
Greens Ferry Bridge Being Dismantled

The Post Falls Highway District in deciding to dismantle the abandoned old Greens Ferry bridge at this time, gave careful consideration to all aspects including the anticipated above normal runoff expected this year and the increased general deterioration. The safety and welfare of the area people plus additional property damage that could result in case of collapse, were also prime points of consideration.

Lafferty Transportation Co., is removing the steel section and it is hoped the National Guard can remove the wooden piling sections. A plan will be developed for the use of the south approach as a public boat launching facility to serve that area. The north approach use is indefinite at this time, but will be retained for the district use.

The wheels of progress on the new Post Falls bridge are slowly grinding to the point of bid call. The formalizing of bid call is very slow and something the Highway Board has little if any control over.

In the meantime plans are being developed for the paving of the road from Post Falls to Pleasant View.