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METER SYSTEM IS RECOMMENDED BY STATE FIRE DEPT.

The following recommendation and conclusions are included in a report of the recent fire survey of Medford just made by the state fire marshal department:

We recommend that all of the industrial plants using large quantities of water be put on meters. It is noted that water is literally wasted in many places, and that the city at times actually suffers for the want of it. The meter system would be only fair, because consumers would then pay for what they use, and they would not be extravagant. It would be bound to effect a great saving of water, and be a help to the solution of the problem of the water shortage.

We recommend that the fire department be enlarged by the addition of four more men. This would make a department of sufficient size to keep a working force at all times and allow firemen to keep up regular inspection work.

We recommend the purchase of a triple combination pumper of 1000 gallons capacity. The need for this piece of equipment is very great. Many of the best residences of the city are located on high ground, with small water mains, with the result that they have not near adequate protection. In addition to this, the industrial part of the city, consisting of an iron works, a pre-cooling station, two box factories, three saw mills and three large oil stations, approximately a valuation of at least half a million dollars, are located a mile north of the city, with only one hydrant on the dead end of a long 4-inch main to protect them. This protection is absolutely inadequate and leaves all of this property, which means so much to Medford financially and in a business way, entirely at the mercy of a fire. There are several large ponds about the mills, and sidings could be constructed for the pumper so it could draw water from the ponds and would give good protection to the entire industrial district.

Medford cannot afford to sacrifice any of its business or industry, and owes them the best protection available. Safety from fire to property and life means more than anything else, and should come first. The pumper should be purchased at the first possible moment.

In addition, we recommend the purchase of the following minor equipment:

- One Browder life net folding in quarters.
- One hydrant gate, tee handle 2 1/2 inches.
- One Blanchard adjustable nozzle.
- One set reverse connections 2 1/2 inch.

In conclusion, we wish to say Medford has been particularly fortunate in its fire loss, and as a result the authorities and citizens are somewhat lulled into a false position of security from which they may be awakened at any time by a disastrous and costly conflagration. Too great stress cannot be laid upon the serious condition confronting the city. Fires must be met with modern equipment and scientific means for control if the fire loss is to be kept at a minimum; therefore, we hope no time will be lost in heeding our recommendations.

We wish an expression of our appreciation to be made to the city officials, the fire chief, the newspapers and the Commercial club for their assistance in the making of this survey, and to the people in general for their courtesy and hospitality.

USE MAYFLOWER TIMBER IN PEACE PORTAL AT BLANE

SEATTLE, Wash., April—Timber from the Mayflower has been brought to Seattle to be encased in a great Peace Portal being erected across the Pacific Highway at Blaine, Wash., on the international boundary between Canada and the United States in commemoration of more than 100 years of peace between the two countries. The portal will be dedicated this summer.

The fat of the Plover ship, a small piece of oak, was carried to Seattle in an ancient English chest of hand-beaten iron, believed to be a pirate's gold chest of olden days. The chest was taken from a Scotland Yard dump and given for the trip by Sir Alfred Thompson, chief of the yard. Impressive ceremonies were held at Buckinghamshire, near London, when the fat from the boat was cut from the old hull, which lies unspurred on the banks of the Thames. Samuel Hill, Seattle, president of the Pacific Highway association and the leader in the portal construction movement, and Frank Terney, a Seattle good roads advocate, negotiated for the wood and were present when it was taken from the ship.

After the timber was sawed from the hull, the English Quakers, who guard the remains, said that never again would it be disturbed. Following the cutting of the hull, the piece was taken by Hill and Terney to Belgium and France where it was exhibited before Marshal Joffre, King Albert of Belgium and Cardinal Mercier, Terrace said.



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LOCAL DEMAND FOR FARM LABOR IS BELOW NORMAL

The condition of winter wheat of Oregon is computed by the department of agriculture as 89 per cent of normal, and for Jackson county as 85 per cent of normal, according to reports recently issued. In the heavy producing sections of eastern Oregon the crop is nearly normal. In the western counties there are reports of wheat being "drowned out."

Demand for farm labor is below that of last year, according to a report on the labor situation, being 89 per cent of normal in the state, and 78 per cent of normal in Jackson. The labor supply exceeds the demand, due, the report says, to the return from the shipyards and cities of help attracted there by war wages. This year the boys are all home, and working at whatever farm help they can get," the report says. The average wage for farm help per month, with board is 4 1/2, without \$7.00.

The labor report for Jackson county is as follows: "Last year prices were high and the farmers put in as much crop as they could. This year prices are lower, and becoming lower all the time, and the farmer is inclined to be more economical. Within a mile of my place there will be at least a hundred acres less land in cultivation than there was last year. Some of this land will be pastured and some of it will grow up to wild oats and be cut for hay."

Regarding the hog industry, the report says: "Reports, generally, indicate a decline in the hog industry. In the state the number of brood sows in April, as compared with a year ago appears to be only 99 per cent, and as compared with the usual number, less than 89 per cent. For the United States, the comparison with a year ago is 97 per cent, and as compared with the usual, only 78.6 per cent."

Toads will eat bits of red hot charcoal thinking them fireflies, and immediately thereafter will repeat the experiment.

KEEP DOUGHBOYS ON RHINE SAYS FRENCH DUCHESS

PARIS, April—The Duchess de Rohan urges American women and the United States government to let the American soldiers remain on the Rhine. The duchess, with other members of the Comité France-Amérique, were guests of General Henry T. Allen at Coblenz February 15, when the troops celebrated the anniversary of the day American soldiers took their places on the allied front as an American army. She tells of her trip in the March number of France-Entente, the committee's magazine.

"My joy is profound," she says in her diary of the trip "to see the American flag on Ehrenbreitstein and I do hope it will remain there a very long time for the security not only of my own country, but of Europe, and all the lovers of liberty and humanity."

"Yes, it is a fact which I feel even more keenly than I did before that the Germans respect only force and power and that the United States is the only people they fear, knowing perfectly that, if it were needful, they would come again as numerous as possible. But I do hope that the government of the United States and our dear sisters, the American women, will understand the necessity of leaving the troops on the Rhine to prevent mischief. It is easier to keep them here and much less expensive, than sending them back and having the trouble of sending later many, many more to Europe."

"The American troops," she says, "are magnificent. They walk majestically and with great regularity, never one behind the other. It is wonderful to see them parading." During the review, she says: "The Marquis de Rochambeau and I were so enthusiastic that we asked permission to have the honor of kissing the American flag."

And in closing, the Duchess exclaims: "America in this war has been the wall separating domination and justice, ambition and humanity. She has been our providence."

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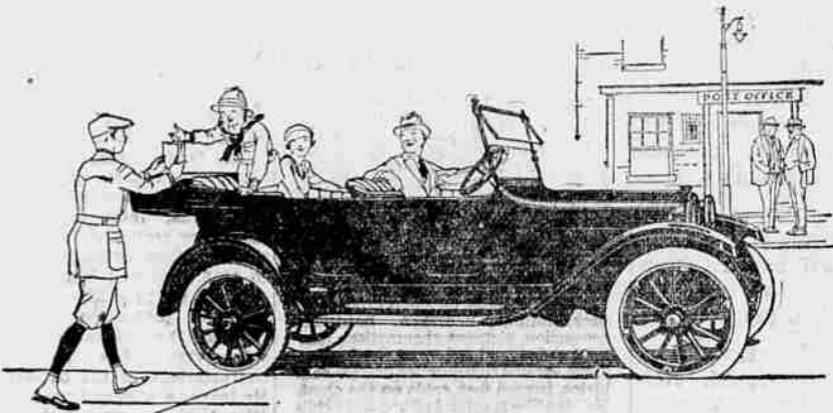
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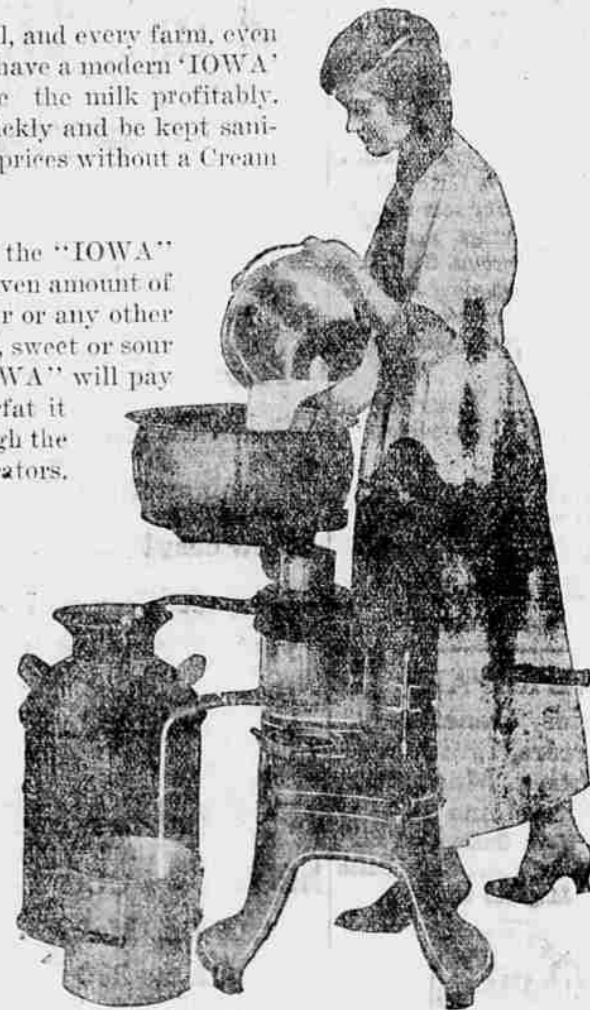


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