

CITY WATER WORK TO COST \$500,000

Improvement Programme for
Year Is Outlined.

PLANS BEING PREPARED

Start on Work of Obtaining New
Conduit From Bull Run Is
Also Proposed.

Plans for improvements to the Portland water system, estimated to cost in excess of \$500,000, are being prepared under the direction of Fred Randlett, chief engineer of the water bureau. In addition to these improvements, which it is planned to complete during the present year, Mr. Randlett contemplates obtaining authority to survey a right of way for a new conduit from Bull Run to Portland.

The principal proposed improvement will be the removal of the present steel standpipe in the Vernon district to St. Johns and the erection of a concrete or steel combination standpipe to replace the old Vernon storage tank.

The new standpipe will cost approximately \$150,000, according to tentative plans. No definite decision has yet been reached on the type of standpipe to be constructed, but within two weeks it is expected that this point will be settled and the council will be asked to authorize the awarding of contracts.

Pipe Already Purchased.
The water bureau has purchased 575 tons of cast-iron pipe to be installed in streets throughout the city which are to be hard-surfaced during the summer. It may be necessary to purchase additional pipe for this work, although this can not be ascertained until the complete paving programme has been decided upon.

Although Engineer Randlett does not expect to obtain authorization for the construction of the additional conduit this year, he is eager to have the preliminary work done so that his force may be ready to go forward with the work in 1921.

Under present conditions the two conduits which carry the water supply to Portland have a capacity which during the summer months leaves only a small reserve above the maximum water demand. For this reason, neither pipe line can be closed during the summer months for repairs. Anticipating further growth of the city, Mr. Randlett is certain that Portland must have the third conduit not later than five years hence.

Start of Work Is Urged.
Inasmuch as it is estimated that it will take two years to prepare plans and acquire the right of way, and another two years to construct the line, Engineer Randlett recommends the inauguration of the work this year.

Plans are also being made for a new headworks near the location of the present headworks, some 30 miles distant from Portland. The present headworks is said to be inadequate and it is probable that some move will be made next year to obtain authority to construct a new one. Under the direction of C. E. Oliver, assistant engineer, the work of making a permanent storage lake of Bull Run lake probably will be completed this summer. This work includes the construction of a huge dam and the filling in of places in the lake where, heretofore, the surplus water has seeped out.

All the field work in the water bureau to be accomplished this year will be in charge of Ben Morrow, assistant water engineer, who has resumed his position in the water bureau after more than two years' service overseas.

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2 cups sifted flour.
4 teaspoonfuls baking powder.
1 teaspoonful salt.
2 tablespoonfuls Vegetole.
¾ to 1 cup milk or ½ milk and ½ water.

Method: Mix and sift the dry ingredients, add vegetable, chop mixture until of a mealy consistency. Add milk gradually until a soft, spongy dough is formed. Turn onto a floured board, toss with a knife until whole surface is floured, pat lightly with a rolling pin until one-half inch thick. Cut out and bake immediately on a greased sheet in a quick oven, about twelve minutes.

Veribest Oil for
mayonnaise dressing

1 teaspoonful each mustard, salt and sugar.
Few grains cayenne pepper.
Yolks 2 eggs.
2 tablespoonfuls each vinegar and lemon juice.
1½ cup Veribest Oil.

Method: Mix dry ingredients, add egg yolks, and when well mixed, drop oil in drop at first. Stir constantly. As the mixture thickens, thin with vinegar or lemon juice. Add oil and acid alternately until all is used, beating constantly. All the ingredients should be kept cold while making this dressing. A good method to follow is to place bowl in which the dressing is being mixed in a pan of chopped ice.

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