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Ashland Tidings the taxpayers to decide whether they will depend upon the supply the taxpayers to decide whether Established 1876 to be obtained from the bond is-Published Every Evening Except sue voted Saturday and make no Sunday by arrangements for additional wa-THE ASHLAND PRINTING CO. ter until this supply proves inad-OFFICIAL CITY AND COUNTY equate, or shall they procure that PAPER. additional supply now in anticipa-**TELEPHONE 39** tion of the future. Subscription Price Delivered in As to the merits of the proposal, City that is a question to be deter-One month\$.65 Three months 1.95 mined solely by the interested Six months 3.75 taxpayers-and it is to be hoped One year 7.50 that more than 30 per cent will be One month\$.65 interested enough to turn out and Three months 1.95 vote. Six months 3.50 But whether it is desired to se-One year 6.50 cure this additional supply now or later, it will be necessary for the ADVERTISING RATES voters to cast their ballots on the Display Advertising-Single insertion, each inch, 30c subject next Thursday. As mat-**YEARLY CONTRACTS** ters stand at present, the city may well be pledged to both proposi-Display Advertising-One time a week 27 1/2 c. tions. Two times a week......25c. So don't sit back and let the Every other day 20c. other fellow do it. Get out to the Local Readers-Each line, each time.....10c. polls and express your own opin-To run every other day for one ion in the matter, whether for or month, each line, each time, 7c against, then you will have a le-To run every issue for one gitimate right to "kick" if things month or more, each line each don't go to suit you. If you don't vote, however, you Liassified Column-One cent the word each time certainly have no cause for com-To run every issue for one plaint, no matter what is done. month or more, 1/2c the word each time. Card of Thanks, \$1.00. Obituaries, 21/2 cents the line. Fraternal Orders and Societies. Advertising for fraternal orders or societies charging a regular initiation fee and dues, no

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LET GEORGE DO IT

Despite the importance of the matter to be voted "pon-not only ASHLAND DAILY TIDINGS

yet taken including those by En-

State Engineer Cupper says that

gineer Dillard in 1918.

FROM MISSOURI

HON. SELDEN SPENCER

Although comparatively a young man, United States Senator Spencer has had a varied and remarkable career. He is a lawyer of ningham made a murderous as- Woolens and Silks for Tailored ability, was a member of the Missouri legislature, and was for siz sault upon the young woman with Suits, Coats and Skirts. You are years judge of the Circuit Court of St. Louis before his election to the Senate. He is chairman of the Claims Committee of the Senate and a member of various other important committees. The work of the gerous gash in her throat, from Claims Committee is extremely arduous and exacting, and Senator Spencer has given it careful attention.

through Link river owe their be destroyed and a recurrence of filthy condition solely to this marshy condition obviated by a litculation in Ashland and its trade . It is not what you THINK . widespread stagnation and the tle surface excavation or other territory. than all other news- . about the proposition that . consequent vegetable and animal construction which can be calcu-. the public wants-it's what . decay. We are asked to apply the lated and added to the estimate. same rule to the waters to be The waters of the reservoir will drawn from Buck lake reservoir. be in constant motion, by over-One year ago this very time we flow discharge at the dam or out

caught rainbow trout in Klamath flow toward the valley. Buck lake is a mountain mead- river near Keno. They were pre-

about two miles in diameter, sur- thrown out on account of their drainage area is too well known to the present but to the future of this city—only about one-third of the qualified voters turned out

acre feet would more than serve of public interest. During the postoffice or custom house in any the hundred odd acres near the past week, he has been in various city. mouth of Spencer creek, and pos- sections of Linn and Lane counsibly the hatchery, if it is still in ties, and returned home Friday use, would demand as much to be present at the exercises in more, though I am reliably in- the Salem Armory, Friday night, formed it is not now running. in commemoration of the adoption STUART McKISSICK. of the federal constitution. Congressman Hawley will visit Southern Oregon this week and Weds Man Who will be in Ashland Wednesday afternoon from 12:45 to 6:45.

Cut Her Throat HUNDRED ACCOUNTANTS GETTYSBURG, Pa .- From the NEEDED BY I. C. C. edge of the grave to the altar, and WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 20. from the role of a murderer to -The United States Civil Service the bridegroom part in a nuptial Commission states that there are event, is a long jump, but Arthur more than 100 vacancies in high-Cunningham and Catherine Eckenrode, both of Gettysburg, made

ADIES Two years ago the young couple were lovers and through jeal-We are now showing the new Fall ousy and resentment young Cun-

a knife, inflicting a deep and dan- invited to call and look over the fine line.

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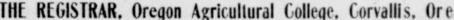
which she nearly lost her life. Cunningham served two years in the Huntington reformatory and then returned to Gettysburg, where he at once renewed his suit for the hand of the girl he had tried to kill. He won the suit. The young couple procured a marriage license and were married. Prior to her marriage the bride had been employed as a stenogra-

pher and typist in a lawyer's office.

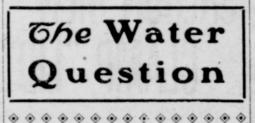


Monday, September 20, 1920









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• providing they are held
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you KNOW.

WOULD BUCK LAKE WATERS **BE POLUTED?**

ow, nearly circular in shape, pared for the table but had to be percolates from the Buck lake

of the qualified voters turned out at the special water election held Saturday.

About 25 per cent of the qualified voters of Ashland voted in favor of the proposition for building a dam up Ashland creek for conservation of water, considerably less than a majority of those affected by the bonding proposal. But as only about 5 per cent took enough interest in the matter to turn out and vote against the project, the 25 per cent favoring it decided that the city shall go ahead with the proposal.

This, unfortunately, seems to be the usual spirit in Ashland. No matter how deeply the welfare of the city may be involved, only a small proportion of the peoole affected take enough interest in the matter to get out and DO SOME-THING. The balance of them simply sit back and "Let George But they are quick enough to complain if things are not done to suit them.

It has been decided, by those of the electorate who had the welfare of the city enough at heart to DO SOMETHING that \$100,000 shall be expended for the building of a dam up Ashland creek and betterment of the present water supply.

While it is sincerely to be hoped that this will prove to be well worth the money to be expended, that it will prove all, and even more than has been claimed for it, in case it should not turn out to be the right solution of our water problem, who is to blame?

Not the city officials, for their responsibility in the matter end ed when the proposition went be fore the voters. Not the 25 per cent who voted favorably on the proposal, for there can be no doubt that they earnestly desired what was best for all concerned and voted for what they believed the right thing. Certainly not the 5 per cent who voted against the proposition

Who then will be to blame in Ashland creek plan proves a "bloomer"

If such should prove the case fairly . and will rest squarely with the 70 the voters who staved at home election day-the 7 out of every 10 electors of this city who calmly sat back with so important a matter to be decided, and "Lei George do it."

They, and no others are blame if the city fails to get ade-

narrow gash in the hills lets the trout in Spencer creek just below Just a word about the amount waters which drain this natural Buck lake outlet. They were de- of water available. The quantity

reservoir site disgorge into Spen- licious. The hunting season had being discharged during the dry We use the Violet Ray for Scalp cer creek, eventually finding their just opened and within the mile season has little or no bearing on way into Klamath river. In the below the lake at least five the subject. It is the total aver- Baths dry season the meadow is used to swamps were established. The age yearly amount which can be pasture several hundred head of campers were all using this water. caught and stored which counts Mr. Briggs stated from the Chau- and this has already been stated

The springs which gush from tauqua platform that Spencer to be about 25,000 acre feet. If the western edge of the meadow creek trout at this time of the anyone wants the figure in galform a stream flowing easterly, year are too muddy to eat. He also lons there are 325,851 gallons in losing itself before reaching the told of the Government Fish one acre foot. But we repeat that outlet in a swampy marshy con- hatchery further down on the the dry season discharge from dition. We visited the place on creek. Why has the government Buck lake is more than two, pos-September 6 of this year. Some placed a hatchery where the fish sibly four, times that of Ashland of the cattle were wallowing in raised will be unfit to eat because creek. Flowing water can be, and

this marsh and stirring up the of the filthy water they must is, measured with the same cersediment so that the water grow in? tainty as wheat, sugar or gasoline. emerging into Spencer creek had Such marsh as exists in Buck We made a careful measurement steaks. Our customers say they

a murky uninviting appearance. lake owes its existence entirely to of the Buck lake discharge on are the best to be had. You can take a stick and stir up the flatness of the meadow and September 6 of this year and obthe purest spring in the world and the shallowness of the water in tained a result of sixteen cubic sec-

cause the same effect. summer. With the construction It is this marsh which is the of a dam bottling up the outlet basis for such extravagant state- this marsh will be obliterated. At ments as that if converted into a maximum high water this portion reservoir the waters of Buck lake will be buried under twenty-two would not be fit for human con- feet of water and at low stage un-

sumption. As a matter of fact der at least five. The shores of the area of tule land as compared the lake thus created will be to that of the meadow is very everywhere on sloping ground. trick. A new barrel just in and small. One of the present city When the time comes, as come it cheap considering prices for imicouncil, in arguing how little wa- will eventually, for undertaking 25 per cent to 35 per cent more ter traversed this meadow, stated the project of bringing this water milk during fly season if sprayed that he drove a heavily loaded au- into the valley, if a careful study with Shoo Fly.

tomobile across the above- of the ground of this phase of the mentioned stream. If that con- matter should dictate the necesdition of bog and mire prevails sity therefor, which is highly

publicly declared, we fail to see how the car could pull through. These gentlemen have strenuously endeavored to convey the impres-

sion that Buck lake as a reservoir would be a perpetual swamp, polluting the waters in exactly the same way that the pure streams flowing into Upper Klamath lake become polluted, rendering them filthy and dangerous for domestic

There may be a few deep places in Upper Klamath lake but it is in effect a very thin sheet of water. This lake is bordered, not by a few acres, but by many hundreds of acres, of tule or swamp.

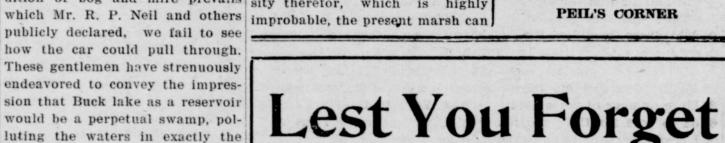
Here the waters lie and stagnate, and the waters which discharge

THE CITIZENS BANK OFASHLAND

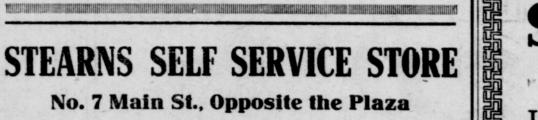


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quate relief from the Ashland creek dam-and if there is any "cussing" to be done on the subject they should "cuss" themselves anud nobody else.

THE QUESTION NOW

The decision at the polls Saturday to adopt the Ashland creek water proposition, does not do away with the necessity of voting upon the Buck lake plan next Thursday, it simply changes the question before the voters.

Until Saturday the matter to be decided was which, if either, of the two plans should be adopted. Having decided to build up Ashland creek's water supply, the question now is, "Shall the city purchase the Buck lake property as a source of additional supply when the Ashland creek supply shall prove inadequate?"

In other words, it is now up

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