

# POSTMASTER NEW EXAMS

WASHINGTON, D.C., Aug. 19—New examining procedures to fill postmaster vacancies when qualified career postal employes are not available was announced today by Postmaster General Winston M. Blount and Civil Service Commission Chairman Robert E. Hampton, the office of Congressman Howard W. Pollock, R-Alaska, was informed today.

The new procedures will apply to first, second and third class postmaster vacancies.

An open competitive examination will be conducted to establish lists of eligible persons when selection boards are unable to recommend qualified postal employes for a position.

Competitive examinations are being planned in Alaska to fill postmaster vacancies at Gakona, Galena, Holy Cross, King Cove, Pelican, Platinum, Point Hope, and Yakutat.