

Industry Group Requests McKay to Delay Action

Further attempts to delay proposed changes in logging road right-of-way regulations on O & C timberlands were made in Washington, D. C., this week.

Ray C. Swanson, president of the Western Forest Industries Assn., telegraphed Interior Secretary Douglas McKay this week his views on the proposals.

"Members of our association," he said, "... inform me that if these changes are made by you it will in effect transfer control over a substantial portion of O & C's 2 billion dollar timber resource from the Department of Interior to a few big, private operators."

"By giving control over key access roads to a few big operators, many others will be put out of business, with fair competition strangled in many areas."

URGES HEARINGS

Swanson urged McKay to hold public hearings in "key areas" so that "you will know in advance exactly what you are doing to the communities in these areas."

Chairman Murray (D-Mont.), of the State Interior Committee, has asked Secretary of the Interior McKay to delay the change, according to Senator Neuberger (D-Ore.), to permit a review of the proposals by the Interior Committee.

Neuberger said Murray acted at the request of himself and Sen-

ator Morse (Ind-Ore). Neuberger earlier had written McKay requesting public hearings on the proposal.

Neuberger told the Associated Press that he hoped committee consideration would result in "permanent shelving" of the changes. He expressed belief the changes "would facilitate monopoly in the lumber industry in Oregon and would lead to discrimination against the small logger and operator."

CROSSING RIGHTS

The proposed change which has aroused the most objection from smaller operators would alter a present provision in which the government may request "reciprocal" crossing rights across privately-owned timberland when it grants a right-of-way to a logging firm over O & C lands.

The proposed change, opponents say, would make it optional for the private owner to grant "reciprocal" crossings. Opponents argue that the present provision gives the government support to gain access to publically-owned timber which is blocked by private holdings.

Opponents also argue that the change would give the private timberland owner a stronger position in setting fees to other loggers who use roads across his land.

Miss Starmer Testifies at Trial

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home, 2380 Emerald St., just prior to the fatal stabbing.

"Archie and Mom were in the bathroom. I remember Archie said 'something is going to happen around here.' They struggled through the hallway into the front room."

While explaining the struggle, Miss Starmer used a pointer and a large-scale drawing of the interior of the Swanberg's residence to show the jury the route her parents took.

"When they reached the front room, I showed Archie the knife. I said if he didn't let go of my Mom I didn't know what would happen, that I might stab him. Then he grabbed for the knife, but I drew it back. I think he cut his hand."

Miss Starmer said Swanberg then dragged her mother, Anne, toward the front door. "Still holding Mother, he grabbed me by the throat. Then Mom hit him on the head with a flashlight. He turned from me. That is all I remember," the girl testified.

HOLDING KNIFE

She said just before Swanberg was stabbed he was bending over Mrs. Swanberg and trying to push the woman's head into a china closet.

"After that I don't know what happened. I saw him going back across the room. His hands were behind his back and he was gasping for air. I didn't realize he had been stabbed until I looked at the knife I was holding

and saw it was covered with blood."

Under cross-examination, Miss Starmer was asked by Dist. Atty. Eugene Venn whether she had pursued her step-father with a butcher knife six weeks prior to his death.

"No, I'm sure of that," Miss Starmer answered.

"Did Archie ever beat you?" Venn asked.

"Once when I tried to help Mom."

"I hated the things he did. When he was drinking he had a vicious temper," the girl replied.

BILLFOLD

Evidence presented in court Thursday indicates the argument and struggle which led to the fatal stabbing centered around a billfold containing \$10.

According to the testimony, when Mr. and Mrs. Swanberg drove up in front of their home the evening of Oct. 1, they were quarreling.

Mrs. Swanberg got out of the car as Miss Starmer came running from the house to meet her. Miss Starmer tried to grab her mother's purse from the car seat but didn't take it when she saw Swanberg coming around the car toward her.

The mother and daughter ran into the house and locked the door. Swanberg asked to be let in and was refused. He returned to the car to disable it by removing a portion of the distributor.

Miss Starmer and her mother, according to testimony, then decided to go back outside and get the purse. They got the purse but a billfold was missing. This billfold contained \$10 Mrs. Swanberg had earned babysitting. It

also held a driver's license the mother needed to drive her daughter to a football game.

UNDER HER COAT

The girl and mother returned to the house. Mrs. Swanberg went into the bathroom and asked her husband for the billfold. He refused. Mrs. Swanberg took the billfold from his pocket. Swanberg then grabbed his wife's arms and a struggle followed which led to the stabbing.

Miss Starmer testified that she first got the butcher knife just before she went out with her mother to retrieve the purse. "I don't know just why, but I went into the kitchen and got the knife. I guess I wanted to scare Archie. I put the knife inside my coat under my arm. But I never showed Archie the knife while I was outside."

During cross-examination, Miss Starmer testified she didn't remember her step-father striking Mrs. Swanberg during the argument in the bathroom. But when Mrs. Swanberg was on the stand earlier, she said her husband struck her across the face.

NEGOTIATIONS EYED

TOKYO (U. P.) — Prime Minister Ichiro Hatoyama said Friday night Japan and Russia soon may open negotiations toward restoring normal relations.

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Ellsworth Hopes Talent Project Will Get in Budget With New Data

WASHINGTON (U. P.) — Rep. Ellsworth (R-Ore) checked with the Budget Bureau Thursday, and then said he has hopes the bureau may yet ask for funds for the Talent Reclamation Project in Southern Oregon.

He said the bureau had failed earlier to include the project in the budget for the coming year because faulty data had been submitted about the project.

SUPPLEMENTAL REQUEST

Ellsworth conferred with the Budget Bureau officials a few hours after accusing Sen. Neuberger (D-Ore) of making a "gross misstatement" when Neuberger said the Eisenhower administration had "evidently abandoned interest in the project."

Tot Survives Fall

NEW YORK (U. P.) — Two-year-old Richard Padgett Jr. was kept overnight in Bethel Hospital after falling 11 stories from the window of his Brooklyn apartment yesterday and landing on a grassy plot. The hospital said that aside from a couple of minor scalp cuts they could find nothing wrong with him.

since no funds for it had been included in the budget.

Ellsworth said at that time he believed the Talent project was included in the bureau's request for \$352,000 for rehabilitation of Medford and Rogue River Valley irrigation districts.

He said he had been trying to confer with Budget Director Rowland Hughes, but was unable to until late Thursday. He was accompanied to that conference by Glenn L. Jackson of Medford, Ore.

Afterwards Ellsworth said he was "optimistic" over chances that a supplemental request will be sent to Congress, asking funds for the project.

"Apparently the bureau didn't have either the latest figures or all the figures showing justification for the project," he said.

Ellsworth said the bureau had rejected the project because of data indicating "the government would be footing part of the cost as a subsidy whereas irrigation projects are required to pay out with a margin to spare."

TYPING ERROR

The Oregon representative said Jackson would work with the Bureau of Reclamation, then submit complete and up-to-date data.

This will be only a matter of days, the congressman said.

Ellsworth also said a typing error in a Department of Agriculture report had reduced the Talent project's return per acre by several dollars. In addition more than 8,000 acres to be irrigated had been classified as grassland with a low-income return, instead of orchard land with a higher return, he said.

He added that the bureau had not been told of new figures on power income, which show an income nearly 25 per cent greater than originally estimated.

Correction of the errors will make the project compare favorably with others for which funds have been asked, Ellsworth said.

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