

County Explains O&C Stand In Letters to Various Groups

Letters detailing Lane county's current stand on the scheme for partial distribution of controlled O&C funds have been sent by the county court to U.S. Comptroller General Lindsey C. Warren, Bureau of Land Management, the Forest Service and the county courts of all the O&C counties.

Source of the controversy is the nearly \$5 million tied up in a government suspension fund pending outcome of a dispute between the Bureau of Land Management and the Forest Service over the jurisdiction of certain O&C lands.

Since the counties will receive a minimum of 25 per cent of receipts if the Forest Service wins the dispute rather than 75 per cent if the BLM wins out, Judge Day Bayly has asked for an immediate distribution of the lessor sum.

LAST BREAK in the controversy was the refusal of Warren to approve the plan. He did, however, hold himself open to suggestions and stated that he might reconsider the scheme if the money were earmarked for use in county schools and roads only. This condition would attach, by law, anyway if the Forest Service wins the dispute. Judge Bayly's immediate reaction to this was hopefulness; that the conditions were not unreasonable.

THE COURT'S order, which is sent along as a model with the suggestion that other counties issue similar ones, petitions the federal government for immediate payment of the lessor sum as detailed above. It stipulates that in case the Forest Service wins the dispute the schools will get the withheld 25 per cent. It further pledges that if the county gets the partial payment minus the withheld 25 per cent, the principle, which has been earmarked for roads, will be spent on roads.

Bride, Widow At Same Time

LA ROCHELLE, France.—At the instant Yolene Bardin became a bride she became a widow. Miss Bardin, 24, met Sgt. Jacques Guinau, 22, when he was home on leave from Indo-China. When he returned to the east they decided to be married by mail, a procedure authorized for French servicemen. The sergeant signed his part of the contract last April.

Before the documents arrived in France, he was killed by a grenade. The girl's parents tried to have the absentee marriage stopped then but officials ruled it could go ahead as if nothing had happened. The ceremony, brought to light Monday, took place before a local mayor Jan. 17, where Yolene, before witnesses, said her "oui."

On reconsideration, however, the court now sees some of Warren's suggestions as infeasible. The letters detailing the court's new stand contain a copy of the court's letter to the Comptroller, a Register-Guard clipping which shows the Comptroller's stand (written by the Guard's Washington correspondent, A. Robert Smith) and a copy of the court's order petitioning for a new immediate distribution scheme.

The court's letter to the comptroller accedes to his point that in the event of a partial distribution some of the money should be spent on roads. "All the counties need road money" it reads, but the letter states that it would be unwise to tie up the balance in a school fund. It suggests that this remaining 25 per cent of the partial distribution be held in the suspension fund pending final settlement of the controversy. This is in case the BLM wins the dis-

Churchill Back In British Isles

SOUTHAMPTON, England.—Prime Minister Winston Churchill came home Monday from his American trip and said "I'm sure it's done good."

"It's freshened up many friendships and made new ones," he told about 100 newsmen gathered in the drawing room of the giant liner Queen Mary.

Churchill said he could not comment on government policy.

"I don't propose to deal with any question of policy this morning because I may be asked some questions about it in the House of Commons and I must not give the answers away beforehand," the Prime Minister said.

Churchill said that he had stayed in his cabin during the whole trip trying to cure his cold.

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WITNESS — Charles W. Judson, a former city editor of the Los Angeles Daily News, lights a cigaret as he sits in the witness chair before the House Un-American activities committee (Jan. 26) in Washington. He testified that he belonged to a Communist group of newspapermen in Los Angeles about 1937 or 1938.

Jury Frees Reno Man

PORTLAND.—A federal grand jury freed Walter R. Carroll, 37, Reno, on Monday of a charge of breaking into the Umatilla, Ore., postoffice on a day when \$20,000 disappeared there.

Brothers Held For Shooting

CRESCENT CITY, Calif.—Two Oregon brothers were held for murder here Monday in connection with the fatal holdup shooting of a Crescent City merchant last Saturday.

Police said the gunmen, Richard L. Jones, 30, and his brother, Robert, 24, of McMinnville, Ore., had confessed the shooting after their arrest in Brookings, Ore.

They are accused of slaying Felix Molini after he refused their demand for money.

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The court ruled that the order was not an unconstitutional taking of property. It said the order was a valid exercise of the government's power to regulate interstate commerce.

Clark delivered the 6-3 opinion. Justice Jackson wrote a dissenting opinion, joined by Justice Frankfurter.

The case involved a federal injunction in Newark on a regulation of the Interstate Commerce Commission. The regulation required that explosives be transported in a certain manner.

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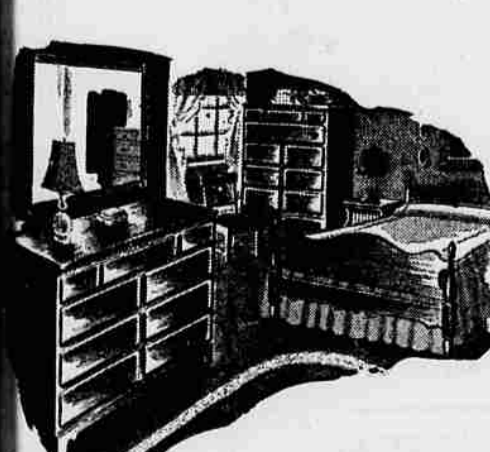
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