

WPA Activity During 5 1/2-Year Period Listed

A summary report of W. P. A. accomplishments during five and one-half years of its operation in Washington county was received here this week from E. J. Griffith, state administrator. The summarization covers the period from July 1, 1935, date of the program's inception, through December 31, 1940.

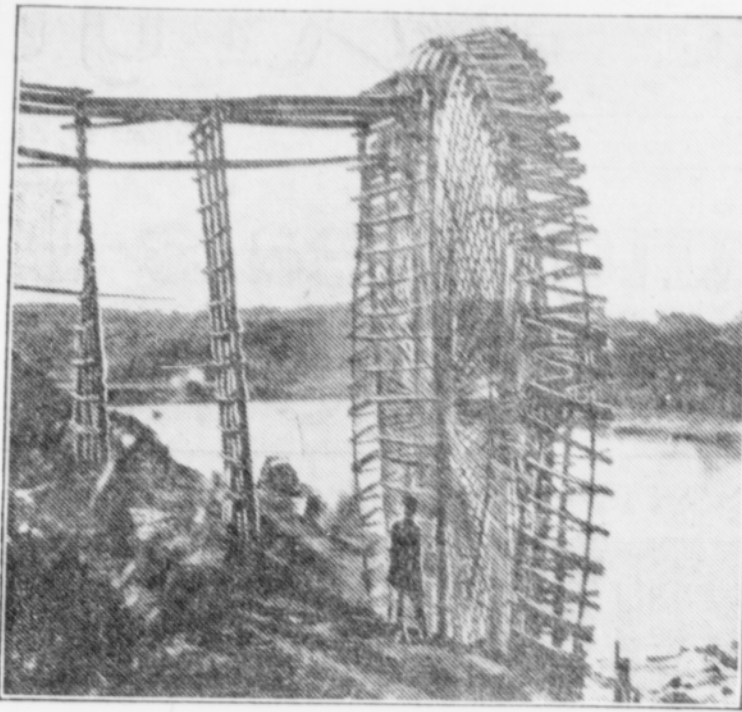
The list of improvements includes over 151 miles of new and reconstructed highways, roads and streets, eight bridges and viaducts constructed in addition to 705 new culverts and 27 improved, over 90 miles of new ditch and pipe road drainage and approximately 19 miles improved, ten miles of sidewalks and paths and over four miles of curbing.

The list also includes 366 traffic signs erected, six new public buildings constructed, an eight improved, 10 new recreational buildings, five reconstructed, three stadiums, grandstands and bleachers and two playgrounds.

In the classification of utilities are over 24 miles of new water mains and distribution lines along with improvements of 24 additional miles, 864 new water consumer connections established and 21 others improved, over five miles of storm and sanitary sewers constructed in addition to reconstruction of approximately four miles, and 89 sewerage service connections established and 562 sanitary privies installed.

Retaining wall and revetments reached a total of 860 linear feet and over 7,066 square feet of rip-rap were placed.

White Oil Runs China's Industries



Vest-pocket industries have been set up in the interior by refugees from the devastated coast of China. They are ingeniously utilizing water wheels on the hundreds of rivers to provide electrical energy to run thousands of small, decentralized factories now manufacturing everything from soap to small dynamos. Three thousand such factories were established in the last year with the help of donations from abroad, and the United China Relief campaign for \$5,000,000 plans to increase the number considerably.

did quite a bit of damage Wednesday night in this community, damaging prune orchards, blowing down fences and telephone poles and blowing the farmers hay all over. Electric light service was also off for a number of hours.

Twister Seen

ALOHA—At the still, breezeless hour of five, Sunday p. m., the residents along the Farmington road (such as were home) were startled out of their houses by a strange, loud roar. As cyclones were as alien to Oregon, they naturally looked up into the sky for a squadron of Douglas bombers. Instead they saw tree tops whirling and tangled with flying hay shocks picked up from a nearby field.

After playing awhile in this manner, the aerospinner went farther down the road, gathered up a burning trash pile, scattered the embers among some hay shocks close to Emil Bella's house and burned them out. Seven minutes later, the Beaverton fire department was called. The Bella yard was full of neighbors stamping out the spreading fire.

This neighborhood fire party was then turned into a "victory party," congratulating Mr. and Mrs. Bella on the way things turned out. We have had thunder storms, hail storms, hot winds and whirlwinds, and nothing now remains to be desired unless it be a good rain.

Old Fire Flares Up

LAUREL—The fire which burned over several acres of woods and destroyed about 100 cords of cord wood on a tract of Oregon and Washington grant land about a mile southwest of the Laurel store the first of last week, broke out anew the middle of the week and fanned by a strong wind, threatened the Verdigan home and some nearby grain fields. Crews of men were fighting for several days to subdue the flames. One spot broke out again Sunday evening and men were forced to stay and watch all night again. It was well under control again Monday morning.

KINTON—People in this community were treated to some real eastern weather Thursday night. One of the severest electric storms in years struck here with bolts striking close enough to completely demolish two phones and blow out all the transformers on the Pleasant valley electric line.

Plans Launched for "Hobby Lobby"

—Dr. J. Vernon Horne; Minerals, agates, nodules—Bill Meehan, Bob Dugdale, Pottery—Neal Bush; Guns, bows and arrows—Dr. E. W. Almqvist; Miniature boats, airplanes and engines—Eric Margg; Harry Bates.

Hunting, fishing, camping—Howard Hadley; Old glass and dishes—Jack Murton; Nature displays—Keith Susbauer.

Phenomenal success was had with "Hobby Lobby" last year, which was the first time that this feature was included on the county fair program. In anticipation of an even greater success this year, "Hobby Lobby" has been enlarged to accommodate more exhibits as well as larger crowds, Wieber said.

The former 4-H sleeping quarters which last year adjoined "Hobby Lobby" on the upstairs floor of the Farmers' Union building have been eliminated this year, not only giving more floor space for exhibits but giving the upstairs hall a separate entrance and exit. This will permit spectator traffic to flow continuously through the hall without jamming, Wieber said.

Reedville Does Part in Drive For Aluminum

REEDVILLE—Aluminum for the nation-wide aluminum drive will be collected here this week during the national drive, according to Mrs. E. J. La Rue, president of the P-T-A. Persons having unused or discarded aluminum are asked to leave it at the Reedville store.

Have Narrow Escape
Mr. and Mrs. Jay Frost and son Leon and granddaughter Roberta Prink of Portland, narrowly escaped serious injury Sunday when turning from the picnic held by Beaverton Old Fellow and R. Bekah at Hirtler's park at Dundee. The accident occurred between Newberg and Scholls when their car was crowded into the highway by a passing motorist. The Frost car rolled over one and a half times, and the occupants, though badly bruised and shaken, made their exit through the windows and were picked up by a passing car. The Frost car was badly damaged.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Wagenblast have returned from a week's vacation at Seaside.

Mrs. W. M. Snipes, accompanied by Mrs. Mary Olinger, Mrs. Katherine Yaeger, Mrs. J. R. Harris, Mrs. Beaverton and Geraldine Snipes, spent the week-end at Cannon Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. La Rue and daughters, in company of a group of Portland relatives, spent Sunday picnicking at Carver's park on Clackamas river.

Breaks Arm Again
Edward Prink, 5, who fell from a cherry tree and broke his left arm at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Frost, four weeks ago, fell at his home in Portland last Monday and broke the same arm in two places. He will now wear a splint for another six weeks.

In Genuine Nebraska Storm
Miss Betty Brown, daughter of Mrs. Grant Brown, returned last Tuesday from a month's vacation trip by train during which she viewed many points of interest en route to Niagara Falls. Following a visit with relatives in Omaha and while accompanying her cousin, Lieut. Dale Weese, July 20 on a motor trip to visit her aunt, Mrs. Mabel Lageschulte at Randolph, Neb., she encountered a terrific rain and rain storm near Belton, Neb., causing a coating of mud on their windshield which made driving impossible. The enforced stop in the torrential downpour resulted in a wet engine and a mechanic was called to correct that trouble. When nearing their destination the car became mired and a team was called which failed to extricate the car but a tractor finally saved the day. In Ann Arbor, Mich., she visited her cousin Miss Elizabeth Brown and together they visited the old home of her paternal great-grandmother in Lexington, Ohio, which has been in the Brown family for more than a century, and part of the original barn still stands although the dwelling has been remodeled. In Ashland, Ohio, they visited the former home of her maternal great-grandmother, which was built of sandstone and still is occupied though 125 years old. One of the highlights of the trip was a tour of Ford's famous Greenfield Village at Dearborn, Mich., with its wealth of historic relics, in company of a large group of members of the International Educators' Institute.

Easterners Visit Hazeldale Homes

HAZELDALE—Guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Hesterlee are Mrs. Hesterlee's two sisters, Mrs. Tom Green and Mrs. Bert Greenwood and twin sons Billy and Bobby of Mantford, Okla. Mrs. Hesterlee and daughters Ometa and Wanda and their guests spent the week-end at the Kelly cottage at Manhattan beach.

Clare Walker had as her guest last week Miss Marie Bisto of Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Blaker and children have moved from the Henry Fowler place to the Ellerson place next door.

Mrs. Harold Shaper was called to Fern Hill Monday because of the illness of her father, Fred

Bloyd, who had collapsed with the heat last week.

Missourian Visits
Albert Boen of Kirksville, Mo., is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Kelly.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kolabaha attended a family reunion picnic at Oregon City, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Walker spent Sunday at Taft.

Mrs. Dick Kelly left Tuesday to spend a week with her daughter, Mrs. J. A. McMillan, at The Dalles.

Recent guests of Mrs. Edith Jack were her son Melvin Jack of Sylva, N. C., and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Seabee of Hood River.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Weaver were week-end visitors at Long Beach, Wash.

Clare Walker left Sunday to at-

tend the Girl Reserve camp West Wind near Otis, for ten days.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Webber and daughter Doris returned last Thursday from a week's vacation at Seaside.

Marion Panshah entertained a group of 20 friends with a picnic dinner and barbecue at his home Sunday.

Roger Bouden returned home Friday from a Portland hospital, where he took treatments the past week.

Bernice Inlah returned after a week's vacation at home to Portland Monday, where she is employed by Mrs. Ed Snodgrass.

E. W. Livemore spent the week-end at Myrtle Point looking over some property which he owns there.

Attends Convention
Richard Southwaite Jr. left

Sunday to attend the American Legion convention at Eugene.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Garven spent the week-end at Seaside.

Billy Inlah left Monday to spend a week with friends at Molalla.

Collect for U. S. O.
ALOHA—Up to date Aloha has collected \$89.35 for the U. S. O. Solicitors for Aloha were Mesdames Henry A. Thomas, Robert A. Montgomery, Thomas B. Voorhis, Lawrence J. La Due, J. N. Peterson, Frank Gaunt, August Nyland, and T. A. Emerson, Henry A. Nielson and Rev. H. Marcus Godwin.

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Lightning Kills Aloha Farmer

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mated that more than 200 fires set by lightning were burning Friday on state and private lands on the west side of the Cascade slope and that probably as many more were burning in federal lands.

In addition to setting fires in county forests, lightning played havoc with telephone connections between Forest Grove and the various lookout stations, giving the fire warden's office and rangers a real opportunity to use short-wave radio sets recently added to this district's fire-fighting equipment. The sets made it possible to maintain communication, Kyle said.

Strikes in Field
Lightning struck in a wheat field on the farm of County Judge H. D. Kerkman and burned a patch about eight feet across, but heavy rain of short duration which followed seconds after the bolt struck put the fire out before it spread. Bolts also peppered trees and fields in other parts of the county, in many cases causing damage to crops and orchards.

As late as Sunday, freak weather conditions were prevailing. At Aloha, residents were attracted by a strange, whirring sound and investigated to find a miniature twister frolicking through their community, ripping small trees to bits and scattering stocks of hay.

Fire Tree Hit
SHADY BROOK—The lightning storm Thursday evening jarred the residents of this community considerably when it struck a fire tree in the burnyard of the Spear place. Mr. Spear and Clay Dorland saved quite a conflagration by dashing a bucket of water on the fire in the tree. The barn full of hay was only a few feet away from the tree. The bolt blew out several transformers and put the lights out at the Dorland and Minamoto farms.

Aged Trees Splintered
MOUNTAINDALE—Last Wednesday night during the electrical storm locust trees in the J. L. Vandoren yard were struck and many parts of the trees fell. These trees are believed to be nearly 100 years old. When they fell they broke all the telephone and electric lines and the community was without electricity until noon on Thursday.

Wind Causes Damage
KANSAS CITY—The wind storm

Bright Winner Of Poem Prize

ALOHA—HUBER—At the annual Verseweavers' picnic at "Shore Acres," the home of Mrs. Edith Hazen of Milwaukie, Verne Bright won first prize in the contest of the day, in which favorite poems of those attending were read and judged by the audience.

Melba Anderson is spending a week with her grandmother, Mrs. N. P. Nelson, of Newberg.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hays spent a ten-day vacation at Ocean Park, Wash.

Mrs. Alice Adkins returned from a two weeks' visit with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Smith of Willamina. While there all went on a fishing trip to Newport.

The Harold Lindahl family of Oakland, Cal. are here visiting his mother, Mrs. Selma Lindahl.

Buys Place
John Walters of Cedar Mill bought, through the office of C. J. Stiekney, the Bertrouche place on Baseline road north of Reedville, 15 acres well improved.

Donald Turner is spending a week at the home of his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Turner, of McMinnville.

Mrs. J. L. Turner has a new and artistic sign on her beauty shop.

William Morrill of Portland bought the James place on West Blanton avenue and is established there as a junior captain in the Portland fire department.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Carson and daughter Carole of Tacoma, Wash. have taken up their residence in White House apartments, at Tobias.

Mrs. Louise Berry was hostess to her music class at a picnic party Tuesday at Jantzen Beach. About 80 friends were present.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Berry, Mr. and Mrs. L. Schappert, Mrs. Myrtle Lambing and Mrs. Anna Lindman spent the week-end at Redmond where they visited Mrs. Lingman's daughter, Doris, who is connected with the county agent's office there.

Mrs. F. L. Moore of Olympia, Wash., is a guest of her niece, Mrs. Grant Foster.

Here From Frisco
Mrs. Alice Baker of San Francisco is visiting a week with her niece, Mrs. Emily Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Berry of Los Angeles are here for a visit with Mrs. Berry's mother, Mrs. Emily Snyder. On the way they stopped at Fresno to take on George Kirchner, who will spend the rest of the summer with his grandmother, Mrs. Emily Snyder, and his other grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray L. Antrim.

Mrs. Emily Snyder spent a few days visiting her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Nelson, of Spokane.

Mears Widow Sues for \$38,700

Two civil suits asking a total of \$38,700 in damages have been filed in the Multnomah county circuit court by Charlotte L. Mears, widow of the late John A. Mears, Multnomah county district judge, who was fatally injured in an automobile collision on the Gales Creek highway last November 11.

R. E. Butts and Alfred E. Butts are named as defendants. One suit seeks \$10,000 for fatal injuries suffered by Judge Mears and the other asks \$28,700 for injuries suffered by Mrs. Mears in the same collision.

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