

Oregon's Public Health Matters Up for Discussion

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Salem, Ore., Feb. 8 (AP)—Re-vamping of the state department of public health, affecting virtually every Oregon citizen, was the proposal thrust before Oregon legislators today as a controversy which may prove to be a highlight of the 1945 session.

An interim committee report incorporated into an omnibus bill (SB89) was under advisement of the senate committee on medicine, pharmacy and dentistry after a score of witnesses last night spent three hours in sharp conflict.

There was agreement that hazardous legislation had brought complex administration over related public health activities. Beyond that, there was dispute among the factions which believe:

Factions in Dispute

1. The interim committee's program of a seven-member public health board, composed of four physicians and three laymen; tighter quarantine laws; close alliance between public health and department of agriculture pooling of funds.

2. Two other bills (SB128 and one yet unnumbered) to draw definite demarcation between agriculture and public health (sponsored by Sen. W. E. Burke, Yamhill county).

3. Allied groups demanding board members representing dentists, pharmacists, veterinarians, nurses, industrial hygienists, perhaps attorneys, as at present.

4. Insistence of labor and others that transfer of industrial hygiene from public health to industrial relations would be efficient, economical and intelligent.

5. Present Oregon health conditions are good, any change should be cautious.

Milk Laws Ready

Meanwhile the last of the proposed milk control laws was ready for introduction today. It is a companion bill to the one which requires pasteurization for most milk and milk products, and would require annual Bangs disease testing, control of the sale of vaccines, and more rigorous milk grading.

The senate yesterday finished off the "civil rights" bill by defeating it 24 to 6, with no discussion.

A joint committee was today planning an observance of Lincoln's birthday on Monday, when the house and senate will meet together briefly.

At the hearing Wednesday night, three interim committee members—Sens. Howard Belton and Irving Rand, and Rep. William Niskanen—defended the health reorganization as the best compromise possible. Rand said patching up present laws was discarded for an integrated new department, telescoping a relatively inactive nine-member board into seven with increased duties.

Niskanen Speaker

Niskanen said tax money could not be used wisely at present because of overlapping, duplication and statutory confusion.

Dalles, president of the state Dr. Thomas Robertson, the board of public health, praised the new bill, defended his board's work, and said allied board members would aid physician members.

Director of agriculture E. L. Peterson opposed joint responsibility on agriculture and public health departments. He used the milk situation as an example of lack of cooperation between the two agencies which he feared would be magnified under a mandatory dual heading.

Dr. Frederick Stricker, state health officer, and his scheduled successor, assistant director Dr. Harold Erickson, urged more local control in public health. Dr. Erickson opposed joint control and said Oregon health conditions were excellent, save possibly for an increase in undulant fever. Questioned closely he said national and state statistics showed the greatest number of such fever cases resulting from non-pasteurized milk, with one reliable estimate of about 250 new cases of all types in Oregon.

Trusty at Prison Object of Hunt

Salem, Ore., Feb. 8 (AP)—Robert R. Mix, a trusty at the state penitentiary, was the object of a search by police and prison guards today, after he escaped from the prison annex late yesterday.

He and Eugene Perry Shank, who was later recaptured, walked away from the annex, apparently, and police believe he is in the neighborhood of Hubbard.

Mix was serving a 15-year term for assault with intent to kill, from Multnomah county.

ELATION SHORT-LIVED

Portland, Me. (AP)—Portland city officials, hampered in the snow removal situation by a lack of equipment and labor, were elated by reports of 42 new workers cleaning streets and sidewalks. An investigation revealed that the new workers were youngsters from the Portland Boy's club day nursery school, ranging in age from two to six.

Boy! What In-Laws!



(NEA Telephoto)

When Chief Machinist's Mate George Huffman returned to San Francisco from 38 months in the Pacific, he found his apartment slightly crowded with in-laws he had never met. Of his wife's six sisters and one brother who were staying there (she has two more brothers and two more sisters) are, left to right: Mrs. Lee Carlanillo, Miss Helen Rogers, Miss Betty Jo Rogers, Mrs. Jennilee Clint and Mrs. Huffman. When you get around to it, that's Mr. Huffman in the middle.

Tiny Victims of Jap Oppression



(NEA Telephoto)

Tragic victims of Japanese occupation of Luzon are these pathetic Filipino youngsters, gaunt and emaciated, their bones almost protruding through their wasted flesh. They're now under care of these nurses at Tarlac Provincial Hospital. Signal Corps photo.

Restricted Flight Zone Designated

The area designated by the western defense command in which civilian flying will be permitted after Feb. 10, is bounded, roughly, on the east by a line extending through Oregon southward from Hood River to a point approximately three miles west of Sisters, thence south through Odell and Crescent lakes and along the east boundary of Crater Lake national park to Bray, Calif., on the Klamath Falls-Weed highway, it was revealed here today.

The new restricted flying zone established within the western defense command was announced yesterday. Within the airspace over the designated territory, the following flight operations have been authorized:

1. Certified air carrier operations.
2. Government aircraft flights as defined by civil air regulations.
3. Certified crop-dusting or rice or other seed-sowing flights.
4. Certified civil flights for aerial photography. These must be approved by the commanding general, western defense command.
5. Civil flight training, but only areas to be designated by commanding general, western defense command, and with approval of interdepartmental air traffic control board. Applications should be submitted to the regional manager of the CAA.
6. Certified flights of civil aircraft in furtherance of the war effort.
7. Movement of civil aircraft for

Social Hour Set By Local Church

A social hour will follow the election of churchwardens and vestrymen at the annual business meeting of the Trinity Episcopal church, to start at 8 p.m. Sunday in the parish hall above the USO quarters, Rev. G. R. V. Bolster, rector, has announced. Service men at the USO will be invited to attend the social hour, at which refreshments will be served.

The nominating committee, composed of Lauren C. Kimsey, chairman; Al E. Preede and L. Reese Brooks, has submitted the following nominations. For churchwarden: W. E. Chandler, Frank Prince, Jr., George Conklin, L. Reese Brooks, John Radatz.

For vestrymen: Al Eriksen, Carl A. Johnson, C. Dale Robbins, Crosby Shevlin, Dr. H. E. Mackey.

Two churchwardens and two vestrymen will be elected. Further nominations may be added if desired, Rev. Bolster has announced.

Slender fluorescent lighting tubes up to 36 inches in length have been developed and will be available after the war; they are the high-efficiency hot cathode type.

Election Pay Bill Passed By House

Salem, Ore., Feb. 8 (AP)—The governor today received a bill to raise salaries of elections officials from \$3 to \$4, the house having passed it yesterday.

The bill has been in and out of committee, amended and reamended, more than any other bill this session, as many members felt that the increase was too small.

The house passed four bills granting preference to veterans of world war II on civil service examinations, making the recording of discharges easier for veterans, granting automatic leaves of absence to state officers in military service who are reelected, and extending regulations governing community service centers.

Another bill passed by the house would raise the annual salary of the superintendent of public instruction from \$4,000 to \$5,400.

The house passed a bill to change age requirements for com-

Bend Sailor Sees Pacific Action

South Pacific action of the heavy cruiser to which Bob Iler, electrician's mate 2/c, is attached was recently detailed in The Jackson Daily News, a Mississippi newspaper. Bob sent his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vic Iler, a clipping.

The news story, published last August, told of the cruiser's action in the Marshall islands during the landing of marines and army ground forces and also of the bombardment of enemy gun positions and installations on the atolls, Kwajalein and Wotje.

Robert, a graduate of Bend high school, enlisted in January, 1942.

Ammonia gas is used as the "controlled atmosphere" for annealing electronic tubes, heating coils, electric heaters and electric irons.

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TONIGHT'S PROGRAM

5:00—Sam Hayes
5:15—Superman
5:30—Tom Mix
5:45—Night News Wire
6:00—Gabriel Heatter
6:15—Real Life Stories
6:30—Treasure Hour of Song
7:00—Grange Reporter
7:15—Lowell Thomas
7:30—Red Ryder
8:00—Treasury Salute
8:15—Vaughn Monroe's Orchestra
8:30—Nick Carter
9:00—Glenn Hardy News
9:15—Rex Miller
9:30—Wings Over the Nation
10:00—Fulton Lewis, Jr.
10:15—Tommy Dorsey's Orchestra

FRIDAY, FEB. 9

7:00—News
7:15—Rise and Shine
7:30—Maxine Keith
7:45—Morning Melodies

7:55—News
8:00—Homespun Trio
8:15—News
8:30—Take It Easy Time
8:45—Today's Bulletin Board
8:50—Western Music
8:55—Lanny and Ginger
9:00—William Lang and the News

9:15—Songs From Morton Downey
9:30—Rationing News
9:35—Old Family Almanac
10:00—Glenn Hardy News
10:15—Luncheon with Lopez
10:45—News of Prineville
11:35—Lady About Town
11:40—News
11:45—Lum 'N' Abner
12:00—Four Belles
12:10—Sports Yarns
12:15—Singing Saxophones
12:30—News
12:45—Farmer's Hour
1:00—Ask Jane Lucas
1:15—Ask Jane Porterfield
1:30—Tommy Harris Time

2:00—Handy Man
2:15—Melody Time
2:30—Russian War Relief
2:45—Rhythm Five
3:00—Griffin Reporting
3:15—Concert Hall
3:45—Johnson Family
4:00—Fulton Lewis, Jr.
4:15—Rex Miller
4:30—Back to the Bible
4:45—Coronet Story Teller
4:50—Musical Interlude
4:55—Central Oregon News
5:00—Sam Hayes
5:15—Superman
5:30—Tom Mix
5:45—Night News Wire
6:00—Gabriel Heatter
6:15—Real Life Stories
6:30—Double or Nothing
7:00—Sammy Kaye's Orchestra
7:15—Lowell Thomas
7:30—Lone Ranger
8:00—Boxing Bouts
9:00—Glenn Hardy News
9:15—Cecil Brown
9:30—Freedom of Opportunity
10:00—Fulton Lewis, Jr.
10:15—Russ Morgan's Orchestra

Poultry is the only major type of meat that has not been rationed during the war, rationing being unnecessary because the supply has been sufficient.

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3 bars . . 20c

3 bars . . 20c

3 bars . . 20c

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V-8 Veg. Juice No. 5 can 29c

Tomato Juice No. 5 can 29c

Pref. Stock Pumpkin can 15c

No. 2 1/2 Can

Palace Tomatoes 2 1/2 can 15c

No. 2 Cans

Oregon Harvest Peas, 3 cans 29c

Dia.-A Diced Beets . . . 2 cans 25c

No. 2 Cans

Palace Hot Sauce can 5c

CORN

Cream Style, No. 2

2 cans 29c

BEANS

Fountain Cut, No. 2

2 cans 29c

PEAS

Fountain, 3 Seive No. 2

2 cans 25c

Aunt Jemima Pancake Flour 5 lb. bag 59c

Mystic Foam bottle 49c

Upholstery Cleaner

Floor Wax pint 39c

Old English—Quart 69c

Aero Wax pt. 25c — qt. 45c

Tuxedo Tuna can 23c

Shredded

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