

THE DAM CHRONICLE

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OUR PROGRAM

1. Develop a fire protection system.
2. Create a water district and develop lands between Craigmont hotel and Herman creek.
3. Install street lights.
4. Lay down sidewalks—even though they are wooden sidewalks.
5. Urge the federal government to purchase the toll bridge and make it a free bridge.
6. Launch a campaign to make the lake back of the dam the most popular resort on the West Coast.

A STUPID POLICY

Senator Homer T. Bone, of Washington, has delayed and defeated enactment of the Bonneville dam bill, now before the senate, at this session of congress. Bone insists that a grave injustice will be done the people of the Pacific northwest if Charles Bohn is permitted to purchase bulk of the power for use in manufacturing aluminum.

Much fault will be found with Bone for his attitude, and yet there are thousands of people in Oregon who believe Bone is pursuing the proper course in demanding that the power be reserved for sale to the public. The dog-in-the-manger policy is stupid and silly, for common sense should tell Bone and the people as a whole that there is an abundance of power in the river which can be developed for sale to cities and towns desirous of installing municipal power systems.

Daily one hears people remark that Bohn's request for the power at the dam is a move on the part of large utilities to get control of the Bonneville dam. That is silly, too, for again common sense must tell critics that his contract would be cancelled without delay should he fail to fulfill his agreement to produce an agreed tonnage of aluminum every month.

Washington and Oregon need industries capable of providing payrolls for workers. It occurs to us that it is better that people have work that our light rates be reduced a few cents. Our first problem is to convince the government that power produced in the Columbia river commands a market. Once we get that idea across our future development is assured.

BOAT TRIP PLANNED

The Portland junior chamber of commerce is organizing a steamer excursion to Bonneville dam for about mid-September, it announced this week. A stern-wheeler will be chartered and chamber members and friends will have a chance to spend the entire day cruising up the Columbia and inspecting the huge project.

Boy Scouts

CASCADE LOCKS

Fourteen Cascade Locks boy scouts under Scoutmaster M. L. Morgan held their first outdoor meeting Thursday evening at Eagle creek campground. They were accompanied by C. N. Teal, state highway engineer on the new Eagle creek road bridge.

The 14 scouts all passed their camp cookery and firebuilding tests for second class scout rank. They were given just two matches each, had to build the fire without paper. Over their open fires they cooked steak on a stick, baked potatoes in the hot coals.

The Cascade Locks troop's next outdoor excursion will be an overnight hike to four-mile camp on Herman creek. They will sleep out under the stars, do their own cooking, learn more of the ways of scouting.

BONNEVILLE

Six Bonneville boy scout troop members spent the night under cloudy skies Saturday at the Seven-mile camp on the way to Wah-tum lake. Ashley Myers, troop committeeman, led the boys, who all returned to tell of the fine time they'd had.

LEGION TO NOMINATE

Nomination of officers of Bonneville post No. 88, American Legion, for the coming year will be made the post's next meeting, September 11, at the reservation auditorium. Commander Dave Marvin announced yesterday. A commander, two vice-commanders, adjutant, finance officer and sergeant-at-arms will be nominated.

LICENSE EXAMS SET

A state examiner will be in Bonneville library September 8 to accept applications and give tests for drivers' and chauffeurs' licenses. No examination, except in rare cases, is required for renewal. Hours will be from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

HIGHWAY CREW IN 35 FEET AT TOOTH ROCK

The state highway crew under Jack Doyle has bored 35 feet into the east side of Tooth rock in its exploration tunnel work.

The work is being done to determine condition of rock which the state will encounter when it begins its projected job of building an 890-foot tunnel through which the Columbia river highway will pass. Rock is reported rotten for some distance in from the surface, harder inside. The finished tunnel will be lined with concrete according to Doyle.

The six-foot exploratory bore will be driven in about 50 feet. Then the crew will move to the west face to start a similar tunnel. The work is being done under the present highway above and south of the new Union Pacific tunnel which the highway tunnel will parallel.

HOMESITE ROAD FIXED

Gravel has been all laid on the forest service road from Eagle creek camp ground to the home-site circle. Ranger Albert Wiesendanger is trying to get oil to pave the road oiled to keep down the dust, prevent it from bothering residents and picnickers alike.

DANCE FOR HONEYMOONERS

Dam employees married within the past three months will be guests of honor Friday night at the Honeymoon dance, sponsored by the Bonneville Recreation association on the reservation auditorium. Couples must register in the BRA office in the new administration building to get their free tickets. Mourey Graff and his popular orchestra will play.

MACY'S SHOWS FALL FASHIONS SATURDAY

Latest in fall fashions in women's wear will be shown Saturday evening at the fall opening of Macy's, Cascade Locks ladies' ready-to-wear shop across from the postoffice.

The event, expected to attract women from the entire dam area, will be held from 7:30 to 11 p. m. Selection of offerings has been made from leading women's apparel manufacturers.

Styles range from sport wear in wool or corduroy to evening dresses in velvets and silk crepes. Wash dresses in newest fall colors will be featured. Other items include the latest in sport coats, fur-trimmed coats, skirts, silk dresses in both prints and solid colors, underwear, hosiery, sweaters, knitted suits, leather jackets, handbags and shoes of all styles.

COURT TO SEE ABOUT ROAD IMPROVEMENTS

County Judge Hasbrouck was expected to come from Hood River to Cascade Locks this week to inspect the county road leading to the Locks ground with an eye to improving it.

The judge's visit follows that of Erwin Brolliar to Hood River, Thursday, to ask the county court to make that road and the one leading off the highway between the C. E. Carns and A. L. Stewart homes more safe for traffic. The court declared the latter road to be up to the city to improve, but promised to inspect the one leading under the railroad.

Brolliar was appointed several weeks ago by President Frank Hall of the Civic club to see what could be done towards fixing the two roads.

TEN NAMED TO MAKE COLUMBIA BASIN STUDY

Ten members have been named on the Pacific northwest regional planning commission's staff for making a Columbia basin study and report recently requested by President Roosevelt.

Members announced to date are Dr. Charles McKinley, Reed college, study of political and economic aspects; Dr. H. V. Carpenter, dean of the engineering school, Washington State college, power investigation; Major Joseph Jacobs, Seattle, consulting engineer on the inventory of water resources; P. Hatherton, Olympia, research engineer; Chas. E. Carey, consulting electrical engineer; H. P. Taylor, Boise, mining engineer; Dr. Blair Stewart, Reed college, economist; Fred R. Brown, associate economist; James C. Rettie, Fossil, Ore., assistant economist.

The report is ordered for November 1.

RICE'S BAND RETURNS WEDNESDAY TO LOCKS

Return engagement of Eli Rice's 12-piece colored orchestra and floor show to Merrill's pavilion in Cascade Locks next Wednesday was announced this week by J. A. Merrill.

The band of musicians, singers and dancers proved extremely popular when it appeared a month ago on tour from Minneapolis. Rice is well known for his fine tenor voice. Critics have said that his background is as good as those of Broadway headliners.

The orchestra will present a varied dance program interspersed with specialty numbers. Miss Eddie Grumps is featured as personality girl of the show. Rogers and Benny, tap dancers and buck-and-wing specialists, have appeared on the Orpheum circuit from coast to coast.

Forest Service

The prickly porcupine is the latest bother of the forest service. At Columbia Gorge district ranger station is now on display the remains of a "No Smoking While Traveling Sign" brought down from the Parkerstown road on the east end of the district by Bill Knopp.

The prickly animals chewed the sign down to about three-quarters of its original size, have almost entirely removed one ply from the three-ply wood. Porcupines have a taste for signs, according to Protective Assistant Burl Smith, to get at the paint that covers them.

District Ranger and Mrs. Roy L. Weeman are being visited until the end of the month by Mr. Weeman's father, H. A. Weeman, and niece, Dorothy Arbough, of Manson, Wash., near Chelan, Mr. Weeman's former station.

NEWLYWEDS SHOWERED

Twenty-five friends showered Mrs. Joe Morris Monday at her home in Cascade Locks with a large variety of household gifts. Mrs. Morris is the former Zelda Hesse, married early last week. Luncheon was served and four tables of cards played under the big trees outside. Those present were: Mrs. Karl Rosenback, Mrs. Jerry Woodward, Helen Rosenback, Mrs. C. E. Carns, Mrs. Chas. Nelson, Nell Rae Brolliar, Mrs. Bruce Wheeler, Mrs. Sue Woodward, Mrs. Lester Sprague, Mrs. Bernice Reuterskiold, Mrs. W. J. Carlson, Mrs. Isabella Osborn, Mrs. Maude Brolliar, Mrs. Sarah Brolliar, Stella Woodward, Mrs. Arthur Sundsten, Mrs. Clyde Foulkes, Mrs. August Peterson, Mrs. Brett Vanstrom, Mrs. Silver Perras, Mrs. Frank Hall, Mrs. John Mortensen, Mrs. David Chamberlain, Mrs. George Hagg-bloom and Mrs. Charles Hagg-bloom.

DAM PAINTINGS SUGGESTED

Sponsorship by the Portland city council of a \$750 project of making paintings of Bonneville dam was urged last week by Robert G. Dieck, PWA project director and member of the city art commission. The city will pay for materials and overhead and the government will pay the salary of the painter. The city would get the paintings.

At the Theatre

The coming week at the Roosevelt theatre on the Bonneville dam reservation promises three fine bills, following tonight's "The Best Man Wins," starring Edmund Lowe and Jack Holt in a rowdy, underwater drama of two divers and a girl.

"The People's Enemy", Friday and Saturday, gives a thrilling view of the activity of "G-Men" long and powerful arm of the federal government's justice in tracking down the country's leading gangsters. Preston Foster plays the part of Vince Falcone, public enemy who has escaped all legal entanglements via technical loopholes engineered by his clever lawyer. The desperado is finally nipped by federal agents on a tax evasion charge, is sent to the penitentiary for nine years.

Falcone believes his attorney has double-crossed him with the parole board as well as with his own wife. He escapes to seek revenge. What happens then forms the exciting climax. Lila Lee plays the wife, Melvyn Douglas, the attorney. Roscoe Ates and Shirley Grey are prominent in the cast.

Lionel Barrymore appears as physician to the underworld, in

"Public Hero Number 1," showing Sunday, Monday and Tuesday. Drama of the federal department of justice's war on crime, the picture deals with the pursuit of a notorious gangster. An escape-face-lifting operation is shown for the first time on the screen. Barrymore performs the operation. Joseph Calleia to disguise him following a spectacular jail break. Incidents depicted in the story are taken from authentic records and newspaper accounts. Includes in the cast are such favorites as Chester Morris, Lewis Stone, Joan Arthur.

From gray prison walls, the Roosevelt's screen turns Wednesday and Thursday to the story of a headstrong girl tremendously in love—Katherine Hepburn and Charles Boyer co-starred in "Break of Hearts."

Against a background of the concert stage, Miss Hepburn, a poor student, falls in love with the handsome concert master, a Don Juan sort of fellow played by Boyer, idol of the French stage and rapidly becoming the idol of American feminine fans. He, of course, makes violent love, she neglects her. After a crisis and parting comes a spectacular sacrifice and reconciliation. Miss Hepburn is gorgeously gowned by the fashion designer of "Roberta."

May (on the beach): He wants me to give him something to remember me by.

June: Why don't you let him have one of your bathing suits put in the back of his watch?

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