

SUGGESTS CITY PAY HALF OF PAVING DEBTS OUTSTANDING

To the Editor: I read in your paper of Sept. 9 about a possible proposed bond issue to pay city paving bill. I am not familiar with all the details that have led up to the present situation in Medford. I should judge, however, from what I read that the city fathers in the past have saddled a very heavy paving debt on the residents and owners of property in Medford. If we look at this from an outsider's point of view, we see the picture about as follows:

- 1st—A growing city with an enthusiastic group of city fathers and a general desire to improve the city.
2nd—An order from the city council to pave the principal streets of the city, etc., with ten years to pay for the paving.
3d—Paving is done and payments are begun by the property owners.
4th—Close financial conditions sweep over the United States and hangs on like an English bulldog, and it is still with us.
5th—People become discouraged and stop paying street assessments, rents go down, and the city under this heavy burden of taxes is a good city to move away from.
6th—A general desire for some kind of relief is manifest in a bill to rebond the city for a longer time, to gain the needed relief.
Now what would be a possible solution of this condition? And how could the city fathers compensate for their over enthusiasm in ordering the city paved when if they could have looked into the future they would not have issued the order?
It has been suggested by a party who read this article in your Sept. 9th issue that the equitable thing for the city fathers to do now would be to issue bonds for one half of the cost of paving, and the property owners to pay the other half on the condition that the city pay one half. And if it is found to be equitable to extend this offer to future pavements, this would not work a hardship on anyone and would treat all citizens alike.
Those who have paved will be on the same footing as those who have to pave in the future.
This arrangement I am convinced, if carried out, will put new life into your city, make everybody feel pleasant over the situation and greatly relieve the present intense strain and money stringency.
Yours for the future prosperity of your beautiful city, by one who is interested, if not present.
S. R. COOK.

RED SOX TO KEEP LINE-UP NEXT YEAR

BOSTON, Sept. 23.—The Red Sox, probable pennant winners in the American league, will go into next season virtually unchanged. President J. J. Lannin said today that he did not bid for a single player in the draft recently held in Cincinnati. "The team," he added, "is a perfect playing proposition as now constituted."

Freckles and His Friends



ROCKEFELLER VISITS MINING CAMP TO INSPECT CONDITIONS

TRINIDAD, Colo., Sept. 23.—John D. Rockefeller, who since Monday has been the guest of various mining camps in southern Colorado, began the fourth day of his tour of inspection early. Mr. Rockefeller's keen interest in the workings of the mines, the home life and surroundings of the employees yesterday was undiminished. He visited the public school at Sopris. Here Blanche McArthur, 12-year-old daughter of a coal digger, recited to the Standard Oil magnate the rudiments of high finance, as the scholars were taught in their operation of a supply store and a scholar's bank. At Morley last evening he visited the common bath house and came upon a group of miners just from the mines in various stages of dress and address. The discussion centered principally upon working conditions and life in the camp. John R. Lawson, labor leader, whose imprisonment here on a murder charge harks back to the industrial strife of a year ago, said: "I believe Mr. Rockefeller is sincere. His efforts probably will result in some betterments, which I hope may prove permanent. However, Mr. Rockefeller has missed the fundamental trouble in the coal camps. He is not restoring democracy; he is trying to substitute paternalism." Rockefeller left Las Animas county and motored northward through a stretch of hilly country, made historic by a succession of battles in the miners' strike of 1913-14.

NO GAS OR LIGHT FOR CONSTANTINOPLE

GENEVA, Monday, Sept. 20, via Paris, Sept. 23 (delayed in transmission).—A Swiss, who has just returned from Constantinople, writes to the Gazette de Lausanne that there is no gas, electricity or candles in the Turkish capital and that conditions of life there are almost intolerable for foreigners. He says that 2000 workmen from the Krupp plant in Germany are idle on account of lack of raw materials.

RUSSIAN EMBARGO U. S. GOODS LIFTED

WASHINGTON, Sept. 23.—The formal agreement lifting the Russian embargo against exports from the United States has been signed by Secretary Lansing and George Bakmeteff, the Russian ambassador. Russian goods will be allowed to come to the United States consigned to the secretary of commerce, on condition that the Russian government is given satisfactory guarantees that the merchandise will not reach her enemies. American firms must give bond covering the value of shipments. If any part of such goods is exported the bond will be forfeited and the firm involved will be prevented from obtaining any further Russian merchandise. The arrangement is expected to release millions of dollars worth of goods to American importers held up since the beginning of the war.

SWISS CHILD INJURED BY GERMAN BOMB

PARIS, Sept. 23.—Two German aeroplanes flew over Swiss territory between Confignon and Porrentruy and dropped a bomb near the Cras D'Arment farm, injuring a child, according to newspaper dispatches from Bern.

EAGLE POINT EAGLETS

By A. C. Howlett Since I wrote last Saturday I have put in one day riding for the Mail Tribune and had rather poor success as I found that one third of those on whom I wanted to call were not at home and sixteenths of those I saw were not prepared to settle, so I have but little to report this time in that line, and today have spent the day in town and done but little better, if any. I have to report that William Winkle has renewed his sub. to the W. M. T. and Von der Hellen Hardware company gave an add for the classified column. Last Sunday we had the following persons here at meal time besides our regular boarders, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Emrick, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Trowbridge, and daughter Miss Florence, all of Medford, Wm. Heckathorn of Douglas county, A. H. Peachey of Ashland, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. McIntyre, the cashier of our Eagle Point State bank, Anas Ayres and Clarence Robinett, besides two strangers. Mrs. Ida Meally of Rogue River is here visiting her mother, Grandma Heckathorn. John H. Stewart, a son of F. M. Stewart is here visiting her father. Mrs. Mert Daley of Medford has been out visiting Mrs. Minnie Bryant and others of her old friends among the members of the Rebekahs. Speaking the Rebekahs, the lodge here celebrated their 61th anniversary last Monday night. There were about 40 members and invited friends present and they report having had a very pleasant time. They had a regular program and report that everything passed off without a hitch. They had the usual feast this time in addition to the usual courses they had peaches and cream. I might add here that Mrs. Mert Daley is one of the charter members of the lodge and her many friends gave her a cordial greeting at the lodge. Prof. C. E. Johnson who is teaching in the Laurel

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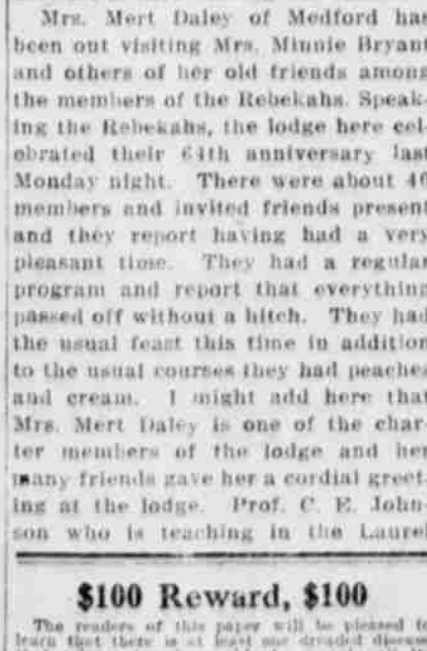
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