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WATER STILL BIG PROBLEM FOR MEDFORD

Mayor Reddy's An- Council Passes Month- Barkdull Withdraws nual Message views Work of Council During Year.

At Tuesday night's meeting of the city council Mayor Reddy submitted his nnual report for the first year of his

Mayor's Report.

MEDFORD, Or., Jan. 7. To the City Council of the City of

Pursuant to the provisions of the city charter, I beg to submit herewith a report of the condition of affairs of the

It is unnecessary for me to go into details as to the receipts and expenditures of the city during the past year, as the reports of the treasurer and recorder show those details fully; from those reports, however, it can be seen that there is now on hand in the various funds the following amounts, after deducting sufficient to pay all outwarrants against the respect

General Tund	A 1422.
Contingent fund	197.4
Park fund	499.3
Sewer District No. 5 fund	194.9
General sewer fund	394,7
Lateral sower-	
No. B. District No. 5 fund	11.7
No. 7, District No. 5 fund	29.8
No. 6, District No. 5 fund	25.2
No. 4, District No. 5 fund	47.3
No. 3, District No. 5 fund	59.2
No. 1, District No. 5 fund	2.6
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Total balances \$2884.65 Total Indebtedness.

Against the remaining funds we find the following amounts outstanding in warrants, after deducting the respecttree and road fund. \$17.82 Hardware Co., \$10.45; H. E. Boyden,

Sewer District No. 4 fund. Sewer District No. 3 fund.

Total outstanding warrants . \$7909.46 This leaves the city with a net indebtedness, in warrants, of \$5024.81, to

pended in paying interest on bonds), 4 mills..... 7,500.00 Saloon licenses. 5,000,00 Miscellaneous, fines, etc....

Supply of Pure Water.

The principal problem confronting the city at the beginning of this ad ministration, and which will continue to

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HARMONY REIGNS O'ER CITY DADS

ly Budget of Bills== Finances Revealed by Annual Reports.

The city council held its regular monthly meeting Tuesday night, ap-proved the monthly budget, heard annual reports of the mayor and city city recorder, ordered several ordinances frawn and passed a preliminary resolution for the grading of a street to be known as Riverside avenue.

Dove of Peace Alights.

All was harmonious. The meeting, me of the last of the present council was the most penceful on record, and devoid of the exciting clashes that have enlivened many of the sessions. The officials' messages reviewed the work of the past year, the condition of the finances and the prospects for the com-

ing year, Mayor Reddy presided. Councilmen Hafer and Olwell were absent. The reorder's report showed receipts for the month of December as follows: General fund, \$1105.88; light and water \$315.44; street and road, \$234.18; contingent, \$27; park, \$40.30; lateral No. 2 sewer district No. 3, \$53.55. Disbursements were as follows: General fund, \$1378.16; light and water, \$2935.80; street and road, \$1210; con tingent, \$168.89; park fund, \$63.85. The following bills were ordered

Street and Road Funds.

T. W. Osgood, \$165,17; F. N. Cummings, \$90; Woods Lumber Co., \$80,34; fowa Lumber Co., \$72,30; J. A. Robbins, \$54; S. A. D. Higgins, \$52; R. E. O'Brien, \$50; J. W. Boskdull, \$50; Merke Gault, \$49; Clarence Boussom \$46.50; Thomas Turpin, \$32; William 210.83 \$10; James G. Smith, \$9; J. Mosher 281.69 \$8; W. S. King, \$6; F. A. Wine, \$5.70; F. A. Wine, \$5.65; W. S. King, \$5.65; U. S. Balcum, \$5; W. S. King, \$4.56; Charles Boussam, \$4; L. L. Jacobs 243.89 \$3.90; I. J. Phipps, \$3.50; George Mer riman, \$2.85; G. F. Merriman, \$2.45.

Water and Lighting Street Fund.

P. J. Wiggins, \$8,75; J. Welch, \$5 B. M. Collins, \$55; L. L. Jacobs, \$11.24;
 F. H. Farrar, \$100; Sc. C. Higinbotham, which must be added the face value and accrued interest on the outstanding \$1.40; T. J. Morgan, \$29,50; B. A. bonds, aggregating \$76,333.34, making Boone, \$15; G. C. Cook, \$7.50; W. S. Crank, \$68; R. W. White, \$57.85; C. During the past year, in addition to the ordinary running expenses of the city and the payment of interest, there have been expended \$5237.50 in pay Ake, \$2.50; T. B. Ball, \$77.50; W. H. mont of a judgment against the city, coop, \$72.75; W. A. Patton, \$55,50; and \$3244.23 in payment for the city's soptic tank, or a total of nearly \$8500 of unusual expenses, all incurred prior to the administration of the present council.

Ale, \$2.50; T. B. Bail, \$77.50; W. II. Coop, \$72.75; W. A. Patton, \$55,50; oe Smith, \$29.25; William Vincent, \$63; Spilliam Vincent, \$63; B. A. Boon, \$12.37; B. A. Boon, \$12.37; B. A. Boon, \$12.37; B. A. Boon, \$2.50; Iowa Lambor Co., \$139.95; Medford Purniture Co., \$139.55; Medford Purniture Co., \$12.50; Largeon County bank ture Co., \$1.95; Jackson County bank, During the ensuing year there should \$13; J. A. Smith, \$24.60; Medford Sash During the ensuing year there should be realized from taxes and all other sources, outside of bond sales, approximately the following amounts:

| R. W. Gray, \$7.50; H. S. Bramble, \$1.50; R. W. Gray, \$7.50; S. Warner, \$3.67; George Merriman, \$24.77; Smith & Installation of officers of the Wood-City tax, 4 mills. \$7,500.00 Malony, \$19.75; Deuel & Kutner, \$1.97; Hubbard Bros., \$22.30; Medford Iron General sewer tax, 2 mills. \$3,750.90 Works, \$21.96; Iowa Lumber Co., \$20.65; Scott & Doris, \$120; Nichalson Lumbers Medical Sash WOODMEN OF THE WORLD INSTALL NEW OFFICERS Installation of officers of the Woodmen of the World took place last night at the new lodge hall in the Angle block. The installation was preceded by the state of the Wood Street lighting tax, \$1.20 mill. \$20.65; Scott & Doris, \$120; Nichalson Lumbers (A. 2008) Woodmen of the World took place last night at the new lodge hall in the Angle block. The installation was preceded by the state of the Wood Malony, \$10.65; Scott & Doris, \$120; Nichalson Lumbers (A. 2008) Woodmen of the World took place last night at the new lodge hall in the Angle block. The installation was preceded by the state of the Wood Malony, \$10.65; Scott & Doris, \$120; Nichalson Lumbers (A. 2008) Woodmen of the World took place last night at the new lodge hall in the Angle block. The installation was preceded by the state of the World took place last night at the new lodge hall in the Angle block. The installation was preceded by the state of the World took place last night at the new lodge hall in the Angle block. The installation was preceded by the place of the World took place last night at the new lodge hall in the Angle block. The installation was preceded by the place of the World took place last night at the new lodge hall in the Angle block. The installation was preceded by the place of the World took place last night at the new lodge hall in the Angle block. General sewer tax, sumil. 950.00 \$20.65; Scott & Dolls, Street lighting tax, \$\frac{1}{2}\$ mill. 950.00 \$20.65; Scott & Dolls, Street and road tax, 3 mills. 5,700.00 Hardware Co., \$20.83; H. E. Beyden, \$26.89; Wood Lumber Co., \$60.08; P. E. Martin, 50c.

General Fund.

Oregon Granite Co., \$25; Iowa Lum 1,000.00 ber Co., \$4.30; J. A. McIntosh, \$26.27; (icorge Merriman, \$20; L. L. Jacobs, \$16,18; A. S. Moyer, \$630; A. S. Moyer, This amount should be sufficient to \$1000; H. E. Boyden, 65 cents; Nicholcover all the contemplated improve son Hardware Co., \$2.65; A. S. Moyer, ments, in addition to the running ex \$997.75; H. Withington, \$20; Joseph penses of the city, excepting, of course, Scott, \$50; C. W. Lomin, \$75; E. A. the larger improvements, for which bond issues are contemplated.

Scott, \$50; C. W. Lomin, \$75; E. A. Mann, \$60; B. M. Collins, \$20; W. J. Prudenberg, \$65; Medford Publishing Prudenberg, \$65; Medford Publishing Co., \$56.88; W. H. Colvig, \$15.

Miscellaneous Funds.

be the paramount issue until disposed cebs, \$2.14; Medford Book Store, \$5.90 Eads, #2; Wood Lumber Co. \$15.24; L. L. ncobs, 99 cents.

The Sign of Salety WHAT IS IT? Watch the Daily Tribune

CANDIDATES FILE THEIR

From Race for Council=-Who Aspirants For Office are.

All chance for aspirants for city of fices closed last night and only those who filed petitions have a chance to get into trouble. Harry Angle has evident ly abandoned his efforts to elect a new mayor, so that he may again be chief of police, for no effort has been made to invoke the aid of courts to mandamus ouncil or recorder, and Medford has nissed some more advertising by not having two mayors to fight over the

The Socialists have a full ticked non nated, but no other political organiza tion has. The fight for place in the city council is principally a personal af-fair between the various contestants, personality and popularity of the candidates being the determining fac-

Councilmanic Candidates.

In the first ward the candidates to be voted upon are J. H. Fitzgerald, the Big Chief" of the Redmen, who is nanager of the Rogue River Electrical Construction company, and F. E. Merrick, the well-known orchardist, John H. Simmons is the Socialist candidate. In the second ward, Dr. Louis Bundy.

the well-known and popular dentist, has been induced to make the run, J. E. Barkdull retiring in his favor. H. G. Wortman, the butcher, and J. W. Wilon, the Socialist, are his opponents. In the third ward, Councilman W. W. Eifert will make the race at the in stance of friends. F. A. Bliss and Er nest Walters, Socialist, will be his op-

For Other Offices.

Benjamin M. Collins, incumbent, has only one opponent for the job of re-corder—Perry Stewart, Socialist, and the chances favor Collina' election. For ity treasurer, there is not much doubt that Lee L. Jacobs will again count the ity's cash. John A. Smith, Socialist, is his opponent.

JAPAN IS TOO BUSY TO THINK OF FIGHTING

PARIS, Jan. 8.-The Echo de Paris today prints an interview emanating from an "authorized Japanese source" with the object of showing that Japan has so absorbed the maintainence of Asia that war with America is impos sible. The entire attention of Japan occupied with China and Corean developments. China has just dismissed a number of Japanese instructors and replaced them with Germans. The Manchurian situation is full of complica-tions, China demanding the immediate integral application of the treaty of Portsmouth, which would deprive Japan of the possibility of exercising an effi

WOODMEN OF THE WORLD

men of the World took place last night at the new lodge hall in the Angle block. The installation was preceded by William Conchar; G. of W., Charles attended. Following the ceremonies came refreshments, consisting of coffee, doughnuts and cake, which were uch enjoyed by all present. The new officers are: L. E. Heover,

C. C.; J. H. Atwell, A. L.; Maultby, es-sort; Perry Stewart, watchman; A. S. Wells, manager, and W. B. Jackson, elerk of the camp. Mr. Jackson has nany times and is an efficient officer.

BANKERS RIDICULE

SAN · FRANCISCO, Jan. 8,-James Dalzell Brown, general manager, and noon. Walter J. Bartnett, vice-president, and James Treadwell, director of the Cali-fornia Safe Pepesit & Trust company, TOBACCO were arraigned before Judge Dunne of indictments charging embezzlement in bank. The judge declared he would not It was devoted Jargely to watering reguilty and throw themselves on the malefactors and two specific recommen port and Bartnett declared his innocence of wrongdoing.

port it to be full committee.

"THERE WITH THE GOODS."



Ed R. Van Dyke, the concientious and able manager of J. G. Van Dyke & Co, a Dry Goods Store, one of the oldest and most favorably known hadness

ON EXCURSION

Special Train to Jacksonville Tonight -== Officers Installed.

Weatonka tribe of Red Men go on a spe gial exeursion to Jacksonville this (Wednesday) evening, to help install new officers in Oregon Poenhontan tribe No. 1. The train leaves at 7:30 P. M. sharp.

of the Pocahontas tribe.

The installation of officers of the Wentonka tribe of Red Men took place Saturday evening, and was followed by supper. Chief J. H. Fitzgerald had harge of the installation ceremonies, as sisted by Great Officers F. E. Martin, Gr. San.; Joseph Conkey, prophet; O. M. Selsby, Gr. Sn. Sag.; J. C. Jones, Gr. Jr. Sag.; G. A. Jackson, Gr. C. of R.; W. B. Juckson, G. K. of W.

The new officers installed are: H. A. Fredenberg, sachem; J. E. Fan gle, Sr. Sag.; S. I. Brown, Jr. Sag.; C. R. McClintock, prophet; L. L. Jacobs, C. of R.; W. M. Kennedy, K. of W.; first San., P. C. Bigham; second San., P. E. Martin; first War, O. R. Meiss uer; second War, Charles Caldwell; force the trial of the case strictly an War Paul Vincent | fourth War S. F. Rawlings; first brave, Ralph Al-Boardman; G. of F., J. C. Jenes.

PUTNAM LIBEL TRIAL SCHEDULED FOR THURSDAY

The trial of G. Putnam, editor of th Tribune, for libel, is scheduled to begin at 9 o'clock Thursday morning at Jack somelile. On account of the delay in been re-elected to the office of clerk trial an account of the illness of one of the jurer's family, the trial may be de layed until later in the day or Friday STORY OF CONFESSION on Tuesday afternoon, when illness was adjourned until Wednesday after

connection with making leans to them first message of Governor Willson to selves while officials of the wrecked the general assembly was read today. permit further delay in the trial of the inviesaness that had deaccused bankers. The story published reloyed since the fabacso war, peron that Brown and Bartnett would plead panied by vigorous denunciation of the Patterson, D. B. Rice, forwards.

Strang, B. C. Coebran, forwards.

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four men, excaped.

EXPERTS MUST AGAIN TESTIFY

Thaw Defense Springs Surprise == Subpoena Alienists.

NEW YORK, Jan. 8.—The defense in & first surprise of the second trial to-day in announcing that it had issued abpornas for several of the expert wiicesses who testified for the prosess on at the first trial a year ago, when Judge Hanna is Dist Dep. G. S. District Attorney Jerome applied for neurable form of instally. These sums what he was about when White. This move is intended by the stand, and is taken by some as showing the determination that Thuy shall not be convicted even with the danger or opportunity for any buly desirons of the danger of opportunity for any buly desirons of the danger of the danger of full and complete business. se convicted even with the danger of thying in the asylum for the craniual manerat Mattawan, as the alternative Only two tentative juries were secured.

BASKETBALL GAME IS WON BY MEDPORD

The victors were guther unfortunate

foldwing the context coded the eye 2 Co. Should the contestant winning aring's exceptioners. The game was well one of these certificates, or any one anadosted and the gentlemanty spirit of her family, contemplate the purvision by the visiting players was warnity commented. The fine-up:

Medford—F. L. Strang, senter: S. E. any instrument handled by the firm of Rothwell, B. H. Plybindile, guardet; P. Hale & Co.

Strang, B. C. Cochran forwards.

All the above prizes will be given

GUILTY TO CHARGES

nied by both. Brown ridiculed the report and Bartnett declared his innocence of wrongleing.

BOBBERS CRACK SAFE

Currency Bill Favored.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—The house and currency and committee on banking and currency worked the safe in the state bank of the National State bank of the Natio January & O

\$2500 IN PRIZES GIVEN AWAY TO THE LADIES OF SOUTHERN OREGON

Greatest of Voting Contests Inaugurated by Southern Oregonian and Tribune --- Enter Your Name or That of a Friend as a Candidate to Win the Beautiful Automobile.

Jackson county by this paper. This contact promises to eclipse anything of kind over held in Southern Oregon. Just a word as to what this contest for, as one might say this is one of o "comething for nothing" ideas se that all may know them as the lead-ing exponents of the new Oregon fam-lly papers that print all the news all

By this way of advertising, ladies re-siding in Southern Oregon will be ben-ofited to the extent of \$2590.00 in prizes, and these are just what any

prizes, and these for his wind any lady would be glad and willing to put forch great efforts to secure. Care has been taken by the manage-ment in securing these prizes that they may not only be valuable and useful, but appropriate as well.

Grand Capital Prize.

First, as a grand capital prize, is the 1908 Reo automobile. It has been decided, after much study on the part of the management, that the Reo is the best unchine that can be put on so a grand capital prize, it being especially upted no conditions in this section of

The Ree condstor combines speed style, atrength, endurance and economy to a degree that makes it one of the remost automobiles. The Rec selected one of the 1968 models, a two-cylin-" horseparter, four passenger ear and is handled by the firm of Elmhurs Walker of this city

Grand Prize Number Two.

The second grand prize in the Trib-uno's contest is a building lot in the benefitful Queen Anne Addition to the of Medford. The lot, with a value of \$350.00, runs to a twelve foot alley and is within five minutes, wall

Queen Anne Addition is one of the choicest subdivisions for cottage homes in Jackson county, the soil is a rich has an anothermeted view of the sur rounding country. This lot is a prize well worth having

estment, although a bountiful location

continual calls for ladies to fill post mer of 1906, and this would fure the simulation of 1906, and this would fure the following following the following fol sings are the next valuable of the many prime to be asturded, in that they are

Gold Watches as Prizes. The watches that will be awarded to five fortunate ladies are indeed valu-

Pinno Certificates.

ath had rested in the Simons case at times, but the result was accept in death, as our layer outdinesed the Y awarded a pione certificate, carrying a death, as our layer outdinesed the Y value of silvo, on, and sourt fjourned until Wednesday after

Quite a number of friends account planes of any piane are following the context ended the every late of silvo, on, and which will up ply on the purchase of any piane are following the context, ended the every late of the well-known firm of Hale.

ERN OREGONIAN, to the laties se-coring the largest number of votes in e this grand pri

How to Secure Votes.

For instance, any one who pays for Medford friends during the week, . . .

Today formal announcement is made this paper for one year is given 3000 of the Medford Tribune and Southern votes, if a new subscriber, and 4500 Oregonian's groud prize cantest, the votes if an old subscriber, and this most extraordinary offer ever made by a newspaper in Medford. Prizes to the lady they desire. The full schedule of ount of \$2500.00 will be awarded to votes will be found on another page of ambitious and energetic ladies of this paper.

Nomination Coupon.

In the announcement on another page of this issue will be found a nomina-tion blank good for 25 votes. This coupon will count for twenty-five votes only when propoperly filled out and The object of the Tribmic and Southern Cregonian is to advertise themselves and to be introduced into new homes, we that all may know them as the lead we that all may know them as the lead in the control of the contr for payment in arrears or in advance, and whether old or new subscriptions, although a new subscription will count

Enter Your Name Early.

Enter your name and your friends will do the rest-you will never know who your real friends are until you have entered a contest of this kind. Possibly you may think of a friend who will want only a little encourage ment. Enter her name by means of the nomination blank, which will give her twenty five votes. Other friends will see her name and before long your choice will be in the lead. Do some ne this favor.

That every one may fully understand who is eligible to enter this contest, it may be stated that there is no age limit, there is no objection to married ladies entering this contest—in fact, there is gerat curiosity on the part of the management as to whether married r unmarried ladies are the most ener-etic. This question will have to be ceided by the readers.

Publication of Names.

The first list of the candidates who will take active part in this great offer will appear in this paper on Saturday, January 11, and every issue thereafter till the close of the contest, with the number of votes recorded by the lady or whom they have been polled, so that hase who have taken an interest in the ontest doings will have a full idea of low their favorite is progressing from day to day.
The only way to secure votes is by

abscribing to the Medford Daily Tribne or the Southern Oregoniau, somi weekly, or by clipping the coupon from he papers. Every cent must represent a subscription. No employe of this pa-per or member of the employe's family can participate in this contest. Candilates are not confined to securing voter subscriptions secured any where in the wide world. Active vot-ing will begin in this great \$2500 con-test Monday morning, January 13, the first coupon with the names of candidates being entered up to January 11, being published next week.

As it is not too early to let your friends know that you are going to be a candidate the minutes the contes starts, it would not be a bad idea to get all the promises of subscriptions possible before the opening day. There only for today or tomorrow, but are so many liberal prizes offered that nearly every one who enters the race will be sure of a splendid feward. See your friends, announce your candidacy among them and fill out a nomination The builtothold game pulyed here had two particles of the period, they are each and every little tween Medford high school able prized. They are each and every each and the Young Men's Improve one equipped with the well-forward only over the period of six short weeks, and close of Ashiand, resulted in the Wilthian movement, stem wind and set, you are not eligible to enter the with the well-forward only over the period of six short weeks. A good start will work wonders. If you are not eligible to enter the period of six short weeks. enter the name of your wife, sister, mother, friend or sweetheart, as the use may be, in this contest. She may

See Full Page Ad. Full details of this great offer, giv-

awarded in each district, appears on mother page of this issue. After having read this over, see the

head contest manager at his office, over the Medford National bank, and if you, est, come up and get acquainted and state what you desire to know.

ager cell receive prompt attention.

The next time that you are down-town drop into this department and let

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