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

Population 1910—5340; estimated, 1912—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.

Shannon fruit city in Oregon—Rogue River Spitzbergen 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.

First Prize in 1911 at Spokane National Apple Show won by carload of Newtowns.

WILL ENDEAVOR SET ASIDE DEED

County Judge Tou Velle announced today that he has issued instructions to Prosecuting Attorney E. E. Kelly to bring suit in the circuit court to set aside a deed given by Mrs. Mary Carpenter of Phoenix to a married daughter, now absent from the state, on the ground that the deed was secured through fraud.

Mrs. Carpenter is 78 years of age and is paralyzed. She lives with her son, who is also paralyzed and unable to move. Through a pension from Uncle Sam and a monthly sum from the county they are able to live.

A few months ago, when Mrs. Carpenter was first paralyzed, a married daughter is said to have induced her mother to sign a deed, pretending it was something else. The matter was recently called to the attention of County Judge Tou Velle, who will have Mr. Kelly take up the case.

BAKER HELD TO HIGHER COURT

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., March 26.—Waiving preliminary examination, Charles F. Baker, who as assistant cashier of the Crocker National Bank here is accused of the theft of \$204,000, was held to answer to the United States district court here today. His bond was fixed at \$20,000. The specific charge for which Baker appeared before United States Commissioner Krull today is the embezzlement of \$10,000 from the bank June 6, 1904.

Baker was nattily attired when he appeared in court, showing no visible effects of his recent illness. He would not outline his future actions to interviewers.

Bondsman were soon secured by Baker, and approved by the commissioner.

THIRTY-ONE DEAD AT DELAWARE, OHIO

COLUMBUS, Ohio, March 26.—A message from Delaware was received here this afternoon. It said that 31 persons were known to be dead there and that one thousand were homeless there and that the property damage approximates \$600,000.

GOVERNMENT SENDS RELIEF TO SUFFERERS

WASHINGTON, March 26.—Major James Normyle and Major Logan, who had charge of the relief work during the Mississippi valley floods last year, were appointed today to take charge of the present flood situation.

CUT IT OUT!

THE celebrated trial of Bardell vs. Pickwick has nothing on the famous spite "trial" of Councilman Millar now in progress. Only a Dickens could do it justice. As a village amusement the trial may be entertaining—but otherwise it is an absurdity and a disgrace.

The washing of the dirty clothes of the community, this airing of petty scandal, this raking of the slums and rehearsal of vulgarities, this exhibition of youthful depravity serves no useful purpose and is greatly to be deplored.

Councilman Millar, who conducts a restaurant, is accused of frequenting an alleged disreputable lodging house. His defense is that his visits were business trips to deliver meals ordered. But is the matter of such importance that it must occupy the exclusive attention of mayor and city administration, and as many of the curious as can crowd in, for days at a time?

If the administration is in earnest in the effort to enforce the law, why are not habitues of the house in question also arrested? If the house is what the city attorney claims, why is it permitted to continue in operation? A negro lies in jail now for participating in a stabbing affray there since the spite trial began—and still nothing is done to clean up the dive.

Medford must be growing small, degenerating, when such a petty case as that on trial commands such attention! It is a lapse into the deplorable back-biting, key-hole spying, backyard gossip of a vegetating village.

With so much to do to better and improve and develop, it is a shame for city officials to waste the golden hours of opportunity in listening to the tawdry tales that tarnish the repute of the spiteful teller as well as principals in this farce!

In the ponderous judicial phraseology of the court "cut it out!" It is much ado about nothing—and the nothing smells to heaven.

ALLIES CAPTURE TURK STRONGHOLD OF ADRIANOPOLE

LONDON, March 26.—Driven to despair by his defeat, Shukri Pasha, the Turkish defender of Adrianople, is said to have committed suicide as the Bulgarians entered the city today, according to a news agency dispatch received here from Sofia.

BERLIN, March 26.—The Sofia correspondent of the Presse Centrale definitely announced the fall of Adrianople in a dispatch to his offices here today. The Bulgarian schipka regiment was the first to enter the fortress.

500 COFFINS FOR DAYTON ORDERED

DAYTON, Ohio, March 26.—(By direct wire to Cincinnati)—Five hundred coffins were ordered from Cincinnati this afternoon by President Patterson of the National Cash Register company.

Sixteen bodies of flood victims already have been recovered and taken to the East Dayton high school.

Secretary Harry Miller of the board of health has arranged to use the chapel of Woodlawn cemetery as the central morgue.

The National Cash Register company is making 500 rough boxes in which to place recovered bodies. The Beckel hotel at Third and Jefferson streets is burning. Other fires also are breaking out in the business district.

FIFTY PERISH AT TIFFIN OHIO

TOLEDO, Ohio, March 26.—The Toledo News-Bee, a newspaper, received word by special messenger this afternoon from Tiffin, Ohio, that 50 persons had perished in the flood waters there. He said Chief of Police Myers and Mayor Kaoppel are among the missing.

Water seven feet deep is running along the streets of Tiffin.

TWO MILLION LOSS ESTIMATED AT TIFFIN

TOLEDO, Ohio, March 26.—Every bridge in Tiffin was destroyed and \$2,000,000 damage was done there by the floods, according to reports received here this afternoon. The town of Mechanicsburg, Ohio, was demolished.

LIST OF DAYTON FATALITIES GROWS WITH EACH HOUR

COLUMBUS, Ohio, March 26.—"The list of fatalities in Dayton is growing rapidly and the death list may yet reach two thousand."

This was the message telephoned from Dayton to Governor Cox here this afternoon by John Bell, a Dayton wire chief.

"The Russell apartments at West Third street and the boulevard are on fire," Bell said, "and people are jumping into the water."

"The rear end of the Steele high school has caved in. Bauman's bakery has been burned."

"The first trainload of supplies arrived from Springfield this morning. Supplies also came from Brookville for those in Riverdale and supplies have arrived by way of Eaton for the sufferers on Dayton's west side."

"A bridge was dynamited at Zanesville at noon to make egress for the flood waters."

"On Fraserburg on Black Run the water at noon was running five feet above the telegraph poles."

People residing on West Second street, Dayton, are being taken from the roofs of houses, according to the latest telephone reports here. The McDaniel schoolhouse is packed with flood victims.

The staff of the Dayton Daily News is marooned in its building.

QUARTER MILLION FOR OHIO FLOOD REFUGEES

COLUMBUS, Ohio, March 26.—The lower house of the state legislature today passed a bill appropriating \$250,000 for the relief of the flood sufferers, the senate amended the bill increasing the appropriation to \$500,000.

PERU FURNITURE FACTORY COLLAPSES IN FLOOD

PERU, Ind., March 26.—An unconfirmed report this afternoon said the Peru furniture factory, employing several hundred persons, was undermined and a portion of the building collapsed, carrying many employees with it.

Reports received here indicate that possibly twenty-five were drowned in the country about Peru. The damage here is estimated at \$2,000,000. It is reported that the entire southern end of Peru has been washed away.

WEST TO APPEAL TO OREGONIANS FOR HELP

SALEM, Ore., March 26.—Governor West this afternoon said that he will issue a call for the state to aid the flood and fire sufferers, and will do all in his power to aid in relieving the distress in the terrible calamity that has befallen Ohio and Indiana and that he is sure the big hearted people of Oregon will, as in all other things, set the pace for generous giving.

THE NEW QUEEN OF THE HELLENES.



Queen Sophia, of Greece

Queen Sophia is the wife of King Constantine, who has become the ruler of the Hellenes, following the assassination of King George I. She is a sister of the German Emperor, William II.

COMMERCIAL CLUB TO MEET TONIGHT

At the Commercial Club meeting at City Hall tonight, Mrs. Edyth Tazier Weathered, representative of the Oregon Manufacturers' Association will speak a few minutes in behalf of patronizing home industry and inaugurating a movement for supporting home products.

Much important business is before the club and a large attendance is desired.

3000 DEATHS FROM FLOOD

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stream and rescued some of the victims.

Under the leadership of Frederick Patterson a gang of men chopped a hole in one roof of the fire district and saved a family of three. Then they tried in vain to reach a raft bearing a man and four women. The craft whirled about like a spool in the water and suddenly was sucked up in the darkness, and another chapter was added to the tragic doubt which now exists regarding the number of dead.

The story of what happened during the night and day in Dayton is being told by exhausted rescuers and prostrated victims. Every fragment of the story is a tragedy in itself. Dayton is a lost city today. Only one telephone wire is working out of here, and that is to Lebanon.

The city government is completely imprisoned by the water. Nothing has been heard from it since the flood descended. It came so quickly that no one was prepared.

John Patterson a Hero.

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Don't be angry with your child because he or she is continually irritable. In ninety-nine out of one hundred cases you will find that the trouble is worms.

Among the common symptoms of the presence of round worms are nervousness, which often leads to epileptiform attacks;—dizziness, vertigo, capricious appetite, restless sleep, itching of the eyes and nose, nausea and often hysteria. Round worms are several inches in length and infest the stomach. Occasionally several hundred are found in a single person. Thread worms are smaller, often not longer than a quarter of an inch. The symptoms denoting their presence are about the same, but in this case the child has no appetite.

Jayne's Tonic Vermifuge is unsurpassed in removing worms. Not only will it destroy them, but its tonic effects will restore the stomach to healthy activity. As Jayne's Tonic Vermifuge seldom purges, the indications of its beneficial effects will be the improved condition of the person using it.

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Tragic Incidents.

George Dayton, a rescuer, found a woman and baby and took them in his skiff. Suddenly the woman rose and plunged into the flood with her baby. Both were drowned. Enter a man stepped out of a skiff to enter a house. He had hardly closed the door before it was engulfed.

John Scott, formerly of Butte, Mont., an employee of the cash register company, ascended a pole and guided a scow to safety. He fell off the pole, and it is believed he perished.

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perilous wire unhampered by skirts. She told how Ralph Meyers, carrying an infant in a meal sack, with his wife behind him, walked a block across a high cable. Their only support, she said, was a thin wire alongside the cable.

One woman, maddened by the horrors of the day, fought Bill Riley and Charles Waggoner when they attempted to put her in a boat. She bit and choked the men until she was overcome.

A heart rending feature of the terror was the women and children who sobbed all night long. Numerous fires have resulted from gas explosions.

The search for the dead will not start until all the living have been rescued.

May Irwin has made a hit in New York in her new play by Catherine Chisholm Cutting, "A Widow by Proxy."

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