

**REVIVED INTEREST  
IN DEVELOPMENT OF  
POWER EVIDENCED**

Legislation pending before congress and affecting the development of power sites has created a revival of interest in power development in Oregon as reflected by applications for water rights filed with the state engineer's office here this week.

The appropriation of 3700 second feet of water from the Deschutes river for power development is contemplated in an application filed by Frank L. Lischke of Milwaukee. Lischke plans the development of a series of power plants at the Metolius, Frienda, Coleman, Mecca, White Horse Rapids and Pelton power sites in Sherman, Wasco and Jefferson counties.

Other applications for water rights have been filed this week as follows:

By the Eugene & Coos Bay Land company covering the appropriation of three second feet of water from several branches of the Willamette creeks for a municipal water supply for Crawford Point in Coos county.

By W. L. Kirby and Otto Larson of Hood River covering the appropriation of waste water for the irrigation purposes.

By Robert Finley of Kerby, Oregon, covering the appropriation of water from Second Gulch, for the irrigation of a 40-acre tract in Josephine county.

By David Lehman of Spearler, Oregon, covering the construction of a reservoir for the storage of water for mining purposes.

**Open Forum**

Editor Capital Journal:—in your issue of Tuesday I read with delight your editorial "Back to Fundamentals," which surely meets with my hearty approval, and as I do not approve of the idea of handing all the boquets so late that they have become odorless, I feel like saying in the language of Teddy "Bully for you." It is certainly quite refreshing to know that there is one paper with sufficient courage to warn the people that the pendulum that swings north will sometime swing just as far south. It does seem to me we have almost gone daffy on some things. For instance it appears to be a sort of mania each trying to make others believe he is a better American and more patriotic by making more noise, or by cultivating a spelt of hatred against those with whom we differ. I remember correctly when a boy I was taught that the United States was the asylum for the persecuted of all nations, but today it looks as though some other country would have to become the asylum for those persecuted here. Now I am not an apologist for the law breakers, but when our people are being hounded from place to place, houses being searched, printing presses being destroyed, and men being arrested without charge to be turned loose and told to move on and then to go through the same experience somewhere else is enough to make L. W. W.'s or bolsheviks of most any of us.

If free discussion is to be prohibited it will not be long till either the democrats or republicans one will be compelled to close shop and move on, but I might go on indefinitely, so I will close by saying, let us return to a sane position lest we go too far. Give us free speech, a free press and the right of assembly as guaranteed by our constitution.

Yours for a fair deal,  
—B. F. RAMP,  
517 North Capital, Salem, Oregon.

To the Editor:—I notice you rather make light of Senator Lewis' bill to move the state capital to Portland. But mark my prediction that some day this will be a reality because now it seems Salem and Marion county as chief cook and bottle washer of our whole state machinery, even had to export from there "the push" to run the only state institution we of eastern Oregon are granted and we are getting tired of such treatment and since our infancy age has vanished and our scolding clothes are removed, we possess some friends in Portland too and at next election it is going to be only a guess who will be secretary of state. See.  
Respectfully,  
—JOHN T. DIENER,  
Vanora, Jefferson county, Oregon.

**SATURDAY JANUARY 24, IS TIRE CONSERVATION DAY IN SALEM**

One of the most remarkable recent movements to attain national prominence is the one that has for its object the pointing out of methods by which motorists may obtain increased mileage from their tires.

One would imagine that tire dealers would be pleased to have tires wear out quickly, so that new purchases would be necessary. But this is not generally true. There is more rejoicing today over one car owner whose tires run 10,000 to 15,000 miles, than over a hundred whose lack of care prevents them from getting many miles they are entitled to.

This national tire conservation movement will reach Salem on Jan. 24th, when Tire Conservation day will be observed. Carrying out the idea of helping all local motorists to secure more service from their tires, Valley Motor Co., O. J. Wilson, Ira Jorgensen, of 208 Commercial St. have arranged to have an expert from the Goodyear Tire & Rubber company, present at the demonstrations, who will give an entire day over to the consideration of the tire problems of all local motorists, pointing out the most insignificant repairs which, if made in time, will add immeasurably to the mileage. The tire difficulties of each motorist will be given individual attention.

Sections of tires will be exhibited showing the different kinds of wear that tires are subject to, and the methods of combating them. Tire conservation will be followed from the crude rubber of the forest to the finished tire, ready to start on its career of service.

There is nothing mysterious about tires, and therefore, no good reason why motorists should not know all about them, and be saved many of the disappointments they experience when discarding tires which have passed away before their time.



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