



Washington, D. C., July 24.—There is a drive on congress by small wheat farmers to amend the law which provides a penalty of 49 cents a bushel for raising surplus grain beyond the allotted quota. Canvass of the Oregon-Washington delegations discloses that none of the wheat growers of the Inland empire are protesting. Under the allotment plan the farmer has a fixed price for his wheat, but if he raises more than his allotment and tries to sell it he is fined 49 cents a bushel.

All this was known when wheat farmers of the country voted to carry on the plan for another year, and did so by a big majority. Now, however, small wheat men (those with a few hundred acres, not farmers with thousands of acres as in Oregon and Washington) want the government guarantee on their allotment and also the privilege of selling their surplus on which they consider a 15c a bushel penalty as ample.

Oregon growers realize that price fixing means production control and that without control the price of wheat would drop. For this reason they are willing to abide by their allotment. This appears to be the

attitude of wheat farmers in all important wheat sections, and only those who raise small amount are attempting to chisel. These latter are looking for support from congressmen who represent metropolitan districts whose only knowledge of wheat is that it is something bread is made of. Some newspapers in the national capital (there isn't a head of wheat within the range of their circulation) are giving editorial and news support to the protestants from Pennsylvania, Maryland and other small wheat crop states.

Leon Henderson is waiting for congress to give him authority for price fixing. As head of the Office of Price Administration and Civilian Supply (OPACS) Henderson was assigned the task of preventing inflation and he has surrounded himself with other economists, drawing many from eastern colleges and paying them far more than they received in private life.

Mr. Henderson started off briskly fixing prices. Then he ordered automobile makers to cut the price of their cars. Politely, one of the manufacturers told him to go jump in the lake. Then it developed that Mr. Henderson had no authority to place a ceiling on anything; all he could do was suggest that no prices be increased. His orders could be ignored; many have been.

This situation, of course, had to be remedied and congress was asked to give him the authority; congress refused to be rushed. Meanwhile, prices are going up as every housewife knows, and will go higher unless Mr. Henderson can place a ceiling on commodities. In congress there is a farm bloc, and it generally gets what it wants. The farm bloc objects to price fixing generally and on farm products in particular. It would like to compromise

and have no price control until after this year's harvest. Toward this they are working.

Before a senate committee Mr. Henderson explained that he wanted power to place a ceiling on everything but one commodity—wages of labor. This, he was told, is the nub of the entire program. Labor costs enter into all production, whether on farm or in shipyard, and to permit increased wages would make it impossible to control prices. There the matter rests; Mr. Henderson still wishes to exempt labor, but place a ceiling on everything that is produced or consumed. This is the main issue to be threshed out in the senate.

Although Mr. Henderson is disinclined to interfere with wages, the government has no intention of permitting the workman to escape. A British economist visited the White House and explained how his plan to take part of the pay envelope works in England. In modified form the idea is to have the employer deduct a certain percentage of wages and turn the money into a special fund for immediate use of the government. Credit would be given the worker for the amount of his contribution so that after the emergency he would have a nest-egg on which he could draw. This plan would furnish the government with cash and build up a reserve for the worker when he needs it. An argument for this is that there would be no occasion to start a WPA to keep people from hunger in the next depression.

Two other devices have been practically completed to keep working man from feeling too rich. One is a general tax bill, the other the income tax. The tax measure will become operative very soon but the income tax will not have to be paid until next March on 1941 income, and by then earnings probably will

have been spent. Because of this plans are being made by which the taxpayer may set up a special fund in his bank into which small amounts may be paid sufficient in their accumulation to meet the income tax when it is due.

**RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT**

We, your committee appointed to draft resolutions of condolence on the death of our late brother, W. E. Pruyn, report as follows:

Whereas, it has pleased the Supreme Ruler of the Universe to remove from our midst our late brother, and

Whereas, that by his death Heppner Lodge No. 69, A. F. & A. M. laments the loss of a brother who was ever ready to proffer the hand of aid and lend a voice of sympathy to the needy and distressed of the fraternity, a friend and fellow citizen whose upright and noble life was a standard of emulation to his followers; and

Whereas it is just that a fitting recognition of his many virtues should be made; therefore, be it

Resolved, by Heppner Lodge No. 69, A. F. & A. M., that while we bow in humble submission to the will of the most high, we do not the less mourn for our brother who has been taken from us.

Resolved, that the sympathy of the Lodge be conveyed to the family of our deceased brother, committing them in this hour of their bereavement to the kindly consideration of Him who doeth all things well.

Resolved, that these resolutions be placed upon the records of the lodge, a copy transmitted to the family of the deceased and that a copy be sent to the Heppner Gazette Times for publication.

Fraternally submitted,  
C. R. McAlister, M. D. Clark,  
J. O. Turner, Committee.

**RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT**

Whereas it has pleased our Heavenly Father to summon to his Eternal home our beloved brother, W. E. Pruyn, who was a faithful member for many years of Ruth Chapter No. 32, Order of Eastern Star;

Be it resolved that we bow in humble submission to the will of the Omnipotent, and extend to the bereaved family of the deceased our heartfelt sympathy. That we drape our Charter in mourning in memory of our departed brother; that a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the minutes of the Chapter, a copy sent to the family, and one to the press for publication.

Anna Bayless, Blanche Patterson, Frank S. Parker, Committee.

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