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Mr. Henry E. Dosch, Dir. of Exhibits,
Louis & Clark Centennial,
Portland, Oregon.

Dear Sir:-

Replying to your favor of Oct. 20th, we beg to thank you for your courtesy in advising us of the re-examination of our exhibit as made by the Rierson Machinery Company of your city, and that your Superior Jury has raised our award to a gold medal. This is very gratifying and it may interest you to know that we have just received the highest award at our exhibit in Yokahoma, Japan, and in fact our machines never have been exhibited anywhere without receiving the highest award.

We have over 5,000 of these machines in successful operation, and thus far we are the only manufacturers who have been able to build machines of large capacities for railroad tanks, small town water works, and for irrigation. Quite a number of manufacturers have attempted to build large machines and advertised large machines, but so far none of them have been proved practical, and upon investigation we cannot find any of them in practical work, whereas our catalogue shows a number of the most prominent people and railroad companies, as well as the United States Government, using them and speaking of them in the highest terms.

We believe that a large demand for these machines should ensue from that section, owing to the publicity given them at your successful fair. All of this is due of course to the enterprise of the Rierson Machinery Company.

Yours truly,

RIFE ENGINE COMPANY

J. Greeder
PRESIDENT.