOURSELF

Don't take our word for it.

Don't depend on a stranger's statenent. Read Medford endorsement.

Read the statements of Medford

itizens. And decide for yourself.

Here is one case of it. A. Betz, 130 Front St., Medford, Ore., says: "I am just as willing to recommend Doan's Kidney Pills today as I was in September, 1997. when I publicly told of my experience with them. I suffered from kidney trouble for at least five years and as time passed, I grew worse. Sharp pains darted through the small of my back and sometimes the attacks were so severe that I could hardly stoop. At night my back ached intensely and sound sleep was out of

Doan's Kidney Pills, I got a supply and they soon gave me relief." For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo. New York, sole agents for the United States.

the question. Being told to try

Remember the name-Doan'sand take no other.

Auction Sale of Acreage IN THE PIERCE SUBDIVISION

Two Miles East of Medford THURSDAY, APRIL 10TH ON THE LAND

One and one-quarter to five acre tracts will be sold to the highest bidder.

chance to name the price he pays for real estate, especially choice pro perty well located and on very easy terms.

Do not fail to secure one of these tracts. A special opportunity for the man of small means to secure a home.

Liberal discounts will be made for all cash. C. H. PIERCE E. F. HERRIFF,

Auctioneer Clark & Wright

LAWYERS

WASHINGTON, D. C.

Public Land Matters: Final Proof.

Desert Lands, Contest and Mining Cases. Scrip.

PLUMBING

Steam and Hot Water Heating

All Work Guaranteed Prices Reasonable

COFFEEN & PRICE 25 Roward Block, Entrance on 6th St.

Haight Music Studio

116 S. Laurel St., Medford, Ore, MR. FRED ALTON HAIGHT

New York Plane and Harmony Mrs. Florence Halliday-Haight London and New York

> Voice Culture Phone 7262

Now lan't it reasonable that the Now is the time to do your painting. WHY?

Because A. J. Batholomes late of St. Louis is here to do it and will do it cheep. All work done in first tord. Will let you is on it soon. class workmanship manner. Esti- It's a peach. mates furnished. Talk it over with

Drop postal to

A. J. BARTHOLOMEW 827 S. Central.

For

We have several upto-date; modern 5 and 6 room Bungalows

MEDFORD REALTY AND IMPROVEMENT CO.

M. F. & H. Co. Bldg.

WHERE TO GO TONIGHT

ISIS THEATRE

VAUDEVILLE THE LA CROIXS Singing, Talking, Dancing

Today Photo Plays

JOHN ARTHUR'S TRUST

THE TREACHEROUS SHOT MR. BOLTER'S NEICE

Coming Tomorrow REINCARNATION OF KARMA

Two Reels

THEATRE

Under New Management

GREAT EDUCATIONAL FEATURES TONIGHT "RADIOGRAPHY IN PRACTICE"

"THE LIFE OF AN ANT"

Seldom does the buyer have the COMPLETE CHANGE IN MUSICAL OFFERING

A Side-Splitting Comedy Reel for Tonight

"WHAT HAPPENED TO MARY" Wednesday and Thursday

Mrs. Woolworth to Interpret the Movies Musically

Special Two-Reel Attraction Friday

ALL LICENSED FILMS

and Saturday Admission Always the Same 10 and 5c

Nothing Cheap-But the Price of

Today and Tomorrow Only Another of "Kay-Bee Co.'s Stirring

> Features Three Recks

"THE LAW OF THE WEST" A coloural: presentation of early oneer days, when the only law in the west was administered by the hardy immigrants. The cast is overwhelming, and the situations are

tense and thrilling.

Besides 1000 Feet of Comedy With a Laugh In Every Foot

None Chauncey Olcott's Most Popular Hallad

'AN OLD-FASHIONED MOTHER"

FORREST and WOOLWORTH Interpreters of Photoplays

We are going to bring it to Med-

Matinees Dally, 2 to 5 p. m. ADMISSION. 5c AND 10c

HOUSE OF COMFORT Best located

popular hotel in the

City. Running distilled ice water in each room. European Plan, a la Carte Cafe.

Tariff on Rooms 12 rooms - - - \$1.00 each 60 rooms - - - 1.50 each 50 rooms - - - 2.00 each 60 rooms with private bath 2.00 each

50 rooms with prints bath 2.50 each 30 suites, bedroom, par-lor and bath - 3.00 each For more than one guest add \$1.00 extra to the above rates for each additional guest.

Management Chester W. Kalley DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY OF THE PARTY OF

Reduction by week or month. 6

and most