

RAINFALL FOR YEAR 14.51 INCHES DECEMBER DRY

December had a total precipitation of 1.71 inches, making the total for the year 1916, 14.51 inches against the 25-year average of 25.6 inches.

Table with columns: Max., Min., Amt. for days 1 through 31.

OREGON DEFEATS PENNSYLVANIA AT PASADENA 14-0

PASADENA, Cal., Jan. 2.—The University of Oregon was victorious over the University of Pennsylvania in the east and west football game here yesterday.

Frequent punting and forward passes marked the first half. Neither side was able to score. Fast and snappy playing by both sides kept the spectators on edge early in the game.

ASHLAND AND VICINITY

The Ashland Fish and Game Protective association is the formal designation of a sportsmen's club, the organization of which was perfected here last Friday evening with 200 members.

Contemporaneous with the opening of the legislature at Salem early in January, Evangelists Mathis and Vessey will inaugurate a series of revival meetings in the capital city which will extend over a month.

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County court—Filing petitions in probate, \$82.50; recording municipal...

COURT HOUSE NEWS

Reported by Jackson County Abstract Co., Sixth and Fir Sts.

Martha A. Talent to Rydal M. Talent, W. D. to lot on Riverside ave., Medford — 10

CHICHESTER'S PILLS

THE DIAMOND BRAND. Sold by Druggists Everywhere.

LAHER AUTO SPRING CO.—We are operating the largest, oldest and best equipped plant in the Pacific northwest.

LISTEN TO THIS! SAYS CORNS LIFT RIGHT OUT NOW

You reckless men and women who are pestered with corns and who have at least once a week invited an awful death from lockjaw or blood poison are now told by a Cincinnati authority to use a drug called freestone, which the moment a few drops are applied to any corn, the soreness is relieved and soon the entire corn, root and all, lifts out with the fingers.

MEDFORD Vulcanizing Works. All work guaranteed. Auto Tire Repairing. We sell Fisk and Michelin Tires.

TODAY'S MARKETS

Portland Livestock. PORTLAND, OR., Jan. 2.—Hogs steady; receipts 466. Bulk of packing grades, \$9.95@10.05; heavy packing, \$10.15@10.25; light packing, \$9.95@10.05; rough heavy, \$9.95@10; pigs and skips, \$8.25@8.75; stock hogs, \$7@8.50; cripples, \$8@8.50.

FARM LOAN BANK ELECTS OFFICERS

The stockholders of the Rogue River (Medford) National Farm Loan association at their meeting Wednesday elected C. A. Myers, C. V. Cummings, J. C. Smith, H. E. Kreuter, Harvey Walter, B. D. Smith, T. A. Waterman, C. J. Brommer and A. W. Stone, directors.

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Chemically and Bacterially Made, but Not from the Work of a Doctor.

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WANTED—C. A. Hamlin, dealer in hides and wool. Highest prices paid. Offices, Laurel st., Market. Phone 475-L. 264

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WANTED—Remember your poultry and eggs will bring you more money at Warner, Wortman and Gore's. One price for hens, regardless of size.

MONEY TO LOAN

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PORTLAND GRAIN

PORTLAND, OR., Jan. 2.—Wheat, strong; no trading; spot bids, 3c higher. Bluestem, \$1.56; Fortyfold, \$1.49; elab, \$1.45; Red Russian, \$1.43.

THE HOTEL ASHLAND DINING ROOM

is again closed, pending future developments as to a change in management.

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INTERURBAN AUTO CAR CO. TIME CARD

Leave Medford for Ashland, Talent and Phoenix daily, except Sunday, at 5:00 a. m., 1:00, 2:00, 4:00 and 5:15 p. m. Also on Saturday at 10:15 a. m., Sundays leave at 10:30 a. m. and 2:00, 5:00 and 9:30 p. m. Leave Ashland for Medford daily, except Sunday, at 9:00 a. m., 1:00, 2:00, 4:00 and 5:15 p. m. Also on Saturday nights at 6:30. Sundays leave Ashland at 9:00 a. m. and 1:00, 6:00 and 10:30 p. m.

TAX ROLL FOR PAST YEAR TOTAL IS LOWER

The total tax roll for the year turned over by the assessor's office to the sheriff, Saturday, December 30, amounted to \$745,750.92. Last year the amount was \$778,778.92. The decrease amounts to \$33,027.92. The amounts as tabulated are as follows:

Table with columns: County and state, Special city, Special school, City liens for collection, Irrigation district liens, Fire patrol liens, Special road.

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WHY?

Irrigation means salable land. I cannot sell land in this county unless it has water or a show to get it. The actual producing value of land in this county will be more than doubled when properly irrigated. Irrigation first.

A MOTHER'S TROUBLES

A mother's unending work and devotion drains and strains her physical strength and leaves its mark in dimmed eyes and careworn expressions—the ages before her time.

NONE SUCH MINCE MEAT

At Grocers 12c to 15c per package. Makes Mince Pie twice as good as bulk mince meat, and costs half the price. Try it "Like Mother Used to Make" MERRELL-SOULE CO., Syracuse, N. Y.

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J. C. BARNES

102 West Main Street.