

Diamond Lake Road Winter Opening Draws Rejection

Portland — (U.P.)—The State Highway Commission opened bids on another big batch of projects and met with delegations from various cities today after awarding contracts totaling \$1,500,000, and rejecting some requested work because it would cost too much.

The commission also got a report from R. H. Baldock, state highway engineer, saying the president's proposed highway program would be a needed shot in the arm to Oregon.

Request Turned Down

The commission turned down a proposal to widen the Pacific highway west through White-son in Yamhill county. This would cost \$6000 but the commission decided nothing be spent until money is available for a new alignment of the highway which would cost \$135,000.

The commission also denied:

A proposal to improve the territorial secondary highway between Lorane in Lane county and Anlauf in Douglas county.

A request of the city of Wheeler to widen U.S. Highway 101 through the city.

A proposal for widening a 3.6 mile section of the Alsea—Deadwood highway.

A proposal to keep the east and west Diamond lake secondary highways free of snow and sanded throughout the winter. Overall cost, including equipment, would be about \$200,000.

State Park Approved

The commission approved a state park east of Roseburg at Susan creek and to spend some \$2000 to repair the Yaquina lighthouse at Newport.

Baldock said that the president's highway bill and one the administration proposes to introduce next year would give the state \$52,550,000 a year for 10 years for highways. Baldock said that next year, when the last of Oregon's \$72,000,000 worth of bonds revenue is gone, the state will have to drop back from \$42,000,000 this year to \$23,000,000 for highway construction unless Congress passes some form of additional help.

The commission decided to hold its next meeting April 13-14 and the following one on May 25-26.



AFFECTIONATE GREETING is given Woolworth heiress Barbara Hutton by her latest suitor, Contractor Hal B. Hayes, as she returns to Los Angeles from Hawaii vacation. She will be free to wed again when Porfirio Rubirosa, No. 5, completes divorce proceedings in Dominican Republic, his native land. (International)

A Nichol's Worth of . . . Comment On This and That

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Washington—(U.P.)—The senior senator from Wisconsin has a complaint. But he has no copy-right on it—the American taxpayer agrees with Sen. Alexander Wiley, the Republican from Chippewa Falls, that income tax form 1040 still is too complex.

"Even the new or 'simplified' form is so complicated," says the gray-haired senator, who will be 71 in May, "that it would take a lawyer, or a Ph. D., or a certified public accountant to understand it."

The Wisconsin law-giver is a lawyer, sure. Also a business-man. Still, the new forms confuse him. He's not alone. He gets a lot of mail, not only from the home of the Badger, but also from around the country.

A lot of it, he says, contains complaints against the new federal income tax forms.

Simplified Form
"Congress," he says, "previously had written in numerous statutory changes to be of help to the taxpayer in reducing certain of his tax liabilities. But one of the results is a 'simplified' form—a form which is full of all sort of instruction difficult to follow."

The senator fills out his own income tax forms. Then he turns them over to a board of experts

hired to help members of Congress. Generally he doesn't run into much trouble, but sometimes he does. The common man winds up in a lather of confusion.

Take the dairy farmer in Wisconsin, whose problems are complicated by the fact that he buys a cow, sells her and buys a couple of heifers. All of that has to be recorded, to be sure.

But the farmer is not allowed to bunch things. He has to record every sale or trade if he is to be honest. To simplify that sort of performance, naturally would be difficult, but Sen. Wiley thinks it could be done.

Farmer's Problem

"The farmer's problem is apart from that of the average taxpayer. There is no reason why the average American—with comparatively easy tax information to write up—should have to consult all sorts of experts in the process."

The senator thinks that guys like you and me should be able to understand them without fiddling around; without stumbling through five-point type that Grandma couldn't read without her tri-focals.

"There is," says the senator, "no place in the tax forms for gobbledygook." The new tax form didn't delete any of the complexity—it added a little.

Pity Asked

So Sen. Wiley is asking the Internal Revenue Bureau to back off a few paces and take pity on the taxpayer.

"I am asking the revenue people," the senator says, "to have some of its best people get really down to cases and make these forms simpler."

It should be said that the senator has a private complaint; and he isn't alone.

"Winds up," he says, "that I always seem to owe something."

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Niblets All Green Asparagus Spears	10 1/2-oz. can - 4 for \$1.00
Del Monte Cut Green Beans	No. 303 can - 5 for \$1.00
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Van Camp's Red Kidney Beans	No. 303 can - 6 for \$1.00
Mission Green Lima Beans	No. 303 can - 6 for \$1.00
Van Camp's Pork and Beans	No. 2 1/2 can - 4 for \$1.00
Kounty Kist Creamed Corn	No. 303 can - 8 for \$1.00
Summer Time Whole Kernel Corn	No. 303 can - 9 for \$1.00
Niblets Corn	12-oz. vac can - 7 for \$1.00
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Del Monte Creamed Corn	No. 303 can - 7 for \$1.00
Mission Green Peas	No. 303 can - 8 for \$1.00
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Del Monte Peas and Carrots	No. 303 can - 5 for \$1.00
Blue Plate Mustard or Turnip Greens	No. 303 can - 8 for \$1.00
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North Coast Apple Sauce	No. 303 can - 6 for \$1.00
Del Monte Apricot Halves	No. 2 1/2 can - 3 for \$1.00
Argo Figs	No. 303 can - 6 for \$1.00
Del Monte Fancy Figs	303 jar - 4 for \$1.00
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Bagley Bartlett Pears	No. 2 1/2 can - 4 for \$1.00
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Campbells Frozen Pea or Potato Soup	5 for \$1.00
Bellana Frozen Fillet of Sole	1-lb. box--2 for \$1.00
Hi-West Frozen Corn	10-oz. box -- 9 for \$1.00
Hi-West Peas or Peas and Carrots	10-oz. box -- 9 for \$1.00
Birdseye Frozen Strawberries	4 boxes \$1.00

Society

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Bethel Announces Coming Events In Central Point

Central Point — Gifts to the Shrine hospital at Portland and the state educational and promotional funds of Jobs' Daughters were approved at the last meeting of the Central Point Bethel of the order on February 24. Junior Bethel night was announced for the next regular meeting, March 10, and practice will be held at 9 a.m. Saturday, March 5.

On the refreshment committee were the Misses Maxine and Ruth Day and Mrs. Grant Day; Miss Phyllis Briggs and Mrs. Ray Briggs, Miss Sally Mongold, and Mrs. Delbert Mongold, and Mrs. A. M. Setness.

A merchants' lunch has been planned for Saturday, March 5, between 11:30 a.m. and 1:30 p.m., and the public is invited. Tickets may be secured from any Bethel member or at the Central Point Masonic temple next Saturday.

Temperance Legion To Meet Saturday; Is New Group Here

The newly organized Loyal Temperance Legion will meet at the home of the leader, Mrs. E. J. Gilstrap, 702 West Fourth street Saturday, March 5, at 2 p.m. Twenty-one young people attended the first meeting.

It is stated that new pins and song books are ready for distribution, and refreshments will be served.

Further information may be obtained by calling Mrs. Gilstrap at 3-1656.

Medford Man Flown South for Treatment

Jackson R. Hartley, 1060 Shafer lane, an employee of the California Oregon Power company, was flown to San Francisco for emergency medical treatment last evening.

Hartley was in Dunsmuir when he became ill, and doctors decided he should go to the University of California hospital in the Bay city. Because there is snow on the airport near Dunsmuir, he was taken to the field at Montague, where he was picked up by the twin-engine Mercy Flights air ambulance plane. His wife accompanied him south.

Hartley was the 331st patient carried by the non-profit corporation's Mercy planes.

Medical Masseurs Meet Monday Night

Southern Oregon chapter, Oregon State Association of Medical Masseurs met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Wolfe, Ashland, Monday evening with Mrs. Kathleen Allingham, presiding. Among those present was Eugene Santee, Grants Pass, state president. Refreshments were served by the host and hostess.

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