

State Gets \$81,055 As Share of Resource Development Earnings

Oregon has received a check for \$81,055.44 from the bureau of land management as its share of a \$42,003,350.01 total of resource development earnings which compares with a previous record high of \$39,307,905.01 collected in 1955, according to the Secretary of Interior Fred A. Seaton.

Checks totaling \$13,845,865.78 are being presented to twenty-six states and Alaska this week by the BLM for the collection of mineral lease, grazing lease, public land sale and timber sale receipts from federal lands of the BLM. The distribution to the states and Alaska compares to \$13,071,773.54 meted out in 1955.

Mineral Leases. Oregon received \$21,920.06 from mineral leases and permits and \$59,135.38 from grazing, lands and timber sales.

In addition to the \$42,003,350.01, the BLM collected \$58,987,307.72, exclusive of oil and gas leasing in the outer continental shelf of the Gulf of Mexico, which totaled \$11,223,836.16.

Included in the \$100,992,666.73 total collections from long-established BLM operations are revenues from mineral leasing on acquired lands, transferred lands, timber and other sales on Oregon and California

railroad grant lands, as well as mineral leasing act receipts for the first half of 1956. The \$100,992,666.73 total is also an all-time high for BLM, the previous record being \$97,144,101.36 in 1955.

Bulk of Repayments

Bulk of the repayments to the states consisted of \$13,229,361.84 in bonuses, royalties, and rentals from the mineral leasing of public domain lands, and privately owned lands in which the minerals are reserved to the federal government.

Since the state required that mineral payments be made semi-annually, the \$13,229,361.84 total covers only the half-year period from Jan. 1 to June 30, 1956. Mineral payments for the last half of fiscal year 1955 totaled \$12,581,301.66 and for the first half of fiscal year 1956 were \$10,950,728.10.

The mineral payments represent 37 1/2 per cent of the \$35,464,964.88 total receipts from oil, gas, oil shale, potash, sodium, sulphur, coal and phosphate leasing activities as provided in the mineral leasing act of 1920.

The comparable 1955 total mineral collection was \$33,550,137.77. Of the \$35,464,964 collection, 52 1/2 per cent goes into the reclamation fund and 10 per cent into the treasury.

In County Schools

McLoughlin Junior High

McLoughlin students had their first assembly of the year on Sept. 21. Principal Glenn L. Linn welcomed students to the school and introduced Robert Hamilton, who conducted a short student body business meeting, and then acted as master of ceremonies for the assembly.

The home rooms had nominated candidate for cheer leaders and the students led the student body in a group of yells for the football team.

Mrs. Jeanne Nelson presented a sportsmanship plaque which is a gift from the 1956 Booster club. Hamilton accepted the new trophy for the student body.

Class elections and the election of the cheer leaders will be held Wednesday, Sept. 26. Each home room has nominated stu-

dents for various offices, and an election board is preparing polls and ballots.

The Bulldogs will play their first game of the season Sept. 28, when they meet the Hornets on the Hedrick field at 3:30 p.m. A return game will be played at McLoughlin Oct. 4. Parents and townspeople are invited to see the junior high school games.

The Booster club elected officers Sept. 20. Mavis Stromm was elected president, and Linda Sessler will serve as secretary. Members for the various committees will be chosen at the next meeting.

Budding reporters are busy studying their new handbooks and writing their first articles. The Journalism club is accepting members and will soon announce the staff for the year's first issue of the Junior Quill.

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