

Curry Public Works Projects Include Chetco and Rogue

Washington, D.C. — The House Appropriations Committee has recommended \$100,000 for operations and maintenance of public works in Curry County during the next fiscal year, beginning July 1, Congressman Robert B. Duncan (D-Ore.) announced today.

The committee's recommendations, which had been urged by Duncan and included in the President's budget, were \$20,000 for the Chetco River and \$80,000 for the Rogue River at Gold Beach.

been unusually cooperative and fair with our district," Lun can said.

"I have tried to ask only for that which can be justified as economically sound and that which is reasonable in view of the available funds at the committee's disposal," Duncan pointed out. "I have served on the Appropriation Committee at Salem and I believe the committee members appreciate this somewhat novel approach."

"I will do everything possible during the coming year," Duncan said, "to move along as rapidly as possible with a sound program of public works. The construction of these essential public works adds significantly to the economy of our district. The money put into this construction work is in fact an investment and not an expenditure and will return benefits to the 4th District and the country for many years into the future."

The committee approved \$150,000, not included in the President's budget request, for initial planning for Applegate Reservoir on the Rogue River. The unusual procedure resulted from an appeal by Duncan to the committee to grant at least minimum planning funds for Applegate and Elk Creek reservoirs on the Rogue River so that the two dams could proceed at the same time as Lost Creek Reservoir.

The committee chose to continue the Lost Creek project at almost full speed and ject at almost full speed and I am very grateful," Duncan said.

"In addition it gave us the full capacity of the Corps of Engineers in planning for Applegate despite the fact that this was not in the President's budget. While no funds were included for Elk Creek, the Appropriations Committee has

Rugged Scenery Wildlife Seen On Rogue Trip

Seven boys of the FFA Chapter of Pacific High School with Advisor Charles Hines left Langlois Friday, June 5, at 3:00 p.m. to go to Grants Pass. There were joined by the Grants Pass Chapter and their advisor, Wallace Eichler, an experienced river guide.

The first night camp was made at Graves Creek and the following day the entire group covered 17 miles of the roughest terrain before making camp at Meadow Creek.

Tuckers Flat was the next stop where the group was treated to a steak fry sponsored by the Grants Pass Chapter. Leaving Tuckers Flat the next morning we passed through the Mule Creek gorge and the bubbling water of the "coffee pot" of the Rogue river. It was along this area that bear, deer, otter and wild ducks were seen as well as many wild flowers. Squirming along the narrow trail of Devil's Back Canyon, we could see the river 500 feet below us.

We continued along this narrow trail for seven miles of unbelievable territory to Illahe where we again set up camp for the night. The next morning we hiked our last six miles to Agness where we enjoyed lunch before returning to Gold Beach on the mail boat. We could appreciate the skill it took to maneuver the boats through the rapids and around the rocks.

The boys who took the 47 mile trip were Floyd Chase, Alan Haga, Rayburn Guerin, Roy Barr, Harry Moller, Mike Knapp, Ricky Bauman and one guest Dick Hindes.

JUSTICE COURT

Cases appearing before Justice Arthur F. Niemann in Justice Court since last report were:

Robert Lincoln Grant, June 10, no vehicle license, \$5; Charles Franklin Emery, June 10, no operator license, \$5; Bernell Adair Roundy, June 11, VBR, \$15; Robert Ernest Gentry, June 11, no operator license, \$5; George Lindsay, June 11, overload, dismissed; Elmer Charles Robison, June 11, exceed bag limit, (clams), \$25, \$4.50 court cost, \$10 suspended; Fred Landston Burton, June 12, VBR, \$10; Howard Ellis Calhoun, June 15, VBR, \$25; Wanda Verna Nickolson, June 16, no vehicle license, \$5.

HERE FROM COTTAGE GROVE

Spending the weekend at the Ira Delamarter home were Mr. and Mrs. Barney Isel and family of Cottage Grove.

They visited with many of their friends here before returning home Sunday evening.



County Court Starts Youth Employment

At a special meeting Monday, June 15, the Curry County Court adopted plans for a summer youth employment program. The plan was submitted by W. L. Anderson and follows ideas and experiences of other such programs used in Lane, Marion, Hood River and Multnomah counties and the city of Portland.

The plan calls for employing 25 boys for camp development and construction work on the Lobster Creek campsite and to do other forestry, trail and right-of-way clearing projects as time and finances will permit. The program starts July 6 and will run for six weeks.

Exercise Is Good For Dad

As Father's Day approaches, the other members of the family will be whispering behind his back, hoping secret conclaves to find a special way to pamper Papa. A fairly typical family plan includes breakfast in bed for dear old Dad, his favorite menu for Sunday dinner, some gaily wrapped gifts, and a 24-hour reprieve from his usual chores — no matter how much he enjoys going them.

Father's Day would be a good time for the family to enter into a conspiracy to keep the head of the house in good physical condition all year round and for many Father's Days to come. All fathers should get some form of daily exercise apart from their work, according to your Oregon Heart Association. Daily exercise prevents muscles from turning into marshmallows, helps work off the annoyances and frustrations of everyday life. It keeps Dad a solid citizen rather than a softie. In short, daily exercise is good for his heart and his health as well as his appearance and state of mind.

Most important of all, the family might conspire to help Dad find the time and opportunity for exercise every day of the year. If he's been especially sedentary in his habits, suggest a physical exam before he tackles strenuous sports. Even after the check-up convinces him that a gradual approach makes sense. Don't let him literally knock himself out trying to impress little brother.

Putting Pop on a pedestal is fine — for one day. But he can get out of condition very fast up there not moving a muscle.

Boys accepted on the program will be nominated by the principals of the three high schools in the county and their counselors. Age limits are 14 through high school years.

The youths will be divided into four working crews with a boy in each group as crew leader. They will receive \$6 per day and crew members will earn \$5 per day each.

A hired cook and a foreman will make up the rest of the staff.

It was suggested that an advisory committee be established by the County Court to include representation from the three areas in Curry County, school administration, Intermediate Education District, County PTA Council, County Core Committee on Children and Youth, Juvenile Department, County Recreation Commission, State Forestry Dept. U. S. Forest Service and the County Road Department.

It was also recommended that a youth employment service be established in Brookings, Gold Beach and Port Orford to serve as a clearing house for youth employment during the summer. This program could be similar to the one conducted in Brookings in 1962. The State Employment Service, Chambers of Commerce, PTA and other interested civic groups should be contacted in each district to take the leadership in developing a youth employment service. It is suggested that \$200 be allotted to each district as matching funds to help on the expenses of this youth employment service.

Port Orford Man In The Philippines

USS Eldorado — Gary L. Marsh, seaman apprentice, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Marsh of Port Orford, is participating aboard the Navy amphibious command ship USS Eldorado in a combined sea-assault and airborne combat training exercise called "LIGTAS" May 12 to June 10 under the direction of the South-East Asia Treaty Organization (SEATO) in the Philippines.

"LIGTAS", meaning "rescued" or "saved" in the Philippine language, is being sponsored by the United States and hosted by the Republic of the Philippines.

All member nations are participating in the exercise which is part of a SEATO general counter-offensive to be used if an "enemy" should invade South-East Asia and gain control.

Democrats Name Alternates For Convention

The fourth Congressional Democratic Party District Committee today selected five alternates to attend the Democratic National Convention in Atlantic City, N.J.

The meeting was held Sunday in Roseburg. The action was by unanimous vote of chairmen and vice chairmen from Curry, Douglas, Josephine, Lane and Linn counties. Those designated as alternates were: John O'Holleran, Brookings; Sidney Leiken, Roseburg; Edward Kienstra, Grants Pass; Louvarna Hartman, Sweet Home; Paul Hoffman, Eugene.

George Balsiger, chairman of the 4th District committee said "a full discussion was held on the motion of the State Democratic Executive meeting designating this procedure for selection of alternates. After approving that action unanimously the names from various counties were placed in nomination, and upon motion, also approved unanimously, the five named were selected."

Mrs. Carl Back, Port Orford, wife of Representative Carl Back, and Mrs. Charles W. Brooks, Sixes, represented Curry county at the meeting.

Clothing Course Scheduled by SWOC

A new course called Clothing Selection and Construction is scheduled for the 1964 SWOC summer session. It was announced today. The course is designed for students who are faced with the responsibility of selecting a wardrobe for college or work and who would like to learn how to construct garments quickly and easily.

The course will be offered in two sections. Section One will meet on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 9 to 11:30 a.m.; the other will meet on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 1 to 3:30 p.m. Both sections will utilize the college's new campus located off Newmark Avenue in Empire, Oregon, and will meet on Tuesday, June 23.

Mrs. Veneta Stender of the Home Economics Department will instruct the course.

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Forest Protection Comes High

Salem — Forest protection costs of nearly \$3,677,000 are anticipated for the fiscal year beginning July 1 on some 15,450,000 acres of forest land administered by the State Forestry Department and affiliated Forest Protective Associations, according to State Forester Dwight L. Phipps.

In addition to this budgeted amount, there is about \$1,608,000 in emergency fire funds which is available for fire fighting, only after a minimum prescribed district expenditure has been made.

Another \$1,800,000 will be spent by private timber owners on their lands for hazard reduction and other extra forest protection measures.

Of the \$3,677,000 budgeted, the general public will contribute approximately \$964,000

toward the cost of protecting this half of Oregon's forest lands. Some \$420,000 of this will come from the state general fund for conservation activities of the department and fire protection administrators in the field. The other \$544,000 will be federal tax monies that come to the state through funds allotted under the Clarke-McNary act.

Forest landowners including private, federal and state will contribute some \$2,713,000 to the normal forest protection \$1,900,000 will be expended by activities, while the additional private landowners to further fire-proof their forest lands.

Of the \$1,608,000 available in the form of emergency fire fighting funds, about \$1,283,000 is contained in a west side fund made up through a severance tax on all timber harvested from lands within the boundaries of the forest protection units in western Oregon. A forest acreage assessment and severance tax in eastern Oregon for emergency fire fighting has accumulated \$25,000 while \$300,000 has been set aside from timber harvested on state-owned lands for fire responsibilities where a conflagration breaks out on these lands.

Curry TB Group Elects Officers

The Curry County Tuberculosis and Health Association met in Gold Beach, June 12, at the Court House, for their quarterly meeting and election of officers.

The following were elected for the coming year: president, Mins DeVoe; first vice president, Dorothea Miller; treasurer, Wanda Brace, Gold Beach; secretary, Alma Deets, Langlois; second vice president, Vernon Hanseam, Harbor, and Rev. K. D. Killin, executive secretary of Brookings.

Preparing a budget, selecting committee chairmen and making plans for the coming year were taken care of at this meeting. Mrs. Connie Niemi of Brookings will again serve as Seal Sale chairman for Curry county.

Seven Rules For Burning Trash

1. Get your permit from the city hall before you start burning.
2. Do your burning in the early morning, never burn late at night, it may burn you out before morning.
3. Be sure you have a hose charged with water — never leave your fire unattended.
4. Never burn too large a pile of trash at a time, always keep your fire under control.
5. If you have too much trash to burn, call your Fire Chief, he will arrange for a stand-by truck.
6. Be sure your fire is all out before you leave it.
7. Never burn when the wind is blowing hard enough to scatter your fire.

Your Fire Chief

SEASIDE VISITORS

Mrs. Brooks Wagner and children, Tammy and Brian, are in Port Orford for a two week vacation visiting friends and relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Wagner, Seaside, Oregon, are former residents of Port Orford. While here they are staying with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Forty.

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