

NEW MIDWAY HIGHWAY WILL BE PUT THRU

County Court Orders New Short-Cut to Sams Valley Built at Earliest Possible Date — Estimated Cost \$27,000 — Ranchers Rejoice.

Construction of the long discussed Midway highway which will provide a straight line route to Sams Valley and tributary country, from this city, was ordered by the county court this morning.

The official name of the road, by order of the county court, will be the Medford-Sams Valley highway. It will be sixty feet wide, and two and one-half miles in length. The county engineer has estimated its cost at between \$27,000 and \$28,000.

Negotiations are now underway between the city and the Owen-Oregon Lumber company for the extension of Court street to the Pacific highway. This will divert the traffic from the heavily traveled Pacific highway to Central avenue, and avoid the current of tourist traffic. In effect, the extension when completed will give the heart of this city a straight line route to Sams Valley.

The new road connects with established roads and follows the quarter-section lines. It will be the standard 60 feet in width, and in time may be embraced in the market road system of the county.

The Medford-Sams Valley road also provides a shorter route to the new Medford airport.

The road will shorten the distance from Sams Valley, and eliminates 16 curves in the present route from Sams Valley, via Central Point.

Adjustment of right-of-way damages are now under way, and arbitration or court action will provide a final decision where contests loom.

Under the law, disputants have 20 days in which to file suits, but under the emergency clause, to be invoked by the county court, legal actions will not halt road construction. It is expected to have the road ready for travel before the opening of the coming fruit season.

The county court has had the building of the road under consideration for many weeks, and have journeyed over the route several times. They felt that the road was a necessity, that it would be built at a later date at a greater cost, and that now was the time to act. It passes through a section near the northern city limits, ideal for small acreage and sub-divisions.

A majority of the property holders directly affected were in favor of the road. Protests were filed by citizens owning property along the Pacific highway at the connecting points, the chief objection being to the road viewers' appraisal of the right of way value. The county and property owners came to terms in most cases however.

Chester T. Baker, secretary of the chamber of commerce, appeared before the county court, and reported that this city backed the road as of high importance to all concerned.

SEND GRANDMA TO PRISON FOR SEX PAMPHLET

Explanation for Young People Used By Religious, Civic and Health Organizations Declared Violation Laws.

NEW YORK, April 24.—(AP)—A gray-haired grandmother today faced a possible sentence of five years in prison or a fine of \$5000 or both, for sending through the mails a pamphlet on sex she originally had written 11 years ago for her two sons, then in their teens.

Mrs. Mary Ware Dennett was convicted by a jury in Brooklyn federal court of violation of the postal laws in sending obscene matter through the mails. The jurors were mostly married men of middle age.

The pamphlet entitled "The sex side of life, an explanation for young people," was printed in 1918 in the medical Review of Reviews, is used in the Bronxville, N. Y., schools and has been circulated for 10 years by many religious, civic and health organizations.

Her arrest followed receipt of a copy of the pamphlet by a woman resident of Brocton, Va. The defendant was the only witness, Judge Warren B. Burrows ruled that testimony of a long list of defense witnesses, including educators, physicians and social workers who had endorsed it would be immaterial and irrelevant.

Mrs. Dennett testified she had written the pamphlet to give a "franker version" of sex to her two sons after having read 50 publications and finding them all unsatisfactory. The government, in presenting its case, merely read the 24-page pamphlet to the jury.

The defendant is 53 years old. She was arrested during the trial between her two sons, now 24 and 28 years of age. She was released in custody of her attorney, pending sentence tomorrow.

more veterans who are now in overcrowded state institutions and who should be cared for in government hospitals.

Commander McNutt said there is no hope that the special session called by President Hoover can take up the hospital legislation, and it will be next December when the 71st congress meets, before it can now be considered.

The address, in part, follows: "It is easy enough for the crowds to cheer when men march away to the measured beat of martial music. It is easy enough for the same crowds to cheer when the remnants come home and it is easy enough for the same crowds to forget. But there are two organizations which do not forget. They are the American Legion and the American Legion Auxiliary.

"The first thing on our program today, as it has been since the very inception of our organization, is adequate service to the disabled ex-service man.

"Very early in the history of our organization we saw the waste, the extravagance and the red tape which surrounded the relief of disabled men.

"The second phase of our rehabilitation program is to bring about additional liberalized provisions in the laws affecting disabled veterans.

"The third phase is to see to it that existing administrative agencies give a liberal interpretation to existing laws.

A HURRY CALL FOR AIMEE'S BROADCAST

California Solons Suddenly Change Plans and Send for Famous Evangelist—Judge Hardy's Testimony Given As Cause—Crisis Looms.

SACRAMENTO, April 24.—(AP)—Developments in the Hardy impeachment case caused the assembly board of managers to order Aimee Semple McPherson today to appear at the capitol as quickly as possible.

The managers, who had announced they would not use Mrs. McPherson in the case, changed their minds after hearing testimony of Judge Hardy today. They would not reveal just what issue brought out caused them to change their decision.

Joseph Nolan, sergeant-at-arms of the senate was ordered to immediately make contact with Mrs. McPherson or her attorney, Cromwell Ormsby, in Los Angeles, and instruct the evangelist to be at the capitol "as quickly as possible."

Nolan conveyed this message to Ormsby by long distance telephone. Nolan said that Ormsby told him he did not know where Mrs. McPherson was, but that he, Nolan, reminded the attorney of his agreement to produce her when ever the managers decided they needed her.

Walter Little, chairman of the board of managers, declared it was not certain Mrs. McPherson would be placed upon the witness stand, but other members of the board intimated she is quite likely to be.

SACRAMENTO, April 24.—(AP)—Partial identification of Jack Woolley of Oakland as "Jack Martin," whom she was instructed to confer with on the "Miss X" angle of the Aimee Semple McPherson case in 1924 was made by Mrs. Lorraine Wiseman-Sielaff here today.

SACRAMENTO, Cal., April 24.—(AP)—Having flatly contradicted the testimony of various witnesses who preceded him in his impeachment trial, Superior Judge Carlos S. Hardy defended his stand from the severe fire of the prosecution's cross-examination today.

For four hours yesterday the white-haired jurist sat on the witness stand and denied without reservations much damning testimony put into the records against him.

HEFLIN BRANDS G.O.P. SENATOR A KU KLUXER

Farm Relief Debate Is Interrupted By Attack on Senator Watson — Latter Hotly Denies Charge — Brookhart for Debenture.

WASHINGTON, April 24.—(AP)—Senator Heflin, democrat, Alabama, declared in the senate today that he understood Senator Watson of Indiana, the republican leader, was "an old he-horse in the Ku Klux Klan," and Watson immediately denied he was a member of that organization.

Heflin interrupted the farm relief debate to repeat his request for a vote on his resolution condemning the attack on himself during an address at a Ku Klux Klan meeting at Brockton, Mass. Senator Blaine, republican, Wisconsin, objected, and Heflin turned his ire on Watson.

"Why, I am shocked," said Heflin, "at the opposition of Jim Watson to this resolution. I understood he was one of the finest old he-horses in the Ku Klux Klan. I am almost crushed by his attitude."

"The senator knows I am not a member of the Klan," quickly retorted Watson.

Jeritza Realistic in Operatic Role; Painfully Injured

VIENNA, April 24.—(AP)—Maria Jeritza, Metropolitan Opera company prima donna, received painful injuries in the course of a performance of Cavalleria Rusticana at the State Opera house last night. She threw herself down the church steps on the stage with such violence the blood flowed freely from a cut.

The prima donna, undaunted by the injury, continued to sing until the curtain was lowered. Then she fainted. A physician administered restoratives and then bandaged her arm.

She insisted upon resuming her role in the short opera and continued singing.

SPRING BURSTS UPON THE CITY AS SUN SHINES

The much delayed spring season seems to have come all at once this week, as the trees and early shrubbery and vegetation in general are ready to burst out into leaves and shoots, the early planted gardens that had been hanging fire for weeks are perking up, and the lawns, due to the recent rains, are thick with green grass and prolific with dandelions, while many early bulbs and other outside plants are blooming.

Especially in this situation noticeable in the city park, which already is a place of neatly ordered walks and green beauty. The natural beauty of the park was greatly enhanced by the work done by the street department not long ago in making the walks through the park of uniform width with neat side railings, and the relocation of the captured German cannon from the east section of the park to the center of the north section near West Main street. This artillery piece stands on a concrete foundation with its muzzle pointing directly at the University club building.

A noticeable feature of the lawns of the city park is that the public library section is filled with hundreds of blossoming dandelions, while the other sections of the park have practically no dandelions.

The planting of the flower beds in the city park will not be done until May 10, at which time all danger of frost damage will be deemed past.

LOCAL BEEKEEPERS TO HAVE A CONVENTION

The annual meeting of the Rogue River Beekeepers' association, will be held the fore part of May, at a date to be decided upon, according to James Stewart president of the association. Election of officers for the year will be held.

President Stewart expects to secure a bee expert from the Oregon State College to address the session upon the value of the bee to pollination and to extend a general invitation to orchardists of this section to hear the address.

JACKSONVILLE CLASS PLAY THURSDAY NIGHT

JACKSONVILLE, Ore., April 24.—(Special)—The senior class of the Jacksonville high school will present the play, "Cyclone Sally," on Thursday evening, April 25, at 8:15 o'clock in the high school gymnasium. Reserved seats are 50 cents, on sale at the drug store; general admission, 35 cents and 25 cents; children in the sixth grade or under, 15 cents.

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DISCOVER ROOT TUBERCULOSIS IN FATTY ACID

Aid in Search for Cure Expected From Chemical—Woman Is Member Scientists Making Research at Yale University.

By Oscar Leitling, Associated Press Science Editor. WASHINGTON, April 24.—(AP)—Discovery of a "fatty" acid which may have far reaching effect on science's search for a tuberculosis cure was reported today to the academy of sciences.

The acid, a chemical substance which is almost a solid at certain temperatures, induces the growth of tubercles when injected into normal animals. It may be the root of tuberculosis and a study of its formation in human cells and its activity may provide a new angle of attack against the disease.

The finding is the result of research in Rockefeller Institute by Florence R. Sabin, only woman member of the academy, and Dr. C. A. Don and Dr. C. F. Foraker. The work centers around the hope that a means of curing the disease may be found by studying the chemistry of the bacillus which acts as a parasite of one of the cells of the body.

One part of the study is to tear apart the component elements of the cell; another is to produce these fractions in large quantities; and the third is to show the effect of each in influencing the growth of the tubercle bacillus.

The chemical work in connection with the co-operative study is being done in Sterling laboratory, Yale university, by Professor T. B. Johnson and Dr. R. J. Anderson. The work of Dr. Sabin and her co-workers has been to find the effect of the separated substances. One, the hitherto unknown "fatty" acid, is of such power that doses introduced into the tissues of a rabbit, easily produce reactions similar to tuberculosis.

The newly found acid has the power of causing rapid multiplication of one strain of blood and tissue cells in the body to the exclusion of all the other cells of which the body is made up.

ORGANIZATIONS URGE G. N. ROAD EXTENSION

KLAMATH FALLS, Ore., April 24.—(AP)—Three more Klamath organizations have endorsed the proposed extensions of the Great Northern and Western Pacific railroads into southern Oregon and northern California.

Announcement was made today that Klamath Falls Realty board, the Langell Valley Community club and the Langwell Valley Grange have passed resolutions favoring the railroad projects.

GREAT RESULTS FROM COMPOUND

Read How This Medicine Helped This Woman

Brainerd, Minn.—"I read about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound in a newspaper and I have got great results from its tonic action at the Change of Life. Before I took it I was nervous and at times I was too weak to do my household work. I was this way about a year. But now I do all my housework and do chores outside the door. I must say that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done wonders for me and no woman should be without it. I sure can speak a good word for it."—Mrs. J. M. Sarrin, R. R. 7, Brainerd, Minnesota.



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Opportunity Day At Mann's Tomorrow

DON'T MISS THESE BIG BARGAINS Graduation Dresses

Just in—Dainty new Chiffon andorgette Dresses suitable for graduation purposes. They come in all the latest pastel shades, are made in the most up to date models, lace and flower trimmed, all have slips to match, full skirts, tight fitting bodice, all sizes from 14 to 38, on sale Thursday, each \$9.75

New Spring Dress Crepe 36-inch silk and cotton crepe in many good color combinations, fast colors; as a big special Thursday only, 69c

Many Other New Fabrics at Special Low Prices

Bedspreads 81x105 fancy rayon bedspreads comes in green, blue, gold, and lavender. \$4.45 values; Thursday special \$3.45 each

Marquissette Panels Your choice of either French marquissette or cross-bar panels 2 1/4 yards long, fringed in ecru color; regular price 85c. Thursday special, each 65c

Thursday Is Hosiery and Underwear Day

Rayon Underwear Women's pajamas, gowns and chemise, very good quality, all colors; as a big special Thursday only, each \$1.39

Hosiery Women's full fashioned silk hose, service weight with diamond point heel, all shades and sizes, on sale Thursday a pair \$1.49

Kid Glove Sale Women's novelty cuff kid gloves in all sizes, comes in beige, tan, and grey, up to \$4.95 values. Thurs. special, pr. \$2.95

Hand Made Gowns Trimmed in dainty embroidered designs, made of a very fine grade of nainsook; colors: flesh, peach and white, as a big special Thursday, each \$1.25

Boys' Wash Suits Made of fast-colored chambray, sizes 1 to 3 years; new styles. Thursday special suit \$1.19

New Silk Handkerchiefs To satisfy the new vogue we have just received an assortment of large silk handkerchiefs in all colors, special Thursday, each \$1.00

Smart New Bags Made of snake, cowhide, suede and novelty leathers; a very special \$5.45 display Thursday, each \$2.50

Betty Baxley Wash Frocks For Every Age Betty Baxley designers styled these charming wash frocks for you. Original models, distinctive and different. There are styles here for both juniors and matrons to fit every figure, made of fast-colored new prints, broadcloths and many other materials in an attractive choice of colors and patterns, \$1.95 \$2.50 values, on sale Thursday, each \$1.95

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Pacific Coast League			
W.	L.	PC.	
Missions	16	8	667
Los Angeles	17	11	602
Sacramento	15	13	552
San Francisco	15	13	536
Hollywood	10	11	476
Oakland	13	15	461
Portland	10	13	435
Seattle	5	18	217

American League			
W.	L.	PC.	
Cleveland	4	2	667
St. Louis	5	3	625
Philadelphia	5	3	625
Boston	2	2	500
New York	2	2	500
Washington	2	3	400
Detroit	3	5	375
Chicago	2	4	333

National League			
W.	L.	PC.	
Boston	3	1	750
New York	2	1	667
Chicago	4	2	667
Philadelphia	3	2	600
St. Louis	4	3	571
Pittsburg	2	4	333
Cincinnati	2	1	500
Brooklyn	1	1	167

Rogue River Valley—The scenic paradise of the world.