DALY ASSERTS WATER METERS WOULD MAKE BIG SAVING MONTHLY MYSTERIOUS "BROTHER

Commissioner Says the Water Service at Present Is Not on Logical or Scientific Basis.

The city can save \$1000 a month by setering all water services, estimated Will H. Daly, commissioner of public tilities, this morning. The inspecting ree, he predicted, can be reduced from to 4 or 5. Benefits from the economy may be realized in bettered service and

The commissioner said that though majority, to date, do not approve the plan of paying for water quarterly in advance, but seem to prefer to pay by the month, he still sees a way out. It ould be through the passage of an enbling ordinance charging water service, not against the tenant, but against the property, and billing for the service quarterly, or even semi-annually, after the water had been used. He has asked the city attorney if such an ordinance when prepared would be in accord with charter. He has confidence that it

Water Supply Very Important,

The supply of water is fully as imto property as street improve-suggested Commissioner Daly. "Of especial importance is the con-tinuity of service. But there is no asturance or guarantee of continuity of the casual tenant who may move in this week and out

Commissioner Daly's attitude toward water meters is of considerable signifi-His estimate of economy netering the water supply confirms the ssition of The Journal on this same natter and virdicates the campaign ndertaken to have meters installed for

Without meters individual consumers have an opportunity, which the most rigid inspection cannot correct. of using more water than they pay for, har the reservoir may take from the mear the end of the line may not be able to get adequate supply no mathow generous the reservoir stor

May Require Bigger Mains.

In fact, without water meters, the problem of installing larger mains to carry water to a rapidly increasing pop-ulation is soon to assume serious proportions, according to the advice of

The decrease of inspection necessary with metered service would be caused rom the fact that inspectors now spend of their time trying to detect colators of rules and discovering leaks which property owners would them-elves take care of if a leak meant inreased service cost.

"Our water service is not on a logi-cal or scientific basis," explained Com-missioner Daly. "We cannot hope in give service with the greatest off: dency and smallest cost as conditions At the same time the problem is ot easy of solution."
There are about 50,000 individual wa.

OWNERS OF PROPERTY ARE TO BE ARRESTED

Warrants Issued Today for Several Violators of "Tin Plate" Ordinance.

Ten property owners are to be arrested upon complaints filed today in the municipal court, gharging failure to ob-serve the "tin plate" ordinance which provides that names of owners be dis-played on rooming and lodging houses. These complaints were filed this morn-ing by the city attorney's office. Warrants have been issued for the

Ballis, owners of property at 486 Flanders, 93½ and 95 North Thirteenth street; Mrs. Fannie Lowengart, of 529 rving street, whose property is at 20 and 31 North Park street and 350 Couch street; William Donovan, of 161 East Sixteenth street, whose property is at 25 North Ninth and 24 and 26 North Tenth street; Joseph M. Healy at southwest corner of Fifth and Morrison atreets; Sanderson Reed, at 387 Couch street; Stewart & Ferguson, whose property is at 408 and 416 Couch and 69 North Tenth streets; Mrs. Mary Gillette, of 194 Abernathy street, whose property is at 66 North Fourteenth and 493 Davis streets; Gustaf C. Cramer, with property at 454 Davis street, and L. E. Crouch and C. F. Howard, whose property is at 29 North Tenth street.

STORM DAMAGE IS BIG ON ATLANTIC: NO LOSS OF LIFE

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heavy loss of life at Oracoke, N. C., as a result of yesterday's torrential rains. Detailed accounts of the heroic work of the lifesaving crew at Oracoke in asmisting distressed vessels are given but no mention of any fatalities is made. A wireless mesage from Superintendent Kimball at the Hatteras station said:

The schooner George Wells is wrecked. It went to pieces three miles off North Hatteras inlet. Its crew of 20 was landed safely by lifesaving

"An unidentified English oil steamer. with only one mast standing is now visible 10 miles off ('ape Hatteras." Confirmation of the reported heavy loss of life at Oracoke had not been received at any of the government stations up to 11 o'clock this morning, and it was believed that if there had been to the stations word would have any fatalities word would have been received hours ago.

New York, Sept. 5.—Flooded from the vicinity of the Grand Central station to beyond Fiftieth street, the New York subway was put out of commission today by one of the neaviest rain-falls of the summer. It started to rain at 9 o'clock last night and continued

until early today.

The operation of subway trains was impossible, and thousands of persons arrived late at their work. All elevated trains were packed.

The rainfall during an hour and 15

minutes while the storm raged amounted to 2.72 inches. There was another 2.72 inches. There was another period of 18 minutes during which an lach of water fell.

Many Vessels Endangered. Washington, Sept. 6. - The revenue

cutter Seminole is engaged today in aiding distressed vessels off Diamond Shoals, according to wireless messages received at the navy department. Among the storm-endangered craft, it was said, is the four masted schooner Anna Hald-ritter, which lost its topmasts, broke its rudder and had two of its crew in-jured during last night's storm.

OF BROTHER-IN-LAW" GAVE WOMAN MONEY

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law," showed up and gave her between \$300 and \$500. In February of 1911, she said he made his unexpected appearance in Portland and gave her \$1700, and in June of 1912 conveniently arrived in the city and handed her another \$1000.

At no time, she declared under cross-examination, did he come when Dr. Howard was present, and in fact he Jid not register at any of the local hotels. He usually remained a short time between trains. She stated also that Dudamdor passer

Portland about three weeks ago and telephoned her. He also sent her a box of flowers. She said she could not remember the florist. At the time, she asserted, he said he was on route to Tasmania.

Following the action of the prosecution yesterday in introducing a copy of the marriage certificate, in which the name of her father was omitted an attempt was made to delve into Mrs. Howard's history prior to her marriage with Dr. Howard in Spokane in 1905. Witness Stung by Questions,

Stung by sharp and pointed questions, she said she had resided in New York. had later separated from her parents and since her marriage had not corre sponded with her people because they did not approve of the match.

In this connection and regard to

how and when she received money from Dudamdor, she was very evasive and the presecution had a hard time pinning ner down to anything definite.

This afternoon Mrs. Howard was

scheduled to take the stand again, and the prosecution intimated it would out a line of cross-examination in an effort to show that the money, which she testified Dudamdor so conveniently gave her was in reality given by Max Rieter, who at the time was making his home with the Howards and was a

patient of Dr. Howard. In this con-nection the plaintiffs charge that the Howards connived to secure Rieter's fortune and took advantage of his weal condition to work upon pursestrings.

In an effort to prove Rieter was in mentally to make a will on March 7, 1912, four days before his death, the defendants so acting and conspiring his letter asked the attorney general to defense put Dr. W. T. Williamson, a local expert on mental diseases, on the local expert on mental diseases, on the various times between May 1, 1911, and liew in this connection, if he found the state of Oregon investigating. The attorney general has expected investigating. The attorney general has expected investigating. In an effort to prove Rieter was fit said he had talked to Rieter on March ? just before he made his will and he

Under cross examination Dr. Williamalso admitted that he had recommended that Rieter be sent to a sanitarium, as

the man had suffered from delusions. In this connection the prosecution pointed out that Rieter in 1910 had jumped from a moving passenger train urer Kay paid the same, and that the at Prosser to escape imaginary enemies total sums so paid was \$16,518.83." and the injuries resulting brought him under Dr. Howard's care. Asked if such an action did not indicate insanity, Dr. Williamson replied "Yes." Noon recess was then taken.

CONVICTED OF STEALING ANOTHER MAN'S HORSE

(Special to The Journal.)

Prineville, Or., Sept. 5 .- John Mc. Pherson was last night convicted of stealing a horse from George Mellican, This was McPherson's second trial on the charge, the jury having disagreed

At the close of the trial last night Logan McPherson, brother of the de-fendant, attacked Mrs. Louise Tobin, who had been a witness for the state. McPherson was arrested.

John McPherson gave the sheriff forces of Oregon and northern Nevada a long chase before he was captured in the mountain fastnesses just over the Oregon line. He had the horse with

The defense contended that the animal was not Mellican's property.

Smith Heads Spanish Veterans. Buffalo, N. Y., Sept. 5 .- John Lewis

Smith of Washington was elected today commander-in-chief of the Spanish War veterans in convention here.

Journal Want Ads bring results.

ATTORNEY GENERAL FILES SUIT AGAINST OFFICIALS OF STATE

prove claims against the state of Oregon for services rendered and materials and supplies furnished, and land purchased at, and for the Oregon penitentiary, and to instruct the defendant, Secretary of son stated he found two gross adhesions on Rieter's brain following his death. He ment of said claims on the state treasment of said claims on the state treas-urer against the 'revolving fund.'"

Appropriation Exceeded. It is further alleged that "pursuant to said instructions said Olcott drew such warrants and the said State Treas-

The charge is then made that "said moneys, nor any part thereof, were ever appropriated from the state treasury by act or law of the state of Oregon; that the payment thereof was in addi-tion to and in excess of all moneys appropriated by law for the support, maintenance and any and every purpose of or connected with said Oregon state peni-tentiary for and during the time herein mentioned; and that all money appropriated for any purpose in connection with the said appropriation, and all the foregoing sums were distributed, disbursed and paid out as aforesaid without warrant or authority of law therefor and no appropriation whatever was ever made by the legislature of the state of Oregon, or otherwise, for any of the purposes for which said moneys were

"Pretended Authority."

"That said pretended claims against the state of Oregon so undertaken and pretended to be approved and allowed by said board were incurred by direction of said defendant, Oswald West, governor of the state of Oregon, acting in his capacity as trustee of said Oregon state penitentiary, pursuant to the pre-tended authority and agreement."

In this connection the history of the case shows that Governor West called the attention of the attorney general in a letter of May 7 last, to charges made in Portland papers that the pen-itentiary revolving fund had been misturned over to the state treasurer, be examined by everyone, according to

This charge was made as to the funds a ruling formulated by Corporation and earnings of the brick yard during Commissioner Watson, the period in 1911 mentioned in the This ruling is made for the benefit

Whatever the result of this suit may he it will be shown that the board fol-lowed the precedents and practices of investigating. The attorney general has not yet seen fit to cover the whole field, but if any one is sued all should be, if equity is to be done. This would require that additional suits be brought against the two preceding administra-tions. This would make the following

defendants: Defendants Numerous.

The Chamberlain administration, with Chamberlain as governor; Gatens. his private secretary; State Treasurer Moore and Secretary of State Steele; the Bow-erman administration with Bowerman as governor, Pat McArthur, private secre-tary. Benson (or his estate), as secretary of state, and Steele, as treasurer.

Governor West, speaking of the mat-ter some days ago, and before this suit was filed, suggested that if the whole bunch was sent to the penitentiary that he himself would like to get a job taking care of the chickens, that Olcott might run the hog ranch and Tom Kay the tailor shop. He also suggested that "Bill" Gatens and "Pat" McArthur could take the shingles off the roof of the foundry and—perhaps put a new roof on

The governor is not worrying, and at least thinks he can show a proper and beneficial use of the money. says any old day that he has no infunction or mandamus, or some kind of suit filed against him he feels that he is being neglected, and Tom Kay just goes on paying warrants.

Governor West had not been served with the papers up to 1 o'clock. He said he would have nothing to say until he had read the complaint.

BUSINESS AFFAIRS WILL NOT BE OPEN TO ALL

(Salem Bureau of The Journal.) Salem, Or., Sept. 5. - Preliminary

statements filed by corporations in or der to get a permit to do business in the not be regarded as public applied and that the earnings were not documents to the extent that they may

of a number of mercantile corporations. which do not sell stock, but which have come subject to the inspection of busi-

statement on the ground that if made a public document they could be ex amined by everyone, and their financial standing and business would bea small number of unissued shares on bess rivels. None, save those interest-hand, and therefore come technically ed in the corporations and those rep-under the Blue Sky law. resenting the state will be allowed to They objected to the filing of the examine them.







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Delicatessen Specials

Potato Salad, Saturday, pound 12¢ Manzanilla Olives at, the quart 27¢ Tillamook Cheese, special, lb. 18¢ Kippered Salmon, special, 1b. 17¢ Boiled Ham, special at, pound 37¢ Imported Swiss Cheese, pound 33¢ Sweet Pickles, special, the quart 26¢



Cafeteria Luncheon

Served From 11 A. M. to 7:30 P. M.

Noodle Soup, Sc. Casserole of Fish, 10c.

Corned Beef, 10c. Roast Leg of Pork, 15c. Bolled Mutton with Caper Same, 10c Potato, Tomato or Celery Salad, Sc. Boiled Cabbage, Creamed Turnips, Mashed Potatoes or Buttered Squash, 5c,

Sour Pickles, special at, quart 210 100 Dozen Men's \$2 Coat Shirts \$1.15 Each

A great Saturday sale of Men's handsome new Coat Style Shirts with pleated bosoms and cuffs attached. Made of splendid quality percales and madras cloths and shown in blue, black and lavender



stripes. Sizes 14 to 181/2. Regular \$2 values \$1.15 for Saturday, ea. \$1.15 Men's 4-in-Hands

Saturday for 49c 500 dozen men's new Four-in-Hand Neckties in up-to-date Fall styles and coloring. Flowing end and reversible. Hundreds of different patterns and all the plain colors. Regular 49c

Boys' \$6.50 School Suits \$5.00

100 new Fall Suits for school wear go on sale tomorrow. A splendid lot, Made from good all-wool fabrics, in double-breasted and Norfolk styles. Have full peg pants. Come in blue, Ages 6 to 17 years. Regular \$6.50 values, for \$5.00

Sale of Boys' Regular \$1 Knickerbockers for 69c

Boys' Knickerbocker Pants, well made of good material, cut full and 69c roomy. Reg. \$1 value, special Regular \$1.25 Boys' Pants, pair 95¢ Regular \$1.50 Boys' Pants at \$1.19



New Hats for Autumn Wear

A showing of many fetching styles in advance of our regular semi-annual exhibit. Newly arrived and of great beauty are these hats, featuring medium size hats of satin, velvet, plush and velour with soft. pliable crowns-quite the newest idea in millinery, and are most effective for tailored and semi-dress wear. Very reasonably priced, from \$5.00 upwards.

such as Azurea, Pompeian, De

Trefle and Safranor. Reg. 69c \$1 value. Priced, special at

95c Piver's Toilet Water at 69¢

Mary Garden Perfumery at \$1.85

"Djerkiss" Perfume at, oz. \$1.75

50c D. & R. Cold Cream, jar 37¢ 50c Williams' Matchl's C. Cr. 37¢

50c Palmolive Cream at, jar 45¢

\$1 Pompeian Massage Cream 75¢

50c Pompeian Massage Cre'm 37¢

ound bottle of Peroxide at 19¢

50c Eureka Family Liniment 27¢
10c Cotton Seed Oil at, bottle 7¢
25c Lister's Antiseptic Fluid 15¢
25c bottle of Rose Water at 12¢
25c bottle Spirits of Camphor 17¢

25c Eureka Diarrhoea Mixture 17¢

50c Blackberry Cordial, bot. 17¢

50c Eureka Sarsaparilla at 37¢ 50c Eureka Wh. Pine and Tar 27¢

bottle of Pure Castor Oil 19e

Pure Olive Oil, bottle 19¢

Jamaica Ginger at, bottle 17¢

Essence of Peppermint at 17¢



Special for Saturday

Black Velvet Untrimmed Hats, soft crowns, specially adapted for the young lady of 16 to 22 years-extra special \$1.49

\$3.50 to \$5 Corsets at \$2.98 Great Saturday sale of 500 Cor-

sets-a splendid assortment, including such well-known, popular brands as "Nemo," "American Lady" and "Mme. Lyra," in beautiful broches and durable coutils. Come in long hip, medium and high bust and are very tastefully trimmed. Have the full complement of hose supporters. Regular \$3.50 to \$5.00 values. See our window/display. For Saturday, while \$2.98 they last, choice at \$2.98



Girls'School Coats \$3.98-\$20



More than 300 new Fall Coats for girls of 6 to 14 years now ready for your choosing. Come in boucles, plush, cheviot, velvet, zibeline and fancy homespun material. \$20.00 All shades. Priced at \$3.98 to

\$4.00 School Dresses at \$1.98 \$1.75 Wash Dresses for 88c

A Clean-Up sale tomorrow of several odd lots of children's wool and galatea \$1.98 Dresses. Sizes 6 to 14. Vals. to \$4, at Choice of all percale and chambray Dresses, prettily trimmed garments, worth up to 88c \$1.75, to close tomorrow at, each,....

Children's 20c Hose 3 Pr. 50c

On the Main Floor, a great special sale of children's fast black seamless Hose, fine rib'd, with double heel and toe and double knee, good, durable, satisfactory hose. Sizes 50c 5 to 91/2. Tomorrow at, 3 pairs for 50c

\$2.50 Long Gloves \$1.85

Women's long white lambskin Gloves, 16-button length; fine, soft quality. All sizes. Values to \$2.50. Priced for Saturday at, the pair \$1.85 \$1.50 Short Lambskins at \$1.18 \$2.00 Mocha Gloves, pair \$1.19 Gloves cleaned at, per pair 10¢

"Portrait" Veils at \$1.98

The new "Portrait" or "Frame" Veils are here. Made of fine quality silk shadow mesh, in beautiful designs. Black, white: \$1.98 new shades. On sale at \$1.98 New Lace Veils, all colors, 75¢ up New Veilings, 25¢ to 65¢ yard

75c Neckwear for 50c

A splendid showing of Women's newest Neckwear. Dainty waist sets and fichu collars of fine net -also Medici Guimpes. Great variety—75c value. Tomor-50c row, special at, each 50c \$3.50 Ostrich Neckpieces ... \$2.50

\$1 Face Powder 69c Piver's Face Powder in all odors,

