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SUPERINTENDENT'S MONTHLY REPORT

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Summary of the April 1958 Monthly Narrative Report
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<u>WEATHER:</u> Heaviest snowfall of season; maximum precipitation 2.32" at Mammoth; maximum temperature 62°, minimum -5°, maximum snow depth 92.0", minimum 21.9".	1
<u>RANGE:</u> Mostly snow free except for high elevations; grass slow.	1
<u>TRAVEL:</u> Light--699 compared to 1,081 for same period last year.	1
<u>INSPECTIONS:</u> Diche & Cobb, U.S. Weather Bureau in; Oravetz, Intelligence Agent & FBI Agent Melvin in; Hunt, BPR, in for season; Brown, WODC, in for season; Roberson in for proposed remodeling storehouse; MacDonald, Johnston, Knisley, Bachmeyer & Gunst in for Snow Removal School.	1-2
<u>SPECIAL VISITORS:</u> Jones transferring out; Martin in for material and pictures; Asst. Supt. & Mrs Evans in from Hawaii.	2
<u>SPECIAL ACTIVITIES:</u> Garrison, Joffe & Davis to Billings--Garrison talks to Kiwanis; Garrison principal speaker dinner at Chico; Garrison to Idaho Falls & Mt. Pleasant, Utah; Garrison to Butte--principal speaker for Montana Conservation Council; Hamilton to Everglades for indoctrination; Joffe to Billings for 21st Community Cooperation Dinner; Brown to Chicago--President's Safety Committee; Brown & Kittans to Butte--Sportsmen's Meeting; Edwards to Missoula for Blister Rust; Sylvester, Howe, Davis, Coleman, Berg & Gunzel to Butte--FBI training school; Garry to Helena for Law Enforcement Conference; Robinson to Sequoia, DVNM & JTM for Maintenance Conferences; staff meetings 2 & 17; Garrison approves new meal rates; Messes open 14 & 28.	2-3
<u>PERSONNEL:</u> Beal & Tyers promotions effective 6th; Billman Career Conditional Appointment effective 20th.	3
<u>IN-SERVICE TRAINING:</u> Movies shown to employees; Rock Climbing & Rescue Technique Course; tour Shop-Utility area; Callagher due back from Yosemite; Hyde in Washington.	3-4

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<u>MISCELLANEOUS</u> :	Regular NFFE meeting & special meeting; regular AFGE meeting.	4
<u>BIRTHS</u> :	Daughter born to Mr. & Mrs. Dale Nuss.	4
<u>ACCIDENTS & PUBLIC SAFETY</u> :	Three automobile accidents--no personal injuries.	4
<u>PUBLICITY</u> :	Weekly news issued; 2 press releases issued.	4
<u>CHAPEL USE</u> :	Regular Protestant services; Church Committee met.	4
<u>MUSEUM ACTIVITIES</u>		
<u>& EXHIBITS</u> :	Texts prepared for signs throughout park; specimens collected for Canyon; exhibit plan for Apollinaris & others; March-April issue mailed out.	4-5
<u>RESEARCH & OBSERVATION</u> :		
	Unusual moose observed; Kaleidoscope Geyser active; Great Fountain Geyser erupts.	5
<u>HISTORY</u>		
<u>ASSOCIATION</u> :	Clerk on duty all month; picture added to film library.	5
<u>CONCESSIONERS</u> :	Garrison approves rates for Hamilton Stores & YP Company; Haynes start operations on 18th; Service Stations opened office in Gardiner 27th; YP Company moving cabins; Jeippie & crew in to get Old Faithful store open the 1st of May.	5
<u>MAINTENANCE</u> :	Snow removal operations on schedule; miscellaneous work; load limit on bridge.	5
<u>CONSTRUCTION</u> :	Load limit placed on detour bridge; road to West opened 11th for contractor; Taggart, Cop, Olson & Sons Const. Cos. in.	6
<u>RANGER SERVICE</u> :	Ski, horseback & aerial patrols made.	6
<u>LAW ENFORCEMENT</u> :		
	Apprehension made for running barricade; windows broken by local youngsters YP buildings; contractor questioned for moving heavy equipment damaging park roadways.	6
<u>BEAR</u> :	Black bear destroyed; black & grizzlies out of hibernation.	6
<u>BISON</u> :	First calf seen 23rd; being observed Lamar-Hayden Valleys.	6
<u>ELK</u> :	Many observed; light winter kill; in excellent flesh.	6
<u>MARTEN</u> :	One frequently observed Old Faithful Ranger Station.	6
<u>MOOSE</u> :	26 observed throughout park.	6
<u>SHEEP</u> :	Few observed; ram in poor flesh later found dead.	7
<u>GEESE</u> :	Geese pairing off for nesting.	7
<u>SWAN</u> :	Five observed; apparently left habitat on Madison River.	7

MEMORANDUM: Regular with meeting & special meeting; regular 1872 monthly.

MEETINGS: Regular from to 1872. Date 1872.

ACCIDENTS & INJURIES: Three automobile accidents--no personal injuries.

VEGETATION: Mostly new cleared; 2 great releases issued.

CLAYTON, WIS.: Regular Protestant services; Church Committee met.

WISCONSIN ACTIVITIES: Trails prepared for signs throughout park; specimens collected for Canyon; exhibits also for Apollonia & others; March-April issue mailed out.

RESEARCH & OBSERVATION: Units of moose observed; Kalkidene Canyon active; Gates for main Canyon empty.

ASSOCIATION: Clerk on duty all month; letters added to film library.

DISSEMINATION: Garrison approves rates for Hamilton Stores & YF Company; Wayne start operations on 1872; service stations opened; office in Garrison 1872; YF Company moving cabins, 1872; & order to to get Old Washburn store open the 1st of May.

CONSTRUCTION: Work removal operations on 1872; construction work; load limit on bridge.

CONSTRUCTION: Load limit placed on detour bridge; road to Westwood 1872 for contractor; Tarrant, 1872, Olson & 1872, 1872.

WATER SERVICE: 1872, backwash & several periods work.

LAND REWORK: Agreements made for turning back 1872; windows 1872; local youngsters YF buildings; construction 1872; moving heavy equipment 1872; 1872.

ROADS: Black bear destroyed; black & grizzlies out of 1872.

WILDS: First call seen 1872; being observed 1872-Hayden Valley.

WILDS: Many observed; light winter 1872; in excellent 1872.

WILDS: One frequently observed Old Washburn range 1872.

WILDS: 1872 observed throughout park.

WILDS: Two observed, one in poor 1872 later found dead.

WILDS: Geese pairing off for nesting.

WILDS: Five observed; apparently left 1872 in Hamilton River.

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May 14, 1958

Air Mail

Memorandum

To: Director
From: Superintendent
Subject: Monthly Report for April 1958

Following is the report of activities for Yellowstone National Park during the month of April 1958:

General

Weather Conditions. Snow storms were common during the month with the heaviest continuous snowfall of the season occurring on the 22nd throughout the park. The maximum precipitation for the month was 2.32 inches at Mammoth. The maximum temperature for the month was 62° at Tower Fall on the 16th while the minimum was -5° at Northeast on the 29th. The snow depth maximum was 92.0 inches at Lewis River Divide with a water content of 38.5 inches while the Lupine course had the minimum of 21.9 inches and a water content of 7.2 inches.

Range. Most of the Yellowstone and Gallatin winter ranges were free of snow except for the higher elevations. The grass growth was slow partly because the month was generally cool and the shortage of moisture the first part of the month.

Increase or Decrease in Travel. Travel during the month was light--699 as compared to 1,081 for the same period last year.

Inspections. Messrs. H. W. Diche and William E. Cobb from the U. S. Weather Bureau, Washington, D. C. were in the park on the 17th relative to weather observations and related matters.

John J. Oravetz, Counter Intelligence Special Agent, Billings, Montana, was in the park on the 23rd regarding personnel matters.

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The following information was obtained from the records of the Department of the Interior, Bureau of Land Management, regarding the land owned by the United States in the State of California:

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on the 1st of June 1941, the following was received from the U.S. Office of Naval Intelligence, Washington, D.C.:

William J. Bennett, Director, Federal Bureau of Investigation, U.S. Department of Justice, Washington, D.C. 20535

FBI Special Agent Mason Melvin, Bozeman, Montana, was in the park on the 24th relative to law enforcement matters.

Charles Hunt, Area Engineer for the Bureau of Public Roads, arrived in the park on the 23rd. He is in charge of highway work in Yellowstone and Grand Teton.

Frank Brown, Construction Representative, WOPC, arrived on the 13th, being assigned here for the season.

Francis R. Roberson was in the park April 16 through 20 in connection with remodeling the storehouse.

Barnes MacDonald, Region Two Highway Engineer, arrived the 29th to participate in a Snow Removal School to be held May 1-2; George Johnston, Region Three Engineer, Harry Knisley and Ben Bachmeyer of Teton and Albert Gust of Jackson Mountain, arrived the 30th to also participate in the Snow Removal School.

Special Visitors. Harold W. Jones, Recreation Planner, Region Two, was in the park the latter part of the month making final plans in connection with his transfer to Omaha.

Fred Martin, Publisher of the Park County News, Livingston, was in the park on the 3rd to obtain material and pictures for the special Yellowstone Park edition.

Assistant Superintendent and Mrs. Leon Evans of Mammoth National Park visited in the park the 12th.

Special Activities. Superintendent Garrison, Management Assistant Joffe and District Ranger Lewis were in Billings the 15th. Mr. Garrison spoke to the Kiwanis Club.

The annual Upper Yellowstone Valley Chamber of Commerce dinner was held at Chico the 17th at which Superintendent Garrison was the principal speaker.

Superintendent Garrison left for Idaho Falls the 18th to meet with the Idaho Falls Chamber of Commerce, and on the 19th he went to Mt. Pleasant, Utah, where he spoke at the Founders Day Dinner to the Wasatch Academy group that day. He returned the 20th.

Superintendent Garrison left the 23rd for Butte where he was the principal speaker for the Montana Conservation Council meeting the 24th. He returned the next day.

Assistant Superintendent Hamilton left the 23rd for Everglades National Park for indoctrination relative to his transfer to that area in June. He returned the 30th.

Management Assistant Joffe was in Billings the 29rd on public relations matters, publicity, and to participate in the 21st Community Cooperation Dinner.

1951 Festival, Jason Nelson, Treasurer, Montana, was
in the park on the 14th relative to the 1951 Festival.

Charles Hunt, Area Engineer for the Bureau of Public
Roads, arrived in the park on the 15th. He is in charge of the
work in Yellowstone and Grand Teton.

Frank Brown, Construction Representative, WYO, arrived
on the 15th, being assigned here for the season.

Francis E. Robinson was in the park April 15 through 22
in connection with remodeling the amphitheater.

James H. Henshaw, Region Two Highway Engineer, arrived
the 22nd to participate in a Snow Removal School to be held May 1-4.
George Johnson, Region Three Engineer, arrived May 1-4.
Bachmayer of Teton and Albert Gault of Rocky Mountain, arrived the
30th to also participate in the Snow Removal School.

Special Visitors: Harold E. Jones, Recreation Planner,
Region Two, was in the park the latter part of the month making
final plans in connection with his summer program.

Frank Brown, Publisher of the Teton County News, Yellowstone,
was in the park on the 2nd to obtain material and pictures for the
special Yellowstone Park edition.

Assistant Superintendent and Mr. Tom Jones of Powell
National Park visited in the park the 15th.

Special Activities: Experimental activities, management
Assistant Jones and District Engineer Nelson were in Billings the 15th.
Mr. Carlson spoke to the Wildlife Club.

The Annual Upper Yellowstone Valley Chamber of Commerce
dinner was held at Elbow the 17th at which Superintendent Garrison
was the principal speaker.

Superintendent Garrison left for Idaho Falls the 18th
to meet with the Idaho Falls Chamber of Commerce, and on the 19th
he went to St. Albans, Idaho, where he spoke at the Chamber's day
dinner to the North Idaho Valley group that day. He returned the 20th.

Superintendent Garrison left the 23rd for Butte where he
was the principal speaker for the Montana Conservation Council meet-
ing the 24th. He returned the next day.

Assistant Superintendent Hamilton left the 23rd for Ever-
glades National Park for a destination relative to his transfer
to that area in June. He returned the 30th.

Management Assistant Jones was in Billings the 23rd to
public relations matters, publicity, and to participate in the
first Community Cooperation dinner.

Chief Ranger Brown attended the President's Safety Committee in Chicago on April 1 and 2. He returned the 14th. Mr. Brown was in Bozeman the 16th to confer with Forest Service officials. Mr. Brown and Biologist Kittams went to Butte the 24th to attend a Sportsmen's Meeting. They returned the 26th.

District Ranger Edwards went to Missoula the 27th where he attended a meeting with Forest Service officials regarding Blister Rust Control and Spruce Budworm, returning the 29th.

Rangers Sylvester, Howe, Davis, Coleman, Berg and Gunzel were in Butte the 28th and 29th to attend a training school for law enforcement officers sponsored by the FBI.

Management Assistant Garry (Protection Division) left the 20th for Helena where he will attend the Montana Attorney General's Law Enforcement Conference being held there May 1-3.

Mechanical Supervisor Robinson left the 9th for Sequoia National Park, Death Valley and Joshua Tree National Monuments, California, where he will participate in Equipment Maintenance Training Conferences.

Staff meetings were held April 2 and 17.

Superintendent Garrison approved new meal rates for government messes--\$1.20 per meal and \$2.85 per day, effective April 6.

The Mammoth and Lake Messes were opened April 16 and the West Thumb Mesa was opened the 28th.

Administration

Personnel. Merrill D. Beal, promoted to Park Naturalist, GS-11, from Park Naturalist, GS-9, effective April 6.

John A. Tyers, promoted to Park Naturalist, GS-9, from Park Naturalist, GS-7, effective April 6.

Margaret L. Billman, Career Conditional Appointment, Clerk-Stenographer, GS-3, effective April 20.

In-Service Training. Two training movies were presented to the employees on April 11--"A Day in Court" and "Versatility Unlimited".

The Protection Division personnel participated in a Rock Climbing and Rescue Technique Course April 21.

Chief of Forest Service attended the President's Cabinet Committee on April 1 and 2. He returned the 14th. Mr. Brown was in Forest Service the 16th to confer with Forest Service officials. Mr. Brown and Biologist Brown went to the 26th to attend a President's meeting. They returned the 26th.

Assistant Forest Service went to Wisconsin the 27th where he attended a meeting with Forest Service officials regarding Wisconsin Forest Service and Forest Service, returning the 29th.

Foreman Sylvester, Howe, Wells, Coleman, Berg and Gammel were in the 1st and 2nd to attend a training school for law enforcement officers sponsored by the FBI.

Foreman Assistant Garry (Protection Division) left the 30th for Idaho where he will attend the Idaho Attorney General's Law Enforcement Conference being held there May 1-3.

Mechanical Supervisor Robinson left the 31st for Idaho National Park, Idaho Valley and Joseph Tree National Monument, California, where he will participate in National Forest Training Conference.

Local meetings were held April 2 and 17.

Superintendent Garrison approved new mail rates for Government messes--1.20 per meal and \$2.00 per day, effective April 6.

The Mammoth and Lake Mead were opened April 14 and the West Thumb Mass was opened the 21st.

Administration

Promotions. Martini D. Bess, promoted to Park Naturalist, GS-11, from Park Naturalist, GS-7, effective April 6.

John A. Tyers, promoted to Park Naturalist, GS-9, from Park Naturalist, GS-7, effective April 6.

Inspector L. Dillman, GS-11, promoted to Park Naturalist, GS-11, effective April 20.

Law Enforcement Training. Two training courses were presented to the employees on April 11--"A Day in Court" and "Criminology".

The Protection Division personnel participated in a Rock Climbing and Rescue Technique Course April 11.

An In-Service Training Tour was conducted on April 23 of the Shop-Utility area for administrative and clerical personnel.

Engineer George Callagner is completing the second session of the NPS Training Session in Yosemite National Park and is due to arrive back in the park May 1.

Sanitation Officer Tom Hyde is still in Washington, D. C. attending the Departmental Management Development Program.

Miscellaneous. The regular monthly meeting of the National Federation of Federal Employees was held the 7th. A special meeting was held on the 16th at which Sixth National Vice President Shirley McKinsey was the principal speaker.

The regular monthly meeting of the American Federation of Government Employees was held on the 14th.

Births. A daughter, Cara Lee, was born April 21 to Mr. and Mrs. Dale Nuss. Mr. Nuss is employed as Supervisory Park Ranger with the National Park Service.

Accidents and Public Safety. Three automobile accidents occurred during the month--two collisions and one upset. There were no personal injuries.

Cooperative Activities

General Publicity. On each Thursday, the Yellowstone Weekly News was issued to keep employees, concessioners and others currently informed of park happenings.

Two press releases were sent out during the month--one the 4th on the accelerated construction program and the other on the 30th regarding the opening of roads and accommodations.

Religious and Chapel Use. The Chapel was used every Sunday for regular Protestant church school and services. A special Easter service was held Easter Sunday, April 6. On April 13 and 20 services were conducted by Montana State College students, Bozeman and Episcopal Bishop Sterling Chandler of Helena, respectively, due to the absence of the Rev. Jack Jennings.

A meeting of the Superintendent's Church Committee was held April 15 with the following in attendance: Mrs. Tom Milligan, Messrs. Houston Turner, Joseph Kurtz and David Condon. Mr. Condon was elected Chairman and Mrs. Milligan Secretary-Treasurer.

Museum Activities and Exhibits. Texts have been prepared for various interpretive signs to be installed throughout the park.

In the Training Room was conducted on April 12 of the shop-utility area for administrative and clerical personnel.

Deputy George Gallagher is conducting the second session of the Training Session in the National Park and is due to arrive back in the park May 1.

Deputy Office Tom Hyde is still in Washington, D. C. attending the Departmental Management Development Program.

Religious. The regular monthly meeting of the National Federation of Federal Employees was held on the 7th. A special meeting was held on the 14th at which time National Vice President Shirley McInnes was the principal speaker.

The regular monthly meeting of the American Federation of Government Employees was held on the 14th.

Births. A daughter, Sara Ann, was born April 21 to Mr. and Mrs. Dale Ann. Mr. Ann was employed as supervisory pack handler with the National Park Service.

Accidents and Public Safety. Three automobile accidents occurred during the month--two collisions and one upset. There were no personal injuries.

Recreative Activities

General Publicity. On each Thursday, the National Weekly News was issued to keep employees, commentators and others currently informed of park happenings.

Two press releases were sent out during the month--one the 4th on the accelerated construction program and the other on the 30th regarding the opening of trails and recreation areas.

Religious and Chapel. The Chapel was used every Sunday for regular Protestant church school and services. A special Easter service was held Easter Sunday, April 6. On April 13 and 20 services were conducted by William State College students, Howard and Episcopal Bishop during the month of the Rev. Jack Jennings.

A meeting of the Superintendent's Council Committee was held April 12 with the following in attendance: Mrs. Tom Higgins, Mary, Houston Turner, Joseph Turner and David Gordon. Mr. Gordon was elected Chairman and Mrs. William Secretary-Treasurer.

Human Relations and Publicity. There have been proposals for various interpretive signs to be installed throughout the park.

A number of specimens have been collected for use in the Canyon Visitor Center consisting of a California gull, osprey, golden-mantle ground squirrel, pika, chipmunk, northern violet-green swallows and a grizzly bear family.

A proposed exhibit plan has been prepared and submitted for Apollinaris Springs, as well as other exhibits throughout the park.

The March-April issue of the Yellowstone Nature Notes was mailed out on April 25.

Research and Observation. A woose was observed in the Tower Fall area with a tuft of hair under its chin instead of the noticeable wattle.

The Kaleidoscope Geyser in the Lower Geyser Basin, which has not been observed in action since the early 1940s, had erupted frequently during the month. A spectacular eruption of the Great Fountain Geyser was observed on the 23rd.

Natural History Association. Mrs. Bertha Wharton, Clerk for the Association, was on duty all month. A motion picture entitled "Wyoming's Wealth of Wildlife" has been added to the film library.

Concessioners. Superintendent Garrison, on April 3, approved the rate increases for salads, chili, fruit juices, cereals and sandwiches for Hamilton Stores, Inc.; on April 4, he approved the menus for hotel meals and Mammoth Coffee Bar, Lake Hotel Coffee Shop, Canyon Village Coffee Shop, Old Faithful Lodge and Roosevelt Lodge, and box lunches for the Yellowstone Park Company.

Haynes Inc. opened their operations at Mammoth on April 16.

Charles Gallagher, Manager, Yellowstone Park Service Stations, arrived in Gardiner on the 27th and opened the office there.

The Yellowstone Park Company began moving cabins from the Mammoth campers cabin area to Old Faithful and West Thumb the 28th.

Gar Helppie, Vice President, Hamilton Stores, Inc. arrived April 28 with a crew to get the store at Old Faithful ready for opening May 1.

Maintenance. The spring snow removal operation is proceeding according to schedule. Carpentry and painting work was carried on in various buildings throughout the headquarters area.

A number of specimens have been collected for use in the Canyon Visitor Center consisting of a California gull, osprey, golden-crowned kinglet, blue, californian, western violet-green swallows and a greyish blue family.

A proposed exhibit plan has been prepared and submitted for Apollo's Springs, as well as other exhibits throughout the park.

The March-April issue of the Yellowstone Nature Notes was mailed out on April 22.

Research in Observation. A woman was observed in the Tower Fall area with a tuft of hair under the chin instead of the noticeable male.

The Talmadge's Geyser in the lower Geyser Basin, which has not been observed in action since the early 1960s, had erupted frequently during the month. A spectacular eruption of the lower Fountain Geyser was observed on the 11th.

Historical Library Association. Mrs. Martha Wharton, Clark for the Association, was on duty all month. A written picture entitled "Wharton's Smith of 1881" has been added to the film library.

Conservation. Department and Division, on April 3, approved the late increases for milk, oil, fruit, nuts, cereals and vegetables for families. Mrs. J. on April 4, approved the names for hotel meals and the Geyser Bar, 1960. Hotel Geyser Bar, Canyon Village, 1960, Old Faithful Lodge and Roosevelt Lodge, and her lunches for the Yellowstone Park Company.

Harvey Inc. opened their operation on March 15 on April 15.

Charles Gallagher, Manager, Yellowstone Park Service Station, arrived in Gardiner on the 15th and opened the office there.

The Yellowstone Park Company began moving cattle from the known summer cabin area to the Indian and West Ranch in 1960.

Don Holgate, Vice President, Indian Stores, Inc., arrived April 15 with a crew to get the store at Old Faithful ready for opening May 1.

Painting. The spring area around operation is proceeding according to schedule. Capacity and painting work was carried on in various buildings throughout the headquarters area.

A ten ton load limit was placed on the West Entrance bridge on the 24th.

Construction. A ten ton load limit was placed on the Upper Gardner River detour bridge on the 24th.

The road to West Yellowstone was opened on April 11 to permit the contractor to start work.

The Taggart Construction Company, Cop Construction Company and Olson & Sons Construction Company began working in the park on the 14th.

Protection and Ranger Service. Ski patrols were made on the 7th to count elk and horseback patrols were made later to note the number of dead elk. Aerial patrols of the southern boundary were made on the 10th and 14th.

Law Enforcement. The persons who ran the barroom at West Yellowstone were apprehended and escorted out of the park.

Window breaking in the Yellowstone Park Company buildings in Mammoth occurred during the first part of the month. After extensive investigation of the matter it was found to be local youngsters committing the misdemeanors. A report has been submitted on this matter.

A Gardiner contractor was charged with damage to park roadways in connection with moving heavy equipment but the case was dismissed after questioning.

Wildlife and Fish Cultural Activities. BEAR. A large black bear which has been frequenting the Headquarters area for a number of years was destroyed as it had become a nuisance. Black and grizzly bears are coming out of hibernation in increasing numbers.

BISON. The first bison calf was observed on the 23rd below the bridge at Lamar and five were seen a few days later south of Lamar Canyon. Quite a number of bison are being observed in the Lamar and Hayden Valley areas.

ELK. Many elk were observed throughout the park. The winter kill was noted to be very light and the elk appear to be in excellent flesh.

MARTEN. One marten still remains at the Old Faithful Ranger Station and is observed quite frequently.

MOOSE. Thirteen moose were seen in the Lamar Area, three near the East Entrance, eight near Specimen and Rabbit Creeks and two in Hayden Valley.

A ten ton load limit was placed on the West Yellowstone bridge on the 10th.

Construction. A ten ton load limit was placed on the Upper Gardner River bridge on the 11th.

The road to West Yellowstone was opened on April 11 to permit the contractor to start work.

The Treadwell Construction Company and Olson & Sons Construction Company began working in the park on the 11th.

Protection and Survey. The parties were sent on the 12th to survey the road and to place markers at the corners of the road. The parties were sent on the 13th to survey the road and to place markers at the corners of the road.

Law Enforcement. The parties were sent on the 14th to survey the road and to place markers at the corners of the road.

Work done in the Yellowstone Park Company building in Mammoth during the first part of the month. After an intensive investigation of the matter it was found to be local property. A report has been submitted on the subject.

A contractor was engaged to work on the road and to place markers at the corners of the road. The contractor was engaged to work on the road and to place markers at the corners of the road.

Highway and Road Construction. The parties were sent on the 15th to survey the road and to place markers at the corners of the road.

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Highway and Road Construction. The parties were sent on the 19th to survey the road and to place markers at the corners of the road.

31122. Few sheep were observed during the month. A ram was noted to be in poor flesh and under some feed.

31123. Geese appeared to be getting off for nesting the latter part of the month.

31124. Only five were observed--they apparently have left the habitat on the Madison River.

Lemuel A. Garrison
superintendent

In triplicate

Monthly Progress Report attached

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
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MONTHLY PROGRESS REPORT

Area: **Yellowstone National Park**

Project Name: **See Below for Project Title**

☒ **WORK ORDER NUMBER, LOCATION WITHIN AREA, AND PROJECT TITLE**

☐ **BPR ROADS AND TRAILS**

Report for Month and Year

April, 1958

WORK ORDER NUMBER, LOCATION WITHIN AREA, AND PROJECT TITLE

W.P. NO. DRAWING NO.

AMOUNT ALLOCATED AND DATES

CONSTRUCTION

REMARKS AND CONSTRUCTION AGENCY (D & C) P OR A

1957	332.22 Water, Sewer, Powers Employees Trailer Court, Lake	U-170	2288	8,585.17 7/10/56	6/1956 10/1/57	95	(A)	
1957	332.23 Water Extension, Government Area, Lake	U-94	2288	17,000 7/10/56	8/1956 8/1/57	95	(A)	
1958	332.30 Beverage and Sewage Treatment System Enlargement, Fishing Bridge	B-224 U-154-2	34,32-A	86,553.75 7/25/57	7/1958 7/1/58	80	(DC)	
1958	332.31 Water, Sewer, Powers Employee Trailer Court, Old Faithful	U-166	8522	10,600 8/9/57	8/1957 8/1958	90	(A)	
1958	332.32 Water, Sewer, Power (por.) Kammoth Residential Area	U-132.1 U-133-1 U-134	2595	10,000	10/1957 9/1958		(A)	
	-A Water					60		
	-B Sewer					75		
	-C Power					15		
1958	332.33 Purchase and Installation of Diesel Generator in Existing Power House, Canyon	U-185	8712	43,124 1/23/58	6/1958 8/1958		(A)	Generator to be delivered to site April 28

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(x) Miscellaneous

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1957 333.5 Grading and Planting, Camp ground, Fishing Bridge	M-37	2284	17,000 8/1/56	11/1/57 DL 7/24/58	85 (A)
1958 333.10 Fine Grading and Planting, Canyon	M-77-2	2287-B	90,974 6/5/57 8/9/57 9/12/57	C& 6/1957 DL	60 (Dec)
1958 333.12 Compound Fence, Canyon	M-79	2593	6,300	DL 7/1958	(A)
1958 333.13 Range Plots (5), Park Gen'l	M-74		12,800	DL 10/1957	75 (A)
1958 333.14 Site Preparation for Em- ployee Residences, Mammoth	M-40	2595	8,800 11/25/57	DL 10/1957 9/1958	50 (A)

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PROJECT LOCATION AND TITLE	NPS ROADS AND TRAILS	RPP ROADS AND TRAILS	WORK ORDER NUMBER LOCATED WITHIN AREA AND PROJECT TITLE	PO NO	EPAV NO	AMOUNT ALLOTTED AND DATE	CONSTRUCTION			REMARKS AND CONSTRUCTION AGEN
							CONTRACT	START DATE	COMPLETION DATE	
1957 521.3 Bituminous Surfacing and Parking Areas, 1-F1, F2, 1-G4, and Norris-Canyon Cutoff, Sec. 12A		X		R-168-1		554,915 9/12/56	C	9/1956	90	Project dormant until middle of May or first of June
1957 521.4 Interpretive Structures and Striping Center Line and Parking Areas, Grand Loop 1-F1, F2, 1-G4, and Norris-Canyon Cutoff, 12-A				R-60-8 R-92-9		13,810 2/5/57	DL	6/30/58	20	Sign shop
1958 521.5 Route 3, Grading and Base Surfacing, West Entrance to Madison Junction and Madison River Bridge and approaches				R-57-4		731,956 10/21/57	D	10/1957	8	Contractor has moved on to the project after winter stop order; work should commence about May 1.
1958 521.6 Route 2, North Entrance Road (portion), Two Bridges and Approaches				R-208		180,570.40 2/3/58		2/1958	28	Reported from an expenditure standpoint. One abutment and 2nd footing poured on lower bridge. Upper not started.

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1956 523.1 Roads, Campsites, Barriers Route 152, Fishing Bridge Camp-ground

R-26-1 2573 (por.)

100,286 DL 8/10/56
7/29/55 10/25/57 95
8/21/57 8/29/57 9/9/57

(A)

1956 523.2 Lake Lodge Area Roads, Route 151, Grade and Surface 2.75 miles

R-149-2 2576 (por.)

160,000 DL 8/19/55 69
7/29/55 9/1/58
7/24/57

(A)

1957 523.4 Trail, Canyon Village to Hotel and Canyon Rim

R-171 2285

25,920 DL 8/1/56 99
8/1/56 9/2/57

(A)

1957 523.5 Walks, Thermal Areas

R-164-1 5657

22,000 DL 9/1/56 55
8/1/58 6/1/57
7/24/57

(A) Walks constructed and now being installed.

1957 523.9 Surfacing Cabin Area Roads NPS Utility Roads and Grading NPS Roads, Canyon

R-31 3434
R-169
R-201269,117 C 1/1/57 80
1/14/57 10/1/57
9/9/57 12/2/57

(Dec)

1958 523.11 Roads, Employee Traveler Court, Old Faithful

R-174 8522

4,800 DL 8/1/57 70
7/19/57 10/1/57

(A)

1958 523.13 Roadside Turnouts, Parking, Park General

R-112-2 3211-F
225623,200 DL 8/1/57 55
9/20/57 8/1/58

(A)

1958 523.14 Signs, Informational, Canyon

R-207 2372

2,400 DL 9/1/57 99
8/9/57 8/1/58

(A)

1958 523.15 Walks in Village Area, Canyon

R-202 3448

18,175 C 9/1/57 5
9/12/57 9/1/58

(Dec)

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1959	523.17 Roads, Betterments, Grand Loop	R-191 (por.)	2298	67,000	DL	4/1958	0 (A) A.V. 3-805 4/15/58
1959	523.18 Roads, Betterments, Entrance Roads	R-192 (por.)	2298	4/15/58	&c	7/1959	0 (A) A.V. 3-806 4/15/58
1959	523.19 Roads, Betterments, Secondary Roads	R-193 (por.)	2298	32,000	DL	4/1958	0 (A) A.V. 3-807 4/15/58

