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TO ASSURE SECURITY.

A certain bank advertises: "This is a safe bank, the United States treasury deposits with it."

The bank in question is a safe bank, as all other local banks are, but it is not made safe by treasury deposits, though the government is made safe before a deposit is made. Interest-bearing securities must be deposited with the United States treasury before the treasury trusts any of its money with a bank.

Government and state require guarantee before depositing; why not give the humble citizen a guarantee also that his savings will be safe?

"Guaranteed deposits" means that the savings of the masses shall be secured so that when men and women deposit their hard earned money in banking institutions they need not worry for fear it will be lost. This has been accomplished in Oklahoma by a small tax upon deposits, which provides a fund out of which the shortages of failed banks are paid.

The democratic national platform says: "We pledge ourselves to legislation by which the national banks shall be required to establish a guaranty fund for the prompt payment of the depositors of any insolvent national bank, under an equitable system which shall be available to all state banking institutions wishing to use it."

Mr. Taft is openly hostile to all guaranty systems, but the small depositors are as much entitled to protection as the nation is. A bank guaranty plan, such as that suggested by Bryan, works for the benefit of both banks and depositors. During forty years the average annual loss to depositors in national banks has been less than one-tenth of one per cent of the deposits, and think of the suffering such a light tax would save ,and the feeling of security it would provide both banker and depositor.

TIME FOR ACTION IS NOW.

The rains of the past week have swept out the racks placed across the Rogue below Grants Pass by the United State fish bureau, allowing the fish to ascend the stream. Most of them are, however, effectually prevented from ascending the stream by the faulty fishways over the dams.

A visit to the dams will convince the most skeptical. In one fish ladder the fish can get half way up, and there they are blocked in a solid mass. In another they can't find the fishway; it is the one up the channel and has but little water coming through. In the third fishway there are other faults as glaring.

Enough can be seen at a glance to show that in low water the fishways are almost useless. Now is the time for the fish warden to act, as inaction will force the people to take matters into their own hands to seek a remedy in order to prevent the destruction of angling on the Rogue.

THE WATER PROPOSITIONS.

The cost of the water propositions before the people is as follows: Rogue River, pipe and pumping plant (per ty and the prosecuting attorney asked manting to bid) \$107.800. Eigh Lake dirah pumping that the case be dismissed. contractor's bid) \$197,800; Fish Lake ditch, pipeline, \$154,100; Big Butte Springs, flume and pipe, \$262,410 without a license. The case was dis (flume \$110,000, pipeline, reservoir, etc, per contractor's bid \$152,410).

If a pumping plant is chosen, it will be the Ray proposition and mean a saving in initial expenditure of from \$50,000 to \$65,000.

If a gravity system, the choice is between Fish Lake ditch water, 245 inches in quantity delivered to the city for \$154,100, or 300 inches of Big Butte Springs water for \$262,410, both within the amount of money available. In ease the latter proposition is accepted, it means the establishment of a large mill with a payroll of \$150,000 a year upwards.

JAMAICA SUFFERERS

SECURING INSURANCE

KINGSTON, Jamaica, Oct. 17.-The

on policies held by residents of this

cided that the fire which swept King-sten on January 14 was caused by the carthquake, but preceded it. The deci-

sion practically overrules the earth

The action of the court means that

gunke chuse.

Dated October 10.

ATTEMPT TO ESCAPE JAIL PRUSTRATED BY JAILER

OAKLAND, Cal., Oct. 17,-A womasame into a cell in the county jail because in the cell police increases were destroyed in the fire that the cells and the local police precoded the earthquake of inst January. The saw blades are of hard steel and arg. or iten bars. They were found in the cell last night by Juillar Charles Charles after the removal of Gulinio Carmini, who had been sentenced to San Quentin for robbery. The woman was a fra-quent visitor to the jail, and it is suspected by the police that she sminggled the saws in to him, possibly to aid both he and the Claudianes brothers to escape. The Claudianes are availing trial on charges of dynamiting the home of former Supervisor James L. Gallagher of San Francisco, who is a principal will apply at the next meeting of the witness in the Graft trials.

will applied at the next meeting of the esty council of Medford, Oregon, for license to sell malt, vinous and spirit-"Yakima Best," the Pillsbury of the west. Miller & Ewbank. 182

Medfo-d Tribune, 50e per menth.

To the Editor: I have read with in-terest the Medford Gothenburg asso-ciation's proposal of handling the sa-loous in our city and think it high time that our honorable mayor and city council did a little thinking of their own, and not allow any kind of a proposition or proposal offered by every Tom, Dick and Harry whoever every Tom, Dick and Harry whoever sees fit to present one pertaining to any deal to pass through their hands and over their signatures without giv ng it more thought and carry it out as i business deal on business basis, as if they were interested in it both finan cially and personally.

COMMUNICATIONS.

To the Editor: I have read with in

This signing up with any company or orporation to sell for a term of years verything the city has is all bosh, and he sooner more brains are instilled into our city council the better off the city will be in every shape and form,

Salons can be handled in our city and by our city and made to pay a good revenue without the aid of any company or corporation, and I beg to give herewith my idea of handling the situation of that kind.

First-Have the city conneil pass at ordinance limiting the saloons, bars family liquor stores or agencies of any ind to one for every 1000 inhabitants. The granting of a license must cover

for 1000 inhabitants thereof, and no license allowed or issued for any part of 1000 whatever. For example, if Medford has 5800 people she would be entitled to five saloons and the bal nnee of 800 would be carried over until Medford reached a population of 6000, and nothing less, and then another license could or can be issued to cover

On the first day of any month, as decided by the council, of year, they advertise for bids for the sale of the censes for a period of one year, mak ing the minimum amout \$1000, with the council's option of raising this min-

num as it sees fit. Council having full authority to re jeet any or all bids submited and readvertise for more. One party may hid for one or more licenses as it sees fit, council could accept the same or eject it in case the same was for the this part that has been rejected.

This would bring to the city the first ear, taking the same on the minimum mount for five saloons, \$5000, which the same amount the Medford Gothnburg association offers. The next year it will bring more rev

nue, and so on each year, and the cud f the ten years Medford will receive from this source alone at least half gain as much as the Medford Gother ourg association offers.

Why, then, tie up with them? Also include in this ordinance pass ed by the council that each license is issued only on the basis tha each one receiving the same must keep at all times the windows free from obstructions, so that a paserby may look from one end of the room to the other and to partitions of any kind to cut off

This would force them to conduc the same in an orderly manner and allow everyone to see in them just as they do now in dry goods and grocery stores of our city.

There are also many other minor mat ers to be included that could be added is wanted at the time, and these points arry with them more detail that it is necessary to explain herewith.

I think the above explains itself-fully enough to show that the deaoffered by this Medford Gothenburg ciation is rotten to the core.

Let our council get busy and use the thinking powers that their mothers gave

A. DAILY READER.

MANY CASES DISPOSED
OF IN JOSEPHINE COURT

The following is the result of the fall term of the circuit court in Joephine county:

State vs. Costain-Indictment for as

State vs. A. J. Kinney-Indicted for nissed by the proscenting attorney. State vs. B. A. Williamson—Indicted

on the charge of assault. The defend-ant pleaded guilty and was fined \$75 and costs, which he paid. State vs. R. A. Davis-Indicted for

elling liquor in a prohibition county othout a license. Tried by jury and ound guilty. Fined \$50 and costs. State vs. Claud Barden-Indieted for shing within 600 feet of a dam. Disissed by thep rescenting attorney. Ella Buell vs. Wellington H. Buell

onfirmation. Winnie Findlay vs. W. D. Findlay ivorce granted.

Samuel Anderson vs. E. G. Lee and F. Lee et al.—Mandate from the preme court affirming the finding of bower court.

Alex Watts and Minerva Topping vs. M. Spencer et al.—Mandate from the prome court affirming the finding of

Eliz. A. Rigby vs. Milo E. Rigbyaree granted. Ella Walker vs. J. J. Walker-Di-

ree granted State vs. Coburn and Hawkins-Disissed by the prosecuting attorney. State vs. Ray Ellis—Dismissed by the cuting attorney.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the unersigned will apply at the next reguar meeting of the city council, Medord, Oregon, Tuesday, November 3, fo bleense to sell malt, vinous and spirit one liquors in less quantities than on gallon, for six months at let 7, block 21, in Medford, Or., for a period of ix months.

Batel October 19: MURPHY & DOWNING.

cus liquors in less quantities than one gallen, for six months, at lot 10, bleck office.

20, in Medford, Oregon, for a period dozen, of six months. BASS & HALE, that "No Shooting" signs at Tribune office. Price 5 cents each, 50 cents a "Hilue Stem" flour is made from blue stem wheat. It is the best. 195

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ATTENTION, K. OF P.

There will be work in the first rank Monday night. All members requested to be present.

RESOLUTION.

Be L Resolved, by the City Council of the City of Medford, the Mayor approving, that special elections be and they are hereby ordered to be held in said city on the 5th day of November, 1908, and the 7th day of November 1908, between the hours of 8 o'clock n. m. and 5 o'clock p. m. of each of said days, for the purpose of sabmitting certain propositions for furnishing the city with water to the qualified elect ors of said city, as provided in the resolution this day adopted by the City

council submitting said propositions.

The following are hereby designated s the polling places and judges and lerks of said election: First Ward—Polling place Room 3,

second floor, Hutchinson & Lumsden building on 7th street. Judge, George A. Jackson; judge and clerk, F. M. Jordan; judge and clerk, J. W. Ling. Second Waris—Polling place, Emerick building, on d'Anjou street. Judge, V. J. Emerick; judge and clerk H. H. Har. J. Emerick; judge and clerk, H. H. Harvey; judge and clerk, William Ulrich Third Ward—Polling place, City Hall

Judge, G. L. Schermerhorn; judge and cierk, F. M. Stewart; judge and cierk J. L. Demuns.

The foregoing resolution was adopted by the City Council October 16, 1908 Trowbridge voting aye, Merrick aye Vortman ave, Eifert absent, Hafer ave

Approved October 16, 1908. BENJ. J. TROWBRIDGE, Attest: Acting BENJ, J. COLLINS, Recorder.

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