

HUGE MILEAGE IN NEW ROADS PLAN FOR YEAR

Nine Thousand Miles Will Cost Near Billion Dollars — Work to Give Many Employment.

By the Associated Press. New roads long enough to circle the globe will criss-cross America beneath the straining muscles of some 300,000 workmen this year at a cost not far short of a billion dollars.

Reports compiled show that upwards of 9,000 miles of the approximate 25,000-mile total will be hard surface. This is exclusive of 11 states in which highway commissions could make no mileage estimates.

The actual cost estimates, not including 6 states in which road programs still are under legislative consideration and making no account of independent county highway construction, is \$1,850,048,922, of which the federal government will contribute \$294,500,000.

The estimate of workmen to be employed in the program is perforce conservative, since a total of nine states have no definite figures on this particular item.

Russia was America's leading market during 1930 for wheel and tracklaying tractors.

The Southern Oregon Mutual Rabbit Breeders' Association

is a Medford industry organized for the distribution of better rabbit meat. Raised sanitary and dressed sanitary. Contains more food value than any other meat. Costs no more, quality considered. Each rabbit is stamped with a blue seal and is guaranteed to be of the finest quality. Carried by leading markets. When placing your order insist on the Blue Seal Rabbit and get the best.

Indorsed by the U. S. Govt and hospitals. THERE'S A REASON.

LOSSES AT FARD DECLARED FAKE

CHICAGO, Jan. 23.—(AP)—Edward R. Litsinger, Chicago politician, took the first step today in his threatened prosecution of Mrs. Myrtle Tanner Blackledge, internal revenue collector, for the part he said she had in the \$50,000 "fard game" swindle.

Litsinger wrote his version of the \$50,000 loan and its disappearance to the state's attorney in Chicago and in Springfield, Ill., where the money disappeared. Mrs. Blackledge said she lost the money playing fard in a Springfield hotel room, but Litsinger charged that it was forcibly taken from his nephew by associates of Mrs. Blackledge.

PASS ROAD FUND FOR EMPLOYMENT

WASHINGTON, Jan. 23.—(AP)—The \$13,954,000 agriculture department appropriation bill, carrying \$120,000,000, to be immediately available for road construction, was passed today by the senate.

Senator Wheeler, democrat of Montana, succeeded in having added to the bill \$10,000 for establishment of a forest range experiment station at Miles City, Mont.

The bill now goes back to the house and probably will be sent to conference for reconciliation of differences between the two branches.

TIMBER PURCHASE MEANS NEW MILL

PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 23.—(AP)—Purchase by the Inman-Poulsen Lumber company of 550,000,000 feet of standing timber on the Siletz river near Valsetz was reported here yesterday. The reported purchase price was \$1,525,000.

The reported plans call for establishment of a mill at Valsetz to produce rough lumber for shipment to the Inman-Poulsen mill at Portland for finishing.

AIRMEN SEARCH COLUMBIA AREA FOR LOST PILOT

SPOKANE, Wash., Jan. 23.—(AP)—A scope of airmen in 18 ships searched over eastern Washington today, searching for Walter Case, Varney air pilot, unreported since yesterday morning.

A growing fear that Case crashed his ship in the uninhabitable scrub lands of the Snake and Columbia rivers or in the Blue mountains was expressed by the pilots.

Persistent reports that a ship was heard flying in fog yesterday morning in the Olmeca district caused the transfer today of base of operations from Pasco to Spokane, and Leon Cuddeback, vice-president of the Varney lines, came here shortly after noon to take personal charge of the seven National Guard and three Varney ships in the search.

INCREASED PENALTIES IN BANK HOLDUP AIM

SALEM, Ore., Jan. 23.—(AP)—The state banking board, composed of the governor, secretary of state and state treasurer, last night was made acquainted with the eleven proposed banking bills which will be introduced in the legislature.

The measures largely are amendatory in an effort to strengthen the administration of the laws, chief among which is one increasing the minimum penalty for bank robbery from 10 to 30 years.

SEEK TAX EXEMPTION CHURCH PARSONAGES

SALEM, Jan. 23.—(AP)—Church parsonages having an assessed valuation of less than \$2500 would be exempt from taxation by a bill soon to be introduced by Senator Joel C. Booth of Linn and Lane counties.

The exemption would also extend to the land they occupy if not more than two lots in a platted town or more than one acre in an unplatted town. The bill is designed to aid the smaller church organizations of the state.

Radio Program KMED

(Mail Tribune-Virgin Station)

- Friday.
- 5 to 6—Peoples Electric; News and Markets, Mail Tribune.
- 6 to 7—Farmers Exchange Co.; Your Office Boy; Velma Darling.
- 7 to 8—Let's Get Associated; News Digest; Murray and Harris, UBC.
- 8 to 9—KMED Presentation; Harrison Hargraves Detective Stories, UBC.
- 9 to 10—Venetian Nights.
- Saturday.
- 7:55 to 8—Breakfast Broadcast of news, Mail Tribune.
- 8 to 9—Bill Sharples and His Gang, UBC; KMED presentation.
- 9 to 10—Friendship Circle; Peoples Electric Store; B. and M.
- 10 to 11—A. Schilling Co.; Alexander's Food Shop.
- 11 to 12—Film Tips and Talks; Gold Seal; White King.
- P. M.—
- 12 to 1—Swen's Gift Shop; Heath's Drug Store; Lewis Super Service; News flashes by Mail Tribune.
- 1 to 2—Scientific Laboratory; KMED presentation.
- 2 to 3—Happiness Train; Popular recordings.
- 3 to 4—KMED presentation.
- 4 to 5—Kiddies' Period; Ceil and Sally.
- 5 to 6—Roy Scouts; Girl Scouts; News and Markets by Mail Tribune.
- 6 to 7—Ticche Service Station; Velma Darling.
- 7 to 8—Let's Get Associated; News Digest, UBC.
- 8 to 9—Weekly Review, UBC.
- 9 to 10—Jimmy Bittick's Town House orchestra.

GRIFFIN CREEK

GRIFFIN CREEK, Ore., Jan. 23.—(Special)—Wm. Cherry, accompanied by his sons, Robert, Raymond and Ivan, was a recent business visitor on the Applegate. Miss Marie Guches was an overnight guest at the home of her sister, Mrs. Harvie Dutton Saturday.

Mrs. Laura Lowe and children, Glenn and Katherine, were all-day guests of Mrs. Roxie Riggs Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wakefield

and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Moffitt of Medford were guests Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Fish.

Miss Marjorie Fisk spent the week-end with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Guches and daughter, Romona and Alton, spent Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Guches.

Miss Thelma Jones has returned from San Francisco, where she went to have her tonsils removed.

Mr. and Mrs. Hons and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Acres spent Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Martin.

Woodrow Jones has entered the Normal school at Astoria and is taking a course in athletics.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Guches were dinner guests Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Collar.

Mrs. Samuel Meadows entertained Sunday in honor of her husband's 54th birthday. Dinner guests were Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Guches and children Vern and Charles and Miss Lilli McQuinn.

Miss Georgiana Hussong, primary teacher, is confined to her home this week with a severe cold. We hope for her speedy recovery. Mrs. C. J. of Medford is teaching in her place.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Bohd were calling on Mrs. Margaret Bohd of Ross Lane Sunday.

Miss Winnifred Jones and Miss

Ellen Silliman of Medford are going to Klamath Falls Saturday to visit Mrs. Lucile Penne.

Charles Gray and son, Raymond Gray were Sunday night guests at the home of Mr. Gray's daughter, Mrs. C. E. Martin, while on their way from Klamath Falls to Bandon.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Rimmer, J. E. Judy, C. C. Bohd and J. D. Brown attended the poultry school in the agriculture building of the high school, conducted by Prof. C. D. Thompson, the subject of the meeting being feed and feeding.

Mrs. Bonham attended the talk given by Admiral Bird, Saturday evening at the Holly theatre. Monday she explained the most interesting parts to the pupils, which they all enjoyed very much.

Duane, Helen and Ruth Child were Saturday guests of Robert and Shirley Remington.

BAN ART MAGAZINES BY PORTLAND PAC

PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 23.—(Special)—Beginning with February issues, 15 magazines of which complaints have been made by the

school board of school district No. 1. Parent-Teacher associations and other citizens, will be kept off Portland newsstands, under an agreement reached with the local distributor.

This announcement was made from the office of Lotus L. Langley, district attorney, following a conference with City Attorney Grant, Miss Martha Randall and Mrs. M. Johnson of the women's protective division of the police bureau.

The banned magazines include those which have been barred from distribution by the United States postal service and are shipped by express.

CONVENTION CITED IN DRY ARGUMENT

WASHINGTON, Jan. 23.—(AP)—Senator Howell, Republican, Nebraska, told the senate today the entertainment committee of a large convention held recently in the capital "budgeted some quarts of liquor for the debauchery of its delegates."

demanding consideration of his bill for more stringent prohibition laws for the district of Columbia. He did not name the organization whose convention he referred to.

How to End RHEUMATISM

New Medicine Drives Rheumatism Poisons from Joints and Muscles

EASES PAIN FIRST DAY

Poisons in the blood settling in the joints and muscles cause rheumatism. You cannot get rid of rheumatism until every trace of these dangerous poisons is driven out of your system. That's why external remedies and pain deadening drugs only give temporary relief.



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KNITTED SUITS

Knitted Suits

3-piece Suits in 1931 styles
Reg. \$12.50 value.
Sale Price

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1931 Knitted Suits in 3-piece styles with the new lace Zephyr Blouse.
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Save \$3 to \$5 on each Dress!



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Silk hose in Chiffon or Service weight

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Values to \$6.85 in smart new spring hats.
Expansion sale price

\$4.95

Be SURE To SHOP Here SATURDAY and SAVE!

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South Central and Eighth St. One Block From Main

By Actual Count There Were

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Pepper and salt effects, in small stripes. An extra fine quality cloth, made from soft thread. Easy to launder. Also, lute fast... being it's a woven cloth.

19c



Printed Crash

36 inch. Just the thing for draperies, upholstery, pillow tops. Stunning designs and effects. Just make you want them. Earlier in the season... 35c

PRINTS

Big Shipment. Short Lengths. 3 to 5 yards.

All fast colors... all new patterns. Mostly in small and medium figures. Sold during 1930 at 25c yard.

New purchase brings them at, yd. 13c

36-in. Foulard

That always popular material, at a new popular price. Dark grounds of blues, etc., with small white and tan figures, also polka-dots. Recall how it sold last year for 29c, but it can now be had for 17c yd.

Ladlassie

32 inch. Save 10c a yard. Guaranteed. No bleeding of colors. Baby checks, novelty stripes, light grounds with bold stripes. Especially good for children's garments... rompers, play suits, kiddies' frocks, etc. Formerly 27c

More Warewell Sheets and Pillow Cases

They have been asking for more. Here they are.

Pillow Cases 22c ea.

Sheets 94c

Colossus Cloth

Save 10c on every yard. 36 inch. Fast color suitings, from a company whose name always means quality. Nice lustre finish. Large color range, even black; 29c was the price last season.

C.J. Breier Co

218 East Main Street

Now 17c

Turkish Towels

Quality Buy—19x36—Two-thread towels. Colored background with white thread and colored border ends. Blue, green, rose gold and pink.

A bargain at 19c

Lighter weight Suiting 13c

Also guaranteed fast colors.