

SECOND EDITION

MEDFORD MAIL TRIBUNE

WEATHER Warmer, rain—Max. 43; Min. 15; Precipitation .02.

Forty-second Year. Daily—Seventh Year.

MEDFORD, OREGON, SATURDAY, JANUARY 11, 1913.

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ASK WILSON TO BUST DEADLOCK ELECT SENATOR

President-elect Requested to Take Hand in Legislature's Tie-up at Springfield, But Will Refuse to Take Sides in Controversy.

Hoodoo Number Has No Terrors for Woodrow—Sits Down to Breakfast With Thirteen.

CHICAGO, Jan. 11.—Arriving here at 1:45 o'clock this afternoon, President-elect Wilson was met at the depot by an unusually large crowd, a police guard allowing none but authorized persons near.

ABOARD PRESIDENT - ELECT WILSON'S PRIVATE CAR, FORT WAYNE, Ind., Jan. 11.—The hoodoo number 13 has no terrors for President-elect Wilson, and he grinned when he counted noses at the breakfast table this morning.

Governor Wilson is en route to Chicago where he is to speak tonight before the Commercial club.

Governor Wilson retired at 9 o'clock last night and slept 12 hours. He joked and swapped stories with the newspapermen during the morning meal.

MULTNOMAH HOTEL SOLD TO SYNDICATE

PORTLAND, Jan. 11.—Negotiations have been virtually completed whereby L. Gervutz & Sons will sell their Multnomah Hotel to a syndicate of Portland and San Francisco capitalists for a figure approximating \$500,000.

REID'S MILLIONS TO GO TO HIS WIDOW

NEW YORK, Jan. 11.—With the exception of specific bequests totaling \$110,000, the entire estate of the late ambassador Whitelaw Reid is left to the widow.

KAISER FIGHTS FIRE THAT THREATENS PALACE

POTSDAM, Germany, Jan. 11.—With Kaiser Wilhelm personally directing operations, a fire which threatened part of the Neuen Palace here today was extinguished by the palace fire brigade, assisted by the Potsdam fire department.

TINY CHILDREN FORCED TO WORK IN CANNERIES

Congressional Probe of Conditions in Trust Establishments Asked—Factories Abound in Filth, Rats and Disease States Miss O'Reilly.

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WASHINGTON, Jan. 11.—Support to Congressman Allen's resolution demanding a congressional probe of the Eastern Canning industry was given before the house rules committee here today by Mary Boyle O'Reilly who declared she learned of conditions by posing as a canning operative.

Living conditions are frightful, as many as 3 and 4 families living in a single shack. Most of the child employees are from six to ten years old and earn from ten to twenty cents daily for ten hours labor.

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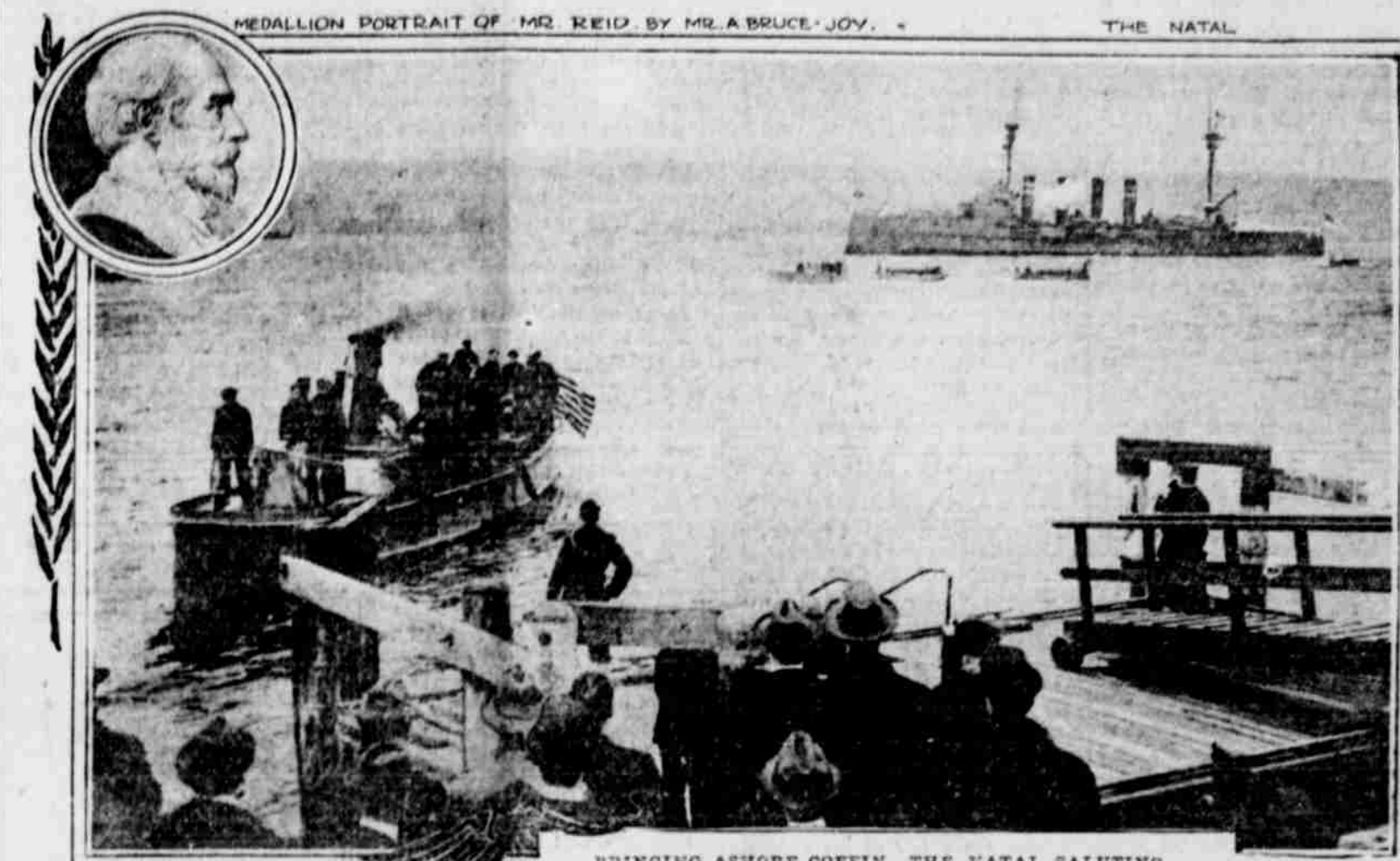
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BIG TIM SULLIVAN LOSSES HIS MIND

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SCENE ON ARRIVAL OF FUNERAL SHIP BEARING AMBASSADOR REID'S BODY



BRINGING ASHORE COFFIN—THE NATAL SALUTING. Seldom, if ever, in the history of America has there been witnessed such an impressive scene as the arrival at New York of the funeral ship, the British cruiser Natal, bearing the body of Whitelaw Reid, United States Ambassador to England.

JACK JOHNSON LOSES AUTOMOBILE SAYS HE'S BROKE

CHICAGO, Jan. 11.—Jack Johnson, negro prize fighter, who has been relegated to oblivion by general consent of the boxing promoters of this country, admitted today that he hasn't a cent.

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ONLY THE SOCIALIST OPPOSES TROLLEY FRANCHISE

The ordinance granting the M. T. Minney company the right to build a street railway in Medford was granted by the council Friday evening without one word of argument on either side.

No Opposition From Barnum The city hall was crowded with citizens, the socialists coming out early in force.

Referendum Threatened From present indications, there is a strong feeling that a referendum should be called for; not because the objectors wish to block the building of this improvement, but solely because of the long life asked for the franchise.

SEEK 20 PER CENT REDUCTION IN PHONES

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 11.—An initiative petition calling an election on an ordinance providing for an average reduction of 20 per cent in telephone rates in San Francisco was filed today with the board of election commissioners by the telephone users' association.

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KAISER BUILDS DOUBLE NUMBER SHIPS OF WAR

Germany Secretly Changing and Constructing Battleships and Cruisers—Protected Cruisers Changed to Armored Type.

War Scare Being Sounded in Great Britain to Secure More Battleships in British Navy.

LONDON, Jan. 11.—That Germany has been secretly changing and constructing battleships and cruisers is the startling news published today by the Manchester Courier.

On the face of the alleged disclosures made by the Courier, it is interesting to note the demand which is made by the Daily Mirror today for an increase in Britain's naval building for the year.

JUDGE HOWARD FACES PROTEST

WASHINGTON, Jan. 11.—A petition protesting against the confirmation by the senate of the nomination of Clinton Howard to be judge of the United States district court for western Washington will be submitted to the senate judiciary committee next Tuesday by Senator Miles Poin-dexter.

DANGER LINE PASSED BY CINCINNATI FLOOD

CINCINNATI, Jan. 11.—Cincinnati is threatened this afternoon with a serious flood. The danger line of 50 feet already has been passed, and a stage of 56 feet is predicted.

PATY DU CLAM GIVEN BACK ARMY COMMAND

PARIS, Jan. 11.—By a decree signed by Prof. Fallieres, Col. Du Paty de Clam, one of the most prominent figures in the Dreyfus treason trial, is today re-instated in the French Territorial army with his former rank.

PROF. LOWE, INVENTOR, DYING AT PASADENA

PASADENA, Calif., Jan. 11.—Prof. Thaddeus S. C. Lowe, the noted inventor, remains today in about the same condition in which he has been for about three weeks.