

## Water Board Decides to Build Oil Storage Tank at Eighth Ave.

The Eugene Water Board, anticipating a greater demand for generation of power for sale to other communities this winter, Monday night decided to build a 5000 barrel oil storage tank at its Eighth Ave. steam plant.

Cooperating in the Northwest power pool, the water board will generate power for theoretical sale to other cities during the winter peak demand periods. This plan, followed last winter, too, actually means that the Eugene power system foregoes delivery of Bonneville power and uses the output of its own oil-fired steam generators. However, the difference between the cost of oil-produced electricity

and BPA power is paid to the water board by whatever community or utility that takes the BPA power thus released.

Superintendent Ray Boals reported Tuesday that the power pool requests operation of the Eugene system steam generators at peak use periods because of the above-average efficiency of these units. Boals also stated that the plan works advantageously for Eugene in a financial way while it also gives other cities power supplies they otherwise could not have.

Other business at Monday night's meeting of the water board included general reaffirmation of the policy that water customers outside the city will be served through legally constituted water districts. However, the directors decided, when it is feasible to serve customers directly—as along the main pipeline from Hayden Bridge—judgment of the board's engineers will be relied upon to provide flexibility in this rule.

The directors also decided to deny a request from the Kiwanis Club for use of a plot of land south of the Leaburg damsite. The Kiwanians asked for permission to establish a youth camp on the property, but the board decided that protection of the public interest would not permit granting the petition.



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## Dewey, Taft Get Together

NEW YORK—(AP)—Gov. Thomas E. Dewey and Senator Robert A. Taft will meet here Tuesday night to map presidential campaign strategy and possibly explore divergent views on some issues.

Taft said he will meet the Republican presidential candidate for dinner in New York. The place of meeting is undetermined, he said. He declined to say what the two planned to discuss.

Dewey is at his farm in Pawling, N. Y. Taft is on his way to Murray Bay, Quebec, for a vacation.

At Pawling, Dewey said he was interrupting his vacation to drive to New York for a "series of conferences" and would remain in the city through Wednesday.

## Reuther Quits Wage Talks

DETROIT—(AP)—President Walter P. Reuther of the CIO United Auto Workers angrily walked out on the Ford Motor Co. wage negotiations Tuesday, 24 hours after he entered them.

"All they're doing in there is fighting theoretical windmills," he told newsmen. "I'll come back when they get down to brass tacks, the practical aspects of the situation."

Ford vice president John S. Bugas retorted: "When Reuther talks of theoretical windmills, he means we are not acceding to the union's full demands."

The UAW-CIO is asking wage boosts and social security demands totalling an estimated 28 cents an hour. The current estimated average production wage is \$1.52. The company has offered an 11 to 14 cent an hour wage increase formula.

Negotiations continued after Reuther walked out.

## Highways Excellent, Save Three Exceptions

All highways in this area are in good condition, the Oregon State Highway Department has announced, except for the following restrictions:

North Santiam, 12 miles under construction between Niagra and Detroit, subject to long delays and closures. Traffic advised to use South Santiam or Wapinitia Highways.

Pacific Highway, road to be closed between New Era and Oregon City from 4 a.m. to 8 p.m. work days, detours available.

Oregon Coast Highway, one mile under construction at Gardiner.

## Civil Service Exams Open for Positions

Federal Civil Service Tuesday announced an examination for permanent probational appointments to land appraiser.

Entrance salaries for the positions are: land appraiser, \$3397 per annum, \$4149.60 per annum, and \$4902 per annum. Applicants will be graded on the basis of their experience and training—no written test is required.

Detailed information is available from the civil service secretary at Eugene Postoffice.

## Barkley's Keynote Address Flays Republican 'Obstruction'

CONVENTION HALL, Philadelphia — (AP) — Senator Alben W. Barkley blasted the Republicans and waved the "New Deal" banner proudly Monday night in a thundering speech that lifted him close to the Democratic vice presidential nomination.

The 70-year-old Democratic Senate leader was given a rousing 28-minute ovation at the end of his address keynoting the party's national convention. It was the first big outburst of enthusiasm from the delegates.

"For the People" The Kentuckian said the Democratic party deserves victory this year because of its 16-year record of "devotion to the people's welfare."

He was followed by Mrs. India Edwards, director of the party's women's division, who sounded a battle cry against high prices, and Miss Frances Perkins, former secretary of labor, who called for a campaign "without mudslinging."

Barkley somberly mentioned the possibility of war and the efforts of the Truman administration to prevent it.

"We have neither peace nor war," he said. "The world situation has reached a posture where intensity of feeling and spontaneity of conduct might easily precipitate armed conflict."

"Obstruction" He wanted to know if the nation's fate could be entrusted safely to a party which, he said, has given "obstinate obstruction" to steps toward peace.

There were cries of "pour it on!" as Barkley lit into the Republicans. The Republicans can jeer all they like at the "New Deal," he said, but "the American people will not willingly surrender the great gains they have made under it."

The New Deal, Barkley said, brought recovery and prosperity to the nation with series of "some of the greatest programs ever inaugurated by the American government."

Republicans, he declared, condemn it with their mouths but endorse it in their platforms.

"Let us ask," he suggested, "and let the American people ask those who spray this forest of superb accomplishment with the froth of their vindictive lips, which tree will they cut down with their mighty ax or their puny hatchet?"

Amid loud and frequent applause Barkley accused the Republican-controlled 80th Congress of trying to "sabotage" the 16 years of Democratic accomplishment.

By limiting funds, he said, it sought to cripple such programs as soil conservation and rural electrification, and to destroy the rights obtained by labor.

He said the Republicans failed to attack the housing problem, surrendering instead to "the real estate lobby."

## John J. Wilson

John J. Wilson, 68, 813 13th Ave. E., died Sunday at a local hospital. He was born June 29, 1880 at Portland, Maine, and lived in Eugene the past five years. He married Orpha Smith at Medford April 30, 1943.

Besides his widow he is survived by three sons, John, Grover and William, all of Salem a sister, Elizabeth Lee, of Maine.

Services will be at Poole-Larsen Mortuary Thursday at 4 p. m., with interment in Laurel Hill Cemetery.

## GOLD AND SILVER

FITCHBURG, Mass. (AP)—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hassette celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary by giving a party for their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Hassette, who were celebrating their 25th wedding anniversary.



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## Racquets Club Bids Members

The Eugene Racquets Club, a new organization formed to promote tennis, badminton and squash instruction and competition, will meet Tuesday at 8 p.m. on the University of Oregon courts opposite Hayward Field.

Interested in enlarging their membership, those belonging to the club have designated each Tuesday night for instruction. The club also will meet each Thursday at 8 p.m. and each Sunday at 9 a.m. at the university courts.

Plans of the club are to sponsor a city tennis tournament this summer and to arrange for matches with clubs in other cities.

## CHAMPION

Raymond Briez is blood donor of Paris. During 1938, he gave 98 transfusions without harm to himself, each transfusion averaging about 10 ounces of blood.

## Going on a Picnic? Check Out a Kit

Eugene Bureau of Parks and Public Recreation reminded residents Tuesday that a picnic kit, containing all types of athletic equipment, is now available to groups or individuals who wish to check it out.

The kit may be checked out by anyone in the bureau's office at the city hall. It contains soft-

## Regal Lily Challenge Route F's Posies

An anonymous gardener growing the flower that will be judged at the R-G this week. The writer reported a Regal in her garden which has one bearing 30 buds and blossoms large sized.

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