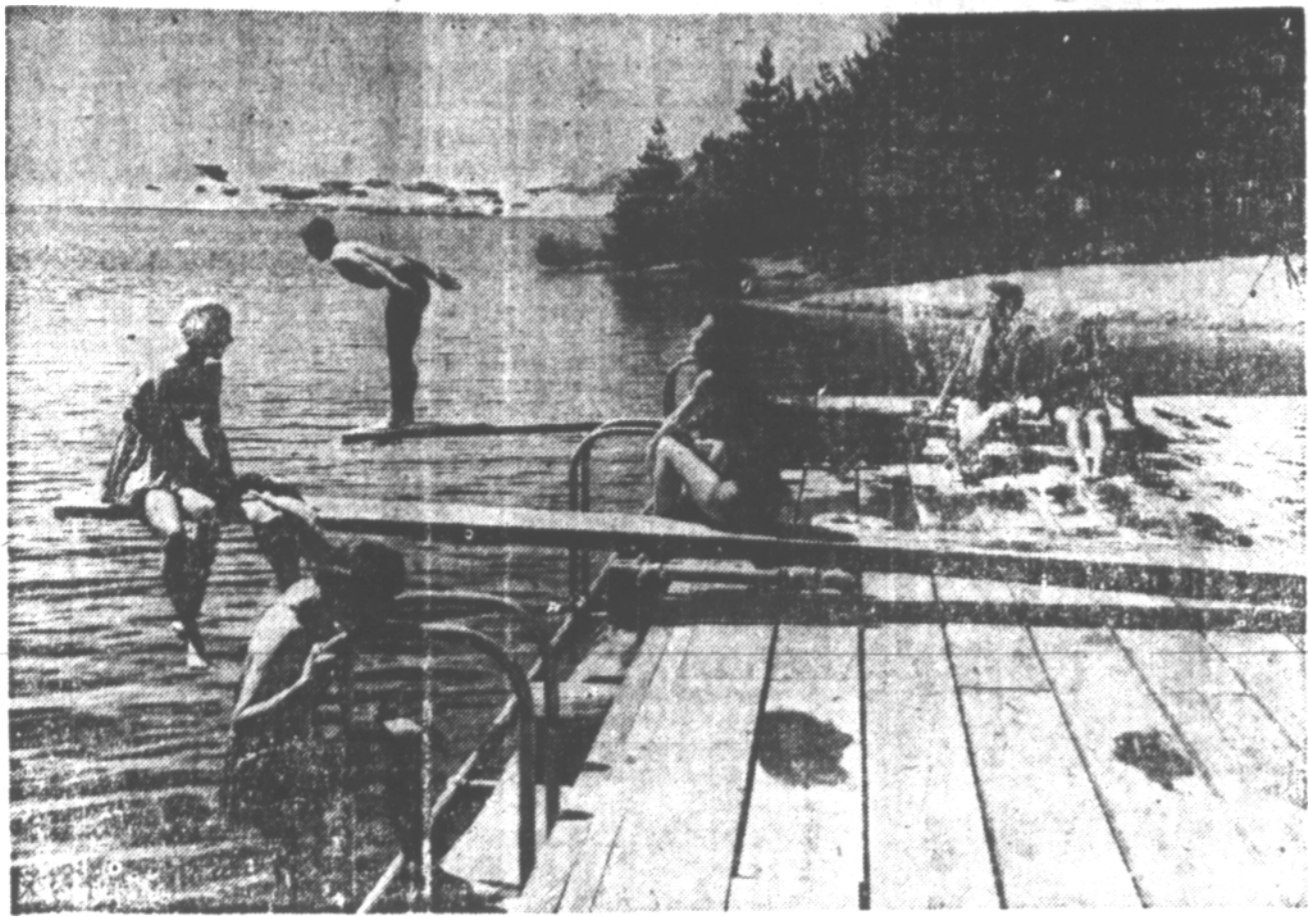


## Recently Developed Area Declared 'Blueprint' For Future in Oregon State System of Parks



Jessie M. Honeyman park, south of Florence on the Oregon Coast highway, offers hiking, swimming and fishing in the scenic coast lake country. (State Highway Commission photo.)

BY FRED W. COLVIG

This is one of a series of "motorlog" describing auto journeys to scenic and recreational areas of Oregon and the northwest, in cooperation with the Oregon State Motor association. The article is condensed from The Oregonian.

Jessie M. Honeyman state park, four miles south of Florence on the coast highway, is Oregon's new \$250,000 comeback to that old objection of park visitors—"Well, we got an eye-full of scenery, but there wasn't anything to do."

It is 522 acres, patterned on a credo of "fun."

Sam Boardman, state park director, told us about it when we stopped our "Three-A" motorlog car in Salem. He calls Honeyman park a guide for future development in the larger parks of the state system.

Two woods-girt lakes, Woahink and Cleawox, bordered on the ocean side by the famed Florence sand dunes, have been developed purely for Mr. and Mrs. John Public and the kids. But the accent on "fun." Mr. Boardman made clear, could not detract from the eye-filling beauty of the setting. It was worth a look-see.

Like "Twisted Hand"

We arrived at night, and from the dark lakes came the hoarse clamor of frogs. Daylight, at the lakeside resort where we spent the night, showed Lake Woahink lying like a twisted hand, with long fingers of water reaching up forested inlets.

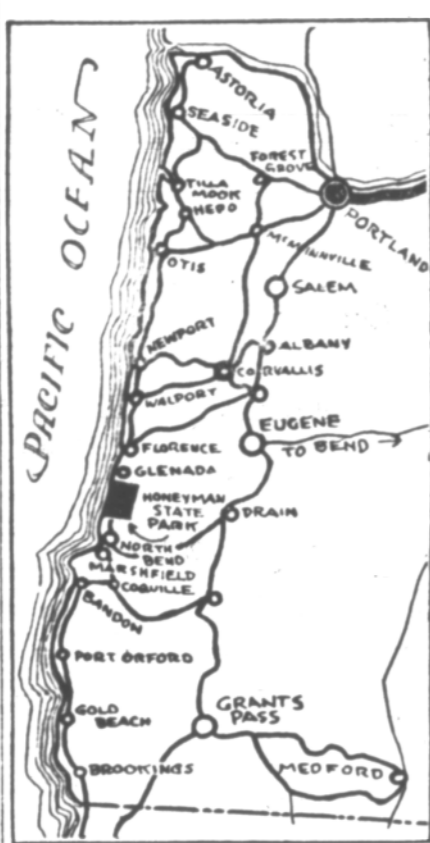
These coastal lakes—there are some ten sizable bodies in a 15-mile stretch—resulted from the vagaries of wind and tide which reared great sand dunes across stream mouths, causing the waters to back up and fill the ensuing hollows.

Tahkenitch, Siltcoos, Woahink and Cleawox lakes lie in

a close chain. The latter two lakes, separated by Highway 101, have long frontages in Honeyman park. Woahink stands out among this necklace of lakes in the abruptness with which its fringing forest rises from the water's edge; deep waters submerge the marshy littoral associated with its companion lakes.

Forest Cloaks Shore

Spruce, fir, hemlock and scattered jack pines, with an undergrowth of salal, huckleberry and rhododendron—some of which reach 30 foot heights



Map shows location of new Jessie M. Honeyman park and principal highway routes.

—cover the slopes of Lake Woahink.

Lake Cleawox, across the highway, is cupped in a hollow of the dunes. Dense jack pines cover three edges, while on the ocean side tawny sands rise in a spectacular undulation of dunes, declared to be the highest on the Oregon coast.

Cleawox, with its massive stone and beam bathhouse, is the center of water sports, although swimming floats and diving boards have been provided on both lakes. Hidden in the trees both at Woahink and Cleawox are log-hewn picnic tables and communal kitchens.

At Cleawox, too, a large playfield for softball and other games has been cleared. The field will be sown to grass—an acre or so of turf.

\$250,000-Plus Expended

At Honeyman park the state has spent \$20,056 in acquiring the 522 acres and \$5539 for improvements. The federal government has contributed CCC labor, materials and park service supervision valued at about \$230,000.

In a park named for Jessie M. Honeyman, noted for her labors in behalf of wayside beauty, it could be taken for granted that the park would not be lacking in that regard, and it wasn't, we found.

Both Lake Woahink and Lake Cleawox have high reputations for fishing: trout in Woahink and bass in Cleawox.

Public camping is not permitted in Honeyman park and the nearest such facilities are at Siltcoos lake, two miles south. There are, however, several private resorts outside the park area, where lodging ranges from \$2.50 to \$5 a night, depending on the size of the party.

to pay costs of hospitalization for indigent persons injured in automobile accidents.

Approximately 500,000 drivers will be licensed in Oregon during the 1941-1942 period, bringing about \$250,000 into the coffers of the newly created motor vehicle accident fund, Snell said.

The additional fee must be collected by the secretary of state at the time the applicant applies for his license. While in effect it amounts to 25 cents a year, the fee must be paid in one payment of 50 cents at the time the license is applied for.

No change was made in the driver licensing law this year and those who hold current driver's licenses may renew them by paying the \$1.50 fee without taking any examination. Those who do not hold current licenses must take the examinations and persons 70 years of age or older also must take the examinations.

Applications for the new licenses will be available about May 1 and will be distributed through various agencies including sheriffs, chiefs of police, state examiners and others. New licenses will be due July 1 and will be valid June 15.

## Wasco Mothers Given Dinner At M. E. Church

A 6:30 dinner was given by the girls of the Standard Bearer organization and their advisor, Mrs. F. L. Cannell and the mystery mothers. Preceding dinner a song for the mothers was given by the daughters. At the table 35 guests were seated and a May pole centered the table with streamers of red and white reaching to each place with red place cards. Flowers of various kinds were placed about the dining room of the M. E. church, where the affair was given. Five boys acted as servers, Donald Rostad, Marion Crews, Lawrence Royce, Robert and Jerry Nisbet. Miss June Hines gave the welcome and Mrs. Patricia Youm the response. Mrs. Elva Hines gave the address for the mothers. Also toasts were given by the daughters with responses from the mothers. Several hymns were sung. The girls then presented their gifts to the advisor.

The mystery mothers were given gifts also from their daughters. A short program was given after the dinner in the church auditorium an opening number being played by June Hines, a piano selection by Betty Juhnke, vocal solo by Patricia Youm and readings by LaVell Guy and Helen Blau. Marion Crews was accompanist.

Mr. and Mrs. John Golden Barnett and two children, Diana and John Crosby, of Portland were week end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Hilderbrand.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Reid were in Umattilla where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Bert Wattenberg. Members of the Tuesday afternoon study club motored to the country for their last meeting when they met with Mrs. Dan McDermid.

A host dinner was enjoyed, followed by a short business session and a program. Mrs. Lloyd Royce, former member, was again received into the club. Mrs. Evans opened the program with a reading, "Way Up On the Old John Day," by A. M. Zevely; Mrs. A. L. Gosson gave a reading, "The Good Old Days." Mrs. Leo Watkins gave several readings. Mrs. McDermid read a paper on citizenship. The closing number was the hymn, "God be with you 'til we meet again," with Mrs. Stephens as accompanist.

Tuesday was ruled as time for annual skip day for the seniors and they went to Viento park stopping in The Dalles for dinner followed by a show.

The Ladies Aid of the M. E. church announce a bake sale for next Saturday at the Atwood store.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Barnett and two children of Ontario spent several days of last week visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Fridley. Mr. Barnett is a brother of Mrs. Fridley and is foreman of the CCC camp at Ontario. Mrs. Earl Barnett, a sister in law of Mrs. Fridley, was also a guest of several days from Hermiston.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Crews were business visitors in Portland Thursday. Mrs. Carrie Morrow and Miss Jessie Hull accompanied them, Mrs. Morrow going to attend the funeral of Collis Kaseberg in Portland. Miss Hull visited in Vancouver with her brother, Albert.

Mrs. Anna Lee left recently for Nez Perce, Idaho where she will spend several weeks visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Coin Rostad and son Donald spent the week end with friends at Castle Rock, their former home.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Stott of Heppner were week end guests at the home of Mrs. Stott's son in law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Clothier.

Mrs. Rose Weld of Portland is now living at the Sherman hotel. Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Robinson of The Dalles visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John McClure and children.

Miss Mary Williams of Moro, Miss Marie Andrews of Rufus and Mr. and Mrs. Diebert Johnson visited recently in the Yakima valley.

The Klondike five hundred club met with Marie Barnett Cooper for the last meeting of the year and elected Mrs. Grace Medler president for the coming year.

Members of the junior bridge club met at the home of Mrs. W. L. Blau Wednesday. Special luncheon was served by one half of the club at 12:30. High score honors went to Mrs. Joe Hilderbrand and slow to Mrs. O. G. Hilderbrand.

Visitors at the Northwestern Lake Sunday included Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Guy and two children, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hilderbrand, Miss Olive and John Robinson and James Maddox.

Mrs. Augusta Huckin and Mrs. Carrie Morrow entertained at a one o'clock luncheon at the home of the former, for the pleasure of

the Wednesday contract club. Mrs. F. S. Lamborn held high score, 12:00 - Following morning worship service there will be a special congregational meeting to consider the request of pastor for dissolution of the pastorate.

8:00 - Annual baccalaureate service of Moro High School. Class of 1941, faculty, school board, and parents as special guests. Henry G. Hanson, Pastor.

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