

# 1914 POPULATION OF UNITED STATES OVER 109,000,000

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 27.—The United States is now a country of 109,000,000 people, according to the bulletin containing the estimates of population for the years subsequent to the thirteenth census, soon to be published by Director William J. Harris of the bureau of the census, department of commerce. It was prepared under the supervision of C. S. Sloane, geographer.

As stated, the estimated population of the United States for July 1, 1914, will be 109,021,992. The population of the United States and its possessions in 1910 was 101,748,269, so there will have been an estimated gain of over 7,000,000 persons in a little more than four years. The corresponding estimated population of Continental United States for July 1, 1914, is 98,781,324, as compared with the population of 91,972,266, as returned by enumerators, April 15, 1910. This bulletin also presents the estimates of population in 1910, 1911, 1912, 1913 and 94 for the states and territories, and for cities which had 3000 or more inhabitants in 1910.

Estimates of population are required primarily for use in the census bureau in calculating death rates and per capita averages for years other than the census year. The so-called arithmetical method was adopted for computing these estimates. It is the simplest and it has been shown by experience to come nearer in accuracy in the majority of cases than any other formula. It rests on the assumption that the increase in population each year since the enumeration is equal to the annual increase from 1900 to 1910.

The bulletin presents in its several tables population data for the United States and its outlying possessions in 1910 and 1900, with estimates of the population July 1st, 1914, 1913, 1912, 1911 and 1910. Similar data is also presented for the different states in the Union. There is also presented a statement of the white and colored population on April 15, 1910, together with estimates of the white and colored population as of July 1st for each of the years 1914, 1913, 1912, 1911 and 1910. These estimates, however, have been confined to the states having a considerable proportion of colored population, no estimate being presented for any state that did not have 50,000 or more colored inhabitants on April 15, 1910, or least ten per cent of its population colored.

The estimates of population for July 1, 1914, and the population April 15, 1910, for coast states is as follows:

Oregon, estimated 1914, 783,239, census 1910, 672,765; California, estimated 1914, 2,757,895, census 1910, 2,537,167; Washington, estimated 1914, 1,407,865, census 1910, 1,141,990; Idaho, estimated 1914, 295,407, census 1910, 325,594; Montana, estimated 1914, 432,614, census 1910, 376,053; Nevada, estimated 1914, 98,726, census 1910, 81,875; Arizona, estimated 1914, 239,053, census 1910, 204,354.

## EXCURSION RATES TO CRATER LAKE

At a meeting of the North Pacific Coast Passenger association held at Vancouver, Wash., April 21, all of the north coast lines agreed to publish summer excursion fares from points in British Columbia, Idaho, Washington and Oregon to Crater Lake, the fare to be made one and one-third the regular one-way fare up to Portland, plus Southern Pacific special summer rates.

This enables tourists from practically all points to visit the lake at reduced rates. These rates are also extensively advertised and all late Southern Pacific time tables and maps show the location of Crater Lake in large type. This in connection with the publicity given the beauties of the lake in the various booklets and bulletins issued by the Southern Pacific and connecting lines should bring many into the valley to see the lake and surrounding country.

### NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned will apply to the city council of the city of Medford, Oregon, at its next regular meeting, May 5th, 1914, for a license to sell malt, vinous and spirituous liquors at their place of business, on North Fir street, Medford, Oregon, for a period of six months.

Dated April 23, 1914.  
ROGUE RIVER VALLEY UNIVERSITY CLUB.

## NEWS FROM COUNTRY CORRESPONDENTS

### ALONG ROGUE RIVER

Miss Mia Hannah is in Medford with her sister, Mrs. Tim Daily. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Pence went to Central Point Saturday.

Miss Rose Nealon closed her seven months' term of school with a splendid program Saturday evening. Miss Nealon and her school went to Derby Friday and joined them in a picnic. They had a cyphering match, foot races, sack races and other amusements, but what was enjoyed the most of all was the bountiful picnic dinner. Mr. Peterson was present and gave them a nice talk.

Miss Merle Coffeen returned home from Medford Sunday. Harry Howard made a flying trip to Medford this week.

John Foster was over from Eagle Point the first of the week visiting relatives.

Tuesday there was a school rally at Trail. All of neighboring schools were represented and every one enjoyed themselves.

Among those in Eagle Point this week were Ed Foster and Gene Bellows and families.

Charley Coffeen and sister, Miss Merle, spent Thursday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Howard. They spent the evening in musical entertainment. The violin they used is an instrument made in the seventeenth century and has been in the Howard family for several generations.

John Coffeen is visiting home folks.

Mrs. McCabe and Mrs. Jettie Clarno are on the sick list this week.

C. H. Veighies was down from Ashland to his ranch this week.

Dr. Kirchgessner made professional calls at Butte Falls and on Applegate this week.

Miss May French caught a nice trout a foot and a half long in the Rogue river a few days ago.

Several attended the ball game near Beagle Sunday.

Bennie Bellows gave a party Saturday, it being his fifth birthday. After a merry time playing games, a nice luncheon was served. Those present were: Bertha and John Clarno, Frank Pettigrew, Cora French, Hildreth and Mabel Foster and Edward and Bennie Bellows.

Mrs. French, Clarno and Foster and Miss Ethel Ewen called on Mrs. Eugene Bellows Saturday.

Mr. Price and family of Medford autoed out to take dinner with his sister, Mrs. Wallace Coffeen, Sunday. Their mother, Mrs. Price, returned home with him.

John Houston and wife and Grandpa Houston were Beagle visitors Sunday. Grandpa Houston remained with his daughter, Mrs. Jasper Rogers, to visit.

A tiny stranger of ten and one-half pounds made his arrival at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Radford Monday. Dr. Holt was in attendance.

### CENTRAL POINT POINTERS

Mrs. H. T. Pankey has returned from a several weeks' visit with relatives and friends at Portland.

Mrs. Shaddock is at Rogue River this month with her daughter, Mrs. Whipple.

Miss Jessie Knutzen of Applegate is here visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. Kyle has returned from a several weeks' visit with relatives and friends at Lebanon.

Good Roads day was duly observed here by Mayor W. A. Cowley, assisted by the citizens of the town and outside of the town, and Street Commissioner F. J. Taylor. Too much praise cannot be given these men, as each and every one worked hard from morning till evening, and much was accomplished.

Mrs. Whitney of Ashland was here the first of the week calling on her friends.

Mrs. Jones, mother of T. M. Jones, left for New Mexico Sunday morning to make her home with her daughter there.

Quite a number of our people attended the I. O. O. F. picnic at Ashland Sunday.

The baseball cubs of Phoenix played a game with the cubs here Sunday.

Mrs. Day and her daughter, of Grants Pass visited her mother and other relatives here the first of the week.

Mrs. Green and family spent Sunday with friends at Table Rock.

George Farnum, who has been spending a number of weeks here, has left for California to see his brother.

T. M. Jones and family left for Butte City, Cal., the first of the week where they will reside.

Many of our citizens spent Sunday in Medford.

Mrs. Moore and family have gone to Hills, where they will spend the summer with Mr. Moore.

Look! Look!  
Smoke Governor Johnson cigars. They're made in Medford you'll like them.

### EAGLE POINT EAGLETS

By A. C. Howlett

On Saturday the 18th Rev. M. C. Davis, came up to the Sunny Side to pay me a visit and engage my company to go with him the next day to Antioch school house where he had reorganized a Sunday school and had an appointment to preach at 11 a. m. so starting out with our team and rig we went directly to the school house where we found the Sunday school in session and while I was riding along I noticed that the road and especially at the Modoc orchard they had been making some decided improvements and one thing that I noticed was that they are putting up a large barn in addition to the one they already have. I also noticed that the road supervisor has been doing some very substantial work on the road. After preaching and partaking of a fine dinner with our friend, Mrs. Chase, and her son, we turned our course for Agate where I preached to an attentive of not large audience. Again retracing our steps we went to Table Rock and Brother Davis preached again and after spending the night with our old friend Captain S. M. Neal, we turned our course up the river for Elk creek, reaching there in time for a late dinner with another old friend, Geo. Lynch and about the first thing we noticed was a neat picket fence around his place, besides some material changes in his residence. I also noticed that Mr. McDonald has erected three houses on the farm he bought from the Johnson brothers, besides making some other substantial improvements. I also noticed that George Wicks has been fencing and clearing more land and other improvements. While I was on my rounds, Monday and Tuesday I tried to do something for the Medford Mail Tribune, but about the first thing that I would hear was "I tell you Mr. Howlett it took every cent I could raise to pay my taxes and in some instances had to borrow the money," and some of them would relate how their taxes were increased over last year's from 25 to as high as 100 per cent, and the question of taxation seemed to be the paramount thought, or rather how we are to meet our taxes.

Miss Alma Goule who has been teaching on Poor Mans creek, came out on the P. & E. and after taking dinner with us went on up to Lake creek with Charley Kingle to pay them a visit. She taught in that district last year and has a host of friends in that neighborhood.

Mrs. Clements of Central Point came out Wednesday to visit some of her old time friends here, she formally lived in our town.

J. S. Vestal, who has a farm on the Derby road, was doing business among us Thursday.

Prof. C. E. Johnson went to Medford to here Sam Small speak on state and national wide prohibition.

The Ladies' Aid society is having a nice large croquet ground laid off in the town park.

Bert Higginbotham of Prospect was a guest with us Thursday night.

A. Corbin is having some substantial improvements made on his place and among other things is having a lot of wire fence put up.

N. Garren who formerly worked on the Corbin place, is now superintendent on the Laidlow orchard and since he has moved has concluded to subscribe for the Daily Mail Tribune.

E. C. Silliman, representing the Medford Candy Manufacturing Co., and N. C. McConnell, representing the Crescent Mfg. Co., of Seattle, Wash., were doing business among us Wednesday, and took dinner with us.

Ralph Stanley of Brownboro was here for dinner Thursday.

There seems to be considerable rejoicing among the many friends of Thomas E. Nichols on account of his receiving the nomination for state senator.

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## FORESTER FAVORS ROAD TO CRATER FROM ROSEBURG

(Roseburg News.)

It was learned today that Supervisor Seitz, who has been inspecting the improvements on all forests in western Oregon, has been giving attention to the possible routes for wagon roads from Roseburg south. Mr. Seitz, in speaking of the possibilities, stated that all things being equal, the proposed trans-state highway from Roseburg via Myrtle creek, Tiller, Trail to Crater Lake offers many advantages. At the present time the government is appropriating 10 per cent of all moneys received in revenue for the construction or improvement of roads in or adjacent to the national forests in addition to 25 per cent of such receipts which are appropriated to schools and roads.

After a careful examination of the routes available from Roseburg, Mr. Seitz is convinced that the route to Medford, via Tiller, offers the best possibilities for a north and south highway from Roseburg to Medford. If suitable co-operation can be obtained from the county court it is believed that a considerable

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