

Appropriations Assure Southwestern Oregon With Needed Electric Energy

EUGENE—Bonneville Power Administration appropriations approved by congress for the new fiscal year beginning July 1, 1952, include \$27,470,000 for the southwest area, and \$2,657,000 for area facilities serving key load centers, last week announced W. E. Trommershausen, area manager.

Major construction activities will center on the two 230,000-volt transmission lines from McNary dam to the Portland and southern Oregon load centers, together with secondary facilities to serve key area load centers, said Trommershausen. Other transmission facilities will link the Detroit dam with the Columbia river grid when initial generation is installed in the fall of 1953 at Detroit.

Appropriations for major 230,000 volt grid facilities include:

McNary - Big Eddy - Troutdale line, McNary and Troutdale terminals and associated communications, \$5,696,000.

McNary-Big Eddy-Ross facilities \$9,891,000.

McNary-Maupin-Detroit line and terminals, \$3,778,000.

Detroit-Albany line, Detroit terminal and Albany substation additions, \$850,000.

Detroit-Chemawa line, Chemawa substation and associated communications, \$1,760,000.

Ross-St. Johns conversion of existing facilities, \$357,000.

Midway-Big Eddy - Maupin - Detroit line, \$360,000.

Detroit-Albany line, substation and communication facilities, \$409,000.

Southwestern Oregon loop service, including Maupin-Madras line acquisition and conversion, Madras-Redmond-Klamath Falls line, Redmond-Klamath Falls-Roseburg substations, Alvey-Roseburg line, Roseburg-Coos line and associated communications facilities, \$4,192,000.

The Alvey-Roseburg-Coos Bay 230,000-volt line was authorized by congress two years ago and appropriations for surveys were made last year. The administration is giving further study to this portion of the project and expects to establish a schedule for construction after discussion with utilities and other interests of the area.

System re-active facilities, Longview area, \$177,000.

Area facilities serving key load centers and relieving transmission and substation overloads include:

North Bonneville substation additions, \$123,000.

Troutdale substation additions, \$145,000.

Cowlitz-Longview area service, \$172,000.

Clark county area service, \$54,000.

J. D. Ross substation additions, \$250,000.

Forest Grove-McMinnville transmission and McMinnville substation additions, \$39,000.

Salem-Boyer facilities, \$21,000.

Westpost - Cathlamet facilities, \$22,000.

Astoria substation additions, \$62,000.

Tillamook service, including the Bethany - Forest Grove - Timber Tillamook 115,000-volt transmission lines, Timber and Tillamook Substations and Forest Grove terminal, \$368,000.

Monmouth transformer replacement and Salem substation circuit-breaker replacements, \$82,000.

Just About Folks!

Mr. and Mrs. Chet Stoakes of Eugene are parents of a son, James, born in June. Chet formerly was local agent for the Central Transfer, predecessors of Coast Freight lines. They lived here for a number of years.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Kindel left for Portland Saturday. Mrs. Kindel underwent surgery, Monday.

Recent visitors at the home of Mrs. Eugene Ackley were Mr. and Mrs. Karl Falhaber of Downey, Calif. Mrs. Falhaber is a niece of Mrs. Ackley and Mrs. Dora E. Beaulieu.

terminal \$494,000.

North Santiam Valley substation facilities, \$53,000.

Alvey operating headquarters, \$95,000.

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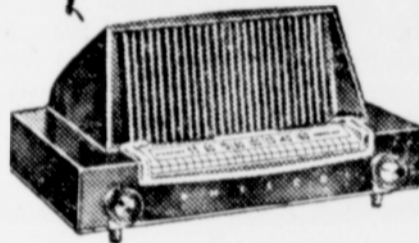
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Floyd Kindel and his mother, Mrs. Gladys Kindel, of Seattle, came to witness the past week's activities. They returned Tuesday to Seattle for an indefinite period.

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