

NEVADA TO GET BIG SUMS FOR HIGHWAY WORK

Relief Bill, Signed By
President Hoover,
Makes Money Available

The Wagner relief bill, signed today by President Herbert Hoover, means \$11,982,756 in new construction for the state of Nevada, according to a wire received from United States Senator Tasker L. Oddie this afternoon.

The funds from which Nevada will draw increased payrolls includes:

Additional Boulder dam	\$10,000,000
Emergency Hiway Fund	1,575,756
Oddie-Colton additional	400,000
Forest Indian Road	
Additional	5,000

Total\$11,982,756

THE BILL, providing emergency funds in several fields of endeavor in order to increase employment, provides for \$120,000,000 for federal aid highways, Nevada's share of \$1,575,756 being available for use in new construction or for application upon the state's share of federal aid funds already available and which the state has been unable to match.

A fund of \$2,000,000 additional was also provided for Oddie-Colton highways, to be used in 100 per cent federal aid highways across the public domain and Indian reservations. Nevada will also receive \$5,000 from additional funds for roads over the Indian reservations, and other money from the \$10,000,000 appropriated for forest roads and trails. This latter fund has not been apportioned as yet.

THE BILL also carried \$10,000,000 additional for Boulder Dam which brings the total for this year to \$23,000,000 and will assure nearly double the number of jobs originally planned for the fall construction schedule.