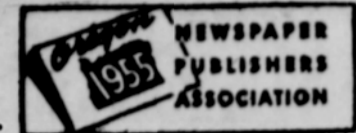


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HELL'S CANYON

It is, of course, impossible to tell whether the Hell's Canyon controversy is ending or just getting a fresh start but from what we hear a majority of the citizens will be pleased if it is ending.

Congress has failed to provide funds for Hell's Canyon dam after several tries and at long last the Federal Power Commission, anxious to provide additional electricity for the northwest, took the only way out and gave approval to the three dam proposal of Idaho Power company.

One may wonder whether there was always serious effort on the part of northwest legislators to get the high dam proposal passed. It sometimes seemed that they thought it a better issue than it would have been as a fact.

Now the Idaho Power company has authority to build three dams. There may be impending action before construction begins but it does not now appear likely that delay will long be successful. The dams will cost around \$150,000,000 and will be taxable. Baker county's total valuation is now \$25,140,642.56.

It is assumed that the power will be sold in Idaho and at a price that will make it possible for the company to pay taxes to Baker county. The rate will be set by the government with that in mind. Had the government built a high dam there would have been no taxes for Baker county and it may have been cheaper therefore.

Higher costs of construction by the government might make cheaper power impossible. Of one thing we are very sure: that Oregonians of our acquaintance are getting tired, very tired, of political meddling with the progress of the northwest in dam construction. We need the electricity.

It might be a fine thing to have an example of a privately owned dam along with public owned dams—a sort of check plot as they say in the agricultural experiment business. That is what we were told Bonneville was to be and it made some sense, too. Taxes being what they are the federal government will probably make more clear money by private ownership than by public ownership.

So, we hope it's over; we hope somebody begins to throw some dirt, real dirt—not the political kind—and develop some electricity. The talk was getting monotonous.

LEWIS & CLARK

Come October 21 it will be 150 years since Lewis & Clark came afloat down the Columbia with their crew of soldiers, scouts and French guides to cast the first set of blue eyes on the scenery of Sherman county.

Oregon is celebrating the sequel-centennial of that event and is making little more of a show about it than Lewis & Clark themselves did when they arrived a century and a half ago.

There have been articles about the celebration and probably every one knows that it is going on. A party dressed like Lewis & Clark, or what they thought the explorers dressed like, and accompanied by a descendant of Sacajawea went down the river the other day with flash bulbs popping and the historical society is busy getting the rebuilt Fort Clatsop ready for public inspection.

So much, so good. Kelsie Ramey Osborne has written a book about the expedition and it has been published. It consolidates into a short space the information one should know about the journey of the two frontiersmen to the mouth of the Columbia.

It is not so easy as it might seem to make a lively tale about Lewis & Clark. Their diaries of the trip and the notes of the men

who kept a running account are filled with the practical things of daily living on a new trail, in a new country. Their interest was in getting to the mouth of the Columbia before the English and in claiming the territory. That is what Jefferson sent them to do.

What they wrote about the country through which they passed was not an adequate description but brief notes about trees or the lack of them, the taste of dog meat, the clothes of the Indians, the scarcity of wood, the prevalence of mosquitos and, when on the lower river, the persistence of rain. They were not enjoying themselves.

They didn't come for romantic adventure; they came to explore the land Jefferson had bought from France and to extend it to the ocean by the right of discovery. There is little in their trip to suit the modern style of story telling, no love interest, no children to emote over, no battles with the Indians. It was just trudging through a wilderness afoot or a horseback or poled a heavy canoe up and down the streams. It was a constant hunt for food, a steady job of trying to get some place else before bad weather made progress impossible.

Had it been otherwise we would still be searching for their bones instead of recalling them this 150th year after they entered Oregon. We so often fail to honor the fruits of daily toil well done.

INCOME TAXES

What the legislators who were interested in taxation said to the opponents of a 60 percent boost in income taxes to keep them from initiating against that law we do not know. Whatever it was we do not agree with the reasoning thereof.

Oregon, a state that is in need of more manufacturing, more business of almost any sort, certainly should not put all of its tax increase on income. And, even if that were necessary, there should have been a greater reduction in exemptions to spread the load over more taxpayers.

If the legislators had in mind the passage of the proposed amendment to permit the legislature to put the emergency clause on tax measures their action was certainly erroneously planned. The voters will not look kindly on giving this additional authority to a legislature when they have such an example before them.

Had the legislators reduced appropriations by at least 20 millions and distributed the new burdens more evenly it would have been in a better position to ask for additional authority over taxes.

We are not arguing over the proposed amendment to give the legislature more authority; in theory it is entirely proper. But the actions of the legislature were not such as to make the voters inclined to grant such increased power.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

All persons having claims against the Estate of Vernon Joseph Platt, deceased, are hereby notified to present them, with the proper vouchers and duly verified, to the undersigned, the duly appointed, qualified and acting Executrix of the Estate of Vernon Joseph Platt, deceased, at the office of T. Lester Johnson, attorney at law, Moro, Oregon, within six months from the date of the first publication of this Notice, to-wit: July 29, 1955.

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Willard H. Barnett Administrator T. Lester Johnson Attorney for Executor 40-3c

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF OREGON CIVIL NO. 8132 SUMMONS

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, plaintiff vs. Horace S. Carlisle individually and as guardian of Sandra Kay Carlisle, a minor, and of Joyce Brenda Carlisle, a minor, and Evelyn Carlisle, his wife; Sandra Kay Carlisle, a minor; Joyce Brenda Carlisle, a minor; Ida Carlisle, a widow; the unknown children of Horace S. Carlisle at the time of his death; unknown heirs of R. D. Kelly, deceased; unknown heirs of Clarence Phelps, deceased; all persons un-

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center line survey for the relocation of the Columbia River Highway at Engineer's Station L.H.7 1940+00, from which point the quarter section corner on the east boundary of said Section 24 bears S. 24° 35' 30" E. 2,056.52 feet thence S. 17° 09' 30" E. 437.24 feet to a point that is 50 feet distant northeasterly, when measured at right angles, from the center line survey for the relocation of the Fulton Canyon-Wasco Highway; thence S. 44° 45' 53" E. parallel with and 50 feet distant northeasterly from said center line, a distance of 142.24 feet to a point opposite Station 7+00; thence S. 45° 14' 07" W. 20 feet, more or less, to a point that is 50 feet distant northeasterly, when measured at right angles, from the center line of the former rail track of the Deschutes Railroad Company; thence northeasterly, parallel with and distant 50 feet northeasterly from said center line a distance of 100 feet, more or less, to a point on a line which bears S. 17° 09' 30" E. from the true point of beginning; thence N. 17° 09' 30" W. a distance of 43 feet, more or less, to the true point of beginning.

The parcel of land above described contains 0.06 of an acre, more or less, for public use adequately to provide for the construction of a river improvement for use in connection with the establishment of The Dalles Dam on the Columbia River, Washington and Oregon.

The authority for the taking is The Act of February 26, 1931 (46 Stat. 1421, 40 U.S.C. Sec. 258a) and Acts supplementary thereto and amendatory thereof; The Act of April 24, 1888 (25 Stat. 94, 33 U.S.C. Sec. 991); The Act of March 1, 1917 (39 Stat. 950, 33 U.S.C. 701); Public Law 367 - 64th Congress; The Act of May 17, 1950 (Public Law 516 - 81st Congress, Second Session); The Act of September 3, 1954 (Public Law 780 - 83rd Congress, Second Session); The Act of June 30, 1954, Public Law 453 - 83rd Congress.

You are further notified that if you have any objection or defense to the taking of your property above described you are required to file herein and to serve upon the plaintiff's attorney at the address herein designated within four weeks after the date of the first publication of this Summons (Notice), an answer identifying the property in which you claim to have an interest, stating the nature and extent of the interest claimed, and stating all your objections and defenses to the taking of your property. A failure to file and serve an answer shall constitute a consent to the taking and to the authority of the Court, to proceed to hear the action and to fix the just compensation and shall constitute a waiver of all defenses and objections not so presented.

You are further notified that if you have no objections nor defense to the taking you may serve upon the plaintiff's attorney a notice of appearance designating the property in which you claim to be interested and thereafter you shall receive notice of all proceedings affecting said property.

You are further notified that on the 9th day of June, 1955 the plaintiff filed herein its Declaration of Taking of said lands and simultaneously therewith deposited in this court and cause the estimated just compensation for such taking.

You are further notified that at the trial of the issue of just compensation, whether or not you have answered or served a notice of appearance, you may present evidence as to the amount of compensation to be paid for the property in which you may have an interest and you may share in the distribution of the award of compensation.

This summons is served upon you by order of the Honorable Claude McCulloch, Judge of the above entitled court, made and entered on the 22nd day of July, 1955 by the publication thereof for four successive weeks in the Sherman County Journal, a newspaper printed and published in Moro, Oregon, and of general circulation in said county wherein said lands are located, the first publication of this Summons (Notice) being made in the issue of said newspaper on the 5th day of August, 1955.

C. E. LUCKEY, United States Attorney, and BERT C. BOYLAN, Assistant United States Attorney, 506 United States Courthouse, Portland 5, Oregon, Aug. 5, 12, 19, 26

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF OREGON, CIVIL NO. 8034, UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Plaintiff, vs. CLARA E. ROLFE, a widow; (life tenant); HARRIETTE ONEGA WELLS, a widow; FRANCES GUENDOLIN MATHEWS, a widow; JOHN MARSHALL ROLFE and DELORRES A. ROLFE, his wife; MAXINE BERNICE BAKER and CHARLES R. BAKER, her husband; ROBERT VERNON ROLFE and ANNA M. ROLFE, his wife; WILLARD ROLFE and JUNE ROLFE, his wife; EVERETT BYRON DUNLAP and RUTH DUNLAP, his wife; FRANCES ANN BROCKWAY and L. W. BROCKWAY, her husband; BARBARA ANN SMITH and ALVIN SMITH, her husband; MARILYN B. FLETCHER and ROBERT T. FLETCHER, her husband; DAVID ROY WELLS; DONALD R. WELLS; RODNEY P. ROLFE, a minor; KERMIT R. BAKER, a minor; RONALD ROLFE, a minor; THEODORE C. MATHEWS, a minor; GARY BAKER, a minor; SANDRA DUNLAP, a minor; MARVIN DUNLAP, a minor; DANNIE LOUIS ROLFE, a minor; BONNIE K. BAKER, a minor; ROBERT D. BAKER, a minor; SHERI LEE ROLFE, a minor; remaindermen; all persons unknown having or claiming any right, title or interest in 21.1 acres of land in SHERMAN COUNTY, OREGON, designated as Tract No. Mc-Ma-151 Bonneville Power Administration; and SHERMAN COUNTY, a municipal corporation and political sub-

division of the State of Oregon; Defendants. SUMMONS (Notice). To: David Roy Wells; and all persons unknown having or claiming any right, title or interest in 26.1 acres of land in Sherman County, Oregon, designated as Tract No. Mc-Ma-151 of the Bonneville Power Administration; You and each of you are hereby notified that a Complaint in Commencement has heretofore been filed in the above entitled Court in an action to condemn a perpetual easement to construct, maintain, repair, rebuild, operate, and patrol not more than two lines of electric power transmission structures with conductor and necessary appurtenances, and the further right to clear the right-of-way hereinafter described and to keep the same clear of brush, timber, inflammable structures, fire hazards (provided, however, that the words "fire hazards" shall not include growing crops), and to dispose of such brush, timber, and inflammable structures here, sale or other means in such a manner as shall not create a fire hazard; subject, however, to the rights of the public in and to all public roads; subject also to the continued use and maintenance of existing pipes and conduits, irrigation and drainage line, ditches and canals, and public utility lines, to the exercise of existing easements and licenses therefor, and to the exercise of existing mineral rights; over and across the lands hereinafter described and designated as Tract No. Mc-Ma-151 which said lands are located in Sherman County, Oregon, and described as follows, to-wit: TRACT NO. Mc-Ma-151, That portion of the Section 29, Township 2 North, Range 17 East, of the Willamette Meridian, Sherman County, Oregon, which lies within a strip of land 250 feet in width, the boundaries of said strip lying 62.5 feet distant easterly from and 187.5 feet distant westerly from and parallel to the survey line of the Bonneville Power Administration line as Neville-Maupin transmission line as now located and staked on the ground, over, across, upon and adjacent to the above described property, said survey line being particularly described as follows: Beginning at survey station \$209+32.3, a point on the north line of Section 29, Township 2 North, Range 17 East, Willamette Meridian, said point being N. 89° 48' 10" E. a distance of 1126.0 feet from the northwest corner of said Section 28; thence S. 51° 50' 20" W. a distance of 1516.7 feet to survey station \$224+49.0; thence S. 0° 20' 40" W. a distance of 434.5 feet to survey station \$267+96.5, a point on the south line of said Section 29, said point being N. 89° 55' 00" W. a distance of 68.4 feet from the southeast corner of said Section 29. for a public use adequately to provide for the construction, operation and maintenance by the Bonneville Power Administration of electric power transmission facilities, and are required to file and serve upon the plaintiff's attorney a notice of appearance designating the property in which you claim to be interested and thereafter you shall receive notice of all proceedings affecting said property. You are further notified that on the 9th day of June, 1955 the plaintiff filed herein its Declaration of Taking of said lands and simultaneously therewith deposited in this court and cause the estimated just compensation for such taking. You are further notified that at the trial of the issue of just compensation, whether or not you have answered or served a notice of appearance, you may present evidence as to the amount of compensation to be paid for the property in which you may have an interest and you may share in the distribution of the award of compensation. This Summons is served upon you by order of the Honorable Claude McCulloch, Judge of the above entitled court, made and entered on the 20th day of July, 1955, by the publication thereof for four successive weeks in the Sherman County Journal, a newspaper printed and published in Moro, Oregon, and of general circulation in said county wherein said lands are located, the first publication of this Summons (Notice) being made in the issue of said newspaper on the 5th day of August, 1955. C. E. LUCKEY, United States Attorney, and BERT C. BOYLAN, Assistant United States Attorney, 506 United States Courthouse, Portland 5, Oregon. 40-3c