

### County Officials Agree to Accept Government Offer

PORTLAND, Aug. 21 (AP)—A settlement of \$1,993,000 from the government for work already done on the Dalles bridge will be accepted, Wasco county officials have indicated to the State Highway Commission.

Wasco County Judge W. R. Webber said Tuesday the settlement did not repay all funds invested but would be accepted because of "hazards of a court case." The bridge is a joint project of Wasco county and The Dalles.

Work on the Columbia river bridge was mostly abandoned at the first selected site when Army engineers began work on The Dalles dam. Location of the bridge was shifted downstream.

Judge Webber told the commission the dam's spillway could have been utilized in building the bridge, but could not have been completed until 1957. He said that it can be completed by late 1953 or 1954 by swinging the terminus of the Oregon end of the bridge downstream.

Judge Webber said that to the \$1,993,000 Wasco county would add \$1,600,000 left in its bond fund, sell revenue bonds for another \$500,000 to \$700,000 use what fabricated steel it has left and proceed.

He said bids would be called about September 10.

Because of the decision, a delegation from The Dalles and Wasco county asked the highway commission for a new connection from The Dalles-California highway to the bridge and Columbia river highway. The six-mile section would replace a crooked 11-mile section and give access to an area where housing for construction workers to be employed on the dam is expected to be located.

Judge Webber, who estimated the new section would cost about \$1,000,000, asked that it be ready for opening at the same time as the bridge.

The commission said it would "look into it and see where we can find a million bucks."

**CANADA LIKES IKE**  
PORTSMOUTH, N. H. (AP)—The presidential campaign transcends the international border. A large "I-Like-Ike" sticker was seen on the windshield of an automobile bearing Ontario, Can. license plates.

### Action Scene From Mickey Pease Pal Show



Pictured above is one of the new features in the Mickey Pease Pal show, which will be staged on Bruin field Sunday evening, August 24, at 7 o'clock. The action scene shows "Dumbo," the clown, on the trapeze as he almost drives the catcher crazy with his many mistakes and near-mishaps. This year's appearance of the Pal show is being sponsored by the Bend Lodge of Elks, which will provide free ice cream for children attending the performance.

### Two New Types of Trenchers Demonstrated Near Sisters

A demonstration of two new types of trenchers, developed by the U. S. forest service for use in combatting fires, was held several days this week in the Sisters region. Gail Baker, fire control officer of the Bend forest service office, attended the demonstration, as an observer.

Here from Washington, D. C., to view the tests was Ira C. Funk, who is in charge of all forest service equipment development. From Missoula, Mont., were Herbert Harris and Harold Wicklund and from Arcadia, Calif., were Eugene Silva, Edward G. Madsen, Wayne E. Deemer and Charles Howard. A. B. Everts of the Portland office also attended the demonstrations.

The forest service for some

time has been seeking to perfect gasoline powered, hand operated trenchers, sufficiently light for one-man operation in wooded areas. Of the two experimental machines tested in the Sisters area, one uses flails, in the form of rapidly rotating chains, to beat a trench. The other, known as a spiral trencher, uses augers to gouge out the trench. Both machines are gasoline-powered, with handles much after the manner of the ordinary garden cultivator.

**Function Satisfactorily**

In the Sisters area tests each machine functioned satisfactorily, Baker reported. The flail trencher proved more efficient in some types of soil and terrain, while the spiral trencher worked better in other tests. The lighter weight of the flail trencher, affording greater ease of handling, was one factor in its favor, Baker said.

The trenchers are expected to prove of great assistance in combatting forest fires, in that they can be moved rapidly to the scene of action, on pickup trucks, and operated by one man. Usually considerable time is required to assemble crews for fire fighting, and the trencher will do the work of from 5 to 10 men, it was indicated in the tests.

The flail trencher was developed by the Missoula forest service equipment department, and the spiral trencher was designed by the Portland department, and perfected at Arcadia.

Once the experimental models have been fully tested, it is expected that they will be put in production. The Bend district then is expected to be supplied with one of the new machines, to augment its present fire fighting equipment, Baker said.

### Tumalo School House Repainted

TUMALO, Aug. 21 — The white school house has been repainted, in preparation for the re-opening of school Sept. 2. C. P. Mahoney will be principal again this year and will teach the seventh and eighth grades. Others on the staff are Mrs. John Cowden, first and second grades; Mrs. Harold Higdon, third and fourth; and Mrs. Marcell Proby, fifth and sixth.

Mrs. Mae Gagen is visiting at the home of Mrs. W. J. Malone. Mrs. Malone returned recently from a prolonged hospitalization, following the automobile accident that was fatal to her husband and to Robert Kitchen of Bend.

Mrs. Dan Stanton visited last week with her sister, in Portland.

The Juniper Garden Club held its annual flower show last Wednesday afternoon at the Deschutes school house.

Mrs. C. I. Dunlap and Mrs. Hubert Scoggins attended the committee meeting of the county home extension alumni Friday, and helped plan a tea to be held Aug. 26 at Petersen's rock gardens. Mrs. Dunlap is president and Mrs. Scoggins vice president of the alumni this year.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Barnum went to Moro and Grass Valley Sunday to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Barnum, and his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Barnum. Saturday night visitors at the Barnum home were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Chopp and daughters of Bend. Mrs. Barnum and Mrs. Chopp are sisters.

Weekend guests at the A. L. Christopher home were their son, Archie, and Jack Hauge, Bob Sailer, Bill Mahoney and Robert Shore, all of Eugene.

**Watermelon Social**

A large group of Tumalo grangers and friends met for a watermelon social Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Putnam. Card games were played, and there was square dancing in the barn, with W. T. Welcome of Bend as caller. Putnam is master of the grange.

Mrs. Charles Allen and granddaughter, Priscilla, returned Friday from a trip to Oklahoma, where they visited Mrs. Allen's mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kraft and friends, Mr. and Mrs. Hurley from Colorado, were guests last week end at the Charles Allen home.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Anliker and family made a trip to the coast last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McKinnon, former Tumalo residents now living in Gold Beach, were week-end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Heisinger.

Monday night guests at the E. W. Putnam home were his aunt, Mrs. Jessie Hiline of Hermiston, and his uncle, Earl A. Williams of San Francisco. Visitors there Monday evening also included Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kurtz and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Putnam and family and Mr. and Mrs. Neil Davis and sons.

Paul Williams trucked his tractor this week to Albany, to have it repaired. It was struck by lightning in the electric storm last week. Williams has been doing clearing work on the right-of-way of the new Bonneville power line.

### City is Thanked For Cooperation

Albert Wiesendanger, executive secretary of the Keep Oregon Green Association, was a visitor in Bend today and complimented local merchants for their cooperation in displaying fire prevention posters. Wiesendanger came here for a conference with Everett Hughes, chairman of the Deschutes KOG committee.

"Until rains set in, it will be necessary for every resident of the county to think protection, talk protection and practice protection," Wiesendanger declared, pointing to the fact that Oregon is now experiencing one of its most arid summers in history.

Wiesendanger especially urged vacationists and other users of the woods to exercise extreme caution with fire until the drenching rains of autumn arrive. He said that lighted match or cigarette tossed from a moving car might in a matter of minutes send a wall of flame racing through timber that means so much to the future of Central Oregon towns.

From Bend, Wiesendanger continued east to Burns this morning, for further conferences with members of KOG committees.

**TICKET TORN UP**  
NEW YORK, Aug. 21 (AP)—Cab driver Tony Tolve of the Bronx took the traffic ticket Enstroman Joe Powers handed him and tore it up in the presence of the officer. Powers then charged Tolve with violating the city sanitary code by littering the streets. Police said Tolve paid a \$2 fine Wednesday.

**NAME ASSUMED**  
Elsie Lehman yesterday filed a certificate of assumed business name for Western Juniper Novelty company.

**KNOWS CURRENT EVENTS**  
DETROIT, Aug. 21 (AP)—Frank Dentzler owed his freedom Thursday to his knowledge of current events. Dentzler, 57, was the first defendant brought before newly-appointed recorder Judge John A. Ricca. "Congratulations on your new job, your honor," said Dentzler, facing the judge on a drunkenness charge. Ricca, seemingly pleased, noted this was Dentzler's first appearance in court in three years. "Sentence suspended," he said. "And stay out of here for at least another three years."

### Negro Teacher's Contract Voided By School Board

BREMERTON, Aug. 21 (AP)—The Kitsap county school board has rescinded the teaching contract of a La Grande, Ore., negro because of "violent opposition" to his employment.

The board voided the contract of Ester Wilfong, 22, after Wilfong already had signed to teach at Central Kitsap Junior high school. The board said there was violent opposition to his employment in a predominantly white neighborhood.

Opposition to Wilfong was led by J. B. Chandler, master pipe fitter at the naval yard here, and Dick Atkinson, a pipe fitter. Chandler could not be reached.

**Personal Reason**  
Atkinson said, "I have my personal reasons for not wanting the man hired. I have nothing against the colored people. I am not against negroes. I just think the board's decision not to hire him is wisest for the community and I am satisfied with what happened."

Superintendent of Schools Carl E. Jenne expressed regret at the board's ruling. "My recommendation was that the board stick to its original decision to hire the man on the basis of his credentials and qualifications. The fact that he was colored should not enter the picture."

"I am not speaking so much on behalf of the man but on behalf of fair employment practices."

Wilfong would have been the first negro teacher in the district. Wilfong, reached by telephone at his home in Oregon, said he was "surprised" at the decision.

"I didn't know there was any opposition. I thought when I received my contract and signed it and mailed it back that everything was all right."

School Board Chairman Frank C. Whitaker said since Wilfong didn't now have the contract in his possession, he couldn't consider himself hired.

### Fair

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an Miller and Jane Elliott, placed second.

**Clothing Judging Teams**

Glen Vista Busy Needles, led by Mrs. Ray Williams, placed first and may go to the state fair. The team members are Pauline Kiesow, Kathleen Kiesow and Donna Gumpert. The Girls Sewing Circle, led by Mrs. Sleegman and composed of Georgia Elliott, Caroline Miller and Georgia Elliott, placed second.

**Cooking Judging Teams**

The Careful Cooks, led by Mrs. Lewis Luckenbill, Sisters, placed first and may go to the state fair. Team members are Judy DeSully, Judy Reese and Remo Matson. The Thrifty Cookers, led by Mrs. Willard Cyrus, Sisters, placed second. The team members are Keith Cyrus, Jerry Campbell and Kay Cyrus.

In the canning judging team contest, the Blue Ribbon Canning Club, led by Violet Klobas, of the Richardson community, placed first. The team members are Wil Jean Fix, Janice Fix and Avionne Stephenson.

**Homemaking Judging**

The Tumalo Future Homemakers place first in the homemaking judging contest. Mrs. Arnold Sandwick is the leader and the team members are Yvonne Smith, Shirley Frakes and Carol Wilcox.

Individual high winners in the various contests were: Cooking Judging, Judy Ullman; clothing, Janice Fix; canning, Darlene Pitts; and homemaking, Judy Reese.

### Quints Have Good Chance Of Survival

SAO PAULO, Brazil, Aug. 21 (AP)—Girl quintuplets born to a poverty-stricken rural couple were reported progressing satisfactorily Thursday in an incubator at the Sao Paulo Maternity Hospital.

The five girls were born Tuesday night to Mrs. Maria Aparecida Albano, 38, wife of Jose Albano, a Negro odd jobs worker. They became the third set of surviving quintuplets known in modern times.

The governor of the state of Sao Paulo ordered the state treasury to extend financial aid to the family, which includes two other children, and advised the state's welfare service to give them all possible help.

Doctors at the hospital, where the babies were taken after being delivered with the help of a neighboring midwife, said they appeared to be in good health and had a good chance of survival.

He said they would remain in the incubator as long as their condition demanded it. He said the mother was doing "very well."

The babies weighed approximately two and one-half pounds each. The father, who appeared dazed by the event, said he would name them Mary the First, Mary the Second, Mary the Third, Mary the Fourth and Mary the Fifth "if God wills that they live."

The mother said she was happy to learn that all five girls were alive, and added smilingly that "God's present was too big for us."

### Redmond Hospital

REDMOND, Aug. 21 — New patients Tuesday evening and Wednesday at Central Oregon District hospital include Lloyd Holliday, Maupin; Al Newman, Madras; Jerry Winkle, Sisters; Mrs. Byron Corwin, Madras; and Mrs. Charles Houk and Chase Stringer of Redmond, all admitted Tuesday, August 19. Wednesday admissions include Mrs. Lottis Shull, Bend, Isaac Bergen, Culver, William Kirkpatrick, Bend, and Joan Copley, 6, of Bend, Jack Crandall, Long Beach, Calif., who was in an automobile accident south of the Crooked river bridge a week ago was dismissed Sunday, August 17. Mrs. Joe Doerfler, Silverton, was dismissed Tuesday, the 19th, and Mrs. Vaughn Soak, Redmond, left Wednesday, August 20. Mrs. Darrell Williams, Redmond, and infant daughter were released Wednesday from the maternity section.

**SPEAKERS HEARD**  
REDMOND, Aug. 21 — Redmond Kiwanians heard two speakers at the regular noon meeting Wednesday, M. A. Lynch of Redmond, a charter member of the Deschutes county fair board, related the history of the fair and told something of the events scheduled for the 1952 fair. Virgil Langtry, former Redmond resident and second president of the local Kiwanis club, discussed a circuit judge of domestic relations and juvenile court of Multnomah county, discussed the type and number of cases that he handles each year.

**FINES ASSESSED**  
REDMOND, Aug. 21 — Justice Ben Galligan handled two cases in Justice court the first half of the week; William Robert Mayfield, Powell Butte, was fined \$9.50 for truck speeding on Monday; and Eloise B. Moppin, Portland, paid \$14.50 fine on Wednesday for violation of the basic rule.

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### In-Service Meet Due at Redmond

REDMOND, Aug. 21 — In-service programs for Redmond Union High School faculty will be held Tuesday and Wednesday, August 26 and 27, and Thursday morning, the 28th, beginning at 9 a.m. each day, according to announcement by James L. Brown, principal. Glen L. Weaver, state supervisor of occupational information and guidance, and Mrs. Velma Buckingham, county school superintendent, will lead these programs, with other discussions by Brown, Clayton Norton, assistant principal, and William Fisher, dean of boys. The meetings will cover the high school guidance program, structure of the local school district, testing programs, and the like.

Brown will open the meeting Tuesday, 9 a.m., with introduction of staff members and announcements. Weaver is scheduled to speak at 9:30 on guidance in the educational program, and at 1:15 p.m. on a calendar of guidance.

Services for the year, Norton will discuss guidance service in use at the high school at 10:30 a.m., and at 2:30 p.m. Fisher will continue, with RUHS guidance program for 1952-53. Mrs. Buckingham opens the Wednesday forums at 9 a.m., talking on structure of the RUHS district. At 10:30 Fisher will discuss planning for occupational information. Norton at 1:15 p.m. will talk on the testing program now in use at the high school. The principal will lead a round table discussion on plans for a continuing program, at 2:30 p.m., and will summarize the conference on guidance at 9:30 a.m. Thursday.

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