

Patterson Talks on State Finances at Meeting Here

If business stays at the present level and income tax revenues continue at the same rate the state will get through the next biennium with a cushion of approximately \$15 million to ease the burden of new taxes, declared Senator Paul Patterson in speaking on the legislative session at the Rotary club luncheon Thursday. It was pointed out that Oregon is not hit as hard in per capita taxes as Washington and California.

Both the outgoing and incoming governors recommended that corporate and personal income tax revenues be used to meet state needs according to Patterson, who pointed out that the budget call for an expenditure of approximately \$1.5 billion exclusive of building investments. Two years from now we will probably find that we are broke and the next two years will likely be chaos, he said.

Stoppage Program

The tax committee was credited with doing a thorough job, but it is nothing but a stopgap measure, new taxes were taken into consideration, according to Patterson, who held that we must either quit spending or get next year's budget. \$40,000,000 was taken from corporate and personal income tax funds to pay state expenses with 60 per cent of it being from personal income taxes. He said there was a moral question as to whether the legislature had the right to take personal income tax revenues to cause the measure was passed by the people as a property tax off-set.

Much of the impact of the large budget increase due to public assistance, including old age pensions, and all governmental costs, it was pointed out. Every time we build a new building or take on new services demanded by the people, state government costs go up, the senator explained.

Patterson asserted that all the people should know the whole picture. Public assistance budget two years ago was \$14 million while this year a total of \$60 million was asked. This was cut back to \$25 million, which is \$11 million more than two years ago of which the state share is \$3,000,000 and \$7 million from the federal and county levels.

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acted on by the committee, it was stressed.

Senator Patterson said the Republican party had nothing to be ashamed of in its record at the legislature in spite of efforts of the Democrats to make it an 60th congress.

Mervin Brink extended an invitation to the Rotarians to hold a joint meeting with the Lions club to hear Dr. Harry Means, Crooks of Hood River.

Harry Seabold was program chairman. Charles Hoenacker reported on school activities.

A dinner meeting for Rotarians and their wives will be held at Laurel next Thursday night.

Governor Sets Tourist Host Week May 2-8

That the tourist business in Oregon may be recognized as one of the growing industries of the state, Governor Douglas McKay has designated the week of May 2 through 8 as Tourist Host Week. The Oregon Advertising club, through its Tourist Promotion committee, is coordinating a statewide program for observance of this week under the direction of Jack Matlack, general chairman of the committee.

W. W. Winans, local chamber of commerce secretary, has been named as Tourist Host week chairman for the Hillsboro area.

The Ad club is sponsoring a tourist week caravan, with the world-famous Commander Scott of radio fame as featured speaker to visit 11 Oregon cities. Another phase of the tourist program will be the release of 15-minute transcriptions featuring the Portland Symphonic choir to be played on all Oregon radio stations during the week. Window cards, banners and other display materials have been prepared by the Ad club to publicize Tourist Host week. The importance of courteous service, accurate information and good accommodations for tourist guests is being emphasized, according to Laurie Ross, Ad club president.

In proclaiming Tourist Host week, Governor McKay states its purpose is to better inform employers and members of their organization of their responsibilities in helping our guests enjoy Oregon, thereby adding materially to the immediate wealth of the state, as each tourist will be desirous of staying in Oregon longer. A second point is to see that each personal contact with tourists makes them realize that we are their friends and that we invite them to come again and again to Oregon.

The tourist business as has been shown us in the past is a big business. We have a fine record thus far. Let us put forth extra effort this year to keep it so. Let us all dedicate ourselves to building tourist goodwill in 1949 and in the years to come.

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THE CITY LEAGUE bowling team went to this Perfection Bakery team, which topped the standings in both halves of play. From left—R. A. Peters, Howard Webb, Frank Doherty, Bill Goetter and Harold Spear. (Argus photo by Walt McKinney)

Club Choses Flowers for Year; Officer Election Set Next Meet

By Mrs. Gertrude Pearson

CEDAR MILL — Oriental poppies were chosen as club flowers for the next garden club year by members Wednesday afternoon at a regular garden club meeting in the grange hall. A suggestion from each member for next year's program is to accompany roll call at the May meeting. Mrs. L. S. Uppinghouse stated that home grounds beautification committee would call on entrants of the contest during the next month. She asked those not already doing so to turn in pictures of their gardens. Mrs. Peter Hohnstein reported on the national convention agenda which will be held in Portland May 22 to May 26. Agreeing to help make covered wagon favors for the convention were Mrs. H. A. Ward, Mrs. L. W. Kingsley and Mrs. F. R. Young. Mrs. A. R. Pearson, secretary, and Mrs. E. V. Love, treasurer, agreed to a club project to furnish corsages. Clubs may register under a new decision on payment of a \$30 registration fee before May 1. The registration will be interchangeable as long as only one member at a time attends.

Selected by the nominating committee as nominees for the next year's officers were: Mrs. L. S. Uppinghouse, president; Mrs. Clarence Leuthold, vice-president; Mrs. L. W. Kingsley, secretary; and Mrs. E. V. Love, treasurer. Election will be held at the May meeting. A potluck luncheon at 12 o'clock will begin the May meeting program.

Flower Show Plans Made

Plans for the garden club flower show were announced with the schedule being received with suggested changes made. Mrs. Peter Hohnstein, general show chairman, announced committee chairmen as follows: Mrs. W. A. Holley, staging; Mrs. L. S. Uppinghouse, schedule;

Mrs. G. C. Haskins, entry; Mrs. Kenneth Kroch, classification; Mrs. E. V. Love, publicity; Mrs. L. W. Kingsley, placing; Mrs. W. I. Heinrichs, hospitality; Mrs. Frank R. Young, educational; Mrs. A. R. Pearson, junior division; Mrs. R. N. Torbet, awards; and Mrs. James Walters, guest registration.

Guest speaker was H. H. Porter, a member of the chrysanthemum society with "Chrysanthemums" as his topic. Emphasis was placed on the value of the Early English varieties in the garden. Divisions for cuttings were demonstrated with step by step suggestions for growing being given.

During the afternoon a plant and shrub sale was held to benefit the club treasury.

Last Study Club Meet Set

The last in a series of study club meetings on Social Hygiene sponsored by the PTA will be held Monday, May 2, at 8 p.m. at the school. Mrs. Wilbur Falloun will again be on hand to conduct the meeting.

Cub pack No. 207 enjoyed a series of games in connection with its pack meeting Friday evening at the school. Skills by two of the dens were offered as entertainment.

Mrs. V. C. Miner, Mrs. Jack Mutchler, Mrs. Lloyd Woodell and Mrs. Henry Bastian were among a group of 100 going by chartered bus to the Wind Mountain Girl Scout camp Friday. They report a splendid camp site. Building construction has been started but as yet no buildings are completed. Tents will be used for camping this summer.

County Budget Approved

The vote on the county rural school board budget was 59 yes and 1 no at the budget election held Monday, April 18 at the school.

Grange To Sponsor Scholarship

Leedy Grange will sponsor a scholarship to 4-H summer school for a local girl or boy according to a decision made at a regular

grange meeting Wednesday evening. This is the third organization in the community to furnish a scholarship fund.

Several members of the Cedar Mill Extension unit were in attendance at the Homecoming Spring festival in Hillsboro Friday. The Cedar Mill unit was responsible for floral decorations at the festival.

Guests of the James Walters during the early part of last week were their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. James A. Walters of Alhambra, Cal. A dinner party in their honor Wednesday evening at the Walters home, included another out-of-state guest, Mrs. Dorothy Cook of San Francisco.

Arriving from Eugene Wednesday evening were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Judge and daughter, Dianna. Mrs. Judge, the former Barbara Walters, came to see her brother.

Anderson Injured

Roy Anderson is reportedly in a critical condition following a skull fracture suffered April 16 when a tree fell on him while working at the Middleton project, southwest of Cedar Mill.

Rally Planned Friday

An ABC Girl Scout-Brownie rally will be held April 29 at 7:30 p.m. at Beaverton grade school. Cedar Mill Brownie and scout troops will participate. Parents are invited to attend.

Mrs. Voss was honored by her

neighbors with visits on her birthday, Saturday. Each year on her birthday anniversary, her daughter-in-law, Mrs. William Voss, holds open house for her, inviting friends and neighbors to attend.

Executive board for PTA met Monday afternoon in the school cafeteria. Plans for father's night and pot-luck dinner meeting on May 3, were discussed. Graduation, the school picnic and open house plans were discussed. Mr. and Mrs. Rose Bruce, C. W. Phinney and Jack Mutchler were named in charge of entertainment.

Whoozinitis

(Not necessarily news)

Dr. D. W. Byrd protesting after Chuck Hornecker saying Rotary lunch cured a toothache. Jack Siegrist getting a charity horse. Ernie Martz charging at umpire Kenny Cruse not knowing his own address.

Margaret Munford using field glasses to watch her husband pitch the first ball at Cornellus. Bob Ley avoiding eating pickled herring. Bert Church impersonating a "cousin" at Marion Simantel making curtains for Imperial Feed recreation room.

Bernie Seus having a private parking place. Vernice Gibbons going to church on standard time. Ed Wells and Norma Jean Lattimer surprising their friends. The Grange Ladies modeling hats.

Walt Fraser having lots of help cutting down a tree. Alfonso Maes doing some high climbing. Gene Olsen receiving a kiss—almost for a "cousin" growing a mustache (?). Elva Hatchelar starting a political campaign. Bob Miller keeping baseball score for first time.

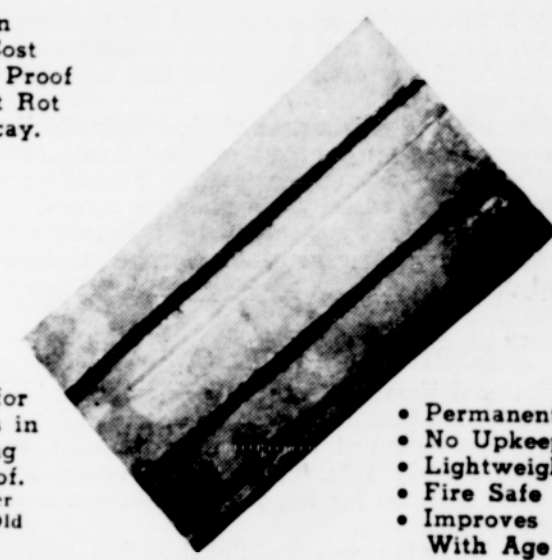
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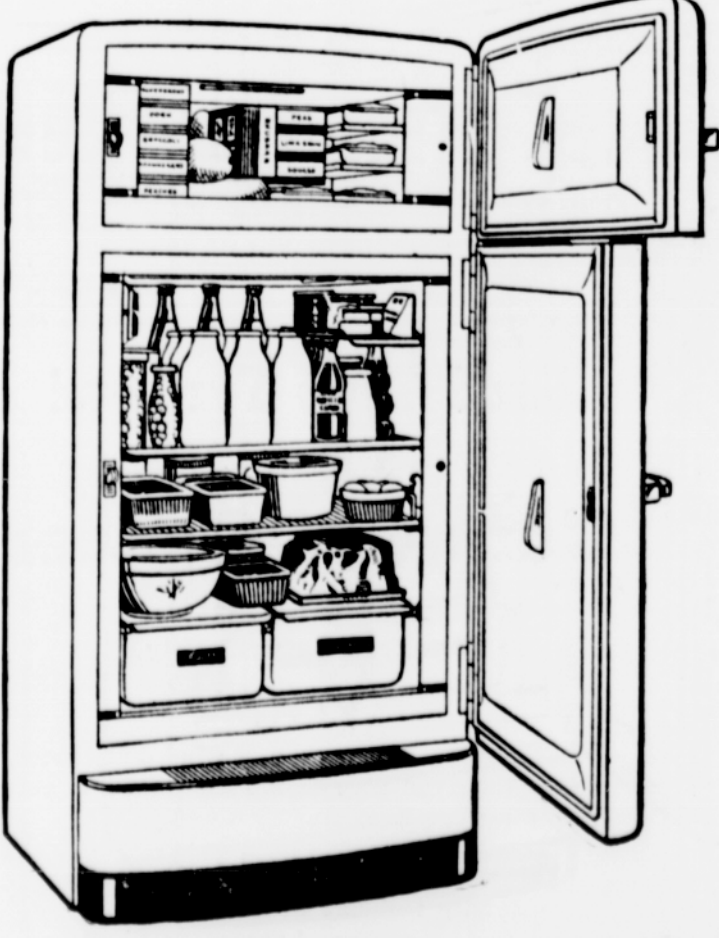
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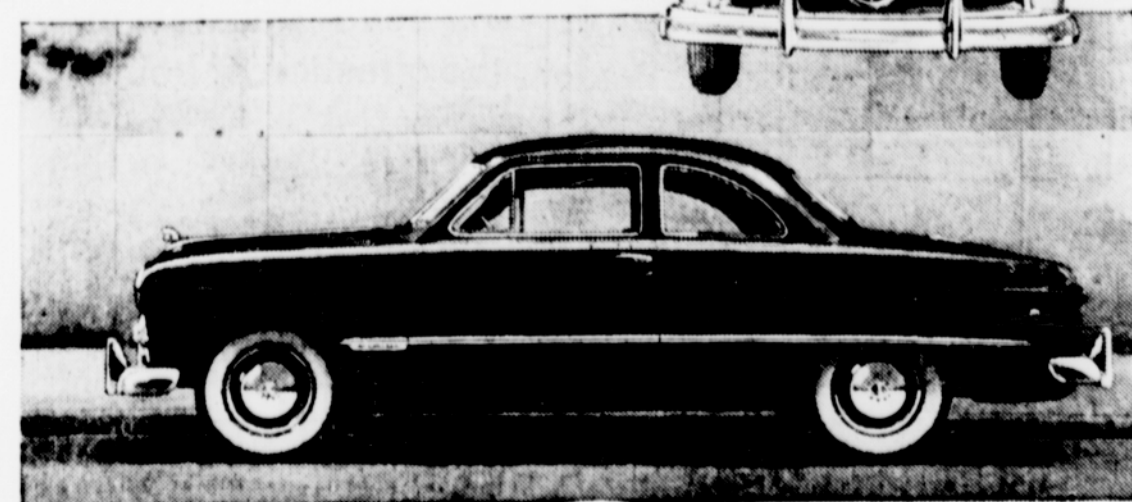
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