# Washington Lays Back On Streetcar Strike Held Fight For Dam Funds, To **Put Pressure On Senate**

"We may take the floor for a few remarks just to keep the re-cord straight," several members commented, "But I doubt that any serious effort will be made here.

## **Water Supply** Said Normal

HOOD RIVER (h — Water for irrigation in Wasco and Hood River Counties will be sufficient to meet usual needs, W. 7. Frost of the Soil Conservation Service reported.

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At the first of the annual series of outlook meetings Saturday, it was pointed out that at the 6,009-1006 level on Mount Hood, show is about 11.5 feet deep. That Would produce about five feet of water. Wasco County Water Master Roger Wilhelm said snow cover at Hrooks Meadow was 39 1 inches fleep with water content of 17.2 inches. That is about two inches of water more than last year, but more than four inches less than in 1950.

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White River below Tygh Valley is expected to discharge 185,000 acre-feet in the irrigation period April-September, 119 per cent of the 10-year average but again less than in 1950.

There may have to be some regulations imposed in August, but the prospect is that usual needs can be met nicely by Badger, Rock, Oate, Fifteenmile and Mill Greeks.

### Legislative Meet Slated

All interested persons and groups are invited to attend the Sat-urday hearing and bring out ideas regarding reapportionment. The meeting is scheduled to start at 8 p.m.

## Two Die In **Plane Crash**

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Only one member of the Washington delegation sounded an optimistic note on the committee report. He was Rep. Horan (P.—Wash.)

He noted that despite heavy cuts in the various projects, the recommended bill carries \$2,835,000 for surveys, planning and study programs. He said he has been as a control by the projects of the proposed for the proposed f

surveys, planning and study programs. He said he has been assured that some of the money included will be used for water rights surveys on the Similkameen River.

A public hearing on reapportionment of the Oregon Legislature—a recurring problem facing the state—is to be held next Saturday night at the Courthouse,
Sen. Phil Hitchcock is chairman of an interim committee studying the various plans or reapportioning the positions in the Senate and House of Representatives, and that committee is to submit a report to the Legislature next year.

Other members of the committee are Sen. Richard L. Neuberger, Portland; Rep. David C. Bauna, La Grande; Rep. H. H. Chindgren, Molalla; Rep. Ivan C. Laird, Sittkum; plus several advisory members who are not of the Legislature—bers who are not of the Legislature—all interested persons and For April 2

BONANA—The play being given by the Parents and Patrons club of Bonanza will be April 2 at 8 o'clock in the auditorium. It is a three act comedy entitled, "The Big Blow Up," and is being directed by Ivan Bold. Velda Haley is in charge of the stage, Clara Bold and Ruth Merrill the make-up and Tom Blackman will take care of the lighting and sound effects. The school band will play between the acts.

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The cast includes Emmaline Shepherd as Ellen Parker the Landlady, Dallas Southerland as Beans' her high school son. Betty Rice as Melinda the new maid. Mugsy Morris a young criminal will be played by Louis Staller, Cora Johnson, young school teacher by Mirtam Potucek, Terry King a detective by Don Rice, Sandra Richards an enigma by Janet Ferniund, Katle Lee Beans girl friend by Naury Schmor, Douglas Blake Sandra's fiance by Jack Kelly, Mr. Field Sandra's trate father by Bill Jones, Mrs. Fields her anxious mother by Virginia Thomas.

rutt, was coming in for a landing at the end of a routine flight to Burbank, Calif. Apparently one engine was out.

The plane overshot the field tried to pull up and crashed about three miles northwest of the base, the spokesman said. The wreckage was strewn over a 300 square yard area.

men's union members voted Sun-By FRANK VAILLE

WASHINGTON 16 — Washington State congressmen will hold their fire and make no effort to have the House override recommendations of its Appropriations Committee for curtailment of the Army Engineers' Oregon-Washington-Ida ho dam construction program.

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committee the House held faut only in its opposition to ice Harbor.

It was considered likely that the Senate again will restore money for The Dalles which got its first construction funds last year although it's doubtful it will be to the extent of the full 37 ½ million asked by President Truman.

Members also hoped that appropriations for Chiel Joseph Dam would be upped from the it's million recommended by the House committee to at least the 17 ½ million contract benefits. The company lion recommended by the House committee to at least the 17 ½ million originally asked by the Army Engineers.

# **Family Night Big Success**

A crowd of 118 "Y" members and members of their families turned out Friday evening. They were entertained by members of the college age group, had a group sing period, games and demonstrations of "Y" programs.

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# Hells Canyon Dam Hot Issue For Solons To Handle; Idaho Against Plan on The **Grounds It Would Hamper Irrigation**

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Her concert was not enthusiastically received by critics here.

Some 3600 persons, an overflow crowd, attended the concert.

By JOHN KAMPS

WASHINGTON & Hells Canyon, the Seven Devils Mountains and the Snake River, some quipping congressmen say, combine to form a "devil of a country."

And a House Interior subcommittee is handling a hot controversy in its hearing on a bill to authorize the Hells Canyon Power Dam on the Snake River, on the Idaho-Oregon border.

Near Hells Canyon are the Seven Devils Mountains, which have peaks named He Devil, She Devis, and Lesser Devils.

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But opponents, including the Idaho congressmen, say the people of the area don't want the dam. They want the dam. They was in the cast of fand.



Among projects planned for the

generators would Washington and Montana.

Palisades, Upper Scriver Creek, Lower Scriver Creek, Ice Harbor, The Dalles, Hills Creek, Lower Monumental, Little Goose, Libby, and Lower Granite.

system are dams in Idaho, Oregon,

Hungry Horse Dam in Montana's south fork of the Flathead River, a big project, is scheduled to begin generating power in October.

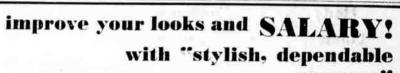
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