

# SCHOOL BOARD HOLDS FIRST MEETING HERE

E. S. Robinson, chairman of district one, and Nelson Reed, chairman of the high school district, presided at the first official meeting of the year of the school board Monday evening. Both men are continuing in these posts.

During the meeting J. Percy Wells was again named clerk and Wilson Wiley again named attorney for both boards. The U. S. National and the First National banks were named depositories for funds.

The building addition at the Fremont Junior high school was discussed and it was announced that the WPB approval had been received for construction. Bids are now being submitted and will be opened on July 29 at 7:30 in the office of the board at the high school building. Plans may be obtained at the office of Howard Perrin, architect.

Under district one, Darrell E. Potter was named principal at Riverside school; Kathryn Harris to an art position at the junior high; Mrs. Gladys Bligham, physical education at the junior high; and Miss Kathryn Irvine and Miss Edna Hehn were named to upper grade appointments.

District one also purchased from the special improvement fund \$17,000 worth of 2 1/2 percent U. S. bonds. This comes from the fund the district voted last year for a 5-year period.

Business in the high school district included granting a year's leave of absence to Mrs. Lucille O'Neill due to ill health. Edward J. Ryan was named physical education instructor and assistant coach for fall, winter, and spring sports.

Nelson Reed and Ken Klahn were named on a committee to study improvements in dressing room facilities and enlargement of athletic field facilities.

A. R. Dickson and C. S. Elliot were named to study the janitor pay schedule for the coming school year.

The meeting was the first one for Jack Schulze, the new member of the elementary school board.

# NEW USD DIRECTOR NAMED AT MEETING

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Leaving the work here "in the interests of staff unity" and did not amplify the statement. The operations committee adopted a resolution warmly praising him for his work as director of the Klamath program.

**On Staff**

Paid members of the staff here now are Franklin, director; Assistant Director Ann Dirksmeier, in charge of work for the Waves and service wives; Alice Miles, assistant to the director; Mae King, Conrad, staff aide and snack bar manager; Dannie Hall, office secretary.

Franklin and Miss Miles are paid by Salvation Army; Miss Dirksmeier is paid by the National Catholic Community Service; Mrs. Conrad, Miss Hall, and the painters, are paid by USO.

At the operations committee meeting, a budget of \$12,064 for the period from July 1 to December 31, 1945, was proposed. Expenditures in the first half of the year total \$11,983.

It was brought out that an expected influx of marines to the Klamath Marine Barracks from navy convalescent hospitals will bring increased attendance at the USO.

# House Asks Italy's Joining

WASHINGTON, July 10 (AP)—The house foreign affairs committee voted today to ask the president to "use his good offices" to the end that Italy be invited into the United Nations.

The former axis partner is now treated diplomatically as a "co-belligerent," which holds it short of full ally status.

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# Ration Points Given Cafes By Mistake

PORTLAND, Ore., July 10 (AP)—Restaurants at The Dalles obtained extra ration points by mistake, District OPA Director McDaniell Brown said today.

Brown said the local ration board there misunderstood orders and issued points which will be charged against the cafes' next period quota.

# E. H. THOMPSON RETURNS TO BANK

E. H. "Tommy" Thompson, manager of the Klamath U. S. National bank, has just returned from a trip east, where he attended graduate school of banking at Rutgers university, New Brunswick, N. J.

Thompson, who was transferred here from Salem last January, is one of four men sent by the bank from Oregon to attend the three-year course at Rutgers, with a two-week session each year. This is Thompson's second year. The other three men from Oregon are from Portland.

Bank managers attending the class this year came from 39 states and two men from Puerto Rico also attended.

Thompson spent a month on the trip, visiting in Washington, D. C., and New York City after the class was over. He found train travel fairly comfortable and not too crowded, he said, but reported high temperatures in eastern cities, and said it was good to get back to "cool Oregon, where there are not so many people."

Hotel conditions in New York were crowded, Thompson said, with the military taking over so many of the bigger hostels.

# LIGHTNING STORMS BREAK HEAT WAVE

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Camp Newell were on mop-up and patrol Tuesday.

Since the start of the dry lightning storms Sunday seven other fires in the same general vicinity have been reported, none serious as yet. More are expected as weather continues warm and lightning storms persist.

A dry lightning storm Monday afternoon started one fire on the Klamath Indian reservation four miles south of Sprague River that threatened to be serious for a time before it was put under control. It had covered about 25 acres.

Eight new fires were started in the Bly area by Monday's storms, but all were under control Tuesday. Klamath Forest Protective association reported that all crews were alerted for new storms Tuesday afternoon.


Klamath Falls city fire department was called a little after noon today to put out a grass fire starting on the north end of Eldorado and were on the lookout for grass fires which might start with the advent of dry weather.

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# SENATE OPENS DEBATE OVER USE OF TROOPS

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ter the constitutional practices of 150 years.

"The president has had the right to use the armed forces in the national interest and that is a complete analogy with this charter."

Millikin said that raised the question of the ultimate authority of the American delegate and "is it not time to meet that issue head-on, not when the implementing statutes come up?"

**Connally Disagrees**  
Chairman Connally (D-Tex.) disagreed sharply, and on the question of such reservations he told Millikin that he has the right to offer any reservations "if you can get the votes."

Millikin said he was not attempting to debate, but was simply asking questions. The exchange occurred while the committee was questioning Dr. Leo Pasvolosky, state department expert on the United Nations treaty.

Pasvolosky told Millikin that, if the security council would not know in advance what it could count on in the way of troops from the United States, "the purpose of the whole treaty would be defeated."

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# Jap Journalist Criticizes Nips

SAN FRANCISCO, July 10 (AP)—The dean of Japanese journalists today severely criticized the Nipponese government for failure to tell its people the stark truth about the loss of vital Pacific islands, Tokyo radio reported.

Soho Tokutomi opposed the government's policy "which since Guadalcanal has tended to dismiss the loss of strategic islands with superficial optimism."

The enemy broadcast, recorded by the federal communications commission, said Tokutomi emphasized the fall of Salpian last July, recalling that Japanese authorities at the time lulled the nation with the assurance that loss of a tiny Central Pacific island should cause no worry.

"Everybody now knows what the loss of Salpian meant to Japan," Tokutomi wrote in the newspaper Mainichi.

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area, vital to the allied steel industry, capturing Tayu approximately 175 miles northeast of Canton. They pursued retreating Japanese toward the former U. S. air base at Kanhsien. Other Nipponese were reported counterattacking in the area.

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# Six Building Permits Issued By Council

Six building permits were approved by Klamath city council at the meeting Monday evening, including building and repairs amounting to \$3575.

Permits were granted for building a woodshed at 227 Lincoln, to cost \$100, to Mrs. Myrtle Yowell; an addition to a building, 117 S. 7th, \$800, Carl F. White, Uptown Cleaners.

New roof, 2234 White, \$100, Joe Ybarra; remodel residence and build new foundation, 1111 California, \$500, L. H. Gibson; remodel, 1502 Sargent, \$2000, M. C. Gleason; repair bedroom, 427 S. Eldorado, \$75, Louis Johns.

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