



STATE HIGHWAY Department crews work against the weather to clear this mammoth slide that occurred Sunday about one mile south of Humbug Lodge. The highway was covered with about five feet of dirt, mud and trees. Traffic was going through on one lane at 5 p. m.

Huge Slide Closes Highway South of Humbug Lodge

2,000 Yards of Dirt Stop Traffic For Eight Hours as Three Crews Work

Traffic on Highway 101 came to a sudden stop about 8:30 Sunday morning when an estimated 2,000 yards of dirt, mud, rocks and at least a dozen huge trees oozed over the road about a mile south of the Humbug Mt. Lodge. The slide covered the highway for a distance of about 155 feet at a depth of five feet

Burrell Babb, local highway maintenance crew foreman, said the slide occurred when a 24-inch wooden culvert collapsed under a section of old highway above the new road, causing water to back-up and undercut the section of hill.

Passengers aboard a morning northbound Greyhound bus were delayed for a short period while waiting the arrival of a bus from Coos Bay so they could transfer. Passengers had to wade through as much as two and a half feet of water in crossing the slide. Youngsters, and others who needed help to cross, were assisted by Curry county sheriff's deputies and highway crewmen.

A three-man crew and equipment from Gold Beach worked to meet the local eight-man crew working on the north end of the slide. An 11-man crew, plus a one and a half yard shovel and a TD14 bulldozer, were also dispatched to the area from Coquille, Babb said.

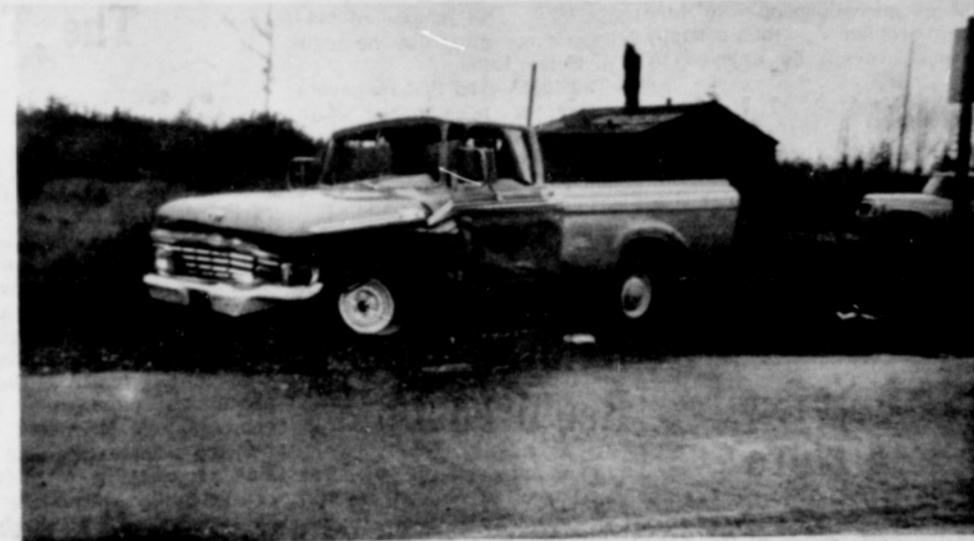
Heavy winds and rain squalls restricted clearing operations to some extent but one-way traffic was finally opened at 5 p. m. Sunday. Two-way traffic was going through early Monday morning, according to Babb.

Car, 2 Pickups Involved In Wreck, Three Injured

THE TOLL ...



Carpenter vehicle totaled, one injured



Stam pickup, extensive damage, two injured



Reuter-crona pickup, damage mild, no injuries

Three persons received injuries Monday in an accident involving a car and two pickups about two miles north of the city limits, just past the Pacific Builders. The accident occurred at 10:25 a. m.

According to a sheriff's office report, John Carpenter, 18, Elk River was driving north in a Chevrolet convertible when he collided with a pickup driven by Lloyd W. Stam, 67, of Bandon, who was accompanied by his wife. The Carpenter car hit Stam's truck on the left front end, bounced up in the air and spun into another pickup, driven by Eric Reuter-crona of Sixes, then flipped back across the highway and headed into the bank facing east. The Reuter-crona vehicle was almost stopped when hit.

Mrs. Stam sustained a sprained ankle and chest injuries and was rendered unconscious from the impact. She was released after treatment at Southern Coos General Hospital. Mr. Stam suffered six fractured left ribs. Also released Wednesday with a punctured left lung, caused from the broken ribs.

Carpenter received a badly lacerated right knee and invasion of the joint, lacerated middle finger with invasion of the joint, severe lacerations of the skull and multiple abrasions and contusions. According to a medical report, his progress is slow.

Reuter-crona was not injured and damage to his pickup was mild. The Stam pickup was extensively damaged and the Carpenter car is considered a total loss.

A complaint for failure to drive on the right side of the highway may be filed against Carpenter, according to officers.

Grayshel Seeks County Position

Charles H. Grayshel (R), a Brookings Realtor, has announced his intention to file for the position of Curry County Commissioner, the post now held by William L. Campbell (R), also of Brookings.

The office will be up for election this coming November. A former Curry county judge, by appointment, Grayshel said civic and community leaders throughout the county have asked him to run for the seat.

State Promotes Travel Shows

Oregon will participate in eight major travel and vacation shows in some of the nation's leading cities in 1964 and will be host to four travel editors in a tour of the state this summer, the Oregon State Highway Department said today.

These decisions were made at the recent meeting of the board of directors of the Pacific Northwest Travel Association at Butte, Montana. Forty-five travel officials from Oregon, Washington, Idaho, Montana, North Dakota and British Columbia attended the meeting to coordinate efforts to lure vacationers to the Pacific Northwest this year.

The travel shows in which PNTA will participate are in Kansas City, Milwaukee, Chicago, Minneapolis, Dallas, Los Angeles, Oakland and Sacramento. The Travel Division of the Highway Department is a member of PNTA, as are a number of Oregon chambers of commerce and resorts.

The Travel Division will be host to four travel editors on a PNTA-sponsored tour of Oregon July 12-25. The editors are Kermit Holt of the Chicago Tribune, Betty Martin of the Los Angeles Times, Marian Zailain of the San Francisco Chronicle, and the travel editor of the Vancouver, B.C., Sun.

Attending the Butte meeting from Oregon were Jack McMahan, Grants Pass; Don McNeil, Medford; Fred Brenne, Eugene; Robert Smith, Springfield; Dudley McClure, V. A. McNeil, and Ray Clark, all of Portland, and Dennis Clarke, Salem, representing the Highway Department.

PORT ORFORD NEWS

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Port Debt Nears End

Commissioners of the Port of Port Orford were enthusiastic over business transacted during the year 1963 and look to the future for a continued increase, and retirement of a private loan within the first half of 1964.

Port accounts show a record high of 42 and a half million board feet of lumber shipped over the dock in 1963. An increase of nine and a half million over 33 million in 1962.

It was also noted that only \$6,900 remains outstanding on the \$30,000 loan made by the port for dock construction following a 1960 storm that demolished a new dock along with a million feet of lumber.

The port receives a 50 cents per thousand feet of lumber shipped over the dock from Ocean View Lumber Co., dock lessee. Of this amount, 35 cents goes to retire the loan and 15 cents is retained by the port for construction, maintenance and repairs.

Personal Property Reports Are Due

All individuals or businesses with taxable personal property are required by law to file a report with the county assessor on or before Mar. 2. The law provides for penalties upon failure to do so.

Forms are available at the assessor's office in case you didn't receive one. An earlier filing would be greatly appreciated.

Junior Chamber of Commerce DSA Award Banquet Slated Saturday

The Port Orford Jaycees will hold their annual D. S. A. banquet at Whalens Saturday night January 25, 1964 at seven thirty p. m.

The Distinguished Service Award will be presented to a young man between the ages of 21 and 35 years (not necessarily a Jaycee) for his contributions to general community welfare, evidence of leadership ability, evidence of personal or business progress.

Terry Green, National Director from Medford, will be the guest speaker. Frank St. Clair, District 8 Vice President, will be master of ceremonies.

Judges for the award will be Lloyd Bates, Red McWilliams and Loraine Haines.

If you know of some worthy young man simply write his name and qualifications and send to any one of these judges.

Top '49er Here Tonite

Tonight is the night when Abe Woodson, San Francisco 49er's defensive backfield man and the most outstanding back artist in the National Football League, will appear at Pacific high school.

Woodson, named All-Pro for the last three years, holds all records for kick-off returns in the National League. He is also a former All American halfback from the University of Illinois, and a famous track star.

These famous run-backs will be the subject of films Woodson will show at the school. His collection dates from his University days.

Sponsored by the Quarterbackers, the meeting is open to the public and is free of charge, according to Norm Baker, who arranged the event.

Mrs. Weir Heads Local Drive For Heart Fund

Maude Weir will be chairman of Port Orford's 1964 Heart Fund campaign, it was announced today by Mrs. Doris Anderson, Brookings, Curry county chairman. Proceeds of the campaign will be used to fight the heart and circulatory diseases, now responsible for more than 56% of all deaths in Oregon. These diseases include heart attack, stroke, high blood pressure and hardening of the arteries, rheumatic fever and inborn heart defects.

The annual nationwide campaign which supports the research, education and community service programs of the American Heart Association and its affiliates, begins each year with the opening of Heart Month, Feb. 1. It continues through Feb. 29.

"I am happy to accept the chairmanship of the 1964 Heart Fund campaign and to join actively in this health crusade which is saving hearts in our own community and throughout Oregon," Mrs. Weir said.

This assignment is challenging because it is concerned with a great complex of diseases which constitutes the Number One U.S. health problem of our times.

The Heart Fund will reach its high point here during Heart Week, Feb. 17 to Feb. 23, when volunteers will visit their neighbors to distribute information about the heart and its diseases and receive contributions. During this week visitations are to be carried out by more than 10,000 Heart Fund volunteers in residential communities throughout Oregon.

Committees for the town will be announced soon and cooperation of clubs and organizations will be greatly appreciated, Mrs. Weir said.

DISORDERLY CONDUCT BRINGS PROBATION

Bette Haga and Geraldine Miller, both of Langlois, were found guilty of disorderly conduct by Judge Arthur F. Niemann Monday. They were both placed on one year's probation.

Famous Hypnotist Emmet Cronan To Appear Here February First

An interesting, weird, amusing and amazing exhibition that will astound young and old alike will be presented here Saturday, February 1, under sponsorship of the local Junior Chamber of Commerce.

The big attraction will be the famous hypnotist and mental wizard, Emmet Cronan, in an hour and a half of demonstrations bridging from the occult to feats of the mind.

A newscaster with KCBY-TV in Coos Bay, Cronan has appeared in night clubs and community shows throughout Canada and the Northwest United States with his performance that features the hypnotizing of individuals and groups, including the audience, then inducing them to perform many amusing feats—to the delight of those watching. He also gives amazing demonstrations of memory and performs acts while totally blindfolded.

The human heart, at whatever age, opens only to the heart that opens in return.

David Conley is Distinguished Cadet



David A. Conley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed B. Conley, Elk River Road, Port Orford, Ore., was designated a Distinguished Air Force ROTC Cadet at ceremonies in the Home Economics Auditorium, Oregon State University, Corvallis, Oregon recently.

Selections for this award are based on the cadets' unusual ability, initiative and leadership qualities essential to successful performance of duty as a potential Air Force Officer. Selection for this award also

permits the cadet to apply for a regular commission in the United States Air Force.

The recipient is shown above receiving congratulations from Lt. Colonel Horlo L. Fross, Professor of Air Science, Oregon State University.

Matron's Suit For Back Pay Denied Monday

Circuit Judge Dal. M. King last Monday sustained a demurrer presented by District Attorney Robert Miller in the suit of Opal V. (Pat) Bates vs. Curry county in which she seeks more than \$39,000 from the county for back pay.

Miller cited that the former county jail matron's complaint does not state facts sufficient to constitute a cause of action, and that the court has no jurisdiction of the person of the defendant (Curry County) in this type of action.

Mrs. Bates' attorney now has ten days in which to file an amended complaint, or refuse to attempt to state a cause of action, or the complaint will be dismissed.

Three Off List

Salem—Governor Mark Hatfield announced today that Salem, Klamath Falls, and Ontario have been removed from the U.S. Department of Labor's list of smaller areas of substantial unemployment. Reason for the removal in all cases is a strengthened economy over the past year and a good outlook for the future. The three areas will, however, remain eligible for Accelerated Public Works for three more months, the Department said.

Two Oregon Jerseys Set Five National Production Records

Two registered Jersey cows owned by Sweet Jerseys, Sixes, Ore., have broken five national production records, officials of The American Jersey Cattle Club have announced.

Tristram Basil Pearl, bred by A. W. Sweet, completed her 12 years 8 months record with 18,051 lbs. milk, 950 lbs. fat in 305 days, twice a day milking, on both Dairy Herd Improvement Registry and Register of Merit test.

This is the highest milk and fat record for Jerseys 12 years of age or older on 2x-305 on all forms of official testing. This record gives her four places on two lists of National Class Leaders of the Jersey breed for cows 12 years of age or older milked twice a day for 305 days.

It is the highest record for both milk and fat in her class on Register of Merit, as well as the highest record for both milk and fat on the combined list of DHIR-HIR National Class Leaders.

Her lifetime production to date is 163,821 lbs. milk, 9,086 lbs. fat. She is classified Excellent for type.

Le Mar Searchlight Azalea, another cow in the Sweet herd, became HIR-DHIR National Class Leader for milk, with an all-time high milk record for Jerseys on HIR or DHIR test in the senior 2-year-old, 305-day, twice a day milking class. At 2 years 7 months, she made 15,230 lbs. milk, 721 lbs. fat, 2x-305. She was bred by Leo Oliver, Valley, Wash.

Officials of the American Jersey Cattle Club say that these all-time records are of special significance in that they were made in a herd of more than 200 Jerseys which is operated on a completely mechanical, commercial basis.

WEEKLY WEATHER				
Date	Max	Min	Rain	
Jan. 15	53	41	.00	
Jan. 16	53	45	.89	
Jan. 17	52	39	1.53	
Jan. 18	49	40	.27	
Jan. 19	53	37	2.51	
Jan. 20	52	42	.39	

Handed Down
"Must there always be federal deficits?" asks a congressional apostle of thrift. Perhaps not. However, it is one of those fine old traditions.
—Denver Post