

Property Owners Protest Proposed Street Closing At City Council Meeting

Councilmen Paul O. Landry and W. D. Miller were the only members of the city's official family to show up and face the withering blast of objections thrown by property owners along Earle and Melrose streets. Protests arose over the state highway department's proposal to close the streets on a permanent basis so that they would not interfere with the proposed north entrance highway through Hot Springs area.

Bear Haven Breakup Asked

WASHINGTON, March 25 (AP)—The interior department has been asked by Jack McCord, Alaska, to take one of Alaska's garden spots away from the brown bears and give it to settlers.

McCord told a reporter today he had placed before Warner Gardner, assistant secretary of the interior, and the fish and wildlife service a proposal that Kodiak island be opened to settlement. It was withdrawn from settlement in 1941 and made a refuge for brown bears, except for a strip along the coast.

"Kodiak is one of the garden spots of Alaska," McCord said. "It is affected by the Japanese current and the temperature in winter does not get below freezing. It is an ideally located grazing spot and will make a good place for settlement by veterans and others interested in getting homesteads in the territory."

McCord said a navy air base already is established there, along with theatres, and stores, and it is visited three times a week by large airliners.

Senate Passes Boat Speed Limit

SALEM, March 25 (AP)—The senate passed and sent to the house late Monday a bill to limit the speed of motor boats of more than 5 horsepower to 10 miles per hour during hours that fishing is allowed on several southern Oregon lakes.

The lakes are East, Paulina and Elk lakes in Deschutes county; Crescent lake in Klamath county; and Diamond lake in Douglas county.

The bill, amended by the senate game committee, originally banned all boats of that size from those lakes.

Senate Group To Probe Wildlife

SALEM, March 25 (AP)—The senate finished legislative action Monday on a resolution for an interim committee to investigate Oregon's wildlife resources, and to recommend steps to increase them.

The committee will report to the 1949 legislature.

EMBARRASSING INSPECTION

COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo., March 25 (AP)—PFC Anderson T. Downs had worked hard to prepare his locker for inspection. It surprised him as well as Major Stanley F. Jacobs, commanding officer of squadron A, 200th AAF base unit, when the major found a cat and her new born kittens in the locker.

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Former Klamath Woman Passes

Word has been received here of the death of Mrs. Martha C. Eller, mother of R. D. Eller, formerly of this city. Mrs. Eller passed away last Friday at Co-burg, near Eugene, where she made her home.

Services were held Monday at Veatch's funeral parlors, Eugene.

R. D. Eller was for many years a Klamath Falls insurance man, and secretary of the Rotary club. Several years ago he moved to Spokane, Wash.

GI Insurance Reinstated By 2075

PORTLAND, March 25 (AP)—The veterans administration reported today that 2075 Oregon veterans have reinstated GI insurance since the Feb. 3 start of a campaign to conserve service benefits for those once in the armed forces. The insurance was valued at \$13,428,000.

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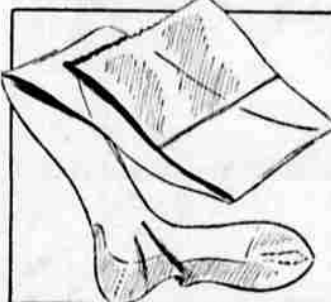
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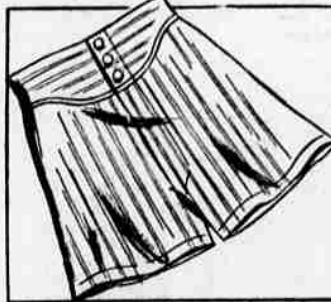
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