

# U. S. EXPENSES IN 1922 CUT BY \$1,600,000,000

WASHINGTON—Government expenditures for the fiscal year 1922 will show a reduction of more than \$1,600,000,000 from the actual expenditures for the preceding fiscal year, 1921, congress was informed today by President Harding in transmitting the report of Director Dawes of the budget on economies and savings in governmental business.

Director Dawes estimated that government expenditures for the current fiscal year which were given in the December budget estimates as \$3,967,322,386 will be at least \$45,550,336 less, or approximately \$3,921,772,050.

As compared with 1921, he continued, there has been a reduction of \$907,500,000 in expenditures for the operation of the routine business of the government subject generally to executive control. Of this sum, he attributed \$24,000,000 to the imposition of the executive plan and pressure on the routine business organization of the government under the new system inaugurated by the budget bureau.

The report of Director Dawes was submitted to the house appropriations committee by the president in connection with a pending resolution by Representative Byrns, Democrat, Tennessee, asking the president to inform the house in what ways direct savings of \$22,000,000 and indirect savings of \$24,000,000 previously announced by the budget bureau during its first six months of operation, had been made.

Director Dawes presented in detail with accompanying tables and statements the comparative expenditures for the past and present fiscal years divided into items representing those which were charged to executive control and others such as public debt and similar accounts which were considered as apart from the subject of routine government expenditure. He also submitted exhaustive reports of the governmental savings accomplished through inter-departmental transfers of surplus supplies and other economy methods put into effect by the budget bureau, itemizing thousands of transactions involving ships, shoes, sealing wax, and all the many articles and commodities utilized by the government, together with the amount of saving realized in each case.

"The bureau of the budget is an impartial and non-partisan business agent," said Mr. Dawes. "In this particular report where its estimates may become a basis of contention in an approaching political contest, its figures should be conservative and meet the test of examination, not only in the present, but in the future when existing partisan differences are forgotten and the record for impartiality and non-partisanship of the budget bureau is considered in retrospect by the unprejudiced mind of the government economist and student."

## House Cut in Half to Facilitate Moving



This half of a three-story house was photographed while being moved along Commonwealth Ave., Newton, Mass., the section weighing approximately 40 tons. It is being moved a distance of one quarter of a mile from its original spot.

## Jackson County School Notes

The Long Mountain School, District 37, has a year's report of perfect attendance, 100 per cent, for the four boys who comprise the school. Mrs. Beattie Murphy is certainly to be congratulated. No wonder she gained permission to go to the circus with them last week in way of celebration.

Reese Creek school made a pleasant occasion of their closing day last Friday. After the one o'clock neighborhood dinner on the grounds, sports and program filled the afternoon. The program was unique in that recreations and other numbers had been selected by the pupils from their texts, so showing what had appealed to them in the year's work. Two flower drills, as well as the uniform county drill were enjoyably given. Not only parents, but friends from Eagle Point and other nearby districts were present. The habit of neighboring in school interests is a good one, and there have been several pleasant evening affairs during the year under Miss Lane's leadership, which have added to the community spirit of District 47.

The town schools are closing as follows: May 19, Talent and Rogue River; May 26, Jacksonville, Ashland, Gold Hill and Central Point; June 2, Phoenix; June 9, Medford, Applegate and Butte Falls schools close on May 26, but Sams Valley not till June 23, owing to delay in occupying their new building last fall.

The school gathering at Ruch on last Saturday was participated in by six districts, and proved a-fruitful day of activities. The morning program showed in part what share these schools can take in Jackson county school day program at Ashland on May 27. The address by Superintendent Briscoe was well worth hearing. After the neighborhood picnic dinner of abundance, came the races and other events. Each school represented had entrants in the events, and honors were well divided, though Ruch school took the lead. Applegate valley seems to possess boys and girls of vim and pluck, and it is worth your while to watch their sports.

Several eighth month schools are closed, or are closing this week, among them Flounce Rock, Pilot Rock, North Trail, Little Butte, Pankey, Long Mountain, Table Rock, Lost Creek, Galls Creek, Elk Creek and Central.

All over this county of Jackson boys and girls are awaiting the arrival of eighth grade examination days, May 11

## New Books at County Library

**Fiction.**  
"Ghita," and other romances of Gypsy blood, Bercovici; "The Man From the Wilds," Blindness; "Christopher Hibbault, Roadmaker," Bryant; "Roumanian Stories," Byng; "Once Upon a Time," Davis; "Lost Valley," Geroul; "The Everlasting Whisper," Gregory; "Maria Chapdelaine," a tale of the Lake St. John country, Hemon; "Caravans by Night," a romance of India; "The Portrait of a Lady," James; "The Outcast," Lagerlof; "An Ocean Tramp," McFee; "The Shepherds of the Wild," Marshall; "The Last American," Mitchell; "The Sand Doctor," Mulder; "The Bar-20 Three," Mulford; "Beyond the Desert," Noyes; "Prize Stories of 1921," O'Henry Memorial Award; "A Sword of the Old Frontier," Parrish; "Sandy," Rice; "Life and Death of Harriet Frean," Sinclair; "Jade," and other stories, Wiley.

**Non-Fiction.**  
"Karma," Besant; "The Hand-book for Practical Farmers," Findlay; "The Rabbit Book," Washburn; Text Book on Wireless Telegraphy, Stanley; "Tires and Vulcanizing," Tufford; "The Flower Garden," Bennett; "The Trout Are Rising in England and South Africa," Bennion; "Go!n' Fishing," Cook; "Many, Many Moons," a book of wilderness poems, Saret; "Essays in Idleness," Reppier; "In Our Convent Days," Reppier; "Lost Ships and Lonely Seas," Paine; "Under Sahi," Rosenber; "Faery Lands of the South Seas,"

Hall; "Rusada in Upheaval," Ross; "Tibet and Nepal," Landon; "A Daughter of the Middle Border," Garland; "The Homeric Palace," Isham.

**Juvenile.**  
"Center Rush Rowland," Barbour; "A Tenderfoot With Peary," Borup; "Norseland Tales," Boyesen; "The Green Forest Fairy Book," Brady; "At the Butterfly House," Brown; "The Substitute," Camp; "Old Rye-ron," Camp; "Boyhood Stories of Famous Men," Cather; "The Spy," Cooper; "East o' the Sun and West o' the Moon," Dasset; "Pieces for Every Day the Schools Celebrate," Deming; "The Land of Pluck," Dodge; "Betty Wales, Sophomore," Dunton; "Betty Wales, Senior," Dunton; "Captain of the School Team," Earl; "On the School Team," Earl; "Indian Heroes and Great Chiefs," Eastman; "Colonial Days," Gurdy; "Felecia," Gould; "The Story of France," Guerber; "High Adventure," Hall; "The Story of Aaron," Harris; "The Adventures of Odysseus and the Tale of Troy," Homer; "Little American History Plays for Little Americans," Hubbard; "God's Troubadour," Jewett; "Hereward the Wake," Kingsley; "Puck of Pook's Hill," Kipling; "Fairy Book," Laboulaye; "The Silver Thread" and other folk plays for young people, Mackay; "Life and Adventures of Robin Hood," Marsh; "Stories of Beowulf," Marshall; "The Book of Birds for Young People," Mathews; "Carrots; Just a Little Boy," Moseworth; "Tales of Folk and Fairies," Pyle; "The Boy Scouts of Lakeville High," "The Christmas Child," and other verses for children, Smith; "Old, old Tales From the Old, Old Book," Smith; "Docas, the Indian Boy of Santa Clara," Snedden; "Mori, the Indian Boy of Santa Clara," Snedden; "Mori, the Goat Boy," Spyrri; "Stories Children Love," Welsh; "Famous Leaders of Industry," life stories of boys who have succeeded, Wildman; "Management Problems in Retail Grocery Stores," Harvard school of business administration; "Care of Leather," (shoes, harness, driving belts, etc.) U. S. Department of agriculture; "Feeding Grain Sorghums to Livestock," U. S. Bureau of animal industry; "Trees for Town and City Streets," U. S. Bureau of plant industry; "Practical Information for Beginners in Irrigation," U. S. Bureau of public roads.



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4.45 P. M.

Fares: Medford-Grants Pass, \$1.15; Grants Pass-Roseburg, \$3.00; Medford-Roseburg \$4.15.

## BIG STEEL COMBINE BOOSTS UP STOCK

NEW YORK, May 11.—Moses Taylor, chairman of the Lackawanna Steel company, announced late today that his company had completed negotiations with the Bethlehem Steel Corporation, for a merger of the two corporations.

Rumors of the consolidation caused heavy buying of those stocks and kindred shares in the final hour of today's stock market.

Lackawanna Steel made a net gain of seven points, Bethlehem Steel rose 15-S and affiliated shares advanced 1 to 3 points.

Lackawanna has recently been mentioned in connection with the proposed merger of some half dozen other independent companies, but including Midvale and Republic Iron.

Bethlehem representatives have frequently stated that they were not interested in the reported merger or consolidation plans of their competitors.

## MISS SALLY BEECHER MARRIED TO COUNT

PARIS, May 11.—Miss Sally Beecher, niece of Hugh C. Wallace of Tacoma, Wash., former United States ambassador to France and Count Jean Bertrand de Luppe, were married by civil ceremony here yesterday afternoon. Ambassadors Horrick and the Earl of Derby were witnesses for the bride. The religious ceremony will be held in the Madelin tomorrow.