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### EUGENE AND THE WATER PROBLEM.

Medford is not the only city that is struggling with the water problem. Eugene is in the same boat, but making far less progress.

Three years ago Eugene voted \$300,000 bonds for a water system. The city has just acquired the old city distributing system, paying a goodly sum to escape private ownership. The council has now authorized the issue of the remaining \$160,000 bonds to begin work on a gravity system, which it is feared may cost \$500,000, and then not prove adequate.

The Eugene Register comments as follows upon the water situation:

"Members of the council, headed by the mayor, are determined to give us a gravity system with Ritehey creek as the source of supply, regardless of cost or adaptability of the source of supply and without giving the taxpayers the privilege of saying whether or not the Ritehey creek proposition is satisfactory to them.

"The idea of a city like Eugene taking its water supply from a little stream like Ritehey creek in the foothills, that gathers its waters from the seepage of the hills, is not over two miles long, and varies in supply with the seasons, from a little over a million gallons to about five millions of gallons, and has been known to be practically dry; a stream whose watershed cannot be controlled by the city unless all the hundreds of millions of feet of timber within the confines of the watershed are bought and paid for by the city at a good stiff price in order to prevent contamination from logging, campers, stock and other methods of filth production. Eugene better a thousand times drink filtered water direct from the Willamette than to risk such an uncertain supply at Ritehey creek, or any other of the little mountain branches tributary thereto."

This has a familiar ring, and sounds like street talk about Wasson canyon. But Medford has the choice of several sources, and while the people of Eugene are squabbling over the project as they have for three years, Medford will have its system actually constructed.

### THE BOOTH ACQUITTAL.

Everyone who has followed the land fraud trials was prepared for the acquittal of the Booths on the charge of conspiracy. They were indicted on well grounded suspicion, as many others were, in the hope that indictments would scare confessions and that a free use of the immunity bath would further cinch the case against them. Had speedy trials followed, convictions might also have been secured, but the government permitted it to end, as probably all other land cases now pending will end, in a fizzle.

That the government has "cold feet" in the land fraud prosecutions has long been evident. If not, why was Heney, who conducted the prosecutions and knew all the evidence, pulled off? Why was Bristol, who was familiar with the indictments and drew up many of them, removed? Why was Burns, who unearthed the swindles, transferred? And why was Neuhausen, who has had charge of gathering evidence discharged? Why have funds to conduct trials been withheld for years, prosecutors changed, and evidence scattered, except with the ulterior motive of acquitting those accused?

Those who secured favors by betraying their fellows are losing their jobs, even in Medford, and the reign of the immunity bath is over.

### What Papers Say

#### NEWSPAPER ADVERTISING.

(Baltimore American.)

Last year the bureau of navigation spent \$50,000 in advertising to get recruits for the navy. Before repeating the experiment this year an investigation of results was made. As a consequence the bureau will hereafter spend most of its money in the newspapers.

In swinging back to the newspaper, general advertising is merely doing what it has always done. Both in this country and in Europe the big advertisers have tried every means of publicity after all their expensive experiments. The newspaper with a home circulation is the one sure publicity reliance. Nothing takes its place. It is the universal medium. Every member

of the family uses it, not once a week or once a month, but daily. Even the magazines get their circulation by advertising in the newspapers. The news papers have been so kind as to give them thousands of dollars' worth of free notices, and they have shown their gratitude by the grossest abuse and misrepresentation of the newspapers and by assuming a holier-than-thou attitude that makes them rather absurd. But we have no quarrel with them. Things come out all right in the end, and the general advertisers are finding that fine stationery and a solicitor's eloquence do not provide an audience. So the men who pay for the advertising are going into the newspapers, where they will get what they pay for—the attention of intelligent people who read and buy.

P. L. Tom Velle has completed his cottage two miles south of Medford and has as cozy a home as any orchardist in the land.

## WHY RIDDER IS FOR BRYAN

### Editor States He has no Confidence in Republican Tariff Revision.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., August 4.—Herman Ridder, editor of the New York Staats Zeitung, who is in this city on a tour of the Pacific coast, gives his reason for pledging his support to William J. Bryan after having vainly tried to dissuade the latter from running in opposition to Governor Johnson of Minnesota for the Democratic nomination, as follows: "The Republicans have admitted that the tariff needs reforming, but I have no confidence in the sincerity of the party to reform it. We can hope for nothing from the group of leaders in congress headed by Speaker Cannon, Dabzel of Pennsylvania and Payne of New York. Believing that Bryan will be more effective than a Republican president in meeting this situation, I will do my best to elect him, although I was opposed to his nomination, because of his financial ties. I did not regard him as the most available candidate."

"Since Bryan has been nominated I shall support him vigorously and will take the stump for him in September." "I do not believe that the new Independence party, of which W. R. Hearst is the inspiration will cut any important figure in the election. Hearst's practically disappeared as a political factor when he was defeated for the governorship of New York in an election in which every other important nominee of the party which he was then identified was successful."

### FINE WATER PLANT FOR CATHOLIC SCHOOL

All the advantages of the most up-to-date city water system, installed anywhere at a nominal cost, which operates automatically, at a mere fractional cost of operation, is what may be rightfully claimed for the Burton water plant, such as has just been put in the new Catholic school by Howes & Co. of Portland.

The city pressure was not great enough to put water in the third story of the new building, and it was this fact that first caused the Sisters to look about to secure a private plant of their own. The system they adopted is pronounced by experts to be the finest domestic water system in existence. It secures the three essentials of a good water supply—plenty of water, absolute purity and really adequate fire protection. These advantages are obtained at a low first cost, the very minimum expense of operation, and absolutely no care, as the entire system works automatically.

The plant has a capacity of 500 gallons an hour. It is estimated, however, that no more than 2000 gallons a day will be used at the new school. In addition to the usual plumbing, two 2-inch pipes are run from the basement to the top of the building, fitted with fire hose on every floor and providing the very best fire protection obtainable.

In an exhibition test yesterday afternoon, at which the architect, engineer and Mr. E. E. Howes, member of the Portland firm who installed the system, the hose on the third floor was turned on and it threw a powerful two-inch stream over 150 feet out of the window, continuing for more than 15 minutes without the slightest apparent diminution in the pressure. At this time the pressure on the 1000-gallon iron tank in the basement was but 60 pounds, and its capacity is 100 pounds.

One of the beauties of this system is its simplicity. A tank, located in the basement, as in this case, or under ground, or anywhere else, filled with air, is the primary feature of the plant. An electric pump forces the water from the well into the tank. The pump works automatically. When the pressure reaches 60 pounds it stops. After enough water has been used to lower the pressure to 32 the pump starts up again without anything being done to it.

The pressure on the city mains here is about 30 pounds. The constant pressure under the Burton system is about 60 pounds. To equal its full capacity, 100 pounds pressure, by an elevated tank system, it would be necessary to raise the tank 432 feet in the air, a practicable impossibility.

The air in the tank lasts for months without being exhausted. It gradually goes out with the water, but there is a little attachment by which the supply is speedily replenished.

This air pressure serves the further purpose of always keeping the water very cool. The whole system is air tight, and there is no place from the well to the faucet where dirt or germs can get in.

Many of the Burton systems have been in use for years, and never wear out or need repairing. They are installed in all sizes from 150 gallons to 25,000 gallons. The plant here can be duplicated at a cost of about \$800.

At Regents park at Tacoma, there are two tanks with a total capacity of 28,000 gallons, which have been in perfect operation for several years, supplying more than 1500 people with water.

All who have seen the plant here are enthusiastic over its merits, and several are contemplating installing them. Everyone should make a point to see the one at the Catholic school and those who desire further information will have it cheerfully supplied by writing to Howes & Co., 310 Telford building, Portland, Or.

## Why Should You Eat

inferior meats when you can have the best for the same money by buying here? We sell better meats, and keep them in our cold storage plant, which makes them better yet.

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### Medford Time Table

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Northbound		
No. 16 Oregon Express	6:24 p. m.	
No. 14 Portland Express	9:49 a. m.	
Southbound		
No. 15 California Express	10:35 a. m.	
No. 13 San Francisco Exp.	3:29 p. m.	
No. 225 From Grants Pass	9:15 p. m.	
No. 225 For Ashland	10:15 p. m.	
PACIFIC & EASTERN RAILWAY		
No. 1 Leaves Medford	8:10 a. m.	
No. 3 Leaves Medford	2:50 p. m.	
No. 2 Arrives Medford	10:28 a. m.	
No. 4 Arrives Medford	5:08 p. m.	
ROGUE RIVER VALLEY RAILWAY		
No. 2 Leaves Medford	10:45 a. m.	
No. 4 Leaves Medford	5:35 p. m.	
Motor Leaves Medford	2:00 p. m.	
Motor Leaves Medford	9:00 p. m.	
No. 1 Leaves Jacksonville	9:00 a. m.	
No. 3 Leaves Jacksonville	3:30 p. m.	
Motor Leaves Jacksonville	1:30 p. m.	
Motor Leaves Jacksonville	7:30 p. m.	
MAIL CLOSERS		
Eagle Point	A. M. P. M.	
Northbound	7:20 2:00	
Southbound	9:19 4:54	
Northbound	10:05 2:50	
Southbound	10:20 5:20	

## LOW RATES EAST

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St. Paul	69.90	81.75
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Tickets will be on sale June 19, 20, July 6, 7, 22, 23, August 6, 7, 21, 22.

Good for return in 90 days with stopover privileges at pleasure within limits.

### REMEMBER THE DATES

For any further information call on

A. S. ROSENBAUM, Local Agent, or write to WM. M. MURRAY, General Passenger Agent, Portland, Oregon.

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MEDFORD, ORE.

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SURPLUS.....10,000

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Transfer of Lien	MISCELLANEOUS:	Chattel Mortgage
Power of Attorney	Bill of Sale	Acknowledgment
Mechanic's Lien	Liquor License Forms	Confession of Judgment
Water Right	Notice to Trespassers	Covers for Blanks
	Creditor's Claim	
	Against Estate	
FOR RENT, FOR SALE, FURNISHED ROOMS, ETC. (on cardhead).		
Place Location	MINING	Water Right
Bond for Deed	Quartz Location	Contract to Sell
Mine's Lien	Oregon and U. S. Forms	Proof of Labor
	Deed	
Summons	JUSTICE OF PEACE	Attachment
Execution	Civil and Criminal Subpoena	Underlying and Affidavit Attachment
Judgment Transcript	Garnishment	Commitment for Fine
Commitment for Trial	Cost Bill	Jury Order
Search Warrant	Notice to Jurors	Warrant for Arrest
	Civil Complaint	
	PROBATE	
	Petitions for Letters of Administration, Administrator's, Executor's and Guardian's Bonds and Deeds; Order Setting Apart Property Exempt from Execution; Order Confirming Sale of Real and Personal Property; Citation; Commission to Appraisers; Letters of Administration; Inventory and Appraisal; Proof of Will; Letters Testamentary.	
Attachment	CIRCUIT COURT	Summons
Grand Jury Subpoena	Undertaking and Affidavit for Attachment	Cost Bill
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