

Votes Reopen State Salary Issue; Jurists' Pay Addition Passes

By Wendell Webb
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The salary question of state employees in all brackets was thrown wide open Friday in two separate actions which tossed a kink in the planning of the ways and means committee and all but killed any hope of legislative adjournment next week.

In one action, the senate voted 17 to 13 to up the pay of supreme court justices from \$8,000 to \$10,000 a year, thus upsetting the ways and means committee and apparently paving the way for further action on previously-introduced salary bills for higher officials.

In the other action, the ways and means committee voted 7 to 5 to reconsider its recommendation for a \$33 monthly average pay boost for state employees, after the Marion county delegation asked that it be made effective immediately—by means of a \$65,000 appropriation to assure no employees would be discharged instead of waiting to July 1. Some committee members vigorously opposed the move, declaring they would vote only to continue the present \$30 boost if the bill came before them again.

New Controversy

Meanwhile, a new controversy was injected when the ways and means committee introduced in the house a bill to compel close relatives of pensioners to contribute to their support or face state suits. Monthly payments up to \$100 by those financially able are demanded.

The new developments came on the 82nd day of the session. A new record will be set Monday—the 85th day. The last session extended to 84.

Both the senate and house will meet today, the former facing final action on the entire tax program and the latter considering a

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Flagg Outlaws Phone Firms' Fund Transfer

Public Utilities Commissioner George H. Flagg signed an order Friday rejecting items in the 1948 and 1949 budget of the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph company which provides for payments to American Telephone and Telegraph company.

The rejected budgetary amount are \$363,000 in the Pacific company's 1948 budget and \$317,000 in the 1949 budget. The costs were to cover services rendered by the Pacific company. They were based on a percentage of gross revenue.

The PUC had held the payments should be made on an actual cost basis. License contract payments on a gross revenue basis were forbidden in January of 1948 when a partial increase in rates was allowed Pacific, Flagg said.

This order was appealed to the Marion county circuit court. Flagg demurred to the company's complaint on the grounds that the company had not yet exhausted all possibilities with the PUC. The court sustained the demurrer and sent the hearing back to the PUC.

Friday's order requires that all services needed by Pacific from American be furnished only on requisition by Pacific, and paid

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO IMPROVE MCGILCHRIST STREET FROM COMMERCIAL STREET TO HIGH STREET
Notice hereby is given that the Oregon, County of Marion, Oregon, and hereby declares its purpose and intention to improve McGilchrist street from the east line of Commercial street to the west line of High street, in the City of Salem, Marion County, Oregon, at the expense of abutting and adjacent property, except the street and alley intersections the expense of which will be assumed by the city of Salem, by bringing said portion of the street to the established grade, constructing cement concrete curbs and paving said portion of said street 34 feet wide in accordance with the plans and specifications therefor which are on file in the office of the city recorder and which by this reference thereto are made a part hereof.

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NOTICE OF INTENTION TO IMPROVE BOICE STREET FROM COMMERCIAL STREET TO ALVORADO TERRACE
Notice hereby is given that the common council of the city of Salem, Oregon, deems it necessary and expedient and hereby declares its purpose and intention to improve Boice street from the west line of Commercial street to the east line of Alvorado Terrace, in the City of Salem, Marion County, Oregon, at the expense of the abutting and adjacent property, except the street and alley intersections the expense of which will be assumed by the city of Salem, by bringing said portion of the street to the established grade, constructing cement concrete curbs and paving said portion of said street with a 21-inch asphaltic concrete pavement 30 feet wide in accordance with the plans and specifications therefor which were adopted by the common council March 28, 1948, which are now on file in the office of the city recorder and which by this reference thereto are made a part hereof.

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for at actual cost of rendering such service.
"The fallacy of the gross revenue method is disclosed," the order reads, "when it is remembered that out of every dollar of additional net revenue which Pacific receives, 38 cents must be paid in income taxes. If Pacific needs \$100 additional net operating revenue it must collect an additional \$161.29 in order to realize \$100 net. The rate payer must pay the burden."

Harry Collins, Salem district manager of the Pacific company said Friday he did not know what the action his company planned. PUC officials however said the matter probably would be carried to the courts.

Baldock Plan Wins Backing Of Commission

(Story also on page 1)

The Baldock plan for two one-way bridges over the Willamette at Salem was approved by the Salem long range planning commission Friday night. Under the plan a new two-lane bridge at Marion street would be paired with the present Center street bridge.

The action on seven other specific matters is as follows:

1. Approved the temporary Lancaster drive bypass and later a new bypass route to divert through traffic on a highway east of the city, connecting with 99E several miles south.

2. Accepted "as a temporary expedient," until such time as an expressway through the city along the S. P. railroad mainline can be built, the use of North Summer and Chemeketa streets for inbound traffic and South and North Capitol for outbound traffic to the north.

3. Approved recommendation that South Commercial and South Liberty streets be made one-way to accommodate traffic to and from the south.

4. Recommended an alteration in the truck route across North Salem. The Baldock report had urged use of Norway and Shipping streets. City Manager Franz made further studies and, based on his report, the commission voted to recommend using Pine street from Portland road west to Liberty and Commercial streets. Pine street would have to be ex-

New York Stock Quotations

NEW YORK, April 1 (AP)—Today's closing quotations:

American Can	91	Gen Electric	37 1/2	Radio Corp	12 3/4
Am Power & Lt	9 3/4	Gen Foods	45 1/2	Rayonier	28 1/4
Am Tel & Tel	148	Gen Motors	59	Rayonier pfd	31 1/4
Anaconda	31 1/4	Goodyear Tire	43 3/4	Reynolds Met	22 1/4
Bendix Avia	34 1/4	Int Harvest	24 1/4	Richfield	28 1/4
Beth Steel	31 1/4	Int Paper	49 1/4	Safeway	19 1/4
Boeing Air	24 1/4	Kennecott	45 1/4	Sears Roeb	37 1/4
Calif Pack	12 1/4	Libby McN & L	8 1/4	So Pacific	43
Canadian Pac	34	Long Bell A	22 1/4	Studebaker	18 1/4
Case J I	57	Mont Ward	55 1/4	Sun Mining	9 1/4
Caterpillar	52 1/4	Nash Kelvin	13	Transamerica	11 1/4
Chrysler	52 1/4	Nat Dairy	29 1/4	Union Oil	30 1/4
Comwell Sou	11 1/4	N Y Central	11 1/4	Un Pacific	79 1/4
Cons Vultee	35 1/4	Northern Pac	15 1/4	Un Airlines	13 1/4
Continental Can	25 1/4	Pac Am Fish	11 1/4	U S Steel	72 1/4
Crown Zcl	25 1/4	Pac Gas Elec	31 1/4	Warner Bros	11
Curtis Wr	63 1/4	P T & T	47 1/4	Woolworth	45 1/4
Douglas Air	188 1/4	Penney J C	47 1/4		

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO IMPROVE FORD STREET FROM LEE STREET TO MISSION STREET
Notice hereby is given that the common council of the city of Salem, Oregon, deems it necessary and expedient and hereby declares its purpose and intention to improve Ford street from the south line of Lee street to the north line of Mission street, in the City of Salem, Marion County, Oregon, at the expense of the abutting and adjacent property, except the street and alley intersections the expense of which will be assumed by the city of Salem, by bringing said portion of the street to the established grade, constructing cement concrete curbs and paving said portion of said street with a 21-inch asphaltic concrete pavement 30 feet wide in accordance with the plans and specifications therefor which were adopted by the common council March 28, 1948, which are now on file in the office of the city recorder and which by this reference thereto are made a part hereof.

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tended from Cherry avenue to Portland road.
6. Endorsed the item in the Baldock report calling for further study of access of North Santiam highway (222) to Salem.
7. Recommended that adoption of the complete grid system for downtown Salem be deferred, though accepting the minimum one-way system for state highways crossing the city.

Margaret I. Webb
D.A. Webb, Margaret I. Webb, 73, a Dallas resident for 33 years, died March 28 at Walla Walla, Wash.

Services will be Saturday, April 2, at 2:30 p. m. at Henkle-Bollman chapel in Dallas with Elder Ralph Gladden officiating. Interment will be at Dallas IOOF cemetery.
She was born July 14, 1875, in Ohio and married William J. Webb who preceded her in death. In 1948 she moved to Touchet, Wash., to live with a son. Surviving are three sons, Larry, of Portland, William J. of Touchet, Wash., and G. F. Webb of Waldport; five grandchildren and five great grandchildren.

May Court at Amity Chosen

AMITY, April 1 (Special)—Members of the May court for Amity high school's celebration on May 13 were chosen this week by the classes. The queen and maid of honor will be chosen by the entire school from the senior representatives.

Chosen by the seniors as candidates were Phyllis Meeker, Phyl-

Salem Market Quotations

(As of late yesterday)

BUTTERFAT	58
Premium	57
No. 1	57
No. 2	57
PRINTS	58
Wholesale	58
EGGS (Buying)	73
(Wholesale price ranges from 8 to 11 cents over buying price.)	
Extra large AA	44
Large AA	42
Medium AA	40
Small AA	38
Pullets	30
POULTRY	30
A Leghorn hens	25
B Leghorn hens	25
C Leghorn hens	25
A Colored hens	25
B Colored hens	25
C Colored hens	25
A Colored fryers, 3 lbs. and up	18
B Colored fryers	17
C Colored fryers	17
PA old roosters	14
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LIVESTOCK by Valley Pack	24.50
Wool lambs	22.00 to 24.00
Ewes	2.00 to 11.00
Yearlings	16.00 to 18.00
At dairy cows	14.00 to 15.00
Cutter cows	10.00 to 12.50
Bulls	12.00 to 14.00
Dairy heifers	14.00 to 18.00
Calves, 300 to 450 lbs.	20.00 to 25.00
Good veal, 150 to 300 lbs.	25.00 to 28.00

Stocks and Bonds

Compiled by The Associated Press

BOND AVERAGES	20	10	10	10	10
Friday	88.8	88.8	88.8	88.8	88.8
Previous day	88.3	88.3	88.3	88.3	88.3
Week ago	88.3	88.3	88.3	88.3	88.3
Month ago	87.5	87.5	87.5	87.5	87.5
Year ago	90.3	90.3	90.3	90.3	90.3

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Notice hereby is given that the common council of the city of Salem, Oregon, deems it necessary and expedient and hereby declares its purpose and intention to improve Doughton street from the north line of Ben Vista Drive to the south line of Boyce street, in the City of Salem, Marion County, Oregon, at the expense of the abutting and adjacent property, by bringing said portion of said street to the established grade, constructing cement concrete curbs and paving said portion of said street with a 21-inch asphaltic concrete pavement 30 feet wide in accordance with the plans and specifications therefor which were adopted by the common council March 28, 1948, which are now on file in the office of the city recorder and which by this reference thereto are made a part hereof.

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Mrs. T. C. Richter is in charge of May day activities.

VOTE COUNTED IN AIRLIE
MONMOUTH, Apr. 1 (Special)—Final district vote to be received on this week's school consolidation election came from Airlie, which balloted 37 to 1 against the merger with Monmouth, Independence and six other districts.

Portland Grain

PORTLAND, April 1 (AP)—Wheat futures unquoted.
Cash grain: Oats, No. 2, 38-lb. white, 63.00.
Cash wheat (bid): Soft white 2.20; soft white (excluding red) 2.20; white club 2.20; western red 2.20.
Hard red winter: Ordinary 2.20; 10 per cent 2.20; 11 per cent 2.20; 12 per cent 2.20.
Hard white hard: Ordinary 10 per cent 2.20; 11 per cent 2.20; 12 per cent 2.20.
Today's car receipts: Wheat 108; flour 6; corn 1; oats 2; millfeed 16.

Portland Livestock

PORTLAND, April 1 (AP)—(USDA) Cattle for Friday: Salable 25; calves 10; market mostly nominal with demand narrow. For five days: Salable 1,625; calves salable 235. For week, steers salable 2,100-2,300; good choice up to 25.00 with some under 20.00; on per head basis of 128.00-140.00; common-medium heifers 18.50-23.00; good heifers 24.00; medium-good cows 18.00-20.00; old head above, canners-cutters largely 18.00-22.00; shells down to 10.00; fat dairy-type cows, few common grade 13.50-16.00; good beef bulls 22.50-23.50; old head 22.00; culled-medium steers 11.00-25.00; good choice vealers 28.00-31.50; old head 23.00; culled-medium steers 11.00-25.00.
Friday: Salable 10; market nominal. For five days: Salable 1,600; for week, market steady after losing nearly 25-30 cent gain. Good choice 180-225 lbs., 22.50-25.00; early top 24.00; heavy weight head 22.75; culled-good choice 18.00-22.00; good choice 22.00-24.00; early top 24.00; culled-medium steers 11.00-25.00; good choice vealers 28.00-31.50; old head 23.00; culled-medium steers 11.00-25.00.
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Cheese—(Selling price to Portland wholesalers): Oregon singles, 28 1/2-29 1/2; Oregon 3-lb. loaf, 41 1/2-42 1/2.
Eggs—(To wholesalers): A grade large, 48 1/2-49 1/2; A grade, medium, 46 1/2-47 1/2; B grade large, 45 1/2-46 1/2; B grade, medium, 43 1/2-44 1/2.
Live chickens—(No. 1 quality f.o.b. plants): Broilers, under 2 1/2 lbs., 30-32c; fryers, 2 1/2-3 lbs., 28-30c; 3-4 lbs., 26-28c; roasters, 4 lbs. and over, 24-26c; leghorns, 4 lbs. and under, 24-26c; all weights, 28-30c; old roosters, all weights, 18-20c lb.
Rabbits—(Average to growers): Live does, 13-lb. lb., 27-28c; 5-6 lbs., 26-27c; colored, 2 cents lower; old or heavy does, 13-lb. lb., dressed fryers to butchers, 57-60c lb.; old and heavy, 55-56c lb.
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Cows, Commercial, 438-44; utility, 439-44.
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