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Dams, Who Shall Build Them?

The matter of constructing dams in the northwest and elsewhere is rapidly becoming a political football, it seems to us. Oregon's senators are bent on having the government construct Hell's Canyon dam or nothing. This despite the fact two previous congresses failed to appropriate the money for such construction.

The policy of the Administration has been to build dams by what means available, whether it be by state, federal or private funds or by combination of all three.

Certainly building dams for power or flood control by the best method available assures earlier construction. The northwest is at a point now where a power shortage is imminent and unless more power is developed the entire section will suffer. As far as public approval is concerned, new dams which are to be built should be made to pay for themselves eventually, as any private project has to do to be successful. Not only that, new dams should be in a position to finance future expansion, once the cost of the dam is paid for just like any other public owned utility. People living in the east should not be made to pay for construction of dams in the Columbia basin any more than we should be required to pay for power dams in the east.

Harris Ellsworth, congressman from this district writing in March 24 issue of the Reporter, a national magazine, tells the part which is offered by the Eugene Water and Electric board, a public utility, in the construction of the Cougar dam, to be built primarily as a flood control dam on the McKenzie river. Ellsworth says by altering the design of the dam, after it was approved by congress, it was found that 37,000 kilowatts of power could be produced in addition to millions of dollars which could be saved to farm lands and buildings of that area. Congress accepted the modified plan at an additional \$11,000,000. The Eugene public utility, needing additional power, has offered to construct the power part of the Cougar dam and according to the plan will contribute another \$500,000 toward the flood control portion of the dam and further pay 15 per cent of the cost of operating the flood control project through a fifty year license with the Federal Power commission, which would add another million dollars. Thus the public will get the flood control and power they need, but the cost of installing and maintaining the power part will not be an unnecessary burden on the federal taxpayer.

According to Ellsworth the partnership policy of the government is working successfully. Results indicate that industry and local government are more than willing to assume a share of responsibility. Dams to supply power and flood control are thus being built more rapidly to serve the public.

TIME TO STOP!



To Balance the Budget

Government spending can be cut to bring about a balanced budget for the next fiscal year. These four steps are being urged:

- Elimination of proposed new programs which have not yet been authorized by legislation;
- Cutting of grants to states, as an initial step toward transferring these programs to ultimate full state responsibility;
- Elimination, suspension or curtailment of expenditures for specified civilian functions;
- Cutting remaining expenditures 5%, except military and interest on the public debt.

These cuts in government spending, recommended by the National Association of Manufacturers, would total \$3,195,000,000—more than enough to avoid the estimated deficit of \$2,400,000,000.

The state legislature will pass its deadline of today, April 14, in closing the present session and chances are that ten days or two weeks work remains to be completed. It could mean that the tax program as approved by the house could be radically changed before the measure can get the senate approval.

Community Club Has Ham Dinner

By Mrs. Charles Denzer
Phone 6-8425

DORENA — The Community club met April 6 at the home of Mrs. Veda Garoutte. Plans were made for the Baked Ham dinner to be given Wednesday, April 13, at the Community hall. The dinner was given for the mill workers in the valley and for all who cared to attend.

The proceeds of the dinner went toward the lighting system of the Row River Valley Church. The next meeting of the club will be with Billie Ryel, May 11. This will be the last meeting to be held until next fall.

Skip Larsen, who completed his technical training at the Air Force Base, is spending two weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Larsen and sister Judy. Skip goes from here to Bangor, Maine and then back to Oklahoma City.

Mrs. Cretta Estabrook went to Eugene this past week to care for her cousin, Mrs. Veda Dyer, who has been ill.

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Cartwright are the parents of a daughter, born April 5. They have named her Loretta. Mr. and Mrs. Cartwright have three sons and the daughter is a happy addition.

In the games played at the Dorena school Friday afternoon, the Dorena girls lost to the girls from Culp Creek by 8-3. The Dorena boys won from the Culp Creek boys with the score 11-5.

Thursday night Carl and John LeRoy Shoberg and Bob Owen attended the trap shoot at the Cottage Grove Rod and Gun Club. Miss Joan Christensen of Weed, Calif., is a house guest of the Walter Larsen family.

Darrel Garoutte, who has been ill the past week is recuperating at his home.

Mr. and Mrs. Arvid Baker and daughter Bonnie visited Wednesday evening at the Carl Shoberg home.

The regular monthly meeting of the School Service club was held at the Dorena school Friday night. As entertainment the women played volleyball against the men. The men won the game by a small margin.

Mrs. Ruth Cartwright's sister, Mrs. Ted Matson of Portland, is staying with Mrs. Cartwright, who came home from the hospital Friday with her baby daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Axel Kiang and son Lawrence of Eugene, and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Giles were dinner guests of the Shobergs on Easter Sunday. In the afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bloomer of Eugene visited with them.

Mmes. Rose Houck, Marjorie Potter and Jeannette Kelly went to Eugene Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ovid Doubleday and Mr. and Mrs. Warren Cleveland of Drain spent Easter Sunday with Mrs. Loretta Denzer.

Larry Steele of Roseburg spent the weekend with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Steele.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Owen and family drove to Springfield to visit Mrs. Owen's mother, Mrs. Camille West and drove up the Willamette. They reported lots of snow and several wrecks on icy pavements.

Mrs. James Spahr accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kelly, Joyce Kelly and Kenneth Bush to Eugene to hear the "Messiah" at McArthur Court. Bob Kelly sang with the chorus.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Ponton spent Easter in Glendale visiting their children, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hansen and Sally Pullarena.

Mrs. Margaret Leonard of Van Nuys, Calif., visited a couple of days with Mrs. Maurice Estabrook and daughter Sharon.

The Chal Ward family is moving to Cottage Grove.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Wicks entertained Mr. and Mrs. Lee Thompson and Harold Wicks at Easter dinner. In the evening they accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Darrel Garoutte to Cottage Grove to hear the Easter service at the Church of Christ.

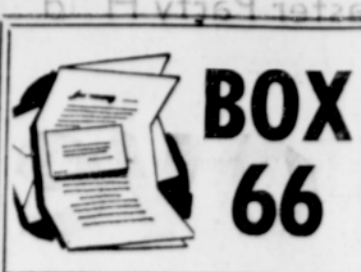
Mr. and Mrs. Howard Raymond and family visited at Meadford Saturday with Mr. Raymond's mother, Mrs. C. E. Turnidge. Sunday spent time at Grants Pass with Mrs. Raymond's aunt and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ryan.

Kenneth L. Foster Dies at 70 Years

Funeral services were held Saturday at 2:30 p.m. at Mills Mortuary for Kenneth LeRoy Foster, 70, who died in Eugene Thursday, April 2. F. Sherwood Smith officiated, and cremation followed.

Mr. Foster was born June 5, 1884, and was married to Eva Buskirk in Wisconsin. He had been a resident of this community since 1908.

Surviving besides his wife are nine children: Catherine Hudson, Newark, Calif.; Viola Campbell, Clifford, Ruth Hughes, Dorothy Gerber, Edward, Donald and Robert, all of Eugene, and Evelyn Johnson; many grandchildren; two brothers, Tom, Ashland, and George, Cottage Grove, and one sister, Mrs. Sadie Alleman, Cottage Grove.



Dear Sir:

In order that your readers will have a better understanding of the operation of the Volunteer Home Service work being done by the American Red Cross in this area I would like at this time to outline a few of the cases which have been taken care of since I accepted the position of Home Service Volunteer 14 months ago.

Assistance has been given to 4 families who suffered total loss in home fires; 20 service men have been sent telegrams, notified of family problems such as births, deaths and illnesses; transportation for about 30 veterans and their families; loans arranged for 6 veterans and families; veterans' allotment checks "found" or arranged for when missing or lost; have hospital cases assisted with; 50 or more grocery orders given to needy families; over 1000 miles traveled in calls to veterans' homes and civilians' homes; 50 hours of work on Christmas baskets sent to needy families at Christmas; two weeks child care in my home for two sick babies when families were unable to care for them; many, many hours spent in giving help, other than financial, to families of veterans and civilians, who sought counsel.

I have outlined this work in order that your readers may know a part of this work and will realize how much good each dollar does that is allotted to the Lane County Chapter of the American Red Cross.

May I take a little more of your time to give special thanks to the many local organizations and businessmen who have been of great help to me? To the members of the fire and police departments; to Herman Petersen, Frank Dehler, Joseph Bricher, employees of the First National Bank, Floyd Githens, Clarence Holmes, Wolfard's Market, M & W Market, Quality Market, Gray's Furniture Store, radio station KOMB for numerous announcements, Robert Turner, L. M. Johnson, the Elks' and Moose organizations, Drs. John Petty and Robert Merrick, Varley's Drug store, to the many persons who have contributed food, clothing and furniture and all other assistance and last but not least to the Sentinel for printing requests for items for needy families. If I have forgotten anyone it is unintentional.

Thank you sincerely,
Catherine L. Sedergren
Home Service Volunteer
Cottage Grove Area.

To the Editor:

I wish to commend the Ministerial Association of Cottage Grove for the Radio Story of the Crucifixion that they have broadcast during the week just passed. Christ's story was a vivid portrayal of the events of the last week of Christ's life.

The High School students who handled the parts are to be praised, also, for the efficient way in which they portrayed the characters.

I hope there will be other programs such as this.

Sincerely,
Mrs. Jess Hill

Access Road Bid Announced by BPA

Bid opening for survey of right of way access roads on 48 miles of the Bonneville Power Administration's Abey-Reston 230,000-volt transmission line was announced by L. A. Moore, Eugene District Office Manager. Apparent low bid of \$53,295 was submitted by Northern Idaho Construction Company, Coeur d'Alene, Idaho.

Survey work is scheduled to start northeast of Yoncalla, Ore., and terminate near Reston, Ore. The contractor will have 144 days after notice to proceed to complete the survey.

Public Records

LeRoy Elmer Beebe, drunk on a public street, April 10, fined \$25.
William D. Carter, drunk on a public street, April 7, fined \$25.
Asa Edward Laney, reckless driving and driving while operator's license suspended, fined \$300, two days in jail and cost of property damage.
LeRoy Ogle, reckless driving and driving with suspended operator's license, April 7, fined \$300, two days in jail and cost of property damage.

Wayne Fisher, drunk in court room, April 7, fined \$14.50.
R. W. Hyde, reckless driving, April 11, fined \$19.50.

Briggs Takes First In Light Division

Cottage Grove Motorcycle club had an Easter egg hunt at Cottage Grove Lake Sunday and about 15 riders competed in locating the eggs. Top honors went to Pat McCall with the consolation prize awarded to Ray Brown, who did not find any.

Belden Briggs and Darwin Smith took part in the observed trials at Salem April 3. Briggs took first place in the light weight division and took second in total points for the day.

The club has scheduled a work party with the Junior Chamber of Commerce Sunday and all members are urged to participate.

Too Late to Classify

KIRBY VACUUM with attachments and polisher. Like new. Bargain. 1308 E. Main St. 35-1tp

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SHRUBS FOR SALE: To complete your landscaping phone Glenn Wicks, 1152J1, or see Sunday afternoons at Taylor's gardens 9 mi. up Mosby Creek. 35-tfcxx

FOR SALE: Like new, modern design, matching davenport and chair set. Davenport makes into bed. Used very little. Paid over \$200 for set 8 mos. ago. Now sells for only \$125. Ph. 236J. 35-tfcxx

FOUND: Ladies wrist watch. Call 101. Identify and pay for ad. 35-1tp

FOR SALE: Kodak folding camera 4.5 lens with gadget bag, flash attach, filters and supply of flash bulbs, \$60; Weston exposure meter, \$15; 16mm. movie editor, \$17.50; 32 special rifle, new barrel, \$37.50. Ph. 1045. 35-1tc

FOR SALE BY OWNER: 5-rm. house, bath. Can be seen at 479 First St., Cottage Grove, Phone 103L. 35-1tp

P.D.G. PLANT sale, 5th & Wash. Sat., Apr. 23, 10 to 4. Plants, shrubs, large freshly dug regal lily bulbs, Pie and coffee. 35-2tp-36

USED NORGE REFRIGERATOR for sale; 30 gal. hot-water tank, \$10; Bendix electric range; beaters, \$25; all excellent condition, Ph. 464. City Center Motel, Highway 99 So. 35-tfcxx

WANTED: Housekeeper or girl for housework, Ph. 1073, or call at 1420 S. 6th St. 35-1tc

FURNISHED MODERN: Cabins, electric heat, range, refrigerator and hot water, low rates, City Center Motel, Highway 99 So. 35-tfcxx

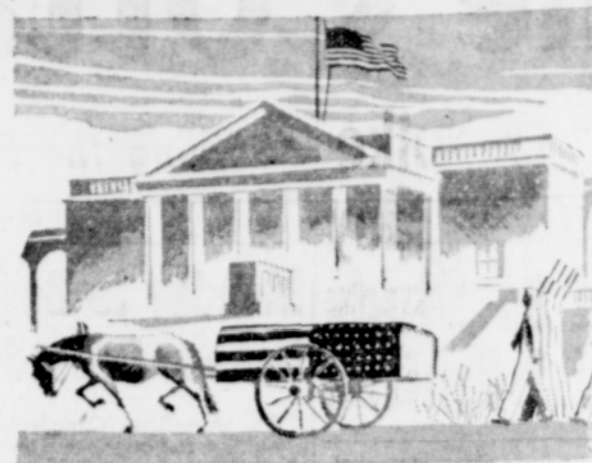
ARE YOU LATE with your tax returns? We were late getting opened but we're ready now to help you meet the deadline. Custom Bookkeeping Co., 34 N. 6th, Cottage Grove, Ph. 1098. 35-1tc

EVERYONE IS INVITED to attend the North Douglas County Grange box social Saturday at 8 p.m., at the Grange Hall. 35-1tc

FOR SALE: 1949 Buick, \$395; 1949 Mercury, \$445; 1942 Chev., \$75. Doyle's Sales & Service, 99 Hwy. North. 35-1tc

Flag Etiquette

(Editor's note: This is one of a series of pictures illustrating flag etiquette, furnished by the Navy Recruiting Office in Eugene, and is presented in the Sentinel each week until Armed Forces Day, May 21.)



"When the flag is used to cover a casket, it should be so placed that the union is at the head and over the left shoulder. The flag should not be lowered into the grave or allowed to touch the ground. The flag, when flown at half staff, should be first hoisted to the peak for an instant and then lowered to the half-staff position. The flag should be again raised to the peak before it is lowered for the day."



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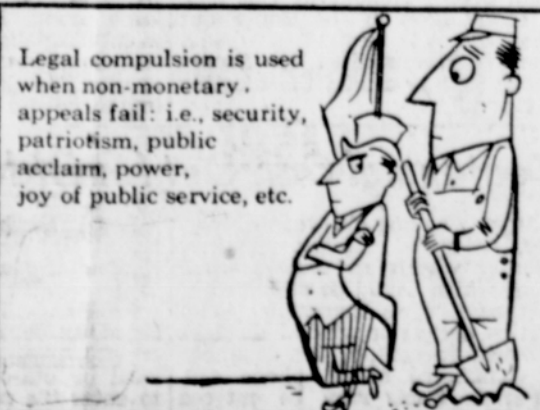
Fishing - - - Boating - - - Water Sports

(Watch this space next week for the final chapter of "The Champion.")

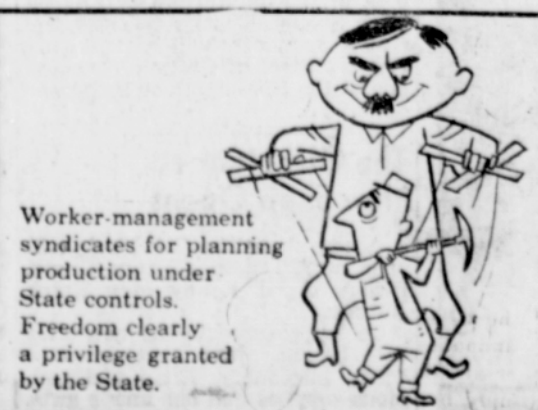
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