

### Loan Limit Is Sought

SALEM — An increase from \$6000 to \$6000 in the Oregon veterans' loan act for the acquisition of farms or homes, and loans made under the federal veterans' loan guarantee provisions will be submitted to the legislature this winter, Director George E. Sandy of the department of veterans' affairs disclosed early this week.

would, according to the proposed amendment prepared by Sandy's department from resolutions that were adopted last summer at the state conventions of the three leading organizations:

1. Permit use of the loan to pay for material and labor for new dwellings and garages, new farm buildings and fences, or for repairing or remodeling the same.
2. Remove authority for foreclosures and the liquidation of properties thus acquired, from the state land board and place it with the director of veterans' affairs.
3. Permit the widow of a veteran who had died after being approved for a loan, to succeed to his loan right, or to continue payment on his loan without any change in the interest rate, provided her husband died during the time of making re-payment.
4. Prevent attachment by the creditors of any "right, payment or proceeds" of any such loan.
5. Increase the interest rate from four per cent to five per cent should the veteran transfer his property to anyone outside his immediate family who is not a qualified veteran.
6. Require the director of vet-

erans' affairs to keep up the taxes on the veterans' mortgaged property, by providing for an additional amount to be added to the purchasers' regular installments.

Sandy said most of the proposals came from resolutions, all passed by the American Legion department convention at Portland last September, including the increase to \$6000, the transfer of appraisal rights, and the state loan under the GI bill. The Disabled American Veterans and Veterans of Foreign Wars had passed similar resolutions, except that both these groups have asked that the loan be raised to \$10,000.

To lend money under the GI guarantee, the state would first require the veteran to submit a letter stating that he could not obtain the loan from a "recognized regular lending agency."

### History of '60th' Available To Public

SALEM—Free copies of the official regimental history of the 60th Infantry Regiment, in which a considerable number of Oregon men served during the recent war, will be made available to all members and former members

upon request, it was announced Saturday by Governor Snell, at the request of the regimental historian.

Director George E. Sandy of the state department of veterans' affairs, commending upon the announcement, said the history "should be a proud testimonial to the men, living and dead, who fought with this colorful regiment."

The nearest of kin of men who

were killed in action with the 60th Regiment are also entitled to receive free copies, the governor said.

Those who wish copies of the history are asked to write to: Regimental Historian, 60th Infantry Regiment, APO 9, care of Postmaster, New York, N. Y.

Governor Snell urged that all Oregonians eligible to receive the free histories write for them.

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*One of the best ways to catch cold is to hunt bear.*

The other evening, that was before the warm spell, we forgot and left the broom leaning up against the thermometer. It was so cold that next morning that the mercury had run half-way down the broom handle.

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