

# COUNTY COURT PROCEEDINGS

**MINUTES OF THE MALHEUR COUNTY COURT MEETING - MARCH 4, 1970:** The meeting was called to order by Judge Ellis A. White with commissioners E.W. Maag and Henry Esplin present.

GRANTED a dance hall license to the Boulevard Grange and the Japanese Community Hall.

APPROVED the application from the Dept. of Veterans' Affairs for a refund of taxes \$4.61, due to a double payment.

GRANTED and approved the application and permit to occupy or perform operations upon a County road, S.E. 2nd St., through Ontario Industrial, Sec. 10, T. 18S, R. 47 E.W.M., as submitted by the Cascade Natural Gas Corp.

APPROVED Order No. 26, in the matter of payment of claims, hereby ordering the County Auditor to issue warrants totaling \$54,616.67.

**GENERAL COUNTY FUND TRAVEL EXPENSES:** Raul Kucera - Circuit Court Reporter 41.40; Union Oil Co. of Calif. - Assessor 1.89; F. LaGard Smith, District Attorney 37.68; Standard Oil Co. of Calif., Juvenile 102.57; Richard B. Scott, Civil Defense - 6.16; Malla Sutschkow, Medicare 156.56; Fern Cramer, R.N., Migrant 81.44; Continental Oil Co., Health Dept. 17.91; Migrant 16.84; E.W. Maag, County Court 7.20; StarLite Cafe, County Court (Meals) 13.45; Vale Consumers Coop, Sheriff 157.13; Assessor 24.42, Auditor 2.16, Health Dept. 32.53, Juvenile Dept. 12.70; Standard Oil Co. of Calif., Sheriff 48.48, Migrant 11.43; Malheur County Road Dept. Sheriff 10.65, Medicare 64.65; Atlantic Richfield Co., Sheriff 13.81; Elliott Tire Stores, Inc., Sheriff 67.82; Union Oil Co. of Calif., Sheriff 47.13; Continental Oil Company, Sheriff 64.42; Shell Oil Co., Sheriff 16.09; Northwest Gas & Oil, Sheriff 91.40; Roy & Owens Tire Service, Medicare 1.50; Ray Huff, Migrant 54.00.

**OFFICE SUPPLIES & EXPENSES:** Professional Man's Handy Memo - Circuit Court 7.30; Bond Office Equip. - Clerk Office 4.95; TVCC - Assessor Office 94.94; M.G. Palmer, Jordan Valley - Phone 10.00, Rent 30.00; Arco Publishing Co. - Juvenile Office 4.00; Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Maughan - Veterans Service - Rent & Clerical 100.00; Olsen Lumber & Paint Co. - Civil Defense Supplies 16.00; Mae Adv, B.N. - Medicare 2.00; Intermountain Surgical Supply - Medicare, 10.50; Oregon TB & Health Assn. - Health Dept. 100.00, Migrant 100.00; Lederle Laboratories - Health Dept. 16.27, Migrant 5.43; Toggery Bill's - Office Equip. - 19.95; Business Mens Assurance Co. - Circuit Court 4.18, County Court 10.27, Probate - 4.18, Sheriff 14.45, Tax Dept. 12.54, Jail 8.36, Clerk 22.81, Assessor 31.17, Auditor 10.27, Treasurer 4.18, D.A. 4.18, Health Dept. 49.30, Nyssa J.P. 8.36, Vale J.P. 4.18, Juvenile Dept. 4.18, Courthouse 4.18, Nursing Home 64.00, Surveyor 4.18, Bull Creek Park 9.75, Medicare 4.18; Stuart F. Cooper Co. - Circuit Court 23.18; Quinn River Mercantile Co. - Sheriff Office 1.98; Jordan Valley Gift Shop - Sheriff Office 5.29; Estano's - Sheriff Office 35.61; Motor Vehicles Division - Sheriff 44.00; Idaho Communications - Sheriff 70.70; Malheur Drug, Inc. - Health Scientific Supplies 4.14, Medicare 1.47; American Cyanamid Co. - Health Supplies 10.85, Migrant 10.85; The Malheur Enterprise - Juvenile Office 3.00; Family Service Clinic - Office Supplies 15.40; Dr. Joseph Burdick - Family Service Clinic 360.00; Malheur Home Telephone Co. - Family Service 31.30; Fowells Office Supply - Family Service Clinic 13.22; Holy Rosary Hospital - Family Service Clinic 80.00; Victor Haburchak - Medicare 6.98; City of Ontario - Ontario J.P. - Water 4.50; S.W. 1st Ave. Office - Ontario J.P. Rent 135.00; E. OHS Smith - Nyssa J.P. - Utilities 20.75, Rent 83.50, Janitor 20.00; Austin Barton - Vale J.P. Rent 65.00; Mrs. L. Lee McFarland - Vale J.P. Janitor 15.00.

**U.S. National Bank - Vale - Circuit Court Jury fees 24.12, Ontario J.P. Witness fees 21.92, Ontario J.P. Jury Fees 30.00, Juvenile Witness fees 72.24; Stuart F. Cooper Co. - Circuit Court 23.18; Romello Martinez - Circuit Court Witness Fee 105.40; Melvin L. Walter - Juvenile Attorney Fees 50.00; Joseph Maughan - Veterans Travel 45.67, Office Expense 9.37; COURTHOUSE REPAIRS & EXPENSES:** Malheur Propane - Heat 22.00; City of Vale - Water 24.44; J.W. Copeland Yards - Repair 17.36; E. H. Wist - Repair 18.00; Interstate Electric Supply - Repair 45.00; Ontario Laundry - Housekeeping 10.00, A.F.P. Housekeeping 6.75; Dentinger's Feed & Seed - Housekeeping 44.00; J.E. Copeland Yards - Repairs 1.00; Harold A. Bender, Sr. - Repairs 97.50; Aldred Electric - Repairs 36.24.

**VARIOUS EXPENSES OF COUNTY:** Domingo Carbojal - AFP Casual labor 17.74; Waldo Forsman - AFP Travel 32, Supplies 1.49; Dr. D.S. Daniels - Exam of Mentally III 25.00; Ken Pfaff, M.D. - Exam of Mentally III 31.00; Melvin L. Walter - Exam of Mentally III 25.00; Dept. of General Services - Equipment purchase 6.00, Auto purchase 35.00; H.T. Hartwell - Auto Replacement 13.50; Public Employees Retirement - General County Contribution to FICA 1,671.86; Public Employees Retirement System - General County Contribution to Retirement 1,649.58; Malheur Drug, Inc. - Jail personal 5.08; Baker's Hardware - Jail Housekeeping 2.25; Sears, Roebuck & Co. - Jail Housekeeping 4.25; Hugh Findley - Jail Food 7.50; Ray's Food Fair - Jail Food 18.06; DeLite Bakery - Jail Food 17.32; Becker's Market - Jail Food 26.21; Hawley Meat Packing Co. - Jail Food 230.65; Wm. P. Bones - Medical Investigation 15.00; Dept. of General Services - AFP Commodities 334.00; Public Welfare Division - AFP Rent & Utilities 269.87; Gold Seal Dust Mop Service - AFP Housekeeping 3.00; Ontario Sanitary Service - AFP Housekeeping 2.50; Check Protector System - Equipment Maintenance 118.00; Trailways Bus Line - Juvenile Aid 6.50; Gabriel L. Martinez - Juvenile Aid 35.00.

**GENERAL ROAD FUND PARTS & OUTSIDE REPAIR:** Bullock Auto Parts - 224.53; Western Road Machinery Co. - 29.30; G-K Machinery - 25.19; Premier Fastener Company - 188.38; Aldred Electric Co. - 28.93; Valley Auto Supply 43.10; Intermountain Equipment Co. - 44.55; Bensons Paint & Glass - 85.00; Hansen's - 5.04, Shop Expense 16.00, Major Bridge 19.20.

**SHOP EXPENSE & SUPPLIES:** Ontario Auto Parts - 3.36; City of Vale - 4.00; Jim's Texaco Station - Parts & Outside Repair 16.00, Tire Expense 84.32, Major Bridge 73.50, (Dist. #6); Jordan Valley Cafe - Parts & Outside Repair 29.65, Major Bridge 145.25, (Dist. #6); Continental Oil Co. - Motor Fuel (Dist. #6) 136.40; Vale Coop - Tires, Supplies 62.74; Ford's Firestone Service Center - Tires 40.31; Northwest Gas & Oil - Tires Expense 204.02; Hasche-Sage Hardware - Supplies 155.62; Peters-de-Laet - 8.55; Motors - Book Dept. - 14.00; Business Mens Assurance - County Road Contrib. to BMA 8.40; Public Employees Retirement Board - Contrib. to FICA 289.90; Public Employees Retirement System - Contrib. to Retirement 296.37; Valley Grocery & Supply - Dist. #6 2.94; W.E. Gillespie - County Surveyor 204.28.

**MAINTENANCE MATERIALS:** Ready to - Four Concrete Co. - 126.90; Copeland Lumber Yard - Materials 76.28; Shop Expense 1.89, Major Bridge Materials 76.30; Ontario Pipe Supply 210.84; Olsen Lumber & Paint - (Dist. #9) 9.86, (Dist. #6) 12.80; Vogt Transfer & Storage Co. - Freight 6.77; Chevron Gas Station - Parts & Outside Repair 3.85, Major Bridge Materials 90.00, (Dist. #6) 93.85; Nordling Parts Co. - Major Bridge 20.33.

**NURSING HOME SUPPLIES & EXPENSES:** Warren McGowan - Bookkeeping 50.00; City of Vale - Water 18.24; Ontario Paint & Glass - Repairs

**LAW LIBRARY FUND Bancroft-Whitney Company - 20.00; West Publishing - 25.00; INDIGENT LIQUOR FUND AID TO INDIGENT:** Holy Rosary Hospital - 13.00; Malheur Drug - 9.10; Moore Bus Depot - 24.30; Shirley Grogan - 10.00; VALE - JORDAN GRAZING FUND Bureau of Land Management - Taylor Grazing Apport. 11,935; D.A. ENFORCEMENT FUND Audio Visual Supply Co. - 121.90; N.W. Smith - Investigation 50.00.

Meeting adjourned until March 5, 1970, which will be a special meeting.

**MINUTES OF A SPECIAL MEETING OF THE MALHEUR COUNTY COURT - MARCH 5, 1970:**

The meeting was called to order by Judge White with Commissioners E.W. Maag and Henry Esplin present.

The purpose of the meeting was to consult with each department head on their proposed budget for the fiscal year 1970-71, and for each department to explain the increases they have requested in salaries and supplies.

The Court discussed as to the question whether or not the county should continue keeping Medicare patients at the Nursing Home. No decision was made at this time as wished to discuss further with the Nursing Home Board members.

APPROVED the appointment of Ruth Smith to the Nursing Home Board.

APPROVED the supplemental budget for the Mental Health Clinic.

Meeting adjourned until March 11, 1970, which will be a regular meeting.

**MINUTES OF THE MALHEUR COUNTY COURT MEETING - MARCH 11, 1970:**

Meeting called to order by County Judge White with Commissioners E.W. Maag and Henry Esplin present.

The Court met with Ontario City Manager, Lloyd Castner, Vale's City Clerk, Howard Ego, and Lincoln Hale, State Highway Department, in regard to a grant for Parks and Recreation. Vale requested the amount of \$2,481.50 and the balance of the grant would go to Ontario. The Court accepted the above request by motion and approved unanimously.

APPROVED Order No. 27, in the matter of payment of claims, hereby ordering the County Auditor to issue warrants totaling \$9,105.50.

**GENERAL COUNTY FUND TRAVEL EXPENSES:** Huskey Oil Co. - Assessor 5.17; Standard Oil Co. of Calif. - Assessor 7.75.

**OFFICE SUPPLIES & EXPENSES:** Malheur Enterprise - Assessor 19.70, Vale J.P. 3.60; Oregon State Highway Dept. - Assessor 20.00; Kalbus Office Equip. - Assessor 112.13, Auditor, - 70, Health Office 1.35, Maintenance Agreement 120.00; Stuart F. Cooper Co. - D.A. Supplies 139.25; T.S. Denison & Co., Inc. - Health Dept. 7.69; Aoptheary Shop - Health Supplies 3.70, Medicare Drugs 6.96; Robert Wason - Health Dept. Medical Investigation 15.00; McKesson & Robbins Co. - Health Sales & Service 7.50; Vale Lockers - Annual rental for game cases locker for J.P. Courts 15.00; U.S. National Bank - Vale - Ontario J.P. Witness 7.56, Ontario J.P. Jury 32.24, Nyssa J.P. Witness 25.00; Vale Merc - Court Housekeeping Supplies, 11.04; Goodman Oil Company - Courthouse Repairs 2.15; Pitney - Bowes, Inc. - Courthouse Postage 2.15; Commercial Book Store - Office Equip. 108.00; W.E. Gillespie - County Surveyor 301.48; Robert G. Ingram, Revolving Fund - Travel 133.15, Office Supplies 2.90; Western Union - Circuit Court Witness fees 87.35; Albert K. Otte, Distributor - Bond & Service 115.00.

**U.S. National Bank - Vale - Circuit Court Witness Fees, 111.92, Juvenile Witness fees, 7.72; Mrs. Edith Sunderland, Probate Court (Part-time) 30.00; Finch's - Clerk Office 112.50; Addressograph Multigraph Corp. - Clerk Office 5.18, Auditor Office 5.17; E. Otis Smith - Nyssa J.P. Office 6.00; Stevens-Ness, Law Publishing Co. - Nyssa J.P. 8.65; Miller Adding Machine Service - Office Maintenance, 27.50.**

**TRAVEL EXPENSES:** Ivonne Osborne - Treasurer 2.72; Jean P. Bond - Treasurer 169.00; Rathbone - Woodson Chev. - Health Dept. 7.50; Ray Huff - Health Dept. 75.00; John Storek - Family Service Clinic 128.20; Continental Oil Company - Health Dept. 9.30, Medicare 13.55; Gabriel L. Martinez - Juvenile 4.00.

**MIGRANT HEALTH EXPENSES & SUPPLIES:** J. R. Farber, M.D. - Physicians fund 57.00; L.A. Maulding, M.D. - Physicians fund 119.50; James T. Flanagan, M.D. - Physicians fund 32.00; Ontario Clinics - Physicians fund 223.50; D.W. Sarazin, M.D. - Physicians fund 351.00; Hospitalization fund 165.00; Kerby-Danford Clinic - Exam of mentally ill 20.00, Migrant physicians fund 156.00, hospital fund 475.00; G.N. Hecker, M.D. - Physicians fund 16.00, Lab 6.50; Kenneth C. Osborn, DMD - Dentist fund 71.00; John W. Olsen, DMD - Dental fund 59.00; Kenneth Droulard, M.D. - Lab Fund 2.00; A.M. Tanaka, M.D. - Hospital fund 156.00; Nyssa Pharmacy - Health Scientific Supplies 2.20; Migrant Drugs 20.20; Michael's Pharmacy - Migrant Drugs 61.85; Mercy Hospital - Migrant Hospital fund 560.61; Malheur Memorial Hospital - Hospital fund 1,179.58.

**VARIOUS EXPENSES OF COUNTY:** Ontario Sanitary Service - Ontario J.P. 3.50; Malheur Propane Co. - Courthouse Electric Supply - Courthouse Housekeeping 15.12; E. R.

## LIVESTOCK BRAND BOOK PUBLISHED

Copies of the 1970 edition of the Oregon Livestock Brand Book are now off the press and available from the Livestock Division of the Oregon Department of Agriculture, Salem 97310.

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Budge - Nursing Home Fire Inspection 20.00; Transport Clearings of Portland - A.F.P. Freight 535.00; Packer-Scott - Housekeeping 84.37.

**GENERAL ROAD FUND Idaho Pacific Steel - Maintenance Materials 103.93; Foulgers Equipment Co. - Parts & Outside Repair 40.00; Malheur Home Telephone Co. - Office Expense 24.90; Idaho Power Co. - Shop Expense 58.56; Wycoff Company, Inc. - Parts & Outside Repair 6.60; Western Equipment Company - Parts & Outside Repair 46.41; Treasure Valley Welding - Shop Expense 18.27; Ontario Laundry & Cleaners - Shop Expense 8.50; Long's Service Center - Parts & Outside Repair (Dist. #6) 231.60; Jordan Valley Gift Shop - 2.60; Jordan Valley Gift Shop - Parts & Outside Repair (Dist. #6) 14.75; Delbert Taynton - Major Bridge Material 207.68.**

**INDIGENT LIQUOR FUND Boyce Graham - Aid to Indigent family 10.00.**

Meeting adjourned until March 25, 1970.

**MINUTES OF THE MALHEUR COUNTY COURT MEETING - MARCH 25, 1970:**

Meeting called to order by Judge White with Commissioners E.W. Maag and Henry Esplin present.

APPROVED by motion to let a contract to Earl Bartron to complete the Greenfield and Birch roads at the revised figure of \$5,102.00.

GRANTED an order to vacate an unannounced road lying and being between Lot 7, Block 2, and Lot 25, Block 5, Highway Subdivision 2nd Addition, Malheur County, Oregon, according to the Corrected Plat of Oregon and Western Colonization Company 2nd Addition. All costs of the transaction to be paid by Interstate Freeway, Inc.

APPROVED to pay Raul Kucera \$34.80 for transcript in the Raul Gonzales case.

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MOTION made and seconded the meeting be adjourned until April 1, 1970. Voted on and carried.

s/ ELLIS A. WHITE County Judge  
s/ E.W. MAAG County Commissioner  
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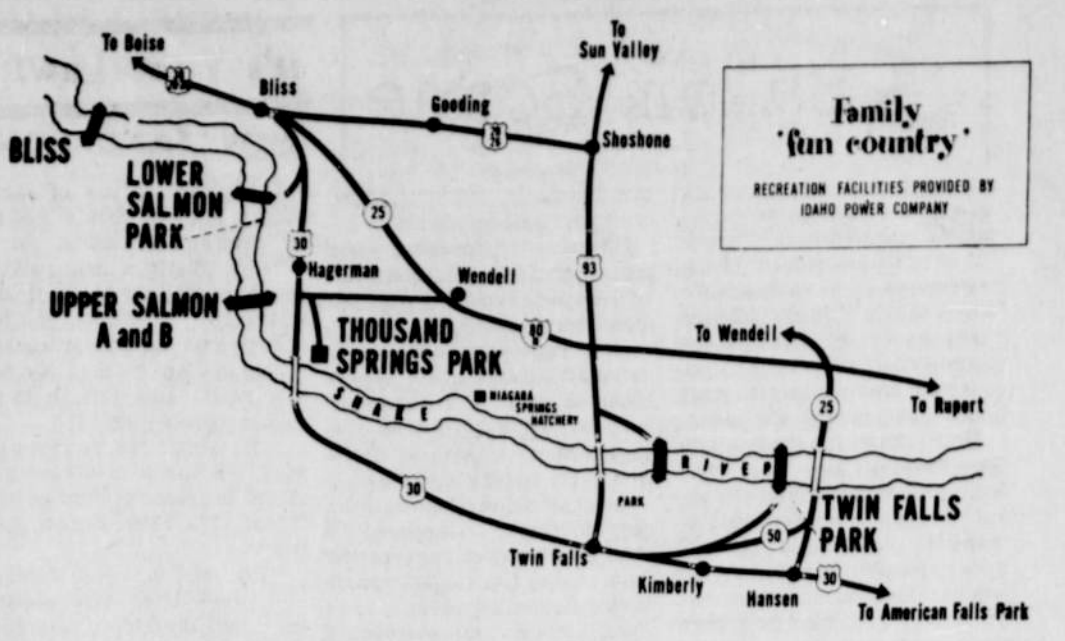
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Thousands of local residents and tourists who use them almost year-round probably would agree on one thing about the recreation areas Idaho Power Company provides at its generating plants shown here dotting the Snake River between Bliss and Twin Falls. That is that they offer opportunities for water-based fun in the sun few other areas can match. Their facilities, typical of those the utility maintains on man-made lakes with

a combined surface area of more than 30,600 acres throughout its system, range from trailer spaces to free electricity for cooking to docks and boat ramps for waterskiers. Among the most popular is Twin Falls Park, a 10-acre site Idaho Power first developed in the 1930's and has been improving ever since. The park at Shoshone Falls Dam, just below Twin Falls Dam, is maintained by the City of Twin Falls.

## U.S. National Bank Shows Half Year Gain

U.S. Bancorp, including its wholly-owned subsidiary, United States National Bank of Oregon, reported consolidated income after taxes and before security gains and losses for the first six months of 1970 of \$6,149,427, or \$1.51 per share, compared to \$6,026,553, or \$1.49 per share for the first six months of 1969. The increase in earnings represents a 2.04% gain over the 1969 period. Average number of shares outstanding adjusted for stock dividends were 4,080,257 for the first six months of 1970 and 4,034,067 for the same period in 1969.

Citing the adverse effect on corporate earnings of governmental monetary and fiscal policy to contain inflation, LeRoy B. Staver, chairman of the board of U.S. Bancorp, said, "It is a particular pleasure to report that our earnings have held up well, with the figure for the six months of the year representing a modest improvement over the corresponding period of 1969. 'Concentration on operating economies, maximum utilization of our resources and improvement in the income from service functions, including the Commerce Mortgage Company subsidiary of the bank, have all played a part in this very satisfactory record.'"

Staver also reported that consolidated deposits as of June 30, 1970, stood at \$1,389,485,519 against \$1,471,101,586 a year ago, and consolidated total resources were \$1,614,348,110 versus \$1,718,976,519 a year ago. Consolidated loans and discounts were \$949,046,648 compared with \$1,031,103,742 at the end of the second quarter of June 30, 1969. At the Nyssa Branch of U.S. National, on June 30, 1970, deposits were \$831,306, according to Donald E. Young, manager. He also reported loans on the same date were \$159,062.

## TVCC Fall Term Students

The following students have been accepted for the Fall Term 1970-71, at Treasure Valley Community College.

Jessie Weeks and Nettie Turk, both of Parma have applied for the Licensed Practical Nursing Program.