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**THE WATER PROBLEM.**

A majority of the citizens of Medford have the fullest confidence in the special water committee of the city council and in its judgment.  
The committee examined all available water supplies and did not take snap judgment in choosing Wason Canyon Springs. A thorough investigation was made.

It will be at least a year before the pipeline can be built. In the meantime the quantity of water available can be determined when the flow is lowest in August.

About the quality of Wason Canyon Springs there is no question. Chemical analysis shows it superior to any other water near Medford.

If the quantity is not sufficient, there is plenty of water in the Little Butte that can be secured.

It will be months yet before anything is done. In the meantime the city is amply protected by a guarantee bond. No engineer is going to stake his reputation by building a water system where there is no water.

The Tribune has loyally supported the water committee at every stage and will continue its support. It printed the other side, as it prints all sides of all questions, so that the people may know all sides of this question and helpfully discuss it.

**PROTECTING THE SALMON.**

There are two fishing bills before the people to be voted upon in June, one favored by the Astoria fishermen and the other by the upriver fishermen.

The Astoria bill would stop all fishing on the upper river, under pretense that fish wheels cause the annual falling off in the run of salmon. This is absurd, for probably 95 per cent of the salmon are caught in nets in the lower river, and only an extended closed season and rigid regulation of all kinds of gear—gill nets, traps, seines and wheels will prevent the total extinction of salmon.

There seems no limit to the greed of Astoria fishermen. They would deliberately destroy the industry in the future for present gain, and can always be found impeding needed remedial legislation.

Initiative bill 318, favored by upriver river interests, comes nearer solving the problem than any measure yet introduced. It is favored by the United States bureau of fisheries and by the new master fish warden, and provides real protection for the salmon by extending the closed season and regulating all kinds of fish-taking gear.

**PHOENIX PHACTS.**

Ex-Sheriff Joe Bader and wife of Eagle Point spent Friday here at the picnic.

Rev. R. L. Morton of Stayton, Or., arrived here today. Mr. Morton says he will probably locate here.

Rev. W. C. Renter of Medford spoke here Friday evening at the Presbyterian church. The subject was prohibition.

Say, Mr. Geo. Putnam, I don't see why you don't get a correspondent from Taban. Talent ought to talk. I nominate George Gardner, being that I live close.

**MEDFORD DEFEATS PHOENIX IN ELEVEN-INNING GAME**

Medford's new baseball team started out in their class Sunday and defeated Phoenix in a well played game, 6 to 5. Medford started off like an easy winner, two hits placing two men on bases and Miles following with a home run, making three, and that ended the scoring. Phoenix duplicated this stunt in their inning and the remaining ten innings was by far the best ball played in the valley this year.

Phoenix is a surprise and has got a good bunch of players. The home team is developing new ones every day and by a little support will soon be putting up as good ball as was played here last season.

Those same teams will play here next Sunday.

**MRS. C. M. DELIN REPRESENTS MEDFORD AT ROSE CARNIVAL**

Mrs. Charles M. Delin has been selected as the young lady to represent Medford at the Portland rose festival as the guest of the Pacific Monthly.

The trip will include a two days' stay on the Pacific coast at Seaside, Or., an excursion on the Clatsop river as well as participation in the carnival festivities and excursions in and about Portland. All the expense of maintenance and transportation will be borne by the Pacific Monthly.

**LADIES OF ST. ANN SOCIETY TO GIVE BENEFIT DANCE**

The ladies of St. Ann society will give a benefit dance at the Medford Opera House Tuesday evening, May 12. Music will be furnished by the Hazel rigg orchestra and elaborate refreshments served throughout the evening. The grand march will begin at 9 o'clock. Admission \$1 per couple.

**NOTICE**

Notice is hereby given that the undesignated will apply at the regular monthly meeting of the city council of Medford, Oregon, May 5, 1908, for a license to sell malt, vinous and spirituous liquors in less quantities than one gallon, at Lot 7, Block 21, in Medford, Oregon, for a period of six months.

**DEMOCRATIC HEADQUARTERS IN PORTLAND ARE OPENED**

At a meeting of the democratic state central committee held Saturday at Portland the apportionment of the delegates to the state convention of June 9 was fixed. By this apportionment there will be 113 delegates to the state convention. The apportionment was determined upon the basis of the vote given Governor Chamberlain at the election of 1906. One delegate was allowed for every 250 votes or major fraction cast for the governor.

Headquarters have been opened by the democratic state and county central committees in the Merchants Trust building at the corner of Sixth and Washington streets, rooms 303, 304 and 305, having been secured for the use of the committee. In this headquarters State Chairman Swock and County Chairman George H. Thomas have taken up their official abode and will be found there until after the June election. The apportionment of the delegates to the state convention as figured out by the state central committee for the different counties is as follows:

Baker 10, Benton 4, Clackamas 11, Clatsop 6, Columbia 4, Coos 5, Crook 4, Curry 2, Douglas 9, Gilliam 3, Grant 4, Harney 3, Jackson 7, Josephine 4, Klamath 3, Lake 2, Lane 11, Lincoln 5, Linn 11, Malheur 4, Marion 13, Morrow 3, Multnomah 38, Polk 6, Sherman 2, Tillamook 2, Umatilla 8, Union 7, Wasco 4, Wasco 7, Washington 7, Wheeler 2, Yamhill 7.

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