

BILL BEATEN TO PUNISH PARENTS OF DELINQUENTS

Salem, Ore., Feb. 3—(U.P.)—A series of bills seeking to clear up the present confusion in Oregon over the status of community property regulations since the community property law was invalidated by the supreme court recently, passed the senate and went to the house of representatives today.

Both houses adjourned early today until Monday morning after completing their first Saturday meeting of the session.

In the house a bill which would permit the conviction of negligent parents or guardians of delinquent children on a felony charge of contributing to the delinquency of a minor, was defeated by a large majority.

The bill caused considerable discussion and lost after Rep. Donald Neisler charged that the penalty involved, up to five years imprisonment, was excessive for the crime.

Rep. Phil Brady said he couldn't see the necessity for such legislation. He said that when he made mistakes, he blamed himself, not his parents, and said he felt that home relations could not be regulated by statute.

The community property bills, one of which was referred to committee for clarification, repeal the present ineffective law, and permit those who took advantage of it to regain their property status as before.

Meanwhile, consideration of two important pieces of legislation was due soon—one bill to increase the amount for con-

struction of higher education buildings by about \$1,237,000, and the other to set up a new system of local government budget laws. The bills were introduced Friday.

WANTS WOMEN TO QUIT MEN'S JOBS

Vancouver, B. C., Feb. 3—(U.P.)—Father Louis Barcelo, an American youth leader, wants Rosie the Riveter out of trousers and war plants and back in dresses and the kitchen.

Barcelo, here today attending a convention of Catholic Youth organizations, complained that women "must get back where they belong and stop trying to be men."

"These days you don't know whether it's your Uncle George or Aunt Harriet walking down the street," he observed.

Jim Thorpe Makes Night Club Debut



Plugging for citizenship for Indians, a better life for youth of the nation, and against juvenile delinquency, veteran Jim Thorpe (left), greatest all-around athlete in American history, relates memorable instances in his long career to Vallejo, Calif., night club audience on first stop of what he hopes will be a nationwide tour on the stage.

FAVOR M'ARTHUR AS COMMISSIONER OF PHILIPPINES

Los Angeles, Feb. 3—(U.P.)—Vicente Villamin, Filipino lawyer, economist and writer, today suggested that Gen. Douglas MacArthur himself be named High Commissioner of the Philippine islands once Manila falls.

"With the entry into Manila of the general, what could be more perfectly proper than to have him named high commissioner?" Villamin said.

Villamin also offered the name of three other men familiar with the Philippines island as alternate nominees: Maj. Gen. Frank McCoy, retired president of the Foreign Policy Association; Maj. Gen. Frank Parker, retired, chairman of the Illinois War Council; and Dr. Claude Buss, director of the OWI in San Francisco and former assistant to the High Commissioner in the Philippines.

"Any of these men would be suitable," Villamin said. "They are all students of the Philippine islands and all are familiar with its peculiar problems and conditions."

Man's Wife Most Important Factor Of Success In Life

State College, Pa.—(U.P.)—A man's wife is the most important factor in determining his success in life, claims Dr. B. V. Moore, head of the department of education and psychology at Pennsylvania State College.

"A man who is not well-adjusted and happy in life's major aspects — of which marriage and home are a very large part — cannot be successful and well-adjusted in his job," Dr. Moore said.

The success or failure of many men, Dr. Moore added, can be traced to the women they have married and the type of home life they lead, and he described the best wife "type" as one who strengthens and encourages her husband without prodding him.

POSITIONS UNDER MERIT SYSTEM OPEN IN OREGON

The merit system council has announced certain vacancies in county administrator II and county administrator III positions with public welfare commissions in Oregon. Applications are being accepted until Feb. 24, and the examinations will probably be given March 10. The positions require experienced persons with executive ability and will carry the usual merit system rights of tenure, earned vacations and sick leaves. The administrator for a county assumes responsibility for the welfare program in that county and the supervision of personnel involved. A background of social work training is essential.

A new permanent position of industrial hygiene chemist with the state board of health has just been announced also. New industries in Oregon require scientific protection in matters pertaining to industrial hygiene; this is a stimulating field with many possibilities for interesting and varied accomplishments of real value in the field of public health service.

Detailed information concerning positions can be obtained from the Merit System Council, 616 Mead Building, Portland 4, Oregon.

Seattle, Feb. 3—(U.P.)—Irvin Squires, 18-year-old merchant seaman who killed his former sweetheart as she washed dishes in her home a week ago, was charged with first degree murder in superior court today.

Closing time for Sunday Too Late to Classify 3:30 Saturday afternoon—Please remember.

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Six new members were added to Talent grange at their regular meeting, Feb. 1, Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Wheeler by obligation and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Straus and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Jennings by demit from Central Point and Jacksonville granges. The annual grange co-op meeting will be held Feb. 10, at Central Point grange hall. Next regular meeting of H. E. C. will be at the home of Mrs. O. L. Penland in Phoenix.

The program for the evening opened with the singing of two songs by Mrs. Rhoda Hensel. Grangers chose sides and played several contest games, followed by a general discussion on groundhog day. The program closed with a reading by Mrs. Boardman, "You Tell on Yourself."

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DIAMOND SKED SET

New York, Feb. 3—(U.P.)—The International League announced today it will play its usual 154-game baseball season in 1945, opening on April 19 and closing Sept. 9.

San Francisco, Feb. 3—(U.P.)—Sectional playoffs in the fourth air force basketball championships will get under way next week, army air force announced from headquarters here today.

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MANEUVER AREAS BACK TO OWNERS

Bend, Ore., Feb. 3—(U.P.)—Land used in army maneuvers in Oregon will be turned back to the original owners, who number about 4,000, Lt. John R. Lindsey, Pacific division of the office of division engineer, announced today.

Parts of Jefferson, Crook, Deschutes, Klamath, Lake, Harney and Grant counties are included in the area to be restored to the stockmen. Camp Abbott was maneuver headquarters. The land turnover will be undertaken by a newly-established office, with Lt. Lindsey in charge. About a month will be required for the transfer to be completed.

HELD FOR THEFT

Santa Monica, Calif., Feb. 3—(U.P.)—Mrs. Lillian Becker, 26, of Topanga, was arrested today by local police on information from Palm Springs police for allegedly looting Palm Springs hotel rooms.

Closing time for Classified Ads 3 a. m. — Too Late to Classify 12:30 p. m.

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