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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—8840; estimated, 1912—10,000.

Five hundred thousand dollar 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.

Banner fruit city in Oregon—Rogue River Spitzenberg 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 lot of Newtowns.

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

NEW LIGHT ON PEAR GROWING

IF the horticulturists of the Rogue River valley wish to get "new light" on the matter of pear growing, it would be well for them to scan the pages of the September number of Better Fruit. In it may be found some generalized articles, together with some "new entomology and pathology" that would make good reading on the first page of a joke book.

When it comes to the article on "Pear Pests and What to Do for Them," we find a new "star" in the pathological and entomological firmament. The author leads off with "The slug belongs to the snail family, but is without the snail casing."

But, listen to this: "Pear scab is a fungus, consequently a spore. It belongs to the same family as smut". Here, you botanists, you have fooled us long enough!

Pear blight is also given its share of attention in the various articles. The agents carrying the pear blight germ are put into a single class and those who would say that birds may be carriers of infection "only show ignorance."

There is the old saying that "Fools rush in where angels fear to tread," and it would seem that the old saying is well borne out by some of the statements quoted above.

A NEGLECTED INDUSTRY

THE ASHLAND TIDINGS is authority for the statement that Welborn Beeson of Talent has a brood sow that produced 29 pigs within the past year, and has during her existence produced 600 pigs, which, sold at various ages, have brought in over \$600.

The Tekoa, Wash., Blade reports the sale of five hogs weighing 2780 pounds for \$222.40, and reports the raiser, Charles Langbehn, as asserting that hogs pay better than any other farm commodity, and that he realizes better than \$1 a bushel on all wheat fed them.

With the present high prices prevailing, with no prospect of reduction, there is every reason why more attention should be paid to hog raising in the Rogue River valley. Census statistics show a decrease in the production of livestock and a constant increase in population, which is the cause of the present high prices, and which will cause even higher meat prices in the future.

Natural conditions are most favorable. The same care and attention given to the industry that is bestowed on other branches of agriculture will net the farmer better returns. More of them should engage in the industry.

FEELING OF SORROW PERMEATES NEW YORK

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—"It is difficult to say anything concerning Mayor Gaynor's death," said Chairman Norman Hapgood of the committee in charge of the New York fusion majority campaign. "It is a great tragedy and everyone's first feeling is one of sorrow."

Harrison sails for Philippines. SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Sept. 10.—Francis Burton Harrison and Mrs. Harrison sailed on the steamship

Manchuria today for Manila, where the former congressman will enter upon the duties of his new office as governor-general of the Philippines.

OVERLAND OPENING TO BE HELD TONIGHT

The new home of the Overland, the beautiful and spacious Sparta building, will have a grand opening tonight. An orchestra will play during the evening, refreshments will be served, and the public is cordially invited to attend.

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GROWERS WORRIED SLOW PROGRESS BYBEE BRIDGE

Load complaint is voiced by citizens of the Table Rock section, Sams Valley and upper Rogue districts at the delay of Contractor Perham in building the new Bybee or Moloo bridge. Only half a dozen men are employed and but little progress is being made, although the steel for the bridge has been delivered for two months.

County Judge Tou Velle states that Perham is not complying with his contract and has not been in evidence for two months, and that he pays no attention to letters.

The county, in order to prevent flood damage to bridge approaches, is constructing wings into the current from both banks at the island, sluicing out the island and diverting the current to the center of the channel. The work is being done under direction of Wm. Gerig, consulting engineer for the county.

M'GOORTY WINNER OVER LEVINSKY IN EIGHT ROUNDS

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—After stalling out seven rounds to let Battling Levinsky show his paces Eddie McGoorty of Oshkosh, Wis., went to bat in the eighth round here last night before the St. Nicholas club and battered Levinsky all over the ring. He took the decision with Levinsky all but out.

It was announced that Gimboath Smith would meet the winner.

SAGE TEA DARKENS HAIR TO ANY SHADE

Don't Stay Gray! Here's a Simple Recipe That Anybody Can Apply With a Hair Brush

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