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Dated this 26th day of December, 1911.
D. S. HOUSER,
City Treasurer.

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NOTICE TO BRIDGE CONTRACTORS.
Sealed bids will be received by the County Court of Douglas County, Oregon, up to 10 o'clock a. m., of the 30th day of December, 1911, for the construction of the following bridges:

The Shambrook bridge over the Umpqua River, consisting of two spans about 175 feet each, with three new concrete piers about 50 feet high above low water mark.

The Brown's Ferry bridge over the North Umpqua River, consisting of two spans about 140 feet each, with three new concrete piers about 47 feet high above low water mark.

The Winston Bridge over the South Umpqua River consisting of two spans about 149 feet each, one span 140 feet and one span 40 feet with one concrete pier about 45 feet above low water, and concrete foundation for the 40 ft. span. The bid to include the removal of the old spans, and necessary alterations to the existing piers to accommodate the new spans.

All of the above bridges to have 20 feet clear roadway, and shall be designed to carry a live load, exclusive of their own weight, of 100 pounds per square foot of floor surface, or a 20 ton road roller; trusses in like proportion.

Bidders to submit detail plans and specifications with their bids. Bids for truss approaches to be by the linear foot.

Also the re-linbering of the combination cantilever bridge over the North Umpqua River at Winchester. Bidders must visit the various sites and satisfy themselves as to local conditions, the County Court assuming no responsibility on account of lack of knowledge on the part of the bidder.

All bids must be accompanied by a certified check in an amount equal to five per cent of the bid.

Envelopes in which bids are enclosed must be endorsed with the name of the bridge for which the bid is made.

Bids will be considered for both re-inforced concrete and steel bridges at the places above mentioned.

Plans, specifications and strain diagrams will be on file in the

County Clerk's office on and after December 31st, 1911.
The right is reserved to reject any and all bids; said bids to be considered at the January, 1912, term of County Court.
By order of the County Court.
Dated November 23rd, 1911.
E. H. LENOX,
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