

COUNTY SCHOOL BUDGET DISCUSSED

CLARK COUNTY School District Board of Trustees will discuss tentative operating budget for 1964-65 of \$26.7 million at tonight's regularly scheduled monthly meeting as the culmination of seven months of extensive planning.

Superintendent Leland Newcomer has issued an invitation to all interested citizens of the community to hear the major presentation by Dr. J. L. Glaspey, Assistant Superintendent for Business Services, of a budget document that contains about 200 pages.

"I am sure the general public is vitally concerned with the education of the youth of southern Nevada and exactly how this \$26.7 million will be spent," Newcomer said. A second public airing of the budget as required by law will be held during the board meeting of March 26.

Aiding the District's administration in preparation of the budget is a committee representing all educational levels within the system.

"I simply can't say enough in the way of praise for this budget committee," Dr. Glaspey said. "As a group they have worked and planned until now we have one of the most comprehensive budgets of any school district of comparable size."

Makeup of the 11-man committee includes Mrs. Helen Cannon, Board of Trustees; Howard Heckethorn, American Federation of Teachers; Wayne Keeley, Clark County Classroom Teachers Association; Paul Arenaz, Secondary Principals Association; Neil Twitchell, Elementary Principals Association; Jerry Struthers, Classified Employees Association; Assistant Superintendents Glaspey, David Sands (instruction) and Dr. Richard Brown (personnel); Superintendent Newcomer, and ex-officio member Andrew Liebl,

OF PARTICULAR interest is the amount of money designated for improving the instructional program--more than \$20 million--almost 80 per cent of the entire budget. The budget also shows a decrease in administrative and auxiliary services percentage costs, a slight increase for maintenance with plant operation and fixed charges the same.

Per pupil cost increase will be slightly

more than \$40 overall, with \$30 of this amount going to instruction. Overall per pupil costs for the Clark County School District are 5 per cent below comparable costs for above-average districts indicating: (1) overall operating expenditures are approaching the median for above-average districts of comparable size and (2) this District is spending a larger proportion of its operating funds for direct costs of instruction than is being expended by above-average districts of comparable size.

More than \$1 million will be spent for library books and textbooks, the former in keeping with the District's policy of attempting to raise the standard all school libraries.

Other monies budgeted provide for teacher aides above and beyond pupil-teacher ratios in areas where they are needed most: continuation of driver training outside the curricular day but on a "no charge" basis; furnishing up to 10 elementary school librarians on a pilot basis to handle carefully planned and developed model library and instructional materials center programs.

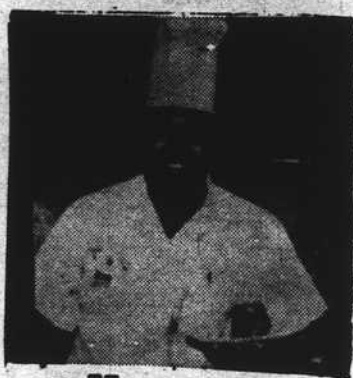
NEVADA LIBRARY CASH AVAILABLE

WASHINGTON-The Library Services and Construction Act, recently signed into law by President Johnson, authorizes more than \$235,000 in federal matching funds for Nevada library facilities, Nevada Sen. Howard W. Cannon revealed recently.

Cannon, who supported the legislation, said \$130,954 is authorized for expenditures this fiscal year on books, equipment and other operating expenses of Nevada libraries.

Another \$104,763

in matching funds is available for construction of new buildings, and the expansion, remodeling and alteration of existing libraries.



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