

# Pay Increase For Firemen Main Topic Before Council

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Although the city budget for 1954-55 was approved by council last week, the fire department has not given up its fight for increased salaries. Members of the Civil Service Commission, representatives of policemen and firemen almost filled the council chambers Monday night to urge further consideration of requests made earlier this year.

Jack Henry, chairman of the commission, referred to the resolutions passed last April recommending, among other things, a 40 hour week for policemen plus increase in wages and vacation considerations; increased wages and establishment of a clothing allowance for firemen.

Police were granted a 46 hour week; firemen were given a \$5 clothing allowance in the new city budget.

"Klamath Falls is not taking care of its employees," Henry charged. "It should give consideration to its employees before it starts making street repairs or building swimming pools."

C. D. Long, Civil Service Commission member, introduced S. P. Stevens, representative of the International Association of Firefighters, and Rolin E. Culbertson, of the American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees, international union.

Stevens briefly showed the increases in efficiency brought about over the years through efforts of his organization, with which the local fire department is affiliated.

He pointed out that increased efficiency has brought down the amount of fire hazards, decreased damage done and so lowered insurance rates.

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# Jaycee Junior School Boards Hold Joint Session; Plan Elections

School boards of District No. 1, elementary, and No. 2, of Klamath Union High School in session last night, ironed out a multitude of teaching assignments, resignations, plans for school board elections, and other pertinent business at one of the longest sessions in recent months.

The resignation of Hazel Sewell, second grade teacher, Mills, was accepted to permit her to accept an assignment in Germany in Army schools. Leroy Aserling, University of Oregon, will fill a corrective speech post in the elementary schools. Juanita Lambert will receive an intermediate grade and Joan Rademacher, 1934 University of Oregon graduate, will get a special education place, probably at Fairview. Priscilla Russell will teach a primary room and Carline Westover, intermediate at a school to be announced at a later date.

The elementary board will make formal application for participation in the federal surplus commodities program to promote plate lunches in grade schools.

Arnold Gralapp, superintendent of city schools, will present the preliminary plans for the improvement of the Pelican School to the State Board of Education for study at an early date.

The elementary board seeks a definite description of survey plans for the West side by-pass from the Oregon State Highway Department in order to plan the present Cougar School playground. Previous correspondence with the department indicates that several surveys are under study.

Under state school law varying dates for elections of school board members for the elementary schools and the high school must be observed. Under the requirements, District No. 1, elementary, has set June 21 as voting day, at Fremont school from 2-4 p.m. Candidates for board posts are Mrs. Clara Moore, sworn in last night to replace Jack Schultz resigned, and J. C. Renie.

The date for the high school board member election is June 28 at KUHS, 2-4 p.m. Ed Hickman is the only candidate to file.

The high school staff appointments went to Robert Buelow, University of Iowa graduate, commercial department and Ray Coley, driver education, physical education, science and a substitute basketball coach. Howard Hall, University of Oregon, with a master of fine arts degree, will succeed Ruth Zuelke in the art department. Miss Zuelke has accepted a teaching position in Germany. Harry Russell, Monmouth College of Education will assist with driver education and serve as assistant football coach.

Six faculty members, completing their third year of probation, were elected to permanent tenure under Oregon school law. Those named were Roland Krieb, mechanical drawing; John Lake, distributive education; John McGinnis, physical education and health; Elsie Waincoat, social studies and English; Donald Peterson, science and Roy Tidwell, library. All are KUHS teachers.

The request of the Klamath Dog Fanciers' Inc. for use of Modoc Field, September 4 for a dog show and trials is under study.

Mandatory professional growth recommendations for classroom teachers, included three hours every three years, for teachers with a master's degree and top of the salary schedule, study to be at the individual's discretion and the approval of the Professional Growth Committee of District No. 1 and No. 2.

Those holding a bachelor's degree or a fifth year and top of the salary scale, will need five hours every three years, at least two for academic credit.

Less than a bachelor's degree or those who have not yet reached the upper salary bracket are included in the eight hour schedule every three years, with five hours of academic work.

The recommendations will be presented to the high school board next month by Gralapp and the committee will appear for further explanation.

Under joint action of the two boards, Roland Troyer, graduate of Michigan State College, was hired to replace Walter Smith as instrumental music instructor. Troyer will have part time elementary string units and the KUHS orchestra. Smith goes to the University of Oregon for work on his masters degree.

Several of the school secretaries working on a 12 month schedule will attend sessions of the National Association of Educational Secretaries Convention, July 23-25 and the Institute for Educational Secretaries July 26-30, in Eugene.

Cecil Kollenborn appeared in the interest of pupil insurance. Leland Knox of the Knox Auditing firm, was named as auditor for both districts.

Consideration was also given to the need for an additional school bus next year, with further study indicated.

# Teenage Vice Probe Planned

A sweeping investigation of teenage vice conditions in Klamath Falls is expected Wednesday when the county grand jury goes into session.

Sordid details of a long series of sex parties involving two 15-year-old girls and 25 boys were revealed Tuesday by county juvenile officers Francis Mathews and Payne Blackmer. Eight of the boys involved are more than 18 years old.

The two girls held in the juvenile detention home told officers that some of the boys with whom they had sexual relations abused them. They claimed they slapped them and called them vile names.

According to Mathews, since last November, the two girls participated in sex parties with as many as six boys at one time in parked cars, private homes and drive-in theaters.

Mathews said he was amazed at the attitude of some of the boys who admitted being involved with the girls.

"We questioned many of the boys at length," Mathews explained. "They seemed to look upon the girls as no good and could see nothing reprehensible about their part in the affair."

Mathews also said that all of the boys involved who are more than 16 years old could be indicted for statutory rape. Mathews has asked District Attorney Frank Alderson to present the case to the grand jury.

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# Weather

Grants Pass and Vicinity — Showers Tuesday night. Mostly cloudy Wednesday. High 72 Wednesday. Low Tuesday night 44.

Northern California — Partly cloudy to cloudy through Tuesday night. Clearing Wednesday. Light showers north of Fort Bragg. Night and morning fog along coast. Cooler in northern interior Wednesday. Winds along coast northwesterly.

Baker and Vicinity — Partly cloudy and showery Tuesday night and Wednesday. Clearing and windy Wednesday afternoon. High 60 Wednesday. Low Tuesday night 40.

Five-day outlook for Western Oregon — Sunny in interior and partly cloudy along the coast Thursday and Friday. Morning cloudiness Saturday and Sunday, but sunny afterwards. Slowly rising trend in temperatures. No precipitation of consequence.

Five-day outlook for Eastern Oregon — Mostly sunny with slowly rising temperatures and no precipitation of consequence.

Western Oregon — Considerable cloudiness with occasional showers and brief clearing periods through Tuesday night. Partly cloudy with widely scattered showers Wednesday, mostly near the mountains. Highs 60-70 Wednesday. Lows Tuesday night 46-54. Winds off coast westerly to northwesterly 15-30 miles an hour through Tuesday night, diminishing to 12-22 Wednesday.

Eastern Oregon — Partly cloudy Tuesday night and Wednesday with a few showers, mostly over mountains. Cooler. Highs 60-68. Lows Tuesday night 40-50. Gusty southwesterly to westerly winds through Tuesday night.

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS  
24 hours to 1:30 a. m. Tuesday  
Max. Min. Prec.

Baker	68	48	.01
Bend	60	48	T
Eugene	64	55	.27
Klamath Falls	67	52	T
Lakeview	67	50	T
Medford	72	56	.01
Newport	58	54	.93
North Bend	61	56	.34
Ontario	74	54	.06
Pendleton	73	54	.01
Portland Airport	62	48	.33
Roseburg	70	56	.16
Salem	62	55	.37

Boise	69	54	T
Chicago	95	74	T
Denver	71	47	.09
Eureka	65	57	.35
Los Angeles	77	61	—
New York	77	62	—
Red Bluff	88	68	—
San Francisco	66	52	T
Seattle	66	51	1.22
Spokane	68	56	—

**MUNICIPAL COURT**  
Pearl Ray, drunk, \$25 or 12 1/2 days ON THE RECORD  
**FINAL DECREES**  
Maxine E. Kunz from Fred C. Kunz, MARRIAGE LICENSE  
**HOLZLANG-KIDDER** Louis R. Holzlang, 22, Klamath Falls, and Dolores M. Kidder, 22, Klamath Falls.

**POTATOES**  
CHICAGO (U) — Potatoes: Arrivals 122; on track 328; total U. S. shipments 678; market slightly weaker; California long whites \$4.50-75; Pontiacs \$4.00-25.

**FISH COUNT**  
PORTLAND (U) — The fish count at Bonneville Dam Monday: chinook 603, jack 132, steelhead 147, blueback 61.

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**FUNERAL NOTICE**  
DANIEL  
Funeral services for Henrietta Grace Daniel, 68, who died in Portland, June 10, will be held at the Klamath Falls Funeral Home, 923 High St., on Wednesday, June 16, at 2:00 p. m. The Rev. George Alder of the First Christian church officiating. Commitment service and interment in Klamath Memorial Park.

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**STOCKS**  
WALL STREET  
NEW YORK (U)—The stock market advanced Tuesday in a moderate manner with a few issues strong in the late afternoon.  
Most plus and minus signs were small but some went to around 3 points.  
Business was at a slow pace with an estimated 1,500,000 shares changing hands. Monday's total came to 1,420,000 shares with the market a shade lower.  
The steels, aircrafts and railroads were the first major divisions to show strength.

**NY Central Taken Over By R. Young**  
NEW YORK (U)—The new regime of Robert R. Young buckled down today to the formidable task of running the nation's second largest railroad, the far-flung New York Central system.  
Young and his board look over yesterday, an hour after they were officially proclaimed winner by 1,064,000 shares in their proxy battle with the management headed by William White.

The new board quickly elected Young as chairman—at \$1 a year—and named Alfred E. Perlman, 51-year-old executive vice president of the Denver & Rio Grande Western, as president and chief executive officer.

Today, a spokesman said, Perlman will call in key operating men of the Central to talk over the road's problems. The Central is outranked in size only by the Pennsylvania Railroad.

White stepped down as president, as he said he would if Young won, as soon as the official tally of shareholders' votes was announced at Albany.

He promised to cooperate with the new management "in effecting an orderly transition."

In a statement, Young thanked those who supported him and declared: "We offer the warm hand of conciliation to those who will stay or unwillingly worked against us."

Young said that all of the industry's 41,000 passenger cars and most of its 1,800,000 freight cars "can be replaced by more efficient types and more than pay their cost out of savings." He added:

"Industrywide planning for and agreement on improved and standardized equipment designs, volume purchasing, freight and passenger terminal adaptations (to motor age, the greater use of each other's facilities, accounting, reservation and ticketing simplification and many other cooperative projects are long overdue."

Perlman said in a statement that "we will not revolutionize the railroad overnight, but we will build a firm foundation upon which will rise a progressive and modern structure of which we can all be proud."

What salary Perlman will get as president was not disclosed. White received \$120,000 a year.

# Three Hoodlums To Be Sentenced

LOS ANGELES (U)—Three young men convicted of fatally beating a wealthy manufacturer when he went to the aid of a Marine who was being assaulted will be sentenced Thursday.

Superior Judge Charles Pricke denied a motion Monday for a new trial and set the sentencing date for Manuel Mata, 19; Robert Marquez, 17, and Richard Venegas, 19.

The trio were convicted last May 11 of manslaughter in the death of William D. Cluff, 56, retired chemical manufacturer, who had gone to the aid of a Marine, Pfc. John W. Moore, 18, of Oakland, last Dec. 6.

Moore was being beaten up by the hoodlums in the downtown area.

Cluff died of a brain hemorrhage.

**OBITUARIES**  
OLSON  
Feder Johan Olson, 77, native of Moe, Heglgian, Norway, resident of Klamath Falls for 24 years, died here June 14. Survivors include the widow, Mattie A. of this city; two daughters, Mrs. Alice Wittis of this city and Mrs. Gertrude Shirley of Hanford, California; sons, Ivan of Madras, and Raymond of Roseburg; brothers, Hans and Alfred of Marquam; Tony Lewis, sister Mrs. Annie Light and Mrs. Eva Mesinger of Astoria; Mrs. Nora Olson of Linnton; also seven grandchildren; funeral service Thursday, June 17, Ward's Klamath Funeral Home at 2:00 p. m.

DANIEL  
Henrietta Grace Daniel, 68, native of Lincoln, lifelong resident of Klamath Falls, died Wednesday, June 10. Survivors include: sons, William and Norman O. of this city, Fred F. of Portland; Claude G. and Alvin C. of the U. S. Army; sisters, Gertrude Brown of Tennesse, California, and Emma North of this city; also four grandchildren.

SMITH  
Louelle Smith, 67, a native of Alexander City, Alabama, died in this city June 15. Survivors include four sons and two daughters; Wilbur Smith, West Smith and William H. Smith all of Klamath Falls; Herman Smith of Alexander City; Mrs. George Campbell of Dallas, Texas; Mrs. Teresa Adams of Alexander City; three brothers, William Grimes of Birmingham, Alabama; William Grimes of Birmingham, Alabama; D. R. Grimes of Herford, Texas; two sisters, Mrs. Fannie Eastwood in Oklahoma and Mrs. Grace Eastwood in Birmingham, Alabama. O'Hair's Memorial Chapel is in charge of arrangements.

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