

8 BILLION MORE FOR DEFENSE IS GIVEN APPROVAL

House Appropriations Committee Okehs Vast Outlay For Lend-Lease Phase.

Washington, Dec. 4.—(P)—An additional \$8,243,839,031 appropriation—almost entirely for defense but including lend-lease funds for a vast increase in production of tanks and guns for British and Russian forces—was approved today by the house appropriations committee.

The huge new outlay would bring the total of cash and contract authorizations provided for defense since July 1, 1940, to the staggering sum of \$67,990,254,096.

Leeway Denied

In recommending the new expenditure, the committee turned down a request by the war department for broader leeway in transferring to other countries, on a lend-lease basis, equipment purchased for the army with funds appropriated since last March 11, the date of enactment of the lend-lease act.

Instead, the committee recommended a \$1,556,496,246 increase in the \$12,985,000,000 already appropriated for the lend-lease program and proposed that the army be authorized to transfer as much as \$300,000,000 worth of additional equipment if the military situation warranted it.

Both funds would provide tanks, anti-aircraft material, anti-tank weapons and artillery, combat vehicles, small arms and

Boudreau to Boss Indians



President Alva Bradley of the Cleveland Indians (left), signed Lou Boudreau, Cleveland shortstop, to a contract which made Boudreau, 24, one of the youngest players ever to manage a major league baseball team. Boudreau signed at Cleveland.

ammunition, the committee said.

In addition to \$6,687,369,046 for the war department and lend-lease, the bill carried \$1,129,870,000 in cash and contractual authority for the navy, including \$449,720,000 for 2,020 additional airplanes and \$120,000,000 for gun mounts, ammunition storage and other items in connection with the proposed arming of about 1,000 American merchant ships, and \$280,000,000 for about 400 patrol and mine-laying vessels.

Apart from its strictly military funds, the bill also carried \$87,179,000 for purposes indirectly related to defense, chiefly new or augmented power projects; \$37,500,000 for foreign war relief and foreign property control and \$8,711,333 to carry out non-defense activities authorized in several new laws.

To Increase Army

The army's share of the total included funds to boost its enlisted strength to 1,840,934, an increase of 277,026 men, and for 27,905 more commissioned officers and 5,765 additional warrant officers.

Activation of a mobile aircraft warning service, projected expansion of the air forces from 54 to 84 groups and the need for more officers for combat units were the main reasons, the committee said, for expansion of the land forces.

O.S.C. OFFICIALS ISSUE REPLY TO GROESBECK'S RAP

State College Not Seeking Extend Courses Beyond Law, Declares Statement

Corvallis, Ore., Dec. 4.—(P)—Oregon State college is not seeking to extend its courses beyond the recognized field of land grant colleges as defined by law, nor is it engaged in controversy with any institution. So read a statement issued today by college administration officials in answer to an address last Friday by R. C. Groesbeck, Klamath Falls, a member of the state board of higher education.

The statement points out that the original law defining the scope of land grant colleges, partially quoted by Groesbeck, requires that the federal funds be used for colleges "where the leading object shall be, without excluding other scientific and classical studies and including military tactics, to teach such branches of learning as are related to agriculture and the mechanical arts in order to promote the liberal and practical education of the industrial classes in the several pursuits and professions of life."

Change Cited

"So long as the state of Oregon maintained the unified plan of curricular offerings, where each institution was not intended to be complete in itself, Oregon State college at no time asked for a single course in violation of this policy," the statement continued.

"With the abandonment of that unified curricular plan at Ashland October 28, the state college is duty-bound to conform to the new policy of the board by moving to bring the instructional service at Oregon State college in line with that of similar institutions, but adapted to the specific educational needs of the state," the statement went on.

Oregon State has nine major courses compared with an average of 12 for the other 11 land grant institutions in the west, college officials said. All of the largest institutions give majors in business or social science or both, they said. These facts do not bear out Groesbeck's statement that "the college had better do its job within its own definition before it begins to interfere with the university," the statement added. It further added that the college has never attacked any other institution, has never asked that any work at any other institution be discontinued.

Blue-Eyed Methodist Sought in Matrimony By Yakima Area Lady

Spokane, Wash., Dec. 4.—(P)—Some blue-eyed Methodist, 32 years old and single, is missing a grand chance to obtain a matrimonial interest in a going fruit ranch, County Auditor Joe Stewart disclosed today.

Stewart, addressed as the officer "in charge of the matrimonial bureau," received the following letter from a Yakima woman:

"Dear sir:

"I am a young lady who wants to get married to a Methodist man 32 years old. I am near that age.

"I would like him to have light hair and blue eyes or brown hair and blue eyes, generous disposition. He must be able to work and support me. I want him to be an American and a single man.

"I take care of my father who is 84 years old and we live on a fruit ranch. I would like to have him write me, or send me the young men's names so I can write them. I hope good luck comes my way.

"I don't want a man who is sickly and on a pension."

For obvious reasons, Stewart did not disclose the name of the sender. He promised to give the letter "the attention it deserves."

Coast Pine Ceilings To Be Meeting Topic

Washington, Dec. 4.—(P)—Price Administrator Leon Henderson called today two meetings on the Pacific coast next week to discuss price ceilings on western pine lumber.

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The only victim of the accident in which six coaches were derailed, but remained upright was Jack O'Connor, 70, of Garrett, Ind., engineer of the Chicago-to-New York "Shenandoah" of the Baltimore and Ohio road.

Union Terrorist Due For Pen Parole Soon

Salem, Dec. 4.—(P)—Cecl D. Moore, one of the few remaining state prison inmates convicted of labor terrorism four years ago, will be freed in a day or two, the state parole board said today.

Moore, with Ernest Carson and John Newland, was convicted of arson for burning the non-union Salem box factory in West Salem in November, 1937.

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COMMUNISM, PENS FURNISHED MANY C.I.O. HEADS-DIES

Washington, Dec. 4.—(P)—Declaring the organization of the CIO was "marked by a coalition of communism and criminality," Chairman Dies (D-Tex.) of the house committee on un-American activities told the house Tuesday he had police records of 20 CIO officers arrested for offenses ranging from petty larceny to anarchy.

Dies said he was submitting a cross section of the information his agents had uncovered "and before the end of the year we will have similar records of almost 1,000 CIO officials."

"Communists and criminals have gravitated toward CIO from its inception down to the present," Dies charged during debate on pending bills aimed at strikes in defense industries.

Dies said hundreds of men went from prison cells to CIO union jobs after they had "seen the government yield disgracefully at the time of the sitdown strikes." The Texan shouted that this had been a "mass invasion of CIO unions by criminals."

The chairman listed offenses with which he said the 20 persons he cited had been charged as: Petty larceny, grand larceny, burglary, grand theft, carrying concealed weapons, assault and battery, robbery, white slavery, holdups, conspiracy, attempted arson, receiving stolen property, felonious assault, extortion and forgery.

String Quartet Has Impressive Record

The concert of the Roth String Quartet at the Southern Oregon College of Education on Monday evening, December 8, gives southern Oregon the chance to hear artists that have many broadcasts as well as records to their credit. In one of the record catalogues, the Roth Quartet has an impressive list of 15 quartet recordings among which is the Haydn Quartet in D Major, the opening number of their concert here.

Members of the quartet are: Feri Roth, first violin, Rachmael Weinstock, second violin, Julius Shaier, viola and Oliver Edel, cello.

Tickets are now on sale at Pruitt's Music-Radio Center.

During 1940 approximately 1,500,000 couples marched to the altar, the greatest tying of nuptial knots in the nation's history, according to the census.

The five states with the highest provisional birth rates for 1940 were New Mexico 27.7; Utah 24.6; Mississippi 24.1; Arizona 23.5; and South Carolina 22.7, census reports show. The birth rate for the District of Columbia was 23.1.

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