

Virginia's New Solon Not Orator But Gets Results

By FRANK E. TAYLOR
 WASHINGTON—At the age of 18 Thomas G. Burch decided to give up a job to become his own boss.

Now at the age of 77 he is climbing a career of working for many "bosses" by serving as the newly appointed Democratic senator from Virginia until the November general election.

The quiet, unassuming man who succeeded the late Senator Carter Glass to the Senate May 31 worked up as his own boss from a small insurance business into varied activities of banking, farming, real estate and manufacturing.

As a public servant he served as mayor of his home town of Martinsville, Va., and for 15 years as a U. S. representative before becoming a member of the Senate.

Behind-Scenes Worker
 Burch typifies the conservative philosophy to which most Virginia members of Congress have held during his terms of office. He is content to be a behind-the-scenes worker in Congress.

He seldom makes speeches but has a notable record in steering through legislation on which he has worked. He has served as a leader in fights to prevent pyramiding taxes on tobacco. As a member, and later chairman of the House Post Office Committee he sponsored much of the progressive postal service legislation. In 1944 he saw through a seven-year fight to bring about postal service economies, including the placing of fourth class postmasters on a salary basis.

He served for years as chairman of the Fifth District Democratic Congressional Committee and was a leader in bringing about changes in Virginia state government.

In this latter work he served with his close friend—and now his colleague in the Senate—Harry Flood Byrd, then governor, was aided by Burch in gaining approval of a pay-as-you-go road plan and a program designed to give more efficiency in state government.

Reedsport Rodeo Dates Announced

REEDSPORT—In a meeting with the Coos County Posse and others interested, the Reedsport Division of the Douglas County Sheriff's Posse has decided to hold a rodeo here, July 29 to 31.

The decision was reached after production of a rodeo had been abandoned, due to unsatisfactory arrangements with a rodeo stock company for a date previously scheduled.

Arrangements had been made for at least three rodeo shows in Coos County, and a conference of all coast cities resulted in the Coos County horsemen joining with the Reedsport Posse for a show here.

Reedsport Votes Bonds to Enlarge School Building

REEDSPORT—Voters of the local grade school district Monday voted 57 to 21 a bond issue of \$42,000 for addition of four rooms to the present high school building for grade school purposes. Voters also approved transfer of \$5,000 from the general fund to the building fund for school building and maintenance purposes by a vote of 73 to 4.

Hermann Husen, who has been serving as a member of the school board under appointment, was elected to succeed himself by a vote of 59.

Reason the new building will be attached to and become a part of the high school building, is that the high school districts of the lower Umpqua Valley west of, and including, Scottsburg, have become consolidated, and it is the intention of the high school district to erect a building of its own in the near future, since the present high school building is the property of the Reedsport grade school district and will later be used as a grade school, and the old wooden grade school building abandoned.

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Better Livestock Sanitary Control In Oregon Sought

By PAUL W. HARVEY, Jr.
 SALEM, Ore.—(AP)—State Agriculture Director E. L. Peterson announces his department is launching a new program to bring about better livestock sanitary control.

This program, which has been the work of many months of studying legal codes, will be accomplished through more complete enforcement of laws on livestock auction sales stables, livestock peddler markets, Bang's disease and tuberculosis.

Under the program, sales stables must meet sanitation regulations before being licensed. All cattle moving through these establishments will have to be tested for Bang's disease and tuberculosis.

Peddler markets and individuals selling cattle also must provide health certificates for each animal unless they are sold to licensed slaughterers.

Peterson said the testing for Bang's disease and tuberculosis is progressing in a "reasonably satisfactory manner," but he indicated that the department would expand the testing program.

Surplus Property 'Disgrace' Rapped

WASHINGTON, June 18.—(AP)—Senator Wiley (D-Wis.) today asserted that disposal of surplus property by the War Assets Administration "is a national disgrace."

"It is crying to high heaven for full exposure... and immediate correction," Wiley said in testimony before a Senate Small Business Committee, investigating surplus disposal.

"It is my belief," Wiley said, "that a worse scandal than the Teapot Dome is involved in WAA's flagrant violation of the law with respect to priorities for veterans... and educational institutions."

"These are no empty accusations or unfounded generalities," Wiley asserted, adding that he had been corresponding with Lt. Gen. E. B. Gregory, administrator of WAA, concerning "WAA's wretched handling of the disposal of surplus electronics and communication equipment."

"The substance," Wiley continued, "of my accusations against WAA can be summarized in one sentence. It is this: 'A commercial crowd has taken over WAA's electronics program and has ruthlessly operated it in a manner harmful to the best interests of our country.'"

Spud Scarcities May Occur Despite Record Production

WASHINGTON, June 17.—(AP)—There'll be more Irish 'taters in June and July than this country ever had before.

By September, the U. S. Department of Agriculture says, approximately 75,000,000 bushels of Irish potatoes will be going to markets all over the country.

But you may not be able to buy any. Some localities will suffer potato shortages from time to time, Washington experts suggested, because of the possibility of the car shortages, ice scarcity and summer showers holding up the harvest.

California accounts for about 30,000,000 bushels, which are shipped under refrigeration to prevent spoilage.

But, potatoes from the southeast are shipped without refrigeration except in emergencies and so must move to market fast to prevent loss.

It will take 85,000 cars to ship potatoes this year from the south and west, 27,000 cars in June alone, agriculture officials said.

In July trucks will take over much of the potato load, when 'taters move out of North Carolina and from northern producing states.

Only the best potatoes will get to dining tables. The low grades, they said, will be fed to cattle.

Independence Planned for India Spells End of Rule by Most of Parasitical Princes

By DeWITT MacKENZIE
 AP Foreign Affairs Analyst

India's some 600 ruling princes—comprising, at a guess, the vast majority of the world's supply of such bejeweled anachronisms—are heading for a tremendous shake-up under the program for Indian independence and it won't be surprising if five-sixths of them don't survive the ordeal.

Pandit Nehru, president elect of the All-India Congress and next to Mahatma Gandhi the most powerful figure in the country, called during the weekend in no uncertain terms for democratization of the native states within the federal government which is projected. That is, Nehru demands that the rule of the principalities be transferred from the autocratic princes to the people.

This apparently doesn't preclude the retention of a prince as head of state if his people want him. However, he will be merely a nominal ruler instead of having the power of life and death over his subjects, as many of the petty sovereigns have. Moreover—and this is the real catch—hundreds of the principalities are so small that they are hardly worthy of the designation, and these may be amalgamated into provinces which will pension off the princes and thus end their rule.

Top Bigwig Friend of Poor
 It's an interesting commentary of the change which has come over India, that Nehru should challenge the princes. He himself is a Brahmin aristocrat of aristocrats among the Hindus. Yet this blueblood, who was educated at Harrow and Cambridge University in England, is battling for the rights of the common folk of his country.

Of course one can name maharajahs who have been real benefactors to their people. I've been the guest of some of them in their palaces and have observed their fine work. For the most part, however, the princes through the centuries have lived

on the best interests of our country." Gregory, who preceded Wiley as a witness, had acknowledged that he was "not altogether satisfied" with certain phases of the disposal program and said that "necessary corrective steps" are being taken to speed up sales.

It is estimated that 3,000,000 persons throughout the world die of malaria annually.

The story of Robinson Crusoe was based on the actual adventures of Alexander Selkirk, who spent four years on an island off the coast of Chile.

Azalea
 Mr. and Mrs. Donald Johnston and their daughter, Judy, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Stanley, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Doyen and daughter spent Thursday at Bandon, and Crescent City.

Mrs. William Jantzer and son, Billie, and Mrs. Henry Coyle spent Monday in Grants Pass.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Jantzer and their sons, Johnnie and Glen, and Mrs. Clarence Nye spent Decoration Day at Prospect.

Bud Curtis visited over the weekend in Ashland with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Helms shopped in Canyonville Tuesday.

Mrs. Emma Harrell visited relatives in Cottage Grove several days last week.

Stanley Jantzer and Bud Curtis spent Monday at Rock Creek where they go a truckload of sawmill machinery.

Dick Derrig will soon have his sawmill operating again after moving it from Cow Creek to Starveout Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. James Pickett, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. Jean Pickett spent Saturday and Sunday here visiting at the J. R. Pickett home.

Billie Lapp of Coos Bay arrived here Monday and will spend the summer with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gaeckle.

Mr. and Mrs. John Jantzer, Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Jantzer and daughter, Elaine, shopped and attended to business in Roseburg Saturday.

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