

WATER WASTE IN COLD WEATHER

City Shy 337,000 Gallons as Result of Burst Pipes and Carelessness of Users

RESERVOIR RESERVE

A little more than 227,000 gallons of city water was wasted during the cold snap of last month. This represents water that was not lost by leakage from burst pipes, but water that was allowed to run to waste, in most cases, by persons turning on the fire hydrants to get water and then not properly turning them off.

The total loss to the city amounted to 377,000, 100,000 gallons of this amount being lost when the old fire main on Temby avenue burst. During the worst of the cold snap, when pipes all over the city were broken or frozen, the city allowed those who could get water in no other way to use the city water. Not knowing how to operate the high pressure fire hydrants, in many cases the hydrants were turned on full force and a great deal of water was allowed to run to waste.

Water in the city reservoir stood, on January 31, at 17 feet 9 inches. This, according to Supervisor Perry, is below the average of this time of the year.

COAL LAND TRIAL

U. S. Government Will Investigate Alleged Alaska Steal.

CHICAGO, Ill., Feb. 6.—A staff of federal prosecutors have arrived in Chicago from Washington to assist United States District Attorney Williams in the trial of the government suits involving Alaska coal lands worth \$10,000,000, which begin before Federal Judge Landis March 2.

One Amounted to Something. King Humbert once visited Florence and at a reception of the aristocracy inquired of each noble present what his occupation was. "Nothing, majesty," was the uniform reply until it came the turn of the Marquis Glorin, who had lost caste somewhat because of his manufacture of pottery. "I am a potter, majesty—a maker of majolica," said the marquis in response to the king's question. "Thank God!" cried the king. "there is one noble in Florence who does something."

"The children need something new every week. You have no children, hence you can't understand." "I understand, old chap; I have an automobile."

GRANT'S CONDITION IS HELD PRECARIOUS

Confused Reports Straightened Out—Excess of Muritic Acid

More or less confusion in current reports concerning the condition of Mr. Grant on Monday morning at Lowell in a serious condition, was cleared yesterday in an authoritative statement which places the cause of his trouble in an excess of muriatic acid collected from the kidneys and directly attacking the nerve cells, with result of temporary affection of the activities of the brain. The affliction is not one of common occurrence, and sadly enough the majority of such cases terminate fatally in spite of the best that science can do for the relief of the sufferer. Consequent upon the affection of the nervous system are violent spasms, from which Mr. Grant has not been free at the Copper Queen hospital, where he is receiving the benefit of the most advanced treatment and care.

STRUCK BY MACHINE MAN LANDED ON TOP

Surprised, He Forgot Chase for Street Car and Went to Shake Hands with Self

Almost to a man the home-coming on the five o'clock car from Warren arose with a startled cry when a man running toward it was struck by a passing automobile and thrown, bodily on top of the fender of the machine. Everyone expected to see the pedestrian crushed beneath the high power machine, but he was on top of the machine instead of under it and succeeded in keeping his equilibrium. The man was running for the car as it passed Johnson addition and had not noticed the automobile coming in his direction at fair speed. The blow was blown several times but this man did not notice. When the collision came, the machine stopped almost instantly allowing the man to climb off. All happened in the twinkling of an eye, the automobile resuming its journey and the man too wrought up to board the car, turned about and went back toward home, presumably to think things over and shake hands with himself, as he had good right to do.

London's Coal Consumption. About three hundred and twenty-seven thousand tons of coal are burned every week in London.

IF YOU ARE NOT YOU ARE WANTED

500 Membership Cry Abroad from Charming Boosters of the Local Y. W. C. A.

ISSUE CIRCULAR PLEA

500 paid up members by February 15, 1913 is the slogan of the Young Women's Christian association recently adopted and from the present outlook, the hopes of the association are to be realized. Every member of the association has been made a committee of one with the responsibility of obtaining at least one or more members before the closing date arrives.

DO YOU KNOW? That our Young Women's Christian association exists for young women? That the local association is in the heart of town and that it is a "homey" place for those who live there, and a social center for all girls?

That it helps strange girls find rooms, boarding places and employment. That it has various clubs for women and girls. That it provides many pleasant social evenings for its members and others.

That its rooms are open to ladies societies of the various churches. That its dining room, with wholesome food, serves three meals daily. That its rest, lunch, reading and toilet rooms are open to all women.

That it is a link in the great Travelers' Aid Chain, and that trains are met at any time if requested. That current papers and magazines are found in the reading room. That school girls have daily picnic on the lawn during the noon hour.

That you may have a part in this work by your membership, thus helping yourself as well as others. That a membership may be taken out at any time. That many of the privileges are equally free to non-members, the members however, have a very special right, because they are their own.

On Saturday, Miss Margaret Moore secretary of the Arizona Young Women's Christian association, is to arrive in the city to aid in the finance work of the local organization. Miss Moore was formerly state secretary of the Pennsylvania association, recently coming to Arizona to accept a like position. She is at present in Phoenix, aiding in the organization of a Young Women's Christian association there.

FIFTEEN ARE INDICTED

PORTLAND, Wash., Feb. 6.—Fifteen men, representing the largest produce and commission firms of this city, were indicted today by the United States government on a charge of combination in restraint of trade and conspiracy against the so-called independent produce merchants who are not members of the produce merchants' association of Portland.

Eleven were arrested and released on bail in the sum of \$1,000.

DRAW THE COLOR LINE

NEW YORK, N. Y., Feb. 6.—A new rule prohibiting bouts between white persons and negroes, otherwise known as "mixed bouts," was adopted today by the New York state athletic commission, which controls boxing in this state.

Bills-Bills-Bills-& for BUTTER!

Mrs. Housewife, we'll tell you how to save some household expenses. Butter is the bugbear on your monthly bills and, with butter at present high prices, it's really extravagance to use butter anywhere except on your table. Discard butter from the kitchen, and use Cottolene.



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Buy a pail of Cottolene today and convince yourself by trying this recipe:

SPICED CLOVERS Sift together two and one-half cups of flour, two-thirds cup of sugar, one teaspoon salt, two teaspoons cinnamon and four teaspoons of baking powder. Chop into this one-half cup Cottolene and moisten with milk until almost as soft as biscuit dough. Roll out one-third of an inch thick and sprinkle with cinnamon and sugar, well mixed, then cut into tiny rounds. Place in three like clover leaves in pans and bake in moderately hot oven. Serve warm with butter, honey or marmalade.



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HEAVY RAIN DID SMALL DAMAGE

Accompanied by Electrical Disturbances That Put Out Lights for a Time

The heaviest rain of the winter, accompanied by much lightning, occurred late yesterday afternoon. Autoists who were up the canyon and reports from Warren and below, indicate that the fall was over a wide area.

In the city about the only damage from the storm is in gutters washed in the streets. On the hillside near the Y. M. C. A. and in Johnson addition the streets were badly rutted. A number of cellars, most of them on Brewery gulch, were flooded. Both the garages were filled with automobiles soon after the rain started, the drivers seeking the first dry place to be found. The rain caused a good deal of mud to collect on the street railway tracks and at the switches, causing some slight trouble.

Shortly before 5 o'clock, the electric light system was interrupted by the storm. The lights in many parts of the city went out, but the trouble was soon repaired.

The rainfall on Wednesday was the heaviest since last summer, unless the fall of yesterday, the figures on which are not yet available was greater. For the 24 hours ending at 5 o'clock Wednesday evening, the fall amounted to .48 of an inch, according to Weather Observer Gooding. The closest approach to this figure in precipitation for the year was on January 21, when the snow of that day made a total precipitation of .45 of an inch.

Anti-Drugery Club

Six women in Chicago have organized a club to lessen household cares. The club is the possessor of an electric vacuum cleaner, one electric washing machine, two electric irons and a fan for drying the washing. The only dues are those required for the upkeep of these labor savers, and this amount has been estimated to be about three cents a week. The initiation fee consists of the price of the apparatus divided into six equal parts. The members arrange their work so that a small boy may take the apparatus around to each in turn. They live in one neighborhood, so the affair is easily arranged. How practical, how easily the idea could be expanded to take in any number of housekeepers. What a help it would be in solving the servant problem.—American Club Woman.

GREENS DEFEAT REDS 22 TO 38

Champion Does Good Work - Likewise Thomas - Teams Are Tied

In a well played game of basketball at the Y. M. C. A., the Greens, in the basketball league, defeated the Reds by a score of 22 to 38. The game ties the Greens with the Reds and Blacks for third place in the league.

In the first half the score was 17 to 17, in favor of the Greens. The star playing on the Reds was done by Champion, the forward, who scored a total of three goals and six fouls. For the Greens, Thomas was the best player, scoring five goals and six fouls. Struthers, center, also played a good game, making eight goals. In the second half the Reds scored nine points and the Greens twenty-one.

The following is the lineup of the two teams: Reds: Paris, forward; Champion, forward; Daniels, center; Burns, guard; Hodgson, guard. Greens: Struthers, center; Yockum, forward; Cullen, forward; Thomas, guard; Finn, guard.

The standing of the teams is as follows:

Team	Won	Lost
Blues	3	9
Reds	1	2
Blacks	1	2
Greens	1	2

WILL QUIZ S. O. QUIZ

Money Trust Committee to Examine Rockefeller on Friday.

BRUNSWICK, Ga., Feb. 5.—Arrangements have been completed for the examination of William Rockefeller on Friday by members of the house money trust committee at the Rockefeller apartment of Jersey 24 and 25. Rockefeller's presence in the examination to publicity, it is said, that all newspapermen will be excluded from the island, which is private property. It is understood that arrangements have been made for the government investigators to be cared for at the Rockefeller apartments during their stay.

NEW SERVIAN POSTAGE STAMPS

VIENNA, Feb. 6.—Of interest to stamp collectors is the news from Belgrade that the Servian government has in preparation a new series of national postage stamps in commemoration of the Servian victories in the recent war. The stamps will bear portraits of famous Servian rulers and scenes in the reconstructed provinces.

COURT DENIES WRIT SCHULEZ STILL HELD

Man Wanted for Larceny in New Mexico Returned to Bisbee

Marshal Watkins returned yesterday from Tombstone, bringing with him John Schulez, wanted in Gallup, N. M., for the alleged larceny of \$250 from the First National bank of that city. Schulez was taken to Tombstone on habeas corpus proceedings. Judge Suttler, of the superior court, denied the writ and Schulez was brought back to receive a second hearing in Justice Smith's court in Lowell, at 2 o'clock this afternoon. In the meantime Sheriff Roberts of McKinley county, N. M., is working on extradition papers and it is expected that the man will be extradited in a short time. When first arrested on Monday, Schulez told Officer Brooks, who made the arrest that he would not fight extradition, but later changed his mind.

German Steamship Lines

German steamers seem to have a special facility for managing great steamship lines. Besides those huge corporations the Hamburg-American and the North German Lloyd Companies, there is another of almost equal magnitude, the "Hamburg-Sud," which has just celebrated its fortieth birthday. Beginning with three small steamers of 2,728 tons burden combined, the company now has a fleet of forty-eight steamers totalling 248,257 tons, with 126 auxiliary craft. In 1909 the company carried 47,624 passengers.

"BLOOD IS THICKER THAN WATER"

Without good red blood a man has a weak heart and poor nerves. Thinness of the blood, or its failure to circulate in the veins, is as well as old. Especially is it the case with those who work in the ventilated factories or those who are shut up indoors in winter time with a coal stove burning to the oxygen of the air, or those who work in the open air, but who lack the red blood corpuscles. In such cases the blood is thin and watery, and the result is a weak heart, or a weak brain, or a weak body. The organs work smoothly but the blood is thin and watery. You feel tired, nervous, and irritable. You are unable to do your work, and you are unable to enjoy life. You are unable to enjoy life. You are unable to enjoy life. You are unable to enjoy life.

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