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OREGON CITY, ORE., THURSDAY, NOV. 6, 1913.

## A CHEMIST SAYS WATER IS NECTAR

#### REALLY APPEARS IN EARNEST

Some comments and evidence—Editor)

Chemical Laboratory and Office
Portland, Oct. 30.

To the Editor:—
Permit me to call your attention to an article in your issue of Oct. 23rd under the heading "Why?" knowing that the writer of that article was absolutely ignorant of the facts, and fearing that the article might escape the notice and correcting pen of the managing editor, I ask for space in your valuable paper to correct and censure the author for attempting to discredit the fair name of Oregon City and its water supply. I have analyzed and its water supply. I have analyzed is splendid.

It on trust, but right here at home we want to assure you are postmarked wrong, you are a false prophet.

Many a home in Oregon City would no sooner drink unboiled water than they would arsenic. Any number of the business places and offices have supplies of Bull Run from Portland, or boiled water.

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We are not discrediting Oregon City and its water system has already done that. We are trying to get it back on a credit basis—trying to ge and its water supply. I have analyzed many samples of the water which has passed through your filtering plant, and Oregon City is to be congratulated on the purity of its filtered water. You have some wells however, whose water is foul with sewage, and when water is foul with sewage, and when the city of the congratulated or the purity of its filtered water. You have some wells however, whose water is foul with sewage, and when the city of the congratulation of the city of the congratulation of the city o

this water is used to wash milk cans, bottles, etc., or used to dilute the milk, typhoid fever will follow in its wake. The Jewell Filter, which you are using in Oregon City, has been subjected to exhaustive tests in American and the control of t

#### L. Victoria Hampton.

as we would with Jonathan Bourne, yet we must tell this chemist and assayer that she is simply crocheting as we will meet the simply crocheting by many at about 300 a state law, and every county in Oregon will now have its attorney and the district attorney and his deputies sayer that she is simply crocheting doilies, that she is a stranger to her subject, and that as to facts she is leaving large things to be desired.

The article she refers to did not "es-

cape the notice and correcting pen of the managing editor, from the fact he wrote it himself. The author of "Why" and the managing editor are the whole works when it comes to fourth page comments, and nothing escapes.

Now L. Victoria Hampton, M. D.,

we will try to be as sweet spoken as an Your letter is even now being laugh-

ed at, and if you will permit the advice, don't try to defend our poisonous water, for it is poison, has been ous water, for it is poison, has been proven such, and we all know it.

L. Victoria Hampton, M. D., will you read the following, and having

read it, let it seep in for a few years? State Board of Health Dr. H. S. Mount, Oregon City-Analysis of the water sent by you

to this laboratory showed the following results. Water from reservoir, contained 100

Calvin S. White,

State Health Officer.
Did you kow that this analysis was
made during the typhoid fever epidemic last year? Is our city still "to be congratulated

on the purity of its water?"

Every spoonful of the water in the reservoir is filtered water. It is the overflow of the supply that is pumped through the filters. And will L. Vic-toria Hampton, M. D., kindly inform an anxious public how the colon bac-illi POSITIVE got into that reservoir. Do you think it sneaked through when the filter wasn't looking?

And while you are explaining, you might also take care of this one: State Board of Health, Portland, Dec. 13.

Miss Christiana Scheubel:—
Analysis of the water sent by you to this laboratory showed that it contained 35 organisms per c.c. and colon

Isn't Dr. White an expert?

And we would further state the water above analyzed was taken from a faucet in the home of Representative Chris. Scheubel, who lay for weeks in a Portland hospital, danger-

city made a personal canvas of the most of the homes where there was typhoid, and found that nearly all of them drank city water—did not use private wells.

Can you get away with this fact?
And for fear that we haven't yet quite convinced you that our filtering system does not take the state cess

turned home after visiting with relatives at Four Lakes, Washington, at the boy called for the driver to stop, to which he paid no attention, is ensystem does not take the state cess

Vancouver.

Oregon City Woolen Mills system does not take the state cess Vancouver.

stream and convert it into pure and sparkling nectar, we will pass you

The city council in official session caused to be published a general warning to the people NOT to drink the city water (passed through a Jewell filter) until it had been boiled.

milk, typhoid fever will follow in its wake. The Jewell Filter, which you are using in Oregon City, has been subjected to exhaustive tests in America, at Cairo and at Alexandria and it has always won the approval of its examiners. Your water supply is underconstant control and supervision, bacteriological and chemical tests are frequently made, and in this way, the health of the city is safe-guarded. But water is not by any means the only vehicle by which the seeds of contagious diseases are conveyed; a vitiated from a particular dairy may be responsible for an epidemic where only a small portion of the community is afflicted. The recent epidemic of typhoid fever in Oregon City was, as you know not due to the city water, as all the experts who examined the water will water which was being used.

Respectfully yours, L. Victoria Hampton. one and one-third fare with stop-over privileges for the round trip, the train leaving Oregon City at 9:22 and re-

> mated that 10,000 people will gather for the contest. The battle between The result of this makes Gilbert L. the two institutions promises to be the greatest football clash ever staged in the state, and rivilary between the

> > NEW JURY LIST-

Thirty One Men Who Will Constitute Trial and Grand Jury

Following is the new list of trial undertaker in telling you that your following is the new list of trial letter is beautifully ridiculous, you and grand jurors drawn from this dont know what your'e writing about; county, who will serve after Novem-you dispute the state board of health, ber 4. From this list seven names will the Oregon City Council and the school be drawn who will constitute the grand jury. F. E. Fish, Hubbard, farmer.

John Burgoyne, New Era, farmer. A. Proctor, Sandy, lumberman. Fred Matthies, Oregon City, far-

N. A. Rodlun, Gresham, farmer.
W. F. Bickner, Oswego, merchant.
M. E. Dunn, Oregon City, merchant.
V. Bohlander, Oregon City, farmer.
H. E. Melvin, Barlow, retired. E. S. Womer, Estacada, newspaper-

A. McConnell, Aurora, farmer. Chas. Kelley, Oregon City, clerk. Gilbert Jonsrud, Boring, millman. H. M. Robbins Oregon City, farmer. Grant Parker, Milwaukie, farmer. H. S Sallisbury, Gladstone, plumber. Frank S. Davidson, Oswego, farmer.

Gust Englebrecht, Oregon City, dairyman. Frank Talbert, Clackamas, farmer.

Fred Lins, George, farmer. John Stormer, Springwater, farmer. Looking Forward. The following was written to the Oregonian as being 25 years from now, and it will be appreciated up the

one of the early deeds the grantor failed to dot the "!" in his name. As soon as the necessary affidavit can be had to the effect that the grantor was never known to dot the "i", and this document forwarded to Washington for approval and then returned to the local engineer for his approval, it is nossible that the government will take ously ill with typhoid.

And as a little more proof, we would state that Rev. W. T. Milliken of this member that when these locks were

Miss Jean White of this city has re-

#### OREGON CITY DRY BY 188 MAJORITY

Ridiculous

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Any amount of further proof, if you still think we are subjects for congratulation. Or have you had sufficient?

You say this same filter is delivering the goods at Cairo and Alexandria. As Egypt is a little too far away to readers, and following it we submit some comments and evidence—Editor)

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\$100,000.

And this week private parties are commencing the erection of a post-office building here, under a five year renting contract with the government.

Mr. Hawly is just too late.

He has introduced bills before for such a purpose, but they all appear to have gone into pigeon holes or the discard.

discard. Postoffice inspectors have repeated-

COUNTY ATTORNEY HEDGES

The writer i sa lady, hence we cannot put on the gloves and go after her leaving Oregon City at 9:22 and returning, leaving Albany at about 6:00 on the county attorney bill leaves it

Hedges of this city the attorney for this county, as he was appointed by Governor West for the position sev-

eral months ago.

Mr. Hedges is splendidly qualified for the position. He has had practical experience in the work. He knows

There are a number of men who are deserving of all kinds of credit for the results of Tuesday's local option election, business men, professional men, ministers and others, who have for

cense cause. There are too many to give individual credit to . But the Courier wants to single out one man for a little richly earned bo-

class.

S. MacDonald is certainly some worker and fighter. They say a Scott doesn't know when he is licked. MacDonald knows he ISN'T licked.

At the head of the real hard night and day, never-get-tired workers, this man workers are selected and other Eastern cities to be used at the woolen manufacturing plants. There will be 15 carloads in all and at the present time Mr. Gregory has street and along Water street into the city.

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cause his heart is there. He is a the Courier next week. foe to booze and one of the hardest fighters John Barleycorn ever went

Pretty Well Agreed The Courier and the voters of Clackamas county agreed pretty well on the

several propositions put up to the people Tuesday—differing only on one measure, the county library. Calvin S. White,
State Health Officer
Now aren't you sorry you said it?
Are you still positive the typhoid epidemic was "not due to the city water, as all the experts who examined it will testify?"

In white an expert?

In ow, and it will be appreciated up the valley.

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Wanted! WOMEN

(over 18 years of age)

To operate SEWING Machines in garment factory

By the decisive majority of 188 Ore- Ward No. 2—gon City was put into the "dry" col- For license ell filter) until it had been boiled.

Will L. Victoria explain WHY it should be necessary to boil it, if it was so pure and safe?

AND OREGON CITY SHOULD BE And here's another while we are at it.

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Of the county measures the Gary salary increase bill was beaten, by about 1,000 votes, and the county li-

Majority wet ...... 57 of the state were strong in favor of majorities.

Made In Oregon.

E. F. Guenther of Schubel brought a quince to this office last week that of the fact that Walter Hichman was could almost be mistaken for a pumpkin. It measures 16 3-4 inches around and weighed 1 3-4 pounds.

Will Test the Oust, The ousted water commissioners still refuse to be ousted, and now the matter will be taken to the circuit court to determine whether the oust shall or shall no stick.

To Abolish Senate
State Grange Master C. E. Spence
has started initiative petitions for the
abolishment of the state senate. The proposition is very plain and stands alone. It simply provides that the sen-ate be abolished. This will go to the people at next fall's election.

Clackamas Against the State.

Excepting Multnomah county, which was the largest county in Oregon, Clackamas county beat the state in number of registrations. This is explained by the fact that the women, Linn, Lane, Benton and Washington.

The Courier believes the credit for the County Medical Association, in reputting Oregon City in the dry column should be given to the women, for without their votes it would have remained wet.

While representations in regard to the modus operandi of the County Medical Association, in regard to the appointment of health of-ficer in this county.

See if you can find the doctor's answers anywhere.

Tax Levy 8½ Mills
The city council Wednesday night tions—and there is a calm.
Example 1 a few other little miscellan tions—and there is a calm.
But on the grounds that 8 mills for general purposes and 1/2 mill for library support. The assess-ments for the damages to Mrs. Chase property, condemned for elevator pur-

oses, and the ordinance was passed. Old Officers Re-elected Ogle mine stockholders held a most enthusiastic and harmonious meeting at Knapp's hall Monday, when the old officers were re-elected for another

Two months ago G. R. H. Miller moved from Promonade Avenue to Washington Street, and broke a record

ministers and others, who have for and old time Indian fighter, and he days neglected their business and worked early and late for the no lican equal.

> Franchise Matters Next Wednesday Next Wednesday night the matter of granting a franchise to Mr. Carver load was in Europe, and several more for the Portland & Oregon City rail- will follow, while other shipments will

Frank S. Davidson, Oswego, farmer.

W. F. Young, Sherwood, farmer.

E. J. Daulton, Oregon City, mill supt.

H. M. Crissell, Aurora, farmer.

S. P. Davis, Oregon City, abstractor.

J. E Marquam, Marquam, merchant.

J. A. Richey, Boring, farmer.

H. D. Say, Sherwood, farmer.

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Mat the head of day, never-get-tired workers, this man was certainly a power in bring-ting about Tuesday's results in the different wards in this city. Almost Bull Run proposition to the council meeting Wednesday night, but owing to other matters laid over until Friday in this city, when making his home in this city, when making his home in this city, when making his home in this city, when making his other committee, presented his report on the different wards in this city. Almost Bull Run proposition to the council meeting Wednesday night, but owing to other matters laid over until Friday night, when a special meeting has been called. As this report has been with it and carrying with him a Scotch waited for with considerable interest, no doubt there will be a large attendance.

Mr. MacDonald is in the work because his heart is there. He is a cause his heart is there. He is a constitution of the council meeting has been called. As this report has been with it and carrying with him a Scotch waited for with considerable interest, no doubt there will be a large attendance.

The report will be printed in the Courier next week.

Usual Weekly Fight
The city council met for its weekly scrap Wednesday night, and there was

large crowd present.
Tooze and Holman put on the preliminary on which no decision was given, and then Albright went to Tooze to finish him. But he is still in the ring.

The scraps were over personal mat-ters of the members, and the session was edifying, entertaining and adver-

No Fault of Montgomery Alexander, 10 year old son of Gus-tave Hein of Clackamas Heights, was run over by John Montgomery's express wagon Tuesday, but was not seriously hurt.

Those who saw the accident state
Mr. Montgomery was in no way responsible for it and could not have

and Girls

of age)

G Machines

prevented it.

The boy was riding his wheel on the track ahead of his dray, when his wheel ran into the groove by the rail and he was thrown. The express wagon was close behind, and was onto the boy before Mr. Montgomery re-alized what had happened. Spectators

no 2140.

One of the prohibition surprises was that of Salem, which went dry by al-most 500. Springfield, Hillsboro, Woodburn, Wallowa, Dufur, Florence, Ranier, Stayton, Sherwood, Harris-burg, Gresham, and six precincts in

or in New York, downed the Tammany man by 115,000.

Hood River recalled the county judge and two commissioners by large

elected democratic governors.

selling strawberries in this city.
Tuesday he verified it by bringing to this office as handsome a box of large, fully ripe berries as are grown in summer.

He says he has quite a quantity of the fruit that is ripening daily, with plenty of green berries and blossoms,

Eight Counties Unite

and if frosts do not kill them he will be able to pick them up to Christmas

At a meeting held in Albany, Thursday, at which representatives from eight counties in the Willamette Valley were present, it was decided to pool the exhibits of the eight Willamette Valley counties in making the exhibit at the Panama Exposition at San Francisco. While each county will

Pass It Up, Doctor

Last week the Courier invited Dr. Schultze to answer several questions

compelled to give evidence to convict himself we withdraw the questions.

You need not answer, Doctor. BOY, 18, KILLED BY TROLLEY

Train Carried him Past Station then Backed Down on Him A deplorable accident occurred at Jennings Lodge Tuesday night, when

al experience in the work. He knows it, and the Courier knows he will make fully good and Clackamas county will have a prosecuting attorney to start work the middle of next the young man left the car and started to walk back to the station. He did the work of the young man left the car and started to walk back to the station. He did the station will be "on the job."

The yanide plant is nearly completed and it is expected they will be ready to startly killed.

The story is that when it stopped their first doils.

This is perhaps the most significant the young man left the car and started the young man left the car and started the young man left the sisters have ever received, it coming as it does, from these young settled in the Barlow section last spring and while he was satisfied was struck, knocked down, and three cars passed over him. His head was terribly mangled. Coroner Wilson brought the body to the Myers & Hol-

man undertaking rooms here. An Unusual Crop George H. Gregory, who is well known throughout the United States the only teasel grower, made his first shipment of teasels on Tuesday of this week. The destination of the car one than to a note refrest searched by a control of granting a franchise to Mr. Carver the "prominent" or perhaps even the "well-known" but certain it is he will well-known" but certain it is he will road will come before the council for hereafter be entitled to the latter action.

at the club rooms in the Masonic building, had a narrow escape from death Wednesday. Mr. McCarver had previously been engaged in conversa-tion with John Risley at the entrance way and walked over to the entrance Workmens' compensation, yes 3570, no 2140.
Gary salary increase, yes 2187, no 3053.
County library, yes 2458, no 2920.
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The leaving of the door of the ele-vator open was the act of some care-Mitchell, fusion candidate for mayor in New York, downed the Tambarany man by 115,000.

Massachusetts and New Jersey elected democratic governors.

Massachusetts and New Jersey the elevator during the day.

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Sermons on Socialism

The pastor of the Congregational \$12,000, the contractor has the foun-church believes that there is a wide spread interest in the question of So-

The last Sunday evening of November may be devoted to some other side of the subject, which emerges as the series proceeds. A cordial invitation is extended to all interested to be

present. The meeting begins at 7:30 P. M.

Eastern Stars Have Fine Time The Order of Eastern Star held a most enjoyable Hallowe'en party at the Masonic hall Wednesday evening. The room where the social was held was gaily decorated with miniature black cats, witches and bats in keeping of the day. Many games were en-joyed during the evening that caused much merriment. Miss Florence White was awarded a cut glass dish in the was awarded a cut glass dish in the pumpkin carrying contest and Raymond Caufield won the gentleman's prize, a gold necktie holder. In the pumpkin seed counting contest Mrs. Charles Spencer and E. H. Cooper were awarded the prizes, which were delicious pumpkin pies. There were about 80 attending, and it was one of the most enjoyable affairs held by the Order.

Mrs. John F. Clark was chairman of while many men have worked hard

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Tuesday's result, it took the women vote to turn the scales.

Tax Levy 8½ Mils

Thanks from Baby Home

The children of the St. Agnes Baby Home at Parkplace are the delighted paying for street work and what the recipients of a substantial gift of same work can be produced for unclothing, their thanks are due to Lo- der efficient management will be givuise Sheehan, Mary and Veronica Mc- en in the next issue. Millan, pupils of the McLoughlin Institute of Oregon City, who personally trained a number of grade children in a series of tableaux. With the pro-Shelby Shaver, aged 18, a graduate from the high school here, was run over by a backing trolley car and in-

> girls, who possess so early in life the capacity for helping others. The Sisters are deeply grateful for the donation which came at a most opportune time as the supply of stockings and clothing for so large a num-

ber is never adequate.

Income Property Exchange for Farm We have the following property to exchange for farm property of equal

4 good houses and more than 8 lots of 50x100 each with 3 acres adjoining that can be cut into lots. These houses are all occupied and will bring a rental of \$35.00 per. month. They are well situated, having a sightly outlook and located on a car line close to a fine school. Their water supply is from a large spring that is absolutely pure. Come and look at our property. You will find it a water supply in the control of the will find it a water supply in the control of the will find it a water supply in that neighborhood, and the immense size and high quality which could be attained, and besides this he liked the timense size and high quality which could be attained, and besides this he liked the timense size and high quality which could be attained, and besides this he liked the value.

With an enthusiasm born of the

will find it a snap.
Dillman & Howland. Opposite Court House in Weinhard

this line of industry and is the only this line of industry and is the only man in Clackamas county who has been engaged in growing of the plant. Other farmers residing near Molalla have attempted to follow his industry or haven't you had enough?

George McCarver has Bad Fall and STAATS SHOWS THE WEAK SPOTS

No. 24

BLAME FOR WASTES

#### CITY MANAGER THE REMEDY

Will Show Extravagances and Waste in Following Letters

is somehing wrong somewhere.

The city is tied up with a contract to build an elevator at a cost of \$12,000, the contractor has the foun-

no place to land at the top.

Preparatios are under way to take spread interest in the question of Socialism. At the last meeting of the Brotherhood the discussion ranged around this subject and a dseire to understand the subject more thoroughly was very evident. Consequently Mr. Edwards proposes to speak for three Sunday evenings beginning Nov. 9 on the following subjects:

Nov. 9.—"What is Socialism?": Nov. 16—"Socialism and Character;" Nov. 23—"Socialism and Christianity."

The last Sunday evening of November may be devoted to save other. bers of the firm in each others' in-tegrity, and, the confidence of the

public in the managers of the busi-Every business man, every professional man, every thinking man and woman in Oregon City knows that it is impossible for any set of men to get together one or two hours a week and carry on the amount of business this city does and get even moderatey good results, to say nothing of get-ting the best that can be had for the

ting the best that can be had for the money expended.

It is not so much the fault of our Councilmen, it is the system itself that makes good results impossible. Before me lies a copy of the bid of the contractor for the improvements of Fourth Street.

of Fourth Street. It is illuminating. It is illuminating.

Three years ago the "Live Wires" held a meeting with the County Court and the Road Supervisors of the county, and the Live Wires insisted that we were not getting results thru out the county, and very strongly intimated that he road supervisors were not "onto their job."

Yet the figures show that the

not "onto their job."
Yet the figures show that the County Court for the past three years has built the country roads, where they have had to haul crushed rock and gravel two to three miles, for a thousand dollars a mile less than Oregon City is paying for the same am-

An itemized account of what we are

J. O. Staats.

WHAT ADVERTISING DID (By H. T. Melvin.) The value of advertising through fairs has been demonstrated to a fin-

spring and while he was satisfied with the hesults of his own farming, he did not realize the wonderful fer tility of the surrounding country. Mr. Melvin who has been instrumental for years in making the Barlow exhibit at the county fair a success, invited Mr. Hayes to visit the fair. When the new comer saw the wonderfully fine exhibit which had been ollected and placed by the Barlow Improvement Club, which comprised every variety of fruit, vegetables, grafns, grasses, and fancy articles, canned fruits and vegetables, and pastry from the kitch-ens of the famous cooks of Barlow, he realized for the first time the diver-sity of crops which could be produced in that neighborhood, and the immense

With an enthusiasm born of the great things he had seen, Mr. Hayes wrote to his friends back in Oklaho-ma and as a result five families have Miss Eva Dye, of this city, was in ortland on business, Tuesday.

located in Barlow. These people are all prosperous, well-to-do farmers, and are delighted with the prospects of settling in the Barlow section.

The matter of electing city council-men should now be given attention.



### A NEW IDEA IN SHOE MAKING Sealed Sole Shoes for Men

THEY PROTECT THE FEET AGAINST COLD

AND WET.

Damp feet are a menace to health Sealed Sole Shoes are constructed with a pure gum rubber interlining across the soles and extending one

inch above the welt. Your feet will be DRY in all Kinds of weather WITHOUT RUBBERS Sealed Sole Shoes are worn and recommended by leading physicians. WE SHOW A DOZEN STYLES

Bannon

MASONIC TEMPLE BLDG.

OREGON CITY, ORE.