ATOMIC FURY

Ways-Means For Opening of **Welfare Rolls**

Bill Strengthens Financial Responsibilities of Relatives

By JAMES D. OLSON

With but one dissenting vote, the joint ways and means com-mittee Wednesday approved a bill providing for opening of welfare rolls to public inspec-tion and sent the bill to the house for consideration. Sen. Robert Holmes of Clatsop county was the only member of the 14-man .committee .to .vote against the bill.

The committee also approved by unanimous vote a bill which strengthens the financial responsibility of relatives law, which sponsors claim will result in collections of \$1,800,000 in the next two years.

Senator Rex Ellis, chairman the sub-committee on the welfare department budget, de-clared that the state cannot stand the impact of continuing increased welfare budgets. (Concluded on Page 5, Column 4)

Social Security **Bills Approved**

Two bills providing for sup-lementing social security with late retirement benefits were state retirement benefits were sent to the senate Wednesday by the joint way and means committee with a "do pass" re-commendation.

Rep. Dave Baum told the committee that by sending the two drafts of the bill to the senate the bills could be printable for building programs of ed and sent to code revision council for inclusion in the the state board of control and new revised code.

If the bills are approved in the senate they will then be re-turned to the ways and means committee for any necessary last minute revisions and then sent to the house for action.

Baum said by taking this pro-cedure, at least one week's time of the legislature could be saved so far as this particular legislation is concerned.

The two bills would, Baum said, result in a reduction of approximately 20 percent in the retirement contributions of the public employes and in-crease retirement benefits adding survivors insurance which is now available to public workers under the state retire-

Wage Hikes for 1200 Approved

Salary increases for approximately 1200 state employes, mostly skilled workers were approved by the joint ways and Storm Petering Out means committee Wednesday, opting a report of the salaries sub-committee which bypassed the employes in the lower classifications.

The employes for whom the 2100 others who were not rec-ommended for increases, were eliminated from general pay increases granted by the state Thursday afternoon.

last September.
Sen. Angus Gibson, chairman of the sub-committee on salaries said that the increase agreed upon would cost the state an additional \$600,000 in the next biennium.

Sen. Robert Holmes, of Astoria, voted against the report on the grounds that the committee did not provide in-creases for hospital workers

committee Wednesday includes property appraisers and appraisal engineers; civil engi-

For Building

able for building programs of

In a financial report dated March 17, the committee reported the state budget as approved by the governor had been increased \$884.695 result-ing in a total budget of funds from the general fund of \$110.-134,873, inside the six per cent limitation.

Decreases made by the committee total \$626,556, making the total budget inside the six per cent limitation \$109,508,-317, only slightly higher than the governor's recommendation of \$110,250,178. In addition the committee reported approval of \$78,045,083 of budget items outside the six per cent limita-tion, this making total requirements financed from the gen-eral fund \$187,553,401.

Estimated revenues from all sources that are placed in the general fund total \$198,276,686 leaving a surplus of \$10,723,-285. This surplus, of course, would be reduced by any un-

salaries were approved, together with approximately
fair weather for tonight and
flooded with divorce cases.

a.m. Wednesday amounted to question to the voters.

.19 of an inch, bringing the Other representatives exmonth's total to date to 2.52 inches against a normal of Marion county court house on

The awesome violence of an atomic explosion is fully depicted in this picture, made a moment after the detona-tion at the atomic proving grounds, Yucca Flat, Nev. Asso-ciated Press Photographer Hal Filan made this picture with

Plan 2nd Atomic Blast In 10 Scheduled Series

By FRANK H. BARTHOLOMEW

The 1,600 soldiers and mill-

tary observers who emerged currented from frenches only two miles from yesterday's blast were back safe at their

least a week to prepare the atomic testing ground for the

next explosion. The time is needed to recover and read the

heavily damaged and still too contaminated with radioactiv-

ity for survey teams to enter

detonation with safety.

Wolves' After

Washington (#)— Sen. Hick-enlooper (R-Iowa) said Wed-nesday his Senate foreign rela-

Las Vegas U.B .- Preparations | series of 10 detonations schedwere underway today at Yucca uled for this spring. Flat in the isolated, high desert 65 miles north of here for the second stomic blast in a

Courthouse to Remain Open

refused to permit closing of instruments used in the initial the Marion county court house test, and to enter the two exon Saturdays as provided in a perimental houses which were bill introduced by the Marion county delegation.

Rep. W. W. Chadwick, speaking against adoption of a and analyze, minority report against the bill, said that the Marion coun-Meantime, Desert Rock made ty employes had requested the Saturday closing in place of a more soldiers who presumably salary increase. Rep. Lee Onmart explained that it was a shot,
yesterday's veterans crouchbudgeted expense approved by the legislature.

Storm Petering Out
With Frost Predicted
The new storm predicted to mover valley regions move in over valley regions and the move in over valley regions move in over valley regions and the move in over valley regions move in over valley regions and the description of the move in over valley regions and the move in over valley regions and the description of th

pect of local frost tonight.

Clackamas county declared that if the county court of Marion county wanted to close Rainfall in Salem for the 24-hour period concluding at 10:30 the court could submit the

2.57 inches for the period.
Storm warnings were ordered holsted this morning along opposed it. The vote on redered hoisted this morning along opposed it. The vote on adop-the coast but winds were due 35 to 19.

"I feel that this committee started on the wrong end of the horn on the question of state salaries," Sen Holmes declared. tate salaries," Sen Holmes delared. Increases authorized by the Held 20 Years Overdue

By FRED ZIMMERMAN

Pointing out that "the rec- gi was the first man to be sen-

Reds to Favor Indian Over Lie

United Nations, N. Y. W.B.—Russia was understood ready today to recommend an Asian,
Mme. Vijaya Lakshmi Pandit
or Sir Benegal Ra both of Y or Sir Benegal Ra, both of In-dia, for secretary general of the United Nations.

The Soviet attitude was re ported by reliable United Nations sources as the Big Five powers met secretly to seek agreement on a nominee to

two miles from yesterday's U. N. observers generally blast were back safe at their nearby Desert Rock camp today.

It seemed apparent today today that it would take at least a week to prepare the atomic testing ground for the states.

Bucceed Tryvie Lie.

U. N. observers generally Wednesday before the horrified gaze of President Marshall Tito, killing both pilots.

Then the shaken Yugoslav leader, for the first time, saw and heard another jet grash.

for secretary general was tak-en as a Soviet move to estab-lish itself as a true friend of pected Russian action would put Western nations in position of declining to accept ping choices of their own.

experiment that his troops at that time could have been within one mile of the point of

Thursday.

Particularly, Brownson said, the committee wants to know what justification the State Department has for spending themselves paid that much on an average to buy uniforms and equipment not covered by past that much on an average to buy uniforms and an average to buy uniforms and average to buy uniforms and an average to buy uniforms and an average t

nesday his Senate foreign relations subcommittee has sent a special investigator to Germany to check on the U.S. overseas information efforts "and now the wolves are out to get him."

"They apparently take the view that they are not accountable for how they spend foreign currencles received from forcign governments," he said in an interview.

to get him." Hickenlooper named the investigator as William Heimlich, of Columbus, Ohio. He did not say who was after him. Hickenlooper said Heimlich Hickenlooper said Heimlich Again Sixth Group to Study Hawaii

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Calls for Some **Indication Soviet** Ready to Negotiate

United Nations, N.Y. (P) — The United States challenged Russia Wednesday to demon-strate in the current U.N. dis-armament debate that Prime Minister Geori M. Malenkov sincerely wants to settle world

problems peacefully.

The challenge was made by U.S. Delegate Ernest A. Gross, U.S. Delegate Ernest A. Gross, who led off the disarmament discussion in the General Assembly's 60-n at 1 on political committee. As he spoke, Soviet Delegate Georgi N. Zarubin listened intently.

Deeds, Not Talk, Wanted

At the outset, Gross said Soviet leaders have talked much about neare in the past few.

viet leaders have talked much about peace in the past few days. He added: "I hope Prime Minister Ma-lenkov's use of the word 'peace' is the same as the word is un-derstood by the rest of the

world."
At any rate, he said, if the Russians are sincere one of the first places they can show it is on the question of disarmament. He called on them for some indication that they are now rea-dy to negotiate in good faith. Gross put two questions to

1. Is this the time when the Soviet government is willing to discuss constructively the question of disarmament?

2. Is this the forum where the Soviet representative will ne-gotiate with his colleagues on the question?

Fatal Collision

Duxford, England (P) -

six miles away from this Royal Air Force airfield in Cam-

building program in Germany most every officer who has alone.

Rep. Brownson R., Ind., said Korean War started. No esti-

A House Government Operations Subcommittee which he
heads will start hearings
Thursday.

A Forean war started. No estimate of the number was made.
The services feel the officers
themselves paid that much on
an average to buy uniforms and

foreign funds in its possession who have been released from without express congressional sanction.

All possession who have been released from active duty—nearly 100,000—as well as officers now serving.

Lipman, Wolfe U. S. Prolests To Come Here To Moscow

Unofficial word came from Portland today that Lipman, Wolfe & Co., were planning a department store in Salem. It was said Lipman's had exercised its option to buy property on Liberty street across the street from the First National bank and on Chemeketa street from Liberty to Commercial.

The rumor is that the mercantile firm has exercised an

The rumor is that the mer-cantile firm has exercised an option on the property that it has held almost a year. Lipman, Wolf & Co. offi-cials refused to comment. Only last week Meior & Frank of Fortland announced purchase of the old high school and adjoining proper-ties to establish a store here.

Munitions Pour Into Formosa

Taipeh, Formosa U.S.—Step-ped up deliveries of guns, planes and ammunition for Chiang Kai-Shek's Nationalist forces are pouring into For-mosa, the chief of the American advisory group said to-

day.

An official release from Maj.

William C. Chase's headquarters said in the last two months 23 ships with cargoes of pro-peller-driven F-47 and RF-51 planes, artillery, machine guns, ammunition engineer equip-ment and vehicles have ar-

Emphasis on deliveries was put on prop-driven fighters. But a shipment of jets is ex-

at an air base near Scoul, he said:

"I have found the enemy dug in in strength. It will be a long and difficult job to dis-

their Russian masters."

He ended his visit to Korea A third completed an investigation which it credited with a \$2,477,240 saving on a 19 million dollar State Department building program in Germany

Washington (F) — The Armed when he boarded a C-54 transport to return to Japan, where he will have an audience with are preparing to pay \$100 to almost every officer who has

paid income taxes.

Weather Details

Airforce Gunner Tells Of Firing at Soviet Jet

Fairbanks, Alsaka (9)—A 30year-old Air Force gunner from
Ozark, Ark., who returned the
fire of a Soviet MIG-15 over
the Bering Sea Sunday, probably was one of the first persons to sweat at 58 degrees below zero.

Lt. Col. Robert S. Rich, should
defire back."

'If fired a burst of 20 rounds
from each of the six guns. I
don't think I hit him because
there was so little time to aim.

The minute I began firing, the
Soviet jet broke its attack and
low zero.

In Korea 131,244

By FRED ZIMMEMMA

Profisial engineers; all engineers; city of way agents, engineering aides, public health engineers, the parks supering tendent and his assistant and landscape architects, the majority employed by the statistic progression and public utilities commissioner. Circuit Judge Rex Kimmell Wednesday issued a dealth was possed by the statistic progression and public utilities commissioner. The Progression and public utilities commissioner and the will release Joseph Poggi from Organ State penil to the was sentenced to life imprisonment on a lot of toes to do it, and his rights and most the work of the was sentenced to life imprisonment on the habitual criminal state that the proposals for settling the oil dispute on the high state of the proposals for settling the oil dispute on the habitual criminal state that the proposals for settling the oil dispute on the habitual criminal state of the proposal state penil and the state was the temperature of the six guns. If fired a burst of 20 rounds from each of the six guns, if of a Soviet High-15 were the Bering Sea Sunday, probable was not of the first period of the six guns. If of a Soviet High-15 were the Bering Sea Sunday, probable was not of the first period of the six guns. If of a Soviet jet broke its attack and state that all display has to a sixth group lay but to a sixth group blay but to a sixth group lay but to a sixth group and only the work of the six guns. The proposal state penil to the six guns. The proving state of the six guns. If of a Soviet jet broke its attack and off the six guns. The proposal state penil to the six guns and the state legislature in 1927.

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On Air Attack

Demands Russia Discipline Soviet Jet Fighter Pilots

Washington (P)—The United States Wednesday demanded that Russia discipling the Sevict jet fighter who attacked a U. S. weather reconsultance plane last Sunday 25 miles off Kamehatka.

The State Department announced a protest has been delivered to the Moscow Foreign Office by the American embassive.

Office by the American embassy.

The note asks measures to prevent a repetition of such an attack and "disciplinary action" against those responsible for Sunday's incident.

The air force announced Tuesday that the American B-50 bomber, flying out of Alaska, wan trailed by two Soviet MIG-15s and that one Russian plane opened fire on it. The B-50 returned fire and the Soviet plane did not press the attack.

Neither Plane Damaged

The exchange apparently did no damage to either plane.

The State Department announced the stubstance of the protest, but the text of the note was not made public for the time being.

The department's announcement said:

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Stresses Need

But a shipment of jets B expected daily.

During March, it was learned, almost double that number of ships will unload equipment to turn Nationalist China's ragged armed forces into a real invasion threat.

In addition, Chase's head quarters said, the general had requested a second substantial increase in the number of military advisers to his mission.

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War in Korea

Seoul, Korea, U.B.—Adiai Stevenson said today it will be a "long and difficult job" to force the communist armies out of Korea and that he did not know how long "this unusual war would go on."

The Democratic party chief declined to say whether he were Russian jet incursions. wand heard another jet crash the sound barrier.

Britain trotted out its hottest military aircraft for inspection by Tito, who is anxious to get similar planes for the Yugoslav Air Force.

The collision occurred during tight formation flying by Meteors. Twenty-four jets in all were involved. As four of the Meteors were changing position one ran into the tail of another. The wreckage fell six miles away from this Royal at an air base near Scoul, here expressed concern. Some said they felt it might be another in a series of Russian-provoked incidents.

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Jones (R.-Nome) commented:
"This is probably just an un-related incident. It does not alarm me but does give me grave concern. Reports of high in in strength. It will be a long and difficult job to dislodge him.

"I don't know how long this the Chinese, once friends of the Koreans and Americans, will contain the Chinese, once friends of the Contain and Americans, will contain the Chinese, once friends of the Contain the Chinese, once friends of the Contain the Contain

Koreans and Americans, will Copter Rescues

Seoul, Korea O.B.A Navy helicopter hovered within inches of a mountainside in New York (U.D.—A tax lien for a sling to a U. S. Thunderjet \$109,997 was filed today against crooner Frank Sinatra for unlanded in deep snow.

Forty Thunderjets flew a protective ring around the mercy plane and 2nd Lt. Ivan D. Skinner, Monrovia, Calif., whose plane was hit by anti-aircraft fire. Skinner, who had taken part in an attack near Won-

san on the east coast of Ko-rea, parachuted. His chute hung like a streamer, but opened just a few agonizing econds before he hit the The helicopter made one unsuccessful attempt to reach

Skinner. Making a second pass, it swept in close enough