

VETERANS' AID PASSES SENATE

Action Flouts Warning of President; Modifying Clause Defeated

WASHINGTON, June 23.—(AP)—Ignoring presidential objections, the senate today passed the veterans' relief bill after rejecting amendments designed to reduce the expenditures it would require.

President Hoover had warned if the measure were passed in this form it implied "positive increase of taxation at the next session of congress."

Read, republican, Pennsylvania, had offered an amendment which he said would cut the necessary expenditures from \$102,000,000 to \$55,000,000 but this was beaten without a record vote.

The bill, a modification of the measure passed by the house, liberalizes existing law by providing a presumption of service connection for disabilities acquired prior to January 1, 1930, and adds a long list of new diseases for classification as of service origin. It also provides a compensation of \$3 a month for veterans while receiving hospital treatment for non-service disabilities and \$10 a month for their wives and \$6 for each child. Its first year's added cost is estimated at \$102,000,000.

The vote was 66 to 6.

CENTRAL OREGON'S ADVANCE PREDICTED

A main line railroad through central Oregon is the greatest single gain resultant from the \$14,000,000 extension of the Great Northern into California in the opinion of William P. Ellis, local rate expert. For years this section of the state has suffered from inadequate rail facilities and these will now be provided, Ellis declares.

Feeder lines from territories which can produce tonnage are inevitable after a main line is built, Ellis said Monday in outlining additional development. He believes that the feeder lines will come into western Oregon thus providing new tonnage for the Great Northern.

"I wrote a brief of considerable length on the benefits to be gained from the extension," Ellis said when asked to summarize his views regarding the development now allowed under the interstate commerce commission's ruling. "I could talk for hours on advantages to accrue to Oregon from the improvement. You will see competition for freight and passenger business never engaged in before."

RAIL COMPETITION VIEWED FAVORABLY

A competitive railroad situation which will mean much to western Oregon is soon to be in existence in the opinion of K. James Knickerbocker, chairman of the traffic division of the Eugene chamber of commerce.

Knickerbocker's statement, sent to Salem, points out the lack of competition in former years in western Oregon rail service. He thinks the Great Northern entering the San Francisco area will mean better passenger service to and from the south and marked reduction in rates.

"When the new line is completed," Mr. Knickerbocker says, "the people of Oregon will begin to realize what transportation service is. With the two lines in competition, Oregon can look forward to the great period of growth in her history."

PUPILS TRANSPORT FIGURES DUE SOON

Some interesting figures will be forthcoming shortly from the county school superintendent's office, where district reports on the cost of transporting students to high school are being compiled.

The past year is first in which the transportation law has been effective, and the total amount which has been spent in the county in compliance with it is as yet unknown. The county school superintendent last fall made an estimate of the cost this being in the amount of \$40,000, or \$4.40 per pupil. Cost in this instance is born by the district from which the pupils come and is paid to the district which they attend through the agency of the superintendent. The accounts from each district, which had transportation pupils in attendance must go before the district boundary board before the claims are allowed.

Haysville Folk Visit Friends

HAYSVILLE, June 23.—Mrs. Albert Stettler and Mrs. Robin Day spent Saturday visiting friends in Portland.

Parents—Grandparents



Col. and Mrs. Lindbergh, Mrs. Lindbergh, Sr., and Ambassador and Mrs. Dwight Morrow, proud and happy over arrival of the Lindbergh heir.

Ida Denny was elected as clerk.

Mrs. Charles Reed of this place and Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Pruitt of Salem attended the Junior Artisan convention in Portland Saturday.

Ernel Reed spent Sunday in Brownsville and the Oregon Packing Co. of Salem.

Frank Pitts took several of the Junior Artisan delegates to Portland Saturday to attend the convention.

Mrs. C. W. Reed was a Portland visitor last week.

SPECIAL ROOMS DO GOOD WORK, CLAIM

Fifteen of the boys and girls enrolled in the special rooms in Salem schools the past year will be in regular class work when school opens next fall, according to the annual report of E. A. Miller, director of the department of research and guidance, filed with the city superintendent. Thirty-eight of the 70 students in these rooms the past year will continue special work next year.

Mr. Miller recommends closing the room at Leslie this year, which means that next year special rooms will be taught in the Parrish, Grant and Richmond buildings. The past year, 23 were enrolled in Parrish, 15 at Leslie, 21 at Grant and 16 at Richmond.

"The outlook for next year is good for three rooms well filled, but transportation of just a few to Richmond from Lincoln, McKinley and Park would make the situation much better," the director says in his report.

350 PEOPLE OUT TO LUMBERMEN'S FETE

Three hundred and fifty people from all parts of the Willamette valley attended the annual summer picnic of the Lumber Dealers' association when it was held Sunday at Hazel Green park.

With an ample supply of food, a varied program of sports and pleasant weather all available for the event, a most enjoyable day was spent.

In the various sport events, the results were: Sack race—Boys under 12—1, Robert Hartman; 2, Gerald Venton. Boys' three-legged race—12 to 16—1, Gerald Venton, Don McCall; 2, Kenneth Kelly, Dale Denton. Girls' potato race—1, Ruth Young; 2, Margaret Felsing. Women's potato race—1, Irene Goyette; 2, Lucy Seaton. Sack race—200 pounds and over—1, Lowell Seaton; 2, Les Schoettler. Ladies' nail driving contest—1, Mary Denton; 2, Mrs. Vinton. Five minute tug of war, Salem against all outsiders—won by Salem. Ladies' egg rolling contest—1, Irene Goyette; 2, Miss Stener. Girls' 50-yard dash—1, Edna Jones; 2, Margaret Felsing. Men's free-for-all—1, Ray Beck; 2, Bill Watson. Deer prize of mirror won by Grace Hartman, Dallas. Ball game—Culls, 16, Knot-Holes 12. Horseshoe piling contest: Won by Spaulding 4-man team; 588; James Roney (high man), K. Biederman, Nile Hillers, Stead. Silverton's team second, 816; Neglie, Perry, Hatterberg, Hogan.

Barrels made in Arkansas, a dry state, are prized by wine dealers in the West Indies, South America and Canada.

RAIN DAMPENS HINDUS' ARDOR

Demonstrations Suspended While Monsoon Rages; Boycott Urged

BOMBAY, June 23.—(AP)—The rain which yesterday halted a nationalist demonstration has dampened the outdoor activities of Mahatma Gandhi's followers and it is understood the Bombay provincial congress committee has decided to suspend political demonstrations and similar activities while the monsoon continues.

In the meantime they will continue to boycott foreign goods and spread gospel of homespun clothing, it is learned.

Pandit Motilal Nehru, for whom the congress volunteers attempted to parade Saturday with some 500 injuries resulting, remained in Bombay today. Addressing a group of students tonight he exhorted them to "throw away your books, come out from schools and colleges and put your shoulders to the wheel to free our motherland."

Bombay as a whole remained quiet. No serious disorders were reported elsewhere but tension continued at Dacca, which more and more is becoming a deserted city. Riots between Hindus and Moslems have been frequent there of late and stabbings are common.

AQUATIC PROGRAM RESULTS ARE TOLD

Recommendation that every boy in Salem high be given a chance to learn to swim better, is contained in the report of Bob Boardman, in charge of the high school swim program the past year. The report has just been submitted to the city superintendent, and also suggests that next year separate classes be held for swimmers and non-swimmers and that a series of graded swim lessons be given.

The past year, 61 high school boys passed the Red Cross swimmer's test, earning the national badge; 27 boys were awarded the junior life saving badges and emblems. Altogether, 339 boys took the swimming lessons, with 253 of them passing the school tests.

The highest number of boys in class at any one time was 22, and the smallest class enrollment was three. Boys came on school period time for class work in swimming once a week for seven weeks. Non-swimmers were required to learn to swim 80 feet in the seven lessons, and swimmers learned to pass the Red Cross swimmer's test.

LAME BACK

ACHES, PAINS OR STIFFNESS RELIEF OVERNIGHT MIKE MARTIN'S LINIMENT DIRECTIONS WITH BOTTLE A FEW CENTS ALL DRUG STORES

State Highway Officials P'an Bridge in Coos

The state highway department is preparing plans for a bridge to be constructed by Coos county across Isthmus Slough, an arm of upper Coos Bay, at a cost of approximately \$200,000. Bonds for construction of the bridge were voted May 16, and the contract will be awarded by January 1. The state highway commission is co-operating with Coos county.

The bridge will connect Marshfield and East Side. The main span will be 160 feet in length, with approaches covering 1600 feet. Eighteen months will be required to complete the structure. The bridge ultimately will be a part of the cutoff market road between the Roosevelt highway at Marshfield and the Drain-Reedport highway at Scottsburg.

Board Approves Annexing Small Area from Linn

Petition of John Sander, Jr., and others for annexation of a small piece of a Linn county school district to the Staton school district was allowed by the Marion county board at its session yesterday morning. The change, which must be approved by the Linn county board before it becomes effective, will accommodate several Linn county families.

The Linn board will meet Saturday morning at 10 o'clock to act upon the petition, according to word received by Superintendent Mary L. Fulkerson, secretary of the Marion board. Nothing else came before the board yesterday.

NON-TAXPAYER VOTE ISSUE IS UP AGAIN

Appeal was filed in the state supreme court here Monday in a suit brought by O. O. Veatch, taxpayer of Lane county, in which he attacks the validity of an election held in Cottage Grove recently for the purpose of authorizing the funding bonds in the amount of \$25,000. The lower court held for the municipality.

The suit involves the validity of one of the Eddy acts of the 1929 legislature, which required that all persons who vote at elections involving bond issues or special tax levies shall be taxpayers. One of the Eddy acts applied to the state and its subordinate political divisions, while the other applied to municipalities.

The Eddy act relating to the state and its political subdivisions was held to be unconstitutional by the supreme court in a suit filed a few weeks ago to test the constitutionality of a bond issue involving the construction of a bridge in Multnomah county. Veatch challenges the validity of the election at Cottage Grove on the ground that persons who were not taxpayers were allowed to vote.

10 Members by Each Team is Chamber's Goal

While gratifying progress has been made in the chamber of commerce's drive for new members, the push will be kept going until each team has secured 10 new members. Such was the statement of Douglas McKay, chairman of the drive, Monday after-

Injury Escaped By Local Party In Auto Crash

LIBERTY, June 23.—(Special)—What might have been a serious accident occurred Sunday afternoon when a Dodge sedan, with four young people from Salem, left the road and went over an embankment south of Liberty.

The car rolled over three times, crashing through a fence and landing on its side in the Lone Maple prune orchard.

The car, which was quite badly damaged, was towed to town by a Salem wrecker. Aside from minor cuts and bruises the young people were not injured.

A Silver City, Ia., farmer, lost three \$20 bills while husking corn last fall. This summer, shelling the same corn, he found two of them.

HURLS FAMILY OFF CLIFF, KILLS SELF

NEW HAVEN, Conn., June 21.—(AP)—Seized with a maniacal frenzy while on an outing with his family Ramond C. Spang, 35, Ansonia, a world war veteran who escaped yesterday from a hospital for the insane, today hurled his wife and four children to their death down a 300-foot cliff, known as West Rock, and then followed in a suicidal leap.

Two hours after he had sent the family hurtling through the air Spang jumped off a ledge 75 feet below the summit to his own death. Thousands of spectators and scores of policemen and firemen saw the man leap from the ledge.

Besides Spang the victims were his wife Gertrude, 33, former school teacher, and their children Helen, 10; Lorraine, 7; Raymond, 5, and Donald, 4.

The place of the tragedy overlooks a baseball park which like the rock, is in the city park system on which groups of children were playing.

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