

# BOARD STARTS REALLOCATION OF ROAD FUND

PORTLAND, July 12 (AP)—Reallocation of \$500,000 of federal funds to conform to new regulations was half completed by the state highway commission before the long day's meeting ended here late last night. The money to be spent inside city limits was peeled from outside highways, but not yet placed definitely in municipalities.

The \$500,000 was peeled from the primary system program as follows: Albany-Milo Post, \$63,225,000; Multnomah line-Middleton, \$20,000; South Yamhill river bridge, \$20,000; Neahkahnie mountain grading, \$33,000; upper Soda-East, \$25,000; Salem-Ilwaco grading and paving, \$115,000; Astoria-Youngs bay bridge and approach, \$85,000; Shikvon straightening, \$73,000; Dixie-Lime grading and topping, \$45,000.

**Portland Low**  
Harold Blaise of Portland was low bidder both on project B, Hubbard - Woodburn section, \$104,191.25, and on project C, Woodburn-Brooks section, \$121,950. The Northwest Roads company of Portland, bidding \$103,415, was low on project A, Canby-Hubbard section, which bid was held up.

The bids were \$6,700 under previous bids, but R. H. Baldock, state highway engineer, explained that \$10,000 worth of work had been added under new specifications, and that the state actually saved \$15,700 by re-advertising the projects.

**Battle Stirrs Board**  
Heated arguments over type of construction for the five Oregon coast highways featured the late afternoon session yesterday, with some timber interests demanding the spans be built of timber as against concrete as outlined by the state bridge engineer.

The battle started when J. E. Mackie, structural engineer representing the National Lumber Manufacturers' West Coast timbermen's, Western Pine and Willamette Valley Lumber associations appeared before the commission and directed personal remarks against C. B. McCullough, state bridge engineer.

Mackie had proceeded but a short distance with his cross-examination when Leslie M. Scott, visibly angry at the manner the wooden bridge discussion was going, ended Mackie's personal remarks and demanded he keep his arguments confined to the bridges. Scott declared the commission had every confidence in McCullough and would not tolerate any "hallyragging by you or anyone else."

Mackie said the lumbermen

## Co-ed Beauty Hollywood-Bound



A wealth of lustrous wavy hair helped Miss Lucille Lund, Northwestern University co-ed of Evanston, Ill., win the title of the "most beautiful college girl" in a national contest conducted by a college magazine. Here's the winner, her face turned toward Hollywood and a movie test.

wanted timber construction as a matter of principle and would not be satisfied with the fact that as much or more lumber would be used on the five major spans in the \$5,000,000 projects as "forms" for concrete. He said they wanted timber approaches.

**W. C. T. U. To Hold Big Dry Meeting**  
All dry forces in the city are asked to meet with the W. C. T. U., Monday evening, July 17, in a mass meeting at the First Methodist Episcopal church. Plans for a campaign to be carried on under the auspices of the W. C. T. U., preceding the special election July 21, will be discussed.

Members of the W. C. T. U., who held a regular meeting Tuesday afternoon, extended a vote of thanks to Mayor W. E. Mahoney for vetoing the pool hall beer bill, and to the members of the council who supported the mayor in his stand.

## TWO DIE AS HEAT COOKS SOUTHWEST

KANSAS CITY, July 12. (AP)—A gasping, sun scorched southwest today hoped for the clouds forecast by weather observers to alleviate somewhat the heat that caused four deaths Tuesday.

Two died in Dallas, Tex., where the mercury reached 104 and two succumbed in Oklahoma, one in the capital city and one near Perry. Oklahoma City's 105 equalled the record set there in July, 1914.

But Vernon, Tex., topped all high temperature readings with 115, the city's twenty-first consecutive day of 100-degree weather. It was a new high for the season as was the 107 recorded at Sherman, Tex.

Reported temperatures in Kansas and Missouri did not range so high but the population sweltered. Kansas City's maximum was 92. Wichita reported 98.

Recent rains in parts of Missouri and Kansas came in time to save crops but two federal crop statisticians in Oklahoma City predicted failure of the corn crop in the state unless rain falls quickly. Robert P. Chandler, Oklahoma state fish and game warden, said thousands of fish were dying "because the water is too hot."

## POSTMASTERS WILL GET CIVIL SERVICE

WASHINGTON, July 12. (AP)—In an executive order changing regulations for postmaster appointments, President Roosevelt today requested Postmaster General Farley to draft legislation to be submitted to the next congress placing all postmasters under civil service.

The executive order will permit all acting postmasters named since March 4—approximately 1,500—to remain in office without examination. It also raises the maximum age limit from 65 to 68 years and reduces the minimum residence requirements from two years to one.

The new executive order authorizes the postmaster general to submit to the president for nomination without examination, the name of any regularly commissioned postmaster or the name of any person in the classified civil service. The acting postmasters now hold commissions.

## Youth Of Alturas Drowns In River

ALTURAS, Calif.—Marion Kelly, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. S. Kelly of Alturas, was drowned Sunday afternoon in the Pit river. The boy, 18 years of age, was swimming in the river with his brother and another companion. None of the three were accomplished swimmers, and young Kelly, stepping into a deep hole, was unable to swim to shallow water.

His two companions made heroic efforts to rescue him, but failed, and help had to be summoned from nearby ranches. Deceased was a student at the Modoc Union high school here. He was well advanced in his studies, and won a special prize in a county-wide education contest two years ago.

## Boy Injures Foot In Mowing Machine

Gene Mitchell, 6-year-old son of Mrs. E. M. Mitchell of Tule Lake, was seriously injured Wednesday morning when his foot was nearly severed by a mowing machine. The little boy was walking too close to the mower, when it ran over his foot.

He was brought to Klamath Valley hospital about 10 o'clock Wednesday, and attending physician Amateur Golf tournament injured foot.

## Merrill Council Puts Tax On Beer

MERRILL, Ore.—The Merrill city council met for a regular monthly session Thursday evening and issued beer licenses to a number of firms.

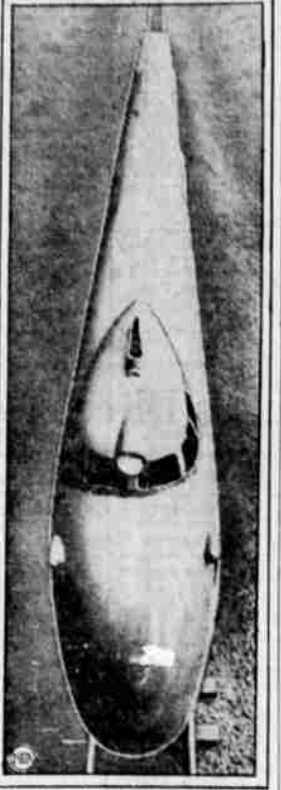
The council fixed a license fee of \$30 a year, reserving the right to hasten or refuse to issue licenses or to revoke them at any time it is believed necessary.

Licenses to retail beer were issued to Stolt and Lodge pool hall, Ray Merrill pool hall, Sutford's store and Palm Cafe.

## Peterson Discusses New School Laws

BALEM, July 12 (AP)—New county school laws were discussed at the closing session of the Oregon association of county school superintendents Wednesday by Fred Peterson of Klamath county. C. R. Bowman of Jackson and Martha E. Malloy of Cook, T. F. Drumbaugh of Wasco county was elected president to succeed Josiah Wills of Polk.

## Train's Design Adds to Speed



Here's what the new lightweight streamline train built for the Union Pacific railroad will look like when completed. The train will be 295 feet long, nine feet wide, weigh only 80 tons and attain a speed of 110 miles an hour. The photos are made from an engineer's model. The top picture shows the front end of the train, housing the motor.

## BONANZA WANTS ROAD OILING JOB

After a short meeting the executive board of the Klamath chamber of commerce adjourned Wednesday noon to attend an address on the sales tax measure, presented by Charles V. Galloway, state tax commissioner, at the Willard hotel.

Citizens of Bonanza presented a petition to the chamber of commerce asking that it be forwarded to the state highway commission, and asking that the highway from Dairy to Bonanza be oiled. The chamber approved the petition, and forwarded it to the commission with a letter of explanation.

Upon recommendation of the chamber agricultural committee and County Agent C. A. Henderson, the executive board sent a petition to Federal Director of the Budget Douglas, and Secretary of Agriculture Wallace to continue the market news service through the department of commerce. The chamber recommended the continuation of the market news as a worthwhile activity of great benefit to agriculturalists of the community.

The wholesale distribution committee which has been active in efforts to obtain the trade of C. C. C. camps contiguous to Klamath Falls for local wholesalers, presented a report, which will be continued at a later meeting.

## SENATORS AT BAT FOR INDIAN SCHOOL

WASHINGTON, July 12. (AP)—Retention of Chemawa Indian school at Salem was urged upon President Roosevelt today by senators McNary and Stinson of Oregon. They recommended that the school be operated on an unrestricted basis, and that its services should not be curtailed under the program recently advocated by the commission of Indian affairs.

The senators also asked the president to be generous in extending funds from the public works program for various projects in Oregon.

## Don't You Think He Rates A Pass?

An honest hobo, who might be traveling in state upon a Southern Pacific pass, instead of in side-door Pullmans, presented himself at police headquarters Tuesday night, and gave officers a purse containing a pass, an endorsed check for \$3.50 and some change.

The pass was made out to C. E. Newcom, S. P. mechanic, and is good to all points on the Shasta division until December 31, 1933. The purse had been lost in the Southern Pacific yards, and its finder turned it in without asking a reward or telling his name.

## WOMEN WILL HOLD POLITICAL SESSION

A political mass meeting, held under the auspices of the Klamath League of Women Voters, will be held Monday evening, July 17, at the Rainbow theatre between Fourth and Fifth streets on Main street, at 7:30 o'clock.

Constitutional amendments and measures to be voted upon at the special election July 21 will be discussed, with each side of each question discussed by prominent men of the city. Mrs. Harry W. Poole, president of the League, and Mrs. Thomas W. Deibel, first vice president, will preside.

The public is urged to attend this meeting and hear the discussions.

## Vital Statistics

**BIRTH**  
CLAWSON—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Clawson, Route 1, a daughter, July 12, 1933 at Klamath Valley hospital. Weight 8 pounds and 14 ounces.

**MARRIAGE**  
SEARCY-POWELL—Verl Gilreath Searcy to Teresa Lola Powell, July 11, 1933, at Klamath county court house by Justice of the Peace W. B. Barnes.

## WAGE, WORK RULES TO BE LAID DOWN

WASHINGTON, July 12. (AP)—To hasten fortification of employment and purchasing power, the administration has under consideration a direction to all industry to pay a minimum wage and restrict working hours until the Roosevelt recovery program takes fuller effect.

This was acknowledged in a high quarter today, along with assertions that the president is pleased with progress to date.

There has been no decision about any blanket order. Mr. Roosevelt will need the guidance of Hugh S. Johnson, industrial administrator, in that matter. A study of ways of going about it is under way.

Johnson told reporters that proposals for a general wage and hour limit for industry were still in the "half-baked" stage.

He pointed out that under the law, such a plan probably could not be made mandatory.

He is investigating methods of grouping industries in various classes, so general levels which they could apply voluntarily might be prescribed.

## OBITUARY

**HUBERT A. BURROUGHS**  
Hubert A. Burroughs, a native of California, age 58 years, passed away in this city Tuesday, July 11, at 5:15 p. m., following an illness of three weeks duration. Mr. Burroughs was a resident of Langell Valley where he was engaged in farming, he previously having lived on the Olene road six miles south of Klamath Falls. He is survived by his wife and two daughters, who all reside at Mountain View, Calif.

He was a member of the local lodge L. O. M. and the King City, Calif., lodge A. F. & A. M. The remains rest in the gold room at the Earl Whitlock funeral home where friends may call. Notice of funeral arrangements will be given upon receipt of word from his family.

Crops could be grown over a considerable portion of Death Valley if irrigation water were supplied.

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