

WATER SYSTEM MAINLINE INSTALLATION COMPLETED

A major portion of the Town's Water System Improvement Project was accomplished last month. The mainline water pipes, from the Town's reservoirs to every neighborhood in Butte Falls are in the ground. The next step is to connect the new mainline system to the reservoirs, charge it with water, and inspect for leaks. And, as a part of the process, the new pipes will be flushed clean and then sterilized. After the mainline proves sound, installation of service connection for individual water users will begin.

A few good words deserve to be said about the people who are doing the work of making the new town water system a reality. It has not been a piece of cake project for them. Winter in Butte Falls has been...*WINTER!* Rain, snow, cold, and mud, *lots of mud!* Wet feet, cold bodies, and dripping noses go with the job. The Burl Brim Company construction workers rate a hearty thumbs-up and a nod of appreciation. And, Town Public Works Director, Tom Hayes for his daily on-site presence alongside construction workers, and Jack Hayes, both of whom have spent lots of time in the trenches, literally. Tom and Jack also rate a thumbs-up and a nod. Wintertime construction is a tough go for all involved. Thanks also needs to go to all the town folk for their tolerance and patience over against temporary water service interruptions and all that MUD!

ODDS AND ENDS

The Cub Scout tree pickup after Christmas, with the help of town trucks, was sweet. The kids earned a bunch of dollars to support their group and pay for project expenses. Thanks for supporting.

And YES, YES, YES, all the cutup streets will be paved, sidewalks repaired, town rights-of-way adjacent to residences graveled or seeded. All that stuff! Not to worry!

As already mentioned, the new water system is going to be connected to the reservoirs. That means the town, the whole town, will be without water for up to four hours! Plans are to make the connect on a Friday when school is not in session. So, keep an eye open to notices posted at City Hall, grocery store, gas station, post office, Totem Pole, R-N-R, etc. Thanks for your patience.

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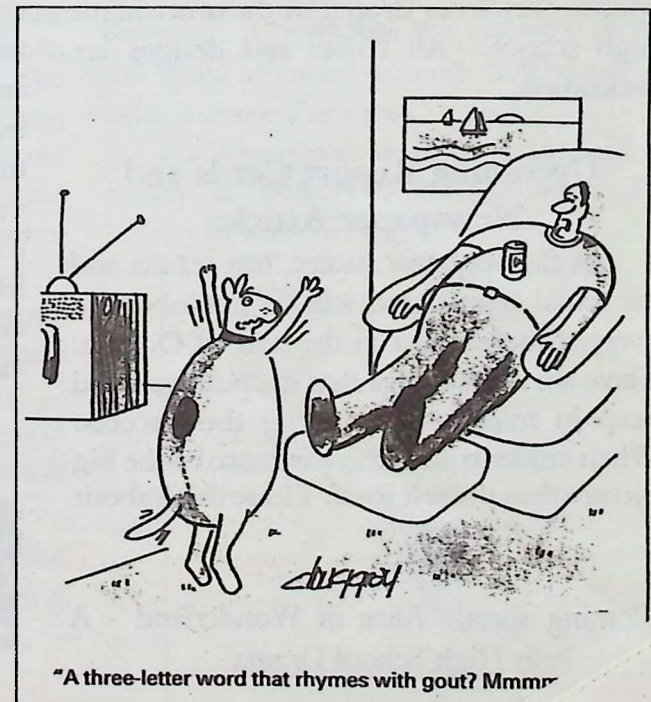
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