

### NATIONAL BANKS RE-ELECT OFFICERS FOR COMING YEAR

The national banks of Medford held their annual elections yesterday and no changes were made in directors and officers.

The Medford National bank directors re-elected are William H. Gore, J. A. Perry, F. E. Merrick, H. I. Pelton, J. F. Wortman, J. A. Westerland and John S. Orth, while the re-elected officers are William H. Gore, president; J. A. Perry and F. E. Merrick, vice presidents; John S. Orth, cashier, and W. B. Jackson, assistant cashier.

The re-elected directors of the First National bank are Chas. M. English, Henry Hart, Chas. Strang, J. H. Cooley, F. K. Deuel, George W. Dunn and Wm. G. Tait, and the re-elected officers are Wm. G. Tait, president; C. M. English, vice president, Oris Crawford, cashier and H. S. Deuel, assistant cashier.

The Central Point bank also held its election with no change in the directorate. The bank declared a dividend.

### ORGANIZES SOCIETY TO AID CRIPPLES



FRANCES TORRENS

Miss Torrens has raised \$10,000.00 for allied war charities in England and is now organizing a society to aid war cripples.

### PLENTY OF WORK HERE FOR SOLDIERS OUT IN COUNTRY

There is no need at present and for some time to come for any returned soldier to go without work in Jackson county for, according to Milton James, superintendent of the federal employment service here, although he may not be able to give them just the class of work they want, yet he can furnish them work. Last week he found jobs in orchards and on farms for ten soldiers, and yesterday two more soldiers, one from Jacksonville and one from Texas, obtained jobs through James at \$2.50 a day and went to work on the Webster ranch.

"The trouble is that a number of soldiers want work in town and that I cannot give," said James today. "A few have come into this office and stated that they needed work badly, and when I directed them to an orchard or farm where they could have employment, they turned the offer down, saying they wanted work in the city."

One man turned down a temporary job in town here at 35 cents an hour. I can find jobs for a number of soldiers outside of the city for some time to come."

### STRIKERS VOTE TO END GERMAN STRIKES

BERLIN, Jan. 15.—(By Associated Press.) A cordon of troops has been thrown around the suburb of Moabit, one of the most important industrial sections in Greater Berlin, to disarm civilians and Spartacans.

Pedestrians are being halted and houses entered by searching parties. The telephone service has been stopped.

The employees of the Schwartzkopf works, one of the most radical bodies voted today to resume work Wednesday morning. Railway employes also voted to end their strike.

**The Best Cough Medicine**

When a druggist finds that his customers all speak well of a certain preparation, he forms a good opinion of it and when in need of such a medicine is almost certain to use it himself and in his family. This is why so many druggists use and recommend Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. J. B. Jones, a well known druggist of Cubrun, Ky., says, "I have used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in my family for the past seven years and have found it to be the best cough medicine I have ever known."

**Don't You Forget It**

Bear in mind that Chamberlain's Tablets not only move the bowels but improve the appetite and strengthen the digestion. They contain no poison or other digestive ferment but strengthen the stomach and enable it to perform its functions naturally.

### DENEKINE DEFEATS REDS IN CAUCASAS

ODESSA, Jan. 15.—General Denekine, the anti-Bolshevik leader in southern Russia, has inflicted a sharp defeat on the Bolsheviki on the River Kuma in the Caucasus. One thousand prisoners were captured by his forces.

After two days of fighting, General Denekine captured Alexandria Grushvka, the Bolsheviki losing a number of light field guns and machine guns.

### A Wall of Resistance

Emphasis should be placed upon the conservation of strength and the building up of a strong wall of resistance against weakness.

**SCOTT'S EMULSION**

is used regularly by many, right through the winter, as a dependable means of conserving strength. For the delicate child or adult, Scott's offers rich nourishment with tonic qualities that are great in their ability to strengthen the body and increase resistance.

Scott & Bowne, Bloomfield, N. J. 18-21

### ANTI-I. W. W. BILL PASSED OVER VETO

OLYMPIA, Wash., Jan. 14.—Washington's legislature has passed over Governor Ernest Lister's veto a "criminal syndicalism" bill, often spoken of as a measure aimed against Industrial Workers of the World and organizations and individuals opposing the government. Today the house, by a vote of 85 to 6, passed the measure. Yesterday the bill passed the senate by a 37 to 5 vote.

### TODAY'S CASUALTIES

Killed in action: Private Robert L. Henry, Lafayette, Ore.  
Died of disease: Private Eugene Kelly, Portland, Ore.  
Wounded severely: Private August W. Olin, Hillsdale, Ore.  
Died of wounds: Private Love A. Conrad, Springfield, Ore.  
Wounded in action (degree undetermined) previously reported missing in action: Private William Tierney, Portland, Ore.  
Returned to duty, previously reported missing in action: Private John R. Pearce, Enterprise, Ore.

### MEAT MONOPOLY NOW COMPLETE

WASHINGTON, Jan. 15.—Francis J. Heney, who acted as special counsel for the federal trade commission in the investigation of the meat packing industry, testified today in the senate agriculture committee's hearing on the bill providing for government control of certain facilities of the meat industry, asserted that the big packers not only had a monopoly of the meat business in the United States, but so controlled the industry in other countries as to be able to manipulate prices at home.

Mr. Heney said the big companies now controlled the local slaughtering business.

### WILSON TO BE DINED BY FRENCH SENATE

PARIS, Jan. 15.—(Haynes.)—President Wilson will be the guest of honor at a banquet to be given by the French senate January 20.

### MAKES RAPID HEADWAY

**Add This Fact to Your Store of Knowledge.**

Kidney disease often advances so rapidly that many a person is firmly in its grasp before aware of its progress. Prompt attention should be given the slightest symptom of kidney disorder. If there is a dull pain in the back, headaches, dizzy spells or a tired, worn-out feeling, or if the kidney secretions are offensive, irregular and attended by pain, procure a good kidney remedy at once.

Your townspeople recommend Doan's Kidney Pills. Read the statement of this Medford citizen.

D. R. Andrus, 510 South Fir street says: "I was bothered considerably by my kidneys and bladder. I had trouble in retaining the kidney secretions and I also had a dull ache across my kidneys. I got quick relief from Doan's Kidney Pills. My kidneys acted more regularly and I didn't have that trouble in my back. This has convinced me that Doan's Kidney Pills are a medicine of merit and are worth recommending to others."

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That's why we picked **FEDERALS**—for you, and why we stand behind them.

No other tire has the Double-Cable-Base construction. Ask us about it.

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# What Will Happen Thursday, Friday and Saturday Greater Offerings :- Greater Reductions AT THE Reconstruction and Readjustment Sale

<h4>Boys' Shoes</h4> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>\$2.50 Boys' Patent Button Shoes..... <b>\$1.39</b></li> <li>\$2.75 Boys' Good Gun Metal Shoes..... <b>\$1.98</b></li> <li>\$3.50 Boys' Fine Gun Metal Shoes..... <b>\$2.69</b></li> <li>\$4.50 Boys' Heavy Tan Winter Shoes..... <b>\$3.15</b></li> <li>\$4.50 Boys' Heavy Black Winter Shoes..... <b>\$3.15</b></li> <li>\$4.50 Boys' High Cut Winter Shoes..... <b>\$2.98</b></li> </ul>	<h4>Children's Shoes</h4> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Children's Shoes, 5 1/2 to 8..... <b>\$1.53, \$1.78, \$1.98</b></li> <li>Children's Shoes, 8 1/2 to 11..... <b>\$2.24, \$2.52</b></li> <li>Children's Shoes, 11 1/2 to 2..... <b>\$2.48, \$2.69</b></li> </ul>	<h4>Towels</h4> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>25c Turkish Towels..... <b>19c</b></li> <li>35c Turkish Towels..... <b>29c</b></li> <li>50c Turkish Towels..... <b>42c</b></li> </ul>
<h4>Men's Shoes</h4> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>\$5.00 Men's Heavy Work Shoes..... <b>\$3.49</b></li> <li>\$6.00 Men's Heavy Work Shoes..... <b>\$3.98</b></li> <li>\$6.50 Men's Army Work Shoes..... <b>\$4.98</b></li> <li>\$7.00 Men's Dress Shoes..... <b>\$5.49</b></li> <li>\$7.50 Men's Dress Shoes..... <b>\$6.49</b></li> </ul>	<h4>Ladies' Hosiery</h4> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>25c Black Lisle Hose..... <b>17c</b></li> <li>35c Black Lisle Hose..... <b>29c</b></li> <li>50c Black Lisle Hose..... <b>42c</b></li> </ul>	<h4>Ladies' Blouses</h4> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>\$6.50 and \$7.50 Crepe de Chene Blouses..... <b>\$3.98</b></li> <li>\$9.50 and \$10.50 Crepe de Chene Blouses..... <b>\$4.98</b></li> <li>\$12.00 and \$15.00 Crepe de Chene Blouses..... <b>\$6.98</b></li> </ul>
<h4>Ladies' Shoes</h4> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>\$5.00 Values, Lace or Patent..... <b>\$1.49</b></li> <li>\$5.00 Values, Vici Kid, Button..... <b>\$1.98</b></li> <li>\$5.00 Values, Lace Oxfords..... <b>\$1.49</b></li> <li>\$5.00 New Dress Shoes..... <b>\$4.49</b></li> <li>\$6.50 New Dress Shoes..... <b>\$5.85</b></li> <li>\$7.20 New Dress Shoes..... <b>\$6.48</b></li> <li>\$7.50 New Dress Shoes..... <b>\$6.74</b></li> </ul>	<h4>Children's Hosiery</h4> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>30c Children's Black Hose..... <b>19c</b></li> <li>35 and 40c Children's Black Hose..... <b>29c</b></li> </ul>	<h4>Ladies' Coats</h4> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>\$15.00 Fine Winter Coats..... <b>\$10.98</b></li> <li>\$18.50 Fine Winter Coats..... <b>\$12.98</b></li> <li>\$20.00 Fine Winter Coats..... <b>\$13.98</b></li> <li>\$25.00 Fine Winter Coats..... <b>\$18.98</b></li> </ul>
	<h4>Woolen Dress Goods</h4> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>\$1.25 Woolen Serges..... <b>89c</b></li> <li>\$1.25 Woolen Plaids..... <b>98c</b></li> <li>\$1.75 Poplins and Serges..... <b>\$1.59</b></li> <li>\$2.00 Poplins and Serges..... <b>\$1.69</b></li> </ul>	<h4>LADIES' SUITS REDUCED LESS THAN COST</h4> <h4>Ladies' Silk Petticoats</h4> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Special..... <b>\$4.49, \$5.49, \$6.49</b></li> </ul>
	<h4>Umbrellas</h4> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>\$3.50 Umbrellas..... <b>\$2.98</b></li> </ul>	<h4>Muslin Underwear</h4> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Muslin Skirts, Special..... <b>\$1.39</b></li> <li>Muslin Skirts, Special..... <b>\$1.98</b></li> <li>Muslin Skirts, Special..... <b>\$2.25</b></li> <li>Muslin Gowns, Special..... <b>\$1.50</b></li> <li>Muslin Gowns, Special..... <b>\$1.75</b></li> <li>Muslin Gowns, Special..... <b>\$2.00</b></li> </ul>

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