Boiling Point of Legislative Action Arrives; Controversial Bills Are Up

(By Vernon Williams)

STATE HOUSE, Salem, Feb. 17—The boiling point of legislative activities arrived this week and hit both the house and the senate with a real bang. Trucks, wine, small loans, taxes, fish and several other controversial measures made their appearance on the floor of both houses, which caused much oratory and close voting. These bills had been slumbering in committees ever since the first part of the session, and all came out with divided reports. The truck bill, which would increase weights and lengths, came before the house with an almost evenly divided report for and against. The railroads and railroad brotherhoods have fought the bill to a standstill. Over in the senate the Burke wine bill and Senator Chessman's fish bill are causing the boys to get all lathered up. The Bull small loans bill, which would cut interest rates from 3 per cent to 1½ per cent per month, has caused the loan sharks and the hock shop gents no end of worry. The familiar three balls that usually dangle in front of a hock shop means two to one you won't get it out, and it's almost a two to one bet this meritorious bill will fail to pass because of the strong small loans lobby which has been working against it.

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House bill No. 315, introduced by the committee on assessment and taxation but in reality a measure which was drafted by the state tax commission, takes a real sock at all classes of farmers. As the law now stands, farm crops are assessed at their true cash value as of January 1 each year and provides that many classes of crops shall not be assessed if they were actually sold, warehoused or in transit on or before April 30 of the assessment year. The amended bill, if passed, would deprive the farmer of the April 30 deadline to sell or transport his crops and change that date to January 1. Since Washington has a law similar to the present Oregon law, adoption of the proposed bill would result in diverting shipment of large quantities of farm and orchard products from Oregon to Washington ports. Another argument being urged against H. B. 315 is the fact that government crop loans, generally, are due in April or May and farmers have been advised to hold their grain until that time. Compliance with this government request would, under the proposed measure, impose an added tax burden on the farmer.

Local Plants Aid Nation's War Effort

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plained, and during that war it was only a third of what it is now with food inspection being only a minor activity. The prime work of the corps now is food inspection.

William Joos of the Maling Plant, who was program chairman, said that in 1942 30 to 35 per cent of the pack of the local plant was for the armed forces while on a number of items in 1943 100 per cent of the pack will go to the fighting men. A total of 50 per cent of the 1943 pack will go to the armed services, he said.

Business Men Talk

J. W. Kelley, Lester Ireland and J. H. Garrett gave short talks about their recent trips. Kelley said transportation was a big problem in Phoenix, Ariz., where he has been for several months with Mrs. Kelley and her mother, Mrs. English. The different crops there interested him particularly. He said cotton was an important crop there.

Ireland, who with Mrs. Ireland was on a marketing trip to California, was on the murder train in January and told of the excitement and delay brought about by the crime. He said all people on the train were questioned. A big dairy industry meeting was attended in Los Angeles with his brother, Arthur, of Greenville. The local business man said that a nephew, son of his borther John in Los Angeles, was an army flier at Manila, P. I., and has not been heard of since the Japanese invasion. Butter was scarce and living costs high. In San Francisco to buy for the local store, Ireland reported that there seemed to be plenty of goods the opening day but that it was all sold out by night, most of it for November and December delivery. Business for 1942 was described by the local merchant as being exceptionally good and with 1943 starting out even better.

J. H. Garrett, who returned Sunday night from a buying trip to St. Louis, reported opportunities for buying better than expected, but the longer he was there the more convinced he was that it was a good thing to make the trip. He declared that if a person hasn't a pretty good reason for traveling, they had better stay home. "When you see other parts of the country, you realize that all the troubles are not in Hillsboro," he said. Garrett reported a temperature drop in 24 hours in St. Louis from 73 to 8 above.

The Buster Brown Shoe Store, Eric Marggi, proprietor, was announced as a new member.

No luncheon meeting will be held Monday on account of its being Washington's birthday.

Whoozinit

(Not necessarily news)

V. W. Gardner enjoying the sunshine . . . **H. H. Stannard** repairing his porch . . . **Al Schulmerich** "demanding" a double chocolate soda as "blackmail" from **Violet Vanderschuere** . . **Tommy Frantz** complaining about the heat . . . **Pete Kalkwarf** going down Main street with an armload of meat . . . **Christine Foster** telling about the editor making paper rabbits at Sunday school primary class.

Mrs. Oren Shuman and **Mrs. Virgil McCormick** taking their babies for a stroll . . . **Willene Kerkman** getting acquainted with busses . . . **Dr. Sullens'** alarm clock going off unexpectedly . . . . **Wilbur Dillon** stepping on a "train" at a wedding . . . . **Harley Smith** planting walnut trees.

Mrs. Otto George of the Baby Shop crying for safety pins . . . . **Mrs. L. Tucker** wishing rain could be rationed instead of sunshine . . . **"Jo" Rushlow** bowling on men's team.

Americans Battle Fiercely in Africa

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most anchor of the Germans' defensive line, capturing Voroshilovgrad and driving Nazis westward in broad retreat.

Cruiser Chicago Lost

Sea and air actions over a tenday period in the Solomons area cost the Japanese 17 ships sunk or damaged as against the loss of two American ships, the heavy cruiser Chicago and a destroyer, according to a navy communique.

"Burn and Bleed"

Prime Minister Churchill tells house of commons Axis will "burn and bleed" under a world-wide offensive plan drafted at Casablanca.

Eisenhower Full General

President Roosevelt promotes Lieutenant-General Dwight D. Eisenhower, commanding United Nations forces in North Africa, to be a full general of the United States army.

Heavy Casualties Expected

Secretary of War Stimson warns the nation that United Nations forces will soon take the offensive in "heavy fighting" and heavy casualties may be expected.

French Battleships Here

Giant French battleship Richelieu and other units of French navy from Dakar arrive in this country to undergo repairs and add to United Nations naval strength.

Ide Passes in Test For Real Estate Broker

Russel Ide of Hillsboro was included in a list of successful broker applicants in recent real estate examinations held by the state real estate examiner.

Miss Betty Black Chosen to Take Special Training

CHEHALEM MOUNTAIN—Miss Betty Black, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Black, who live in the Buck Heaven district, was one of 11 with high grades chosen from Walla Walla college to take nurses' training at the Portland sanitarium before their college course was completed. Betty had the honor of having the highest grade of all. They began training in Portland, February 2.

Bridal Shower Given

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Guenther were honored with a shower last Tuesday evening by Mrs. Frankie Shook. The gifts were presented to the newly married couple in a big valentine box. About 25 guests attended.

Road Conditions Bad

Roads here were getting almost impassable before the drying days beginning Saturday. Several loads of gravel had been dumped in the worst places, but it seemed almost to disappear.

Farmers Resume Work

Farmers began Monday taking up their plowing and seeding where it was left off when interrupted by the continuous rain followed by the snow. Potato growers are in a quandary about what to do with their undug tubers. Even if help could be procured the price of potatoes is too low to allow an even break.

Stork Shower Given

Mrs. Frankie Shook was complimented with a stork shower given by the Buck Heaven Variant club at the home of Mrs. Ira G. McCormick Thursday. Mrs. Ansel Tykeson had charge of a number of contests including acting out nursery rhymes, an alphabetic list of girls and boys names and tearing out lines of chickens from sheets of newspaper without a pattern. After the games, the honor guest opened her gifts which were heaped high on a large table.

Members of the Fir Grove ladies social club attended the wedding Sunday of Miss Verna Dillon and Earl Baker at the Christian church in Hillsboro at 8:30 o'clock.

Returns to Service

Ensign Lloyd Guenther flew to San Diego, Cal., Saturday night after a two weeks' furlough.

F. F. Shuck of Yamhill came Sunday to help his son Tom build fence and plant a walnut orchard.

Several new cases of measles have broken out in the Mountain Top school. Robert Ornduff is the last one reported.

Club Has Party

Mrs. Eric Johnson was hostess Sunday evening for a Buck Heaven Variant club card party.

57th Anniversary Noted

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. McInnis' 57th wedding anniversary slipped by without any unusual celebration. They were married at Farmington, February 8, 1886.

Birthday Honored

Kenneth McInnis was honored with a guinea fowl birthday dinner Sunday, given by his sister, Mrs. Alice Painter. Covers were laid for 16.

Mrs. J. E. Simpson went to Newberg Saturday for several days' stay with a daughter, Mrs. Ray Dotson, and to help care for her new granddaughter.

Riley Roub Heads Social Club Officers

DIXIE MOUNTAIN—The Dixie Mountain Social club, recently organized, has elected the following officers: Riley Roub, president; D. E. Morey, vice-president; Mrs. William Prather, secretary; Mrs. Fred Grant, treasurer; steering committee, Mrs. D. E. Morey, William Prather, Dick Jacober and Robert Roub. Meeting dates are second and fourth Fridays at the Grange hall.

Chad and Clinton Carrico, Donald Prather, and June Pugh, all have the measles.

Returns From Hospital

Mrs. Fred Grant was brought home Sunday from Smith hospital.

Miss Elsie Nelson, student at the Christian College at Eugene, was a week-end visitor at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Nelson.

Vicitors at the Parmele home last week were Mrs. Hal Smith and son Ward of Seattle, Wash., and P. F. C. James M. Parmele of Fort Lewis.

Registration Set At Shute School

SHUTE—The Shute district school house will be open every afternoon next week from 3:30 to 6 o'clock for registration for war ration book No. 2.

Farmington Man Honored on Sunday

FARMINGTON—The Ed Boge family celebrated Mr. Boge's 77th birthday anniversary Sunday with a dinner party at the Boge home here.

Mrs. Eda Boge was the chairman in charge of the registration of fuel oil at the local school Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. Mrs. M. H. McRae and Mrs. Edgar Rehse assisted.

Cecil Boge, who is stationed at Fort Lewis, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Boge.

Dilley Farmer Buried Sunday

Funeral services were held Sunday at Forest Grove Undertaking chapel for Alvin Monroe Leach, 73, of Dilley, who died Friday after an illness of five years. Interment was at Forest View cemetery, Forest Grove, with Rev. Yarnes officiating.

He is survived b his wife, Molly of Dilley; three children, Edwin of Medford, Alvin of Corvallis, Hazel Erickson of Portland; three stepchildren, Mrs. Roy Russell of Yamhill, Pearl Wilkes of Dilley, William Wilkes of Forest Grove; and a brother, Henry of Tillamook.

He was born at Nottaway, Mo., May 26, 1869, and was married to Molly Wilkes on May 24, 1919. He came to Oregon 69 years ago.

All Invited at Orenco

ORENCO—Parents and friends are invited to the tea to be given by the teachers at the school Friday, February 19, from 1 to 3.

Odell Brandaw has been ill with flu for two weeks and unable to work at the shipyard.

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SAFEWAY Homemakers' Guide

Ways to make your meat go further

Making that quota of meat stretch to take care of all those meals is a new experience for most homemakers. But there are so many ways to make that portion of meat go a little further without loss of taste appeal or sacrifice of nourishment, that it isn't really such a problem after all.

Supplementing Meats with other protein foods is one of the easiest ways of adhering to the quota. Try serving a half a portion of meat, and adding some other protein food such as cheese, eggs, beans, whole grain cereals, pastes or nuts. Nutritionally speaking, you've sacrificed nothing. As for satisfyingly good meals, your family will welcome the change.

MEAT SHORTCAKE—Combine small pieces of precooked meat, any kind is right, in gravy made from drippings or in a cream sauce that has been spiked with a dash of meat sauce. Serve it over piping hot biscuits made from enriched flour. Try it over mashed or baked potatoes or steamed rice, too. It's a way to stretch a little bit of meat a long, long way. And to make the meat go still further, add grated or cubed cheese or chopped, hard-cooked eggs to the sauce. It's got lip-smacking goodness.

PASTES TO THE RESCUE—Combine meats with noodles, spaghetti, macaroni, or one of the other pastes in casserole dishes to make a little go a long way. Any kind of meat including vitamin-rich liver, heart and kidney can be used.

CHILI—No doubt about it, chili is a hearty dish. If you've been used to making it using only beef as the meat, then change your style and use any of the other meats or fowl that are available. Not much is needed because the beans contribute a share of the protein.

RICE CASSEROLES—A little meat goes twice as far when fixed in rice dishes. Cheese, rice and meat are a happy combination, and there's rib-sticking qualities there, too.

NEW ISSUE OF THE FAMILY CIRCLE EVERY TUESDAY
For hints on new combinations and ideas to use in making salads when the old standbys are scarce, read Julia Lee Wright's article, "When Salad Makings are Scarce" in this week's Family Circle Magazine.

Safeway Homemakers' Bureau
JULIA LEE WRIGHT, Director

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Tip No. 1— Compare food prices so that you may be sure of getting the most in quality and quantity for your money. Paying more than you need to is wasteful. In comparing values, be sure to check the weights on packages.

Tip No. 2— Buy only what your family needs over a reasonable period of time so that all of it will be consumed—none spoil or be thrown away.

Tip No. 3— Make it your business to understand "ceiling prices." The ceiling prices of one store may be lower than those of another—on the same items. Buy where ceiling prices are lowest

Tip No. 4— Always read the labels, directions and recipes on cans and packages. The producer knows more about his product than anyone else, and this information can be valuable in suggesting many ways to save.

Tip No. 5— Switch more of your food purchases to fresh fruits and vegetables and other fresh goods. Doing this will save more canned and packaged foods for the armed forces.

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Dried Prunes 4-lb. pkg. 39c
Peas, Gardenside No. 303 can 10c
Tomatoes, Sea Rock No. 2½ 15c
Cut Beans, Santiam No. 2 can 17c
Corn, whole kernel No. 2 can 14c
Country Home
Chicken-Noodle Soup can 14c
Campbell
Soup Mix, Minute Man 3 pkgs. 25c
Tomato Juice 46-oz. can 21c
Sunny Dawn
Apple Juice 2 for 25c
Nu West. 12-oz. bottles

Cottage Cheese, Kraft pt. cup 22c
Soda Crackers 2-lb. pkg. 31c
Snowflakes
Nabisco Shreddies pkg. 12c
Enriched Bread 1½-lb. loaf 12c
Julia Lee Wright
Baby Foods, Heinz can 7c
Shrimp, medium, wet. No. 1 can 29c
Dunbar
Mayonnaise, Nu-Made pt. bot. 25c
Mayonnaise, Kraft pt. jar 31c
Cranberry Sauce 17-oz. can 15c
Ocean Spray
Vinegar, Cider, white qt. bot. 17c
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