

### MEDFORD'S CARUSO ATTACKED BY A BOSCHE ROOSTER

It has just been learned that Medford came near losing its sweet singer and enterprising merchant, Harry Manning thru the vicious attack last Monday of a white Orpington rooster.

Mr. Manning was on his way home Monday evening after having completed the fine Victory week display in the Wonder Store. On passing the Commercial club he picked up a newspaper and as he walked along became engrossed in reading the thrilling story of how an American soldier had won his distinguished service cross. He cut in across lots from West Main street to reach his home on North Orange and on passing thru a vacant lot glanced up and saw ahead a white rooster lying down in his path. Not dreaming of danger he continued to read.

The command was given for the company to attack the German machine gun nest. The Huns rained machine gun bullets on the intrepid band of Americans and men began fast dropping. Corporal Brave felt a sting in his right knee and a shock in his left.

Medford's Caruso at this juncture yelled "ouch" and jumped in the air. As he fell a white rooster emerged frantically flying towards his home coop, loudly shouting what is interpreted in poultry language as "mam-ma."

The savage rooster said to be of Prussian breed, attacked Mr. Manning as he came along spurring him in the left knee, penetrating the flesh nearly to the bone. Mr. Manning has been compelled to walk with a cane ever since. Blood poison was at first feared but danger has now passed.

The same rooster, which weighs about ten pounds, bears a reputation for fierceness, having also recently attacked Ed Warner's son and driven a neighbor woman in the house. It is probable the rooster will be handed over to a Petaluma alienist.

### J. A. WESTERLUND SELLS ENTIRE CHERRY CROP

Frank M. Radovan has purchased the entire cherry crop on the Westerlund orchards, will care for the same, pick it and then dry it for market. J. A. Westerlund who closed the deal today is much pleased with the transaction. "I have my money" said Mr. Westerlund and Radovan has the cherries. He does the work and takes the risk while I can make a price on the crop under such an arrangement, which is to the purchaser's advantage. If we can get the labor there will be a very prosperous year for the fruit growers in the valley. The labor shortage is the only obstacle."

### RIPPEY PLEADS GUILTY HOOKING FISH AT DAM

Deputy Game Warden Ed Walker made a raid at the Gold Ray dam early last night and arrested Floyd Rippey, R. H. Jones, Verne Van Dyke, William Nichols, of Medford, and Slim Morris who is connected with the Park garage at Ashland.

Before Justice Taylor today Rippey pleaded guilty to the charge of hooking fish and was fined fifty dollars and costs; Van Dyke and Nichols pleaded not guilty and their trials were set for next Tuesday. On recommendation of Prosecutor Roberts the charges against Jones and Morris were dismissed for lack of sufficient evidence as Jones only transported the party to the dam from this city, and Morris only handed Rippey a pole.

The deputy game warden claims the party started in at 7:30 p. m. hooking fish from the fishway, Rippey doing the actual work of hooking and Van Dyke and Nichols killing the fish with clubs as he tossed them out. In a half hour, Walker says, they took out three gunny sacks full of fish. He watched them all this time from his place of concealment on the other bank of the river, and finally decided to close in on them.

When the alleged illegal fishers saw him coming across the river they scattered and mixed up with a crowd of people who were gathered watching, except Rippey who scurried into the brush and was found some time later. Walker says he will subpoena all the persons in the crowd as witnesses against Van Dyke and Nichols.

### DUSTIN FARNUM RIALTO TONIGHT

Monty Price's last words after the fight in which the odds against him were three to one, glimpses the dashing spirit of fearlessness and contempt for danger which Zane Grey puts into this character of his thrilling romance, "The Light of Western Stars." Monty in his contempt for underhand tricks and treachery lashes Pat Howe and his two henchmen with vituperation while he awaits fearlessly the shot that may any moment close his lips.

With whistling breath, and taunting lips, Monty Price crouched lower, hands at his hips as he edged inch by inch closer to his foe. His breath came quicker, his voice grew hoarser. Lower and lower he bent, a terrible figure of ferocity. "Dogs, skunks, buzzards. Flash 'em or I'll flash mine."

The thrilling sequel forms one of the many striking scenes in Dustin Farnum's great picturization of "The Light of Western Stars," which comes to the Rialto theatre today and tomorrow only.

### IRRIGATION IN 90 DAYS. (Continued from page one.)

rights to manufacture electricity upon the canals of the district. An return the waters of Big Butte are released to the district without let or hindrance.

The board of directors of the district has authorized the following statement:

**Thanks Power Company**  
In clearing up the conflict which existed on the waters of Big Butte the last weakness has been removed from this project and probably the best water right in southern Oregon has been secured for the Medford Irrigation District. By the contract signed this week the district is given a release of sufficient waters on Big Butte to insure sufficient water for all the project lands. The district has cause to appreciate the spirit of helpful cooperation which the officers of the California-Oregon Power company have shown.

In return for the rights on Big Butte the district has granted to the power company the right to manufacture electricity at a drop of approximately 240 feet north of Brownsboro. By this agreement the power company has acquired a right which is of value to the company and has released water which it needs at its Gold Ray plant. The district has acquired a water right without which the project could not have been built and has released a right which it would never have been in a position to utilize. The board of directors of the district make this announcement with justifiable pride.

### Arnott Suffered for Thirty Years

"Nothing on Earth Like Tanlac," He Says—Troubles Overcome

"Well, sir, a neighbor of mine put me onto this Tanlac a few weeks ago, and it's the finest thing I have ever run across in the sixty-seven years of my life," declared Thomas F. Arnott, of 124 South Ray St., Spokane, while in Murgittroyd's Drug Store recently.

"I have suffered for thirty years," he continued, "with a bad stomach and other troubles and spent a large part of what I made for treatments and medicines, but never did get any better until I began taking Tanlac. Everything I would eat hurt me and the gas on my stomach would rise up into my chest and cut my breath short. Sometimes my heart would beat so hard and fast that I would just have to gasp for breath. I was uneasy all the time for fear I had heart trouble. I would have blind dizzy spells when I could hardly stand on my feet. I also suffered with headaches and simply felt played out nearly all the time."

"I can now eat what I want without it hurting me for the first time in thirty years, and since my food digests on my stomach, I don't have any more trouble with palpitation and shortness of breath. Why, before I took Tanlac the least exercise would completely tire me out, but now I can walk or work all day long and feel none the worse from it. I guess I have taken a barrel of medicines of different kinds and lived on a diet, almost starving myself, trying to get rid of my trouble, but I suffered just the same until I got Tanlac. So I know what Tanlac has done for me and I appreciate it enough to tell everybody about it. In my opinion there's nothing on earth like it."

Tanlac is sold in Medford by West Side Pharmacy, in Gold Hill by M. D. Bowers, in Central Point by Miss M. A. Mee, in Ashland by J. J. McNair, in Eagle Point by Von der Hellen, Adv

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**Copper Asks Delay**  
The directors are sorry to have to announce a further delay in the approval of the project by the state en-

gineer. Mr. Cupper has given the engineering report a very careful examination and has satisfied himself that there are no inherent defects but he wishes certain features of the project passed upon again. In line with this request of the state engineer Mr. D. C. Heeny, consulting engineer, of Portland, has been engaged to report upon the project. Mr. Cupper's attitude in this matter meets with the absolute approval of the board as it is important that every safeguard be thrown around the project.

**Construction in 90 Days**  
Since the report was filed with the

state engineer construction costs have been gradually lowering so that it is safe to say that the project will be installed at a less cost than the original estimate. The bond market is bullish and a very good price for this district's securities is assured.

Every effort is being made to bring the water to the lands of the district with as little delay as is possible with absolute safety and it is the hope of this board of directors that active construction work will be underway within ninety days. Should this become a fact it will be the aim of the directors to begin delivery of water as early in 1920 as is possible.



**ARROW**  
TROY TAILORED  
SOFT COLLARS  
FIT WELL—WASH EASILY  
Cluett, Peabody & Co., Inc., Troy, N. Y.

# BABY WEEK

## Many Weeks Have Been Spent in Preparing for This Event

Every little wearable which takes part in it we choose as carefully and as painstakingly as you would yourself. We picked in every instance only the daintiest made and prettiest looking styles we could find, and we know you will take great delight in making their acquaintance and choosing for Baby from these assortments.

## Dresses, Coats, Sweaters, Bonnets, Bootees, Shoes, Socks, Kimonas, Stork Pants, Sacques, Baby Laces, Diaper Cloth

and every other need for the Baby. Low prices will prevail on every item.

**A** RTICLES  
Baby Toilet Sets, Rattles, Dolls, Combs, Brushes and many other articles to please the baby at popular prices.

**B** OOTEES  
Made of fine Wool Yarn, Fiber Silk and all Silk. Come in white, pink and blue. On sale from **25¢ to \$1.50** pair.

**OUTING FLANNEL**  
36 inch White Outing Flannel, good quality, cheap at 35¢. Baby Week price, yard **29¢**

**BABY BLANKETS**  
In Wool and Cotton, all sizes and styles. On sale at **\$1.39, \$1.98, \$2.48 and \$3.98.**

**DIAPER CLOTH**  
18-inch Diaper Cloth, best quality. Worth \$2.50. Special at **\$2.25** piece.  
20 inch Special, piece, **\$2.48.**

**WHITE FLANNEL**  
Silk and Wool White Flannel for Baby clothes, 30 inches wide. Special, yard, **\$1.98**

**BABY'S WASH SUITS**  
Made of fine Chambrays, Gingham and Linens. All spices. Special **69¢** a Suit up to **\$2.48** a Suit.

**C** OATS  
Made of fine All Wool Serges and Cashmere, good styles; also Buntings. Priced from **\$4.48** to **\$6.98** each.

**BOY'S BLOUSES**  
Made of fine Percales, good styles and colors. Cheap today at **\$1.00**. Baby Week, each **75¢**

**"KOVERALLS"**  
Headquarters for this famous garment. All sizes and colors. One price only. Each **\$1.50**

**K** NIT GOODS  
Everything in Knit Goods for the Babies, Shawls, Toques, Bootees, Caps, Sacques, Sweaters, in a wonderful line of styles, made of the finest grade of wool yarn, by America's best manufacturer.

**D** RESSES  
Dainty new Dresses for Babies and little Girls, well made of beautiful materials, in white and colored. On sale from **\$1.00** to **\$5.00** each.

**CHILDREN'S KNIT WAIST**  
Knit Waist, good quality. Only a few styles to select from, each **25¢**  
Acorn Knit Waist, all sizes. A splendid quality, cheap at 50¢. On sale Baby Week, each **39¢**

**GIRLS' GINGHAM DRESSES**  
In all sizes and colors. On sale from, ea **69¢ to \$4.98**  
Girls' White Dresses, made of fine materials, trimmed with good laces, all sizes. On sale during Baby Week, **\$1.50** up

**CHILDREN'S UNDERWEAR**  
Complete line of Children's Knit and Muslin Underwear for summer wear. It will pay you to see this line as you can buy cheaper than you can make.

**P** ILLOWS  
In all sizes, covered with good materials, filled with both down and silk floss. Priced from, each, **29¢ to 98¢**

**ROMPERS**  
Children's Rompers, all sizes, made of fine chambray, fast colors. Worth 75¢. Special, each **48¢**

**S** HOES  
Soft Soled and First Step Baby Shoes, in white, tan, pink, blue and black. Many different styles **98¢** up.

**BABY SHIRTS**  
Infants' Shirts, summer weight, all sizes. Special, each **48¢**  
Infants' Part Wool Summer Shirts, all sizes. Cheap today at 75¢. Special, ea **69¢**

**CARRIAGE ROBES**  
Made of Pique and Batiste, well made and nicely trimmed. Prices from **\$1.98** up.

**BABY STOCKINGS**  
Infants' Cotton Hose in short and long. Very special Baby Week, pair **25¢**  
Infants' Wool Hose, all sizes. Special, pair **48¢**  
Infants' Silk and Wool Hose, all sizes, pair **98¢**

**T** OQUES  
And Caps, mad of wool and silk. Many new styles to choose from. All sizes. Priced from, each **50¢ to \$3.00**

**SAFETY PINS**  
All sizes, good quality. Will not rust. Very special Baby Week, doz. **5¢**  
Mail Orders Promptly Filled.

**Mann's**  
The Woman's Store  
14-22 NORTH CENTRAL AVENUE  
MEDFORD, OREGON

**BABY WEEK, MAY 10TH to 17TH**  
Saturday Store Hours  
8 a. m. to 8:30 p. m.  
Postage Prepaid On All Mail Orders

TO-NIGHT

TOMORROW

GO

GO

PRICES  
10c  
25c

TIME  
2:15  
2:30

## DUSTIN FARNUM

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### "The Light of Western Stars"

He wagered he'd marry the first girl that blew into town. She was pretty and Gene went ahead. But could a girl love a man who had forced her to marry him.

—ALSO—

STRAND COMEDY

**RIALTO**  
WHERE EVERYBODY GOES

LITERARY DIGEST