

# YOUR HIGHWAYS by JAY SCOTT

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Modern Roads aren't necessarily super-highways, any more than modern vehicles are necessarily airplanes. Many people think that only famous highways are modern. Truth is: any road is up-to-date that does a good job of carrying the traffic it was built for.

A Good Road permits safe passage at a safe speed for the cars that use it regularly. A well-graded, well-drained dirt road may well be called modern; so might a well-cared for gravel road or any one of the familiar "black tops."

The Moment a road fails to meet the demands of motorists, it is obsolete.



We need modern roads between small towns even between farms. But we can hardly demand that these roads be superhighways.

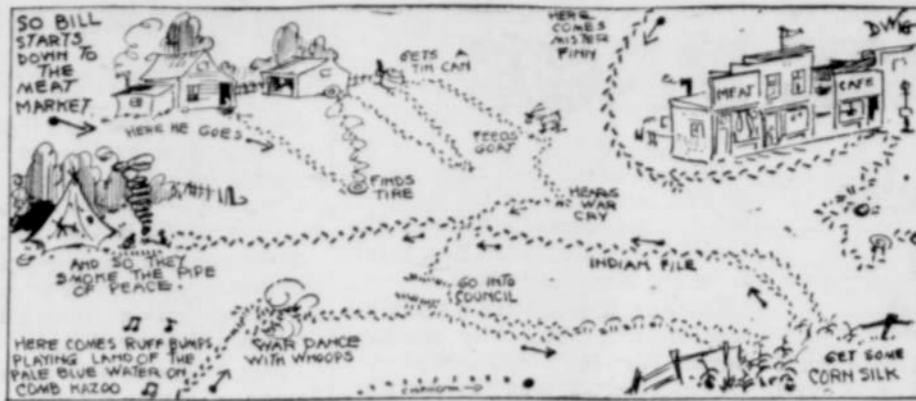
Exactly What Kind of a road does a community need? A survey of needs is just as important as an engineering survey. A too-expensive road, or a too-elaborate one, is just as bad as one that is too narrow, badly graded or poorly built.

The Use-Value of a road is the determining factor. Planning a modern road calls for thorough consideration of all the needs of the public—industrial, commercial, recreational, agricultural and social. After these are set it's time for the engineers.

It's The Engineers' Job to know how wide the road should be, its course, construction and materials.

Any Compromise with known and expected need is folly & partially condemns the road before it is built. The road of today—the road of tomorrow—will expedite traffic, increase safety & serve the maximum needs of the people who use it!

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## DETROIT AND IDANHA

By BOOTS CHAMPION

The baseball game played between Detroit high and Chemawa Friday afternoon April 17th, on the Detroit diamond ended with the score 10 to 1 in favor of Chemawa. Batteries for Detroit were Hill and Woodward, with Snyder as substitute.

Col. Jack Miles whose home is in Portland and who just recently returned from Florida, visited with friends here this week, enroute to Panama enroute to Peru, South America. Colonel Miles was first resident engineer of the Detroit dam project and made his home in Mongold while here.

Engineer William D. Smith of Hanford visited with friends here this week, while enroute to Lowell (Look-out Point dam) for a visit with Engineer Ray Overholser.

Ben Martin, formerly of Mongold, and now making his home in Boise, Idaho, was also a visitor in Detroit this week.

Mrs. Robert Manning, and Mrs. Otto Russell motored to Nelscott Tuesday to visit Mrs. Manning's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Joyce who are vacationing there. Mrs. Joyce has been in ill health for some time.

Mrs. Lew Joyce and family will move to Portland as soon as school is out. Mr. Joyce is already employed there.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Johnson of Eugene were callers in Detroit and Idanha this week. Mr. Johnson formerly resided here.

Visiting at the home of Mrs. Ann Stevens last weekend, were her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Marcum, and daughter Cheryl of Portland.

Mrs. F. L. Noble, who has been visiting with friends and relatives in Seattle, Grants Pass, and Los Angeles, returned home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Beason of Springfield arrived in Detroit last weekend, and spent this week conditioning their cabin. The Beasons were former residents of Fishers camp in old Detroit.

Mrs. Len Davis of Idanha, and Mrs. Joe Leis, were business callers in Mill City on Friday.

At the regular business meeting of the F.O.E. Auxiliary held Wednesday night, plans were discussed for the installation of officers in June, the date to be announced later. A novelty of refreshments served (coffee and jello were frosted cup cakes, bearing the names of each member.

A directors meeting of the North Santiam Chamber of Commerce was held Monday night at the Grange hall, in Mehama, in continuation of the program regarding the official dedication of the Detroit dam June 10th. Attending from this area were Otto Russell and E. C. (Babe) Kennedy of Breitenbush Springs.

Visiting for a few days this week with Mr. and Mrs. Otto Russell, and

enjoying fishing were Jerry Pack and Robert Ryan of Portland. While here they stayed at the comfortable Calzeta motel.

A social meeting of the Idamoe (Star) club was held Tuesday night, at the home of Mrs. Raymond Sophy, assisted by Mrs. Ray Johnson. An interesting feature of the evening was a flower arrangement demonstration, by Miss Inuzuka who studied the art of flower arranging. Refreshments were served.

Visiting with friends and enjoying fishing over the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Williams (formerly Alice Ball) of Eugene.

Man's best friend these days is a box of Kleenex or a gob of handkerchiefs to take care of the epidemic of colds noted in this area. There is just no two ways about it. Either your head is so stuffed up you can't breathe, or else your nose is running all over the place.

Many folks in this area are on the sick list with the flu, colds, sore throats, etc. Little 4-year-old Sandra, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Tully is having a rough time with bronchitis and tonsillitis. She is under the care of a Stayton physician.

The infant son of the Dorland Rays just recently recovered from a severe attack of bronchitis.

Mrs. Eric Nyberg of Idanha and Mrs. Earl Stahlman spent a few days in Salem on business this week.

## LYONS

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley West are receiving congratulations upon the arrival of a daughter, born Sunday at the Santiam Memorial hospital in Stayton. The child has been named Judy Kathleen and has three sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Ethridge and family left Tuesday for Texas where they will visit with relatives. Ethridge is agent at the Southern Pacific depot

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Zona Sischo and Hazel Lewis, members of Faith Rebekah lodge, attended a meeting held in Scio Tuesday afternoon to help make plans with other officers for the district convention, which will be held in Scio.

Alta Bodeker, who will be left supporter to vice chairman, was unable to attend. Zona will be inside guardian and Hazel left supporter to the chairman; Leatha Sommers of Scio will be the chairman.

Mumps, measles, flu and chicken pox have hit the Mari-Linn school

with epidemic force. Thursday, April 16, 23% of the pupils were absent.

It also has struck some of the teaching staff as well as the pupils. Some of the adults of the community have been suffering with mumps, taken from the children.

There will be no school Monday, due to the spring county-wide work shop held in Albany. Each teacher received a card telling when to be present.

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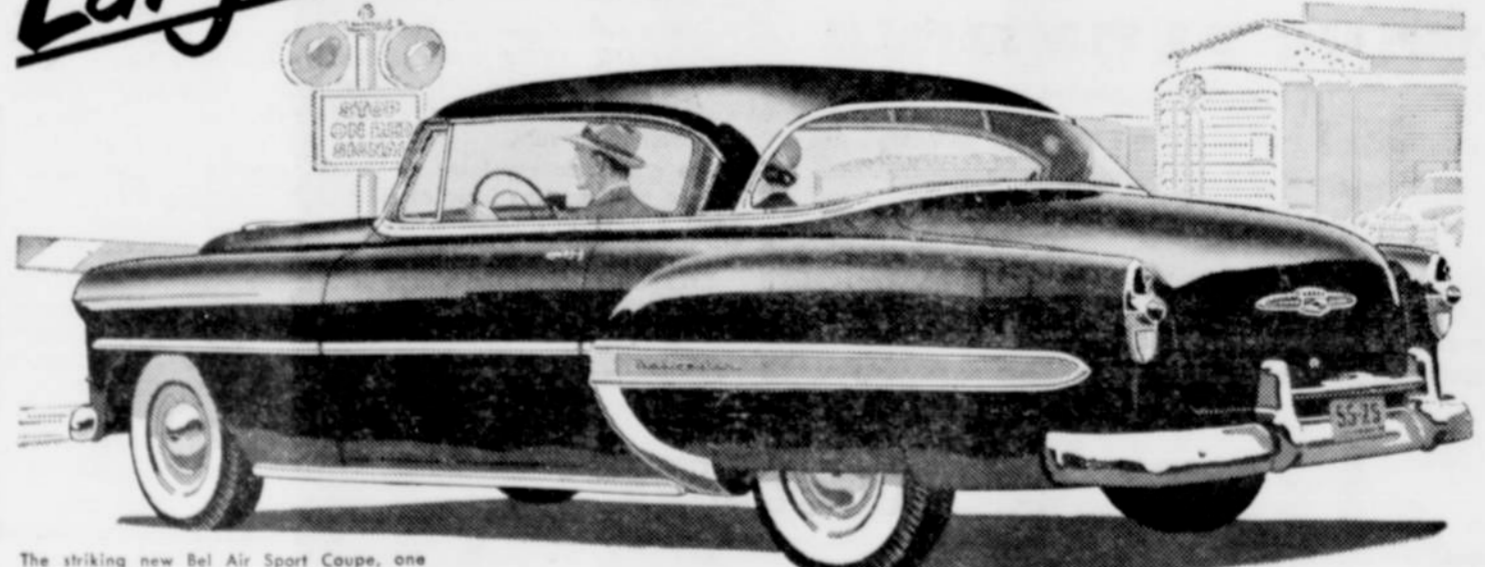
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