

IDAHO OUTFITTERS AND GUIDES BOARD

January 7-8, 1970, Boise, Idaho

Members present: Rex Lanham, Chairman, James F. Baughman, H W. Guth, Jiff Renshaw, and R. J. Holmes.

The purpose of the meeting was to finish any business held over from the previous year and to further review the proposed law changes.

Mr. Vernon Johnson, Arco, Idaho appeared to discuss obtaining a boat permit for the upper Salmon River near Clayton, for the purpose of outfitting summer camps for Boy Scouts. This is not a white water section of the Salmon and a guide in every boat would not be necessary for the safety of the clients. He would plan to run about 10 boats and would have adult assistants, but they would not remain for the summer; some would come with each group of boys. Licensing these would be impractical. The Board agreed to give the matter consideration. Any decision would probably depend upon legislation to be introduced in the legislature.

Further changes in the new law were discussed. These were recommended by the Association members and by the governor's advisers

Recessed for lunch until 1:30 p.m.

Upcoming hearing were discussed. Area reviews have been requested by Mike Loening and Richard Norris. Joe Scoble has a big game hunting area which he has been leasing out instead of operating it. The District Ranger objects to this practice and says he does not intend to issue campsites to him. A hearing would be required to determine if this should be removed from his license. He is primarily a boatman on the Salmon River.

A number of guides have not completed their applications for license. They have been notified a number of times but the applications are still incomplete. It was determined that no further action should be taken unless the applications are completed.

Recessed at 5:30 p.m. until 9:00 a.m. on January 8.

Dr. Bacon's complaint about an unlicensed outfitter, John Booker, was discussed. Dr. Bacon said he had been operating in his licensed area.

A motion was made by Mr Guth, seconded and passed to send Caxton Printers a check in the amount of \$250.00 for the center pages in the 1970 Association pamphlet.

A letter from the District Ranger was read regarding the operation of Ray Tarbox, particularly charging that he used a campsite without obtaining a permit for it. A letter is to be written to the Ranger informing him of Tarbox's licensed area and requesting more particulars concerning the camp.

The complaint against Max Bitton was reviewed; the Board decided that it was a monetary dispute, outside the province of the Board.

Richard Knudsen is to have a letter telling him that the Board cannot condone his manner of advertising for bids on Miss Maxwell's big game hunting area which he claims to have purchased and that the licensing of the area would be

based upon the qualification of the applicant as determined by the Board.

A review of the records shows an overpayment of \$50.00 has been made by Norman Thomas. He applied for a nonresident outfitter license and submitted \$200.00. The correct fee is \$150.00. Mr. Renshaw moved that a refund be made of the overpayment; seconded and carried.

The following bills were reviewed and a motion made, seconded and carried that they be paid.

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| James F. Baughman | expense acc't 11/21-12/20/69 | \$276.79 |
| Blue Cross of Idaho | Jan. premium | 6.00 |
| Idaho Power | service 11/17-12/16/69 | 6.00 |
| Office of Atty Gen. | exp. acc't, Geo. Detweiler, McCall meeting | 49.94 |
| State Tax Com. | 4th qu. tax withheld | 40.11 |
| State Dept. Emp. | " " contribution | 5.40 |
| Pub. Emp. Ret. Fund | Bd. 33.68, Sec. 15.00 for Dec. | 48.68 |
| Lois N. Merritt | Dec. salary less deductions | 450.00 |
| Frances Nelson | 12/4--12/31, 86½ H @ 1.80 | 155.70 |
| Tillotson Real Est. | office rent for Jan. | 125.00 |
| Boise Printing Co. | filing cabinet, with rollers | 90.00 |
| Jim Renshaw | exp. acc't 12/18/69--1/9/70 | 311.81 |
| Rex Lanham | " " 9/4/69--12/20/69 | 348.87 |
| James F. Baughman | " " 12/30/69--1/8/70 | 82.70 |
| Rex Lanham | " " 1/7-8/70 | 66.00 |
| H. W. Guth | " " 12/10-12/21/69 | 387.52 |
| Director Internal Rev. | 4th qu. tax withheld | 243.30 |
| St. Of Ida. Soc. Sec. | " " Bd. 64.80, Sec. 64.80 | 129.60 |

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 4 p.m.

James F. Baughman
Vice Chairman

Lois Merritt
Secretary