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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, 1912—10,000.
Five hundred thousand dollar Gravity
Water System completed, giving finest
supply pure mountain water, and 17.5
miles of streets paved.

Postoffice receipts for year ending
November 28, 1911, show increase of 19
per cent.

Banner fruit city in Oregon—Rogue
River Spitzbergen 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.

First Prize in 1911
At Spokane National Apple Show won
by carload lot of Newtowns

Rogue River bears brought highest
prices in all markets of the world dur-
ing the past six years.

PANAMA CANAL TO MAKE WEST EUROPE OF AMERICA

TACOMA, Wash., Sept. 20.—M.
Philippe Bana-Varilla, former chief
engineer of the Panama canal when
its construction was undertaken by
the French government, left today
for Portland after a short visit with
friends here.

That the opening of the Panama
canal will bring to the Pacific
coast inestimable prosperity for both
North and South America and will
be the means of settlement of prob-
lems of labor and distribution in this
country was the prediction of M.
Bana-Varilla.

"The completion of the Panama
canal will change the center of
gravity of America," said he. "New
York will become the China of the
United States. The country west of
the Rocky mountains after the canal
is opened is slowly but inexorably
going to become the Europe of
America."

"The west has advantage of eli-
mate and soil and expansive terri-
tory. Soon the shores of the Pa-
cific will be inhabited by a great
population from Alaska to Mexico;
there will be a consequent increase
of commerce; capital and labor will
have to learn to work harmoniously
together and the Pacific coast will
present an undismayed face to the
Orient."

BIGAMIST BLAMES DRINK FOR CRIME

SAN DIEGO, Cal., Sept. 20.—
Charles R. Drummond, member of
the millionaire tobacco family of St.
Louis, is in the city jail today after
surrendering to a policeman whom he
told he was wanted in the Mis-
souri metropolis in connection with
the breaking of his parole. He declared
he was willing to go east without
delay.

Drummond explained that he,
while intoxicated, married Miss Car-
lotta Vincent at Clayton, the county
seat of St. Louis county, December
8, 1910; was convicted of bigamy,
fined \$500 and sentenced to six
months imprisonment. He paid the
fine and was paroled. The parole
was revoked and he failed to have
it renewed. He says it is for the
breaking of this parole that he is
now wanted.

Drummond's present wife was
Mrs. Marjorie W. Duffey of Chi-
cago. He owns a ranch near Lake-
side, this county.

Tourists Injured in Wreck

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Sept. 20.—
Fifteen persons were injured, some
seriously, at Manhattan, Kan., to-
day when two Pullmans and two
day coaches of an east-bound Rock
Island train, crowded with tourists,
rolled over an embankment.

JACKSON COUNTY HAS THE SPIRIT THAT WILL NOT DOWN

(From the Marshfield Record.)

What Jackson county people think
of paved roads is made clear in the
vote on the \$500,000 bond issue for
a paved highway leading from the
south to the north line of the
county. The total vote for the bonds
was 3642, against 1299. Medford,
which many of our good friends tell
us is taxed to death and on the
verge of financial bankruptcy, cast
less than 165 votes against and
1645 for the old bonds. Jacksonville,
one of the old-time towns and off
the line of this road, gave the bonds
a fine majority and Ashland cast
640 for and 276 against. A half
dozen isolated districts, the very
largest of which cast less than a to-
tal of 100 votes, were the only ones
recording a majority against the
bonds, says the Corvallis Gazette-
Times.

Jackson county has the spirit that
will not down. The people evidently
do not believe that good roads are
only an expense; they have the good
judgment to believe that they are an
incomparably superior investment. A
people who can see so clearly are
entitled to good things, and good
things are certain to come their
way. Intelligence and enterprise at-
tract enterprise, capital and cul-
ture.

What was done in Jackson county
was done by public spirited men and
the newspapers, mainly by the lat-
ter. The papers pounded about
good roads day in and day out.
Speakers who knew what the advan-
tages were went into Jackson county
and explained. They told the peo-
ple, honestly, what would result and
the people believed them and then
went to the polls and voted their be-
lief.

Cos county wants good roads—it
desires a hard-surfaced road from
here to Roseburg, but we are not
working for it hard enough. Lots of
boosters are in Cos county, but
they are disorganized and plugging
at cross purposes. We ought to
have an organization, lots of litera-
ture and a road lecturer with mov-
ing picture scenes in here to make
it plain what we would have if we
got good roads.

Let the committee whip matters
into shape and then let's all go out
and get good roads.

LEMONS TAXED BY CUBIC FOOT NOW

WASHINGTON, Sept. 20.—Lem-
ons were put on a rate based on
cubic measurement, bananas restored
to the free list and zante currants
given a rate of 1½ cents a pound
by the democratic tariff conferees
here today. It was also announced
that the senate provision placing
chemically ground wood pulp in the
free list was retained. Lemon rates
as adopted by the house were slight-
ly lower than the rates based on
weight provided in the senate bill.
Zante currants are seedless raisins
competing with the California prod-
uct.

DIGGS CASE TO HIGHEST COURT

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Sept. 20.—
Maury I. Diggs and F. Drew Cam-
inetti have definitely decided to take
their white slavery cases to the fed-
eral court of appeals, it was stated
today. They expect to have their
appeals perfected before September
27, the date for their commitment to
prison.

TARIFF CONFEREES IN EIGHTEEN TANGLES

WASHINGTON, Sept. 20.—Hope
of the house and senate conferees to
reach a complete agreement in the
next few days on the tariff bill went
climbering today when the confer-
ence adjourned until tomorrow with
18 questions still in disagreement.

Half a dozen of the subjects have
produced deadlocks with all sides ap-
pealing to President Wilson for as-
sistance.

Representative Underwood hoped
tonight that by tomorrow night all
taxing features might be settled.
Senator Simmons was not so hopeful,
stating it would take two or three
days of next week probably before
the bill was completed.

EUGENIC BABIES AT STATE FAIR; WEST PRESIDES

Entries for the eugenic section of
the Oregon state fair are pouring
into the office of the superintendent.
The most physically perfect baby
from southern Oregon, from eastern
Oregon, from the central develop-
ment league country, from the Wil-
lamette valley and from the coast
towns will be in evidence, and when
the final scoring has been done Or-
egon will undoubtedly have main-
tained its reputation as the home of
the most perfect type of child.

The eugenic building at the state
fair has been so arranged that a full
view of the examination rooms may
be obtained both from the inside
and from the outside, so that the
interested people may watch the ex-
amination without crowding the ba-
bies and the physicians.

Governor Oswald West, who is
known over the state as a great
lover of children, will present to the
winning babies the grand champion
trophies and other prizes, the pre-
sentation to be made in the auditor-
ium of the pavilion between 8:30 and
9 p. m. on Friday, October 3.

Lectures will be delivered at 2
o'clock each day on the subject of
eugenics, the following well known
eugenicists having been asked to de-
liver addresses: President Kerr, Or-
egon Agricultural college; President
Campbell, University of Oregon;
Rev. L. R. Dyott, Rev. W. B. Hinson,
Rev. Benjamin Young, Father E. V.
O'Hara, Rabbi Jonah R. Wise and
Professor Harry Beal Torrey of
Reed college.

MINISTERS' MEET NEXT MONDAY

Meeting Monday at 10 a. m. The
study in sociology is commenced un-
der the direction of the University of
Oregon, Eugene. All who would like
to take this study in this class are
invited to come Monday and join
with us. The work done will be
credited in the University for de-
grees if desired. Professor F. G.
Young will visit the class of Satur-
day, September 27. Lectures will be
given every two weeks, which all
may enjoy. This is an opportunity
for all who wish this line of study.
Rev. Swinley will meet with the as-
sociation in a conference for estab-
lishing a lyceum course of lectures
for the winter. A full attendance is
expected.

WESTON F. SHIELDS, Sec'y.

COURT ADJOURNS TO FIGHT FIRE

STEVENSON, Wash., Sept. 20.—A
fire which started in logged-off land
near here, last night, invaded a large
tract of green timber today, and
despite the efforts of firefighters, is
advancing rapidly toward the resi-
dence of James Harris.

Thousands of cords of dry wood is
also in the path of the flames.
The superior court, in session here,
adjourned at noon so the jurors and
others in attendance could join the
firefighters.

U. P. STOCKS ACTIVE WALL STREET DULL

NEW YORK, Sept. 20.—Union Pa-
cific was the only active issue to
open above yesterday's close at the
opening of the stock market today,
and it quickly gave way until it
showed a loss of a full point. Active
selling occurred in Steel, Reading
and Southern Pacific, each dropping
substantial fractions. Rock Island
dropped a point under heavy pres-
sure.

Before the market closed prices
went back practically to yesterday's
close. Bonds were easy.
The market closed dull.

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PROGRESSIVE SENATORS FOR DEMOCRATIC TARIFF



Senator LaFollette
Senator Poindexter

Senators Robert M. La Follette
and Miles Poindexter, both western-
ers, the one of Wisconsin and the
other of Washington, voted with the
democratic majority in favor of the
Underwood tariff bill in the senate.
Senator Simmons, chairman of the
finance committee, nor any one else
in the upper chamber, knew the two
would give their support. Conse-
quently their action was a great sur-
prise. The grounds each took was
the general proposition that while
they did not like the bill they con-
sidered it better than the Payne-
Aldrich tariff law.

SPOKANE BANKER PRISON FREED

TACOMA, Wash., Sept. 20.—After
having served a sentence of five
years for violation of the national
banking laws, J. C. Marcell, former
banker of Spokane, was released from
McNeil's island penitentiary today by
order of Federal Judge Cushman.

Marcell was previously released on
parole but was returned for violation
of the instrument. For this offense,
time earned by good conduct in pri-
son was disallowed by the peniten-
tiary officials. The matter was
brought before Judge Cushman, who
held that "good time" earned by a
prisoner cannot be lost for parole vi-
olation and Marcell was ordered dis-
charged forthwith.

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OPIUM TOTERS INVADÉ MEXICO; NAB SMUGGLERS

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Sept. 20.
—News of the arrest at El Paso of
George Orrin Poole, also known as
"Snake" Poole, and George Moore,
on a charge of complicity in a big
opium smuggling plot, was received
by the federal authorities here to-
day.

Poole was caught by a United
States treasury agent last night, it
was stated, while trying to cross
into Mexico. Thomas Murphy and
a Chinese, Chung Chow, already were
in custody here, charged with com-
plicity in the same case, but another
alleged member of the gang, said to
be named Benton, is still at large.

The authorities assert most of the
opium smuggling into the United
States is managed by Poole and that
he has grown rich on the traffic.

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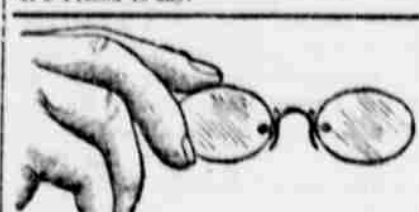
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