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Tomorrow May be too late

## CONSORTIUM TO AID CHINA IS FAR EAST CURE

J. P. Morgan Banking Aide Praises Japan for Fair Mindedness in Doing Share—Expect to Solve Oriental Problems—Entire World Interested in Success of Project.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 1.—The Far Eastern question which for years has directly or indirectly affected all leading nations of the world, has been brought one step nearer solution by reason of the assured formation of the consortium to aid China, members of the Commonwealth club of California were told today by Thomas W. Lamont, member of the New York banking firm of J. P. Morgan and company, who has just returned from the Far East where he was instrumental in effecting Japan's entrance into the consortium.

"Japan's entry into the consortium upon precisely the same terms as England, France and America has advanced by at least one step solution of the Far Eastern problem," Mr. Lamont said.

"I was informed that in the two years it has taken to form the consortium there has been the freest interchange of views among the governments of the United States, Great Britain, France and Japan.

"I was received in Japan with the utmost cordiality by the members of the Japanese banking group, for long ago they learned to speak the language of international co-operation in banking matters.

"Japan absolutely showed broadmindedness and wisdom in waiving her reservations regarding Manchuria and Mongolia. She was courageous in recognizing that those reservations were of no value to her and if maintained, would only serve as an inevitable bar to her entering as a free and full partner in the consortium.

"The policy of the United States government respecting the Far East has been criticized in the past. But the success of the consortium and the maintenance of trade in the Far East rests, in the last analysis, not upon governments, but upon private citizens and upon their support. For this new plan of Far Eastern co-operation I bespeak your cordial support, your thoughtful interest and the free expression of your views."

## FORUM MEETING TOMORROW NOON MEDFORD HOTEL

It is anticipated that the Forum of the Chamber of Commerce tomorrow noon at the Medford hotel will be one of the largest in attendance of any held since the Forums have been adopted by the chamber. Col. Robert A. Miller will lead the discussion on "The Development of Community Spirit" and as the colonel has given this subject a great deal of study, his talk will be most interesting and instructive.

In the arrangement of the program of work for the Chamber of Commerce as compiled from the replies in the "write it down" blanks, the development of a better community spirit was a subject which received the third largest number of suggestions, therefore, a great many members of the Chamber of Commerce have shown themselves interested in this subject and there is an evident desire that a better spirit along this line be built up.

The Wednesday Forum lunches during month of June will be held at the Medford hotel and members should endeavor to bring traveling men who call upon them, as their guests. The traveling men are the best advertisers that a community can have. If a town which they visit is dead, they make no bones about it when asked about same, but if the town is up and going, they become enthusiastic about same and let others know about it. The Forum meetings reflect the spirit of Medford and unless visitors are invited, the energy placed into these Forums by the committee in charge is lost.

The Forum luncheons start promptly and end promptly at 1:15.

## MEDFORD MAY BE AERIAL STATION

Another proposition which promises to put Medford on the map as an airplane station, is the proposed establishment of an air line from Seattle, via Tacoma, Portland, Eugene and Medford, to San Francisco and back along the coast, for mail and tourists.

"Establishment of an airplane landing field at Astoria is now the only lacking preliminary to the success of the project," says J. E. Gratke for 26 years publisher of the Astoria Evening Budget, and W. B. Robertson, a prominent timberman.

### Helped Man and Wife

Walter Farrand, 1093 Springfield Ave., Irvington, N. J., writes: "My back ached continuously, as did my wife's." After taking Foley Kidney Pills, we were surprised with the quick results. I recommend Foley Kidney Pills to any one who has kidney or bladder trouble. They help rid the blood of impurities that cause rheumatic pains, swollen, aching and stiff joints and muscles and other symptoms of kidney trouble. For sale by Medford Pharmacy. Adv.

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## City Treasurer's Notice of Semi-Annual Interest Due

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the semi-annual interest on paving, sewer and watermain assessments upon all properties for which application was made to extend time of payment, will be due and payable at the office of the city treasurer June 1, 1920, and will be delinquent after thirty (30) days from said date and shall bear a penalty of five per cent (5%) upon the amount of such delinquency.

Thirty days after any such delinquency the property will be sold for the amount of such delinquency, together with penalty and costs of such sale in accordance with the provisions of Section 148 of the city charter.

Dated at Medford, Oregon, this 24th day of May, 1920. MARY A. HASWELL, Treasurer of the City of Medford, Oregon.

**NEW SCHEDULE INTERURBAN AUTO CO. Adopted Monday, March 29.**

ASHLAND—MEDFORD	JACKSONVILLE—MEDFORD
Daily except Sunday. Leave Medford—7:10, 8:00, 8:45, 9:30, 10:15, 11:00 a. m.; 12:00 noon; 12:45, 1:30, 2:15, 3:00, 3:45, 4:30, 5:15, 6:00, 7:00 p. m.; 8:45 p. m. Saturday only; 9:30 p. m. daily; 10:30 p. m. Saturday only.	Daily except Sunday. Leave Medford—8:00, 9:20, 10:30 a. m.; 12:00 noon; 1:30, 2:00, 3:45, 4:30, 5:20 p. m. Saturday only 7:30 p. m.; 9:30 p. m. daily; 10:30 p. m. Saturday only.
Leave Ashland—7:15, 8:00, 8:45, 9:30, 10:15, 11:00 a. m.; 12:00 noon; 12:45, 1:30, 2:15, 3:00, 3:45, 4:30, 5:15, 6:00, 7:00 p. m.; 8:45 p. m. Saturday only; 9:30 p. m. daily; 10:30 p. m. Saturday only.	Leave Jacksonville—7:20, 8:30, 10:00, 11:30 a. m.; 1:00, 2:00, 3:45, 4:00, 5:00, 7:00 p. m. Saturday only, 8:00 p. m.
Sunday Only 9:00, 10:00, 11:00 a. m.; 12 noon; 1:00, 2:00, 3:00, 4:00, 5:00, 6:30, 8:30 p. m. 9:00, 10:00, 11:00 a. m.; 12 noon; 1:00, 2:00, 3:00, 4:00, 5:00, 6:30, 8:30 p. m. Waiting room Ashland, East Side Pharmacy.	Sunday Only Leave Medford—9:00, 10:30 a. m.; 12:00 noon; 2:00, 4:00, 6:30, 9:30, 10:30 p. m. Leave Jacksonville—10:00, 11:30 a. m.; 1:00, 3:00, 5:00, 7:00, 9:15 p. m. Office and waiting room No. 5, South Front Street, Hotel building. Jacksonville Waiting Room at Reter's Confectionery. Phone 309, Medford, Ore.

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In presenting "The Passing Show" here, the Messrs. Shubert desire to emphasize the fact that this brilliant and beautiful production will be given in its entirety, exactly as presented at the New York Winter Garden last year. The complete original production, down to the very last spangle, has been brought here, and will be shown at the Page Theatre.

The cast contains Willie and Eugene Howard, two of the world's greatest entertainers, and includes such headliners as Roy Cummins, Wm. Philbrick, John Burke, Edward Basse, Edward Cutler, Helen Carrington, Leeta Corder, Emily Miles, Alexandra Dagnair, Dorsha, Peggy Brown, Victor Bossart, Billie Shaw, Jack Hall, Dolores Suarez, Frank Hall, Mary Booth, and 125 famous Winter Garden beauties.

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