

Oregon Constitution Changes Suggested In Bills Before House

Salem—(U.P.)—Two resolutions suggesting amendments to the Oregon constitution were introduced in the House of Representatives here yesterday.

House joint resolution No. 3 would clarify article 9, section 2 of the constitution to require any tax money derived from using vehicles on public highways in addition to the gas tax be used exclusively for the acquisition, construction or repair of public roads within the state.

House joint resolution No. 4 would amend article 4, section 10 of the constitution to provide for annual sessions of the Legislature as suggested by Gov. Robert Holmes in his inaugural address.

Both amendments would be referred to the people.

Eight Measures Read

Aside from 31 bills introduced at the request of the Interim Tax Study committee, eight other pieces of legislation were given a first reading.

Among them were bills providing for a state conciliation service within the Bureau of Labor to encourage collective bargaining; repealing sections of Oregon statutes dealing with collective bargaining and picketing rights; and increasing veterans' loan amount from \$9,000 to \$12,000 on homes and from \$15,000 to \$20,000 on farms.

The veterans' loan bill would also increase the loanable amount from 75 to 85 per cent of the appraised value.

Three bills requiring operators of power saws to have specific firefighting equipment on hand, defining conservation areas in eastern and western Oregon and providing different fire protection procedures for eastern and western Oregon were introduced at the request of the State Department of Forestry.

Two other bills would authorize domestic water supply corporations to condemn privately owned water supply systems furnishing water to inhabitants of the condemning corporation and would remove from the definition of the crime of embezzlement by bailee, a bailee who removes a motor vehicle from the county without consent of the bailor.

Two memorials urging Congress to provide federal aid to education and asking a delay in closing out the Klamath Indian reservation were referred to the committee on state and federal affairs because of technical faults in drafting.

Three bills vetoed by former Gov. Paul Patterson in 1956 were laid on the table for consideration by this session of the Legislature.

Most important was the administrative procedures act which passed both houses of the 1955 Legislature by wide margins, but was vetoed by the governor.

PGE Gets License For Clackamas Job

Washington—(U.P.)—A 50-year license was issued yesterday by the Federal Power Commission to Portland General Electric Company for its proposed North Fork hydroelectric project.

The \$13,300,000 project would be located on the Clackamas river in Clackamas county.

Plans for the project call for the construction of a 180-foot high concrete arch dam. A reservoir holding 7,700 acre-feet of usable water and four miles in length would be created.

They'll Do It Every Time By Jimmy Hatlo



GRANDVIEW-LONE PINE Investiture Service Set

By LILLIAN KNIGHT

Grandview-Lone Pine—An investiture service for Brownies of troop 12 will be held Wednesday, Jan. 23, at 7 p.m., at the Lone Pine school.

Girls receiving their pins and making promises are Judy Arnold, Christie Bench, Kay Butteau, Emily Carpenter, Helen Childers, Teresa Edwards, Christie Garner, Terril Grover, Kathy Hilton, Ellen Heidenreich, Peggy Hilton, Beverly Jones, Vickie Keith, Janet Ketchum, Linda Kolsky, Hene Mitchell, Judy Reavis, Beverly Rusko, Phyllis Strawn, Sherill Sturgell, Sally Vroman, Suzanne White, Janice Williams, and Patty Wright.

Mrs. Don Bench is the leader of the troop. She will be assisted with the ceremonies by Mrs. Harry Heidenreich and Mrs. W. A. Strawn.

Refreshments will be served in the cafeteria following the ceremonies with Mrs. William Garner in charge.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Knight returned from Klamath Falls last week after attending the funeral of Harold Hayden, former resident and pharmacist here, who died unexpectedly Jan. 11.

The Damon Leeper family moved to southern California about the first of the year.

Dominic Issi has been ill recently. He is home from the hospital at present.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Thompson and five children recently moved from Jo Jack rd. into the home which they bought on Springbrook rd.

British Weapons Chief To Visit U. S.

London—(U.P.)—British atomic weapons chief Sir William Penney will accompany Defense Minister Duncan Sandys to Washington this week end for vital talks on Britain's revised military program, it was reported today.

The Atomic Energy Authority confirmed Penney has been added to the high-powered delegation. Reports said he will strengthen Britain's hand in bargaining atomic know-how for American missiles.

Britain, faced with a financial problem created by its ill-fated attack on Egypt, plans a drastic cut in military expenses by basing its defense on guided missiles rather than conventional fighter planes and bombers.

Sources said this will permit heavy cuts in the standing army, the navy and the air force.

The reappraisal ordered by Prime Minister Harold Macmillan may delay Britain's defense budget this year by as much as three months.

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On The Side

By E. V. DURLING
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Is it proper to use the word "female" in reference to women? Many women have objected to it. One leading battler against the practice was the brilliant editor, Sara Josepha Hale, who said, "Female should be used for animals. For humans, woman or lady."

Passing By

Ann Southern, extremely clever and entertaining comedienne. She also sings well when given a chance. Ann, whose real name is Harriette Lake, was born in Valley City, N.D. I tried to find that town on the map but failed. I'll try again with a magnifying glass. Ann's television program is one of my "musts." It is an airwave rarity in that it is consistently good. Of the other few programs of which the same can be said are "I Love Lucy," "Groucho" and "Meet The Press." If you rate some other programs in this class let me know about them. I can use a few more "musts" on my television viewing schedule.

Numerology

Although numerology is subjected to much ridicule quite a few celebrated people attribute their success to a belief in it. As for example, Gabrielle Chanel, who was told by a numerologist that her lucky number was five. So Gabrielle gave one of her products that number and gained fame and fortune.

Horses and Women

Stockings for women were originated in the reign of Elizabeth I of England. They were silk stockings. I can't recall exactly when women stopped wearing silk stockings and began featuring nylons. How about you? I don't even remember whether or not silk stockings used to have runs.

Asking

Queries from clients. Q. What was known as a "freak act" in vaudeville? A. It was a type of act originated by Willie Hammerstein of the Victoria Music Hall, Manhattan. Usually people who had figured in sensational incidents, and, in consequence, had received much newspaper publicity. As for example, the so-called "Shooting Show Girls" who were a couple of chorines who had figured in the shooting of a millionaire. Other vaudeville acts in the category being discussed were "Peaches" Brown, Evelyn Nesbit, "Prince" Mike Romarof and Aimee Semple McPherson. The first three named didn't do so badly at the box office but the glamorous West Coast evangelist, who played a week at the Capitol Theatre, New York, was a dismal flop. The theatre lost \$2,000 on the week.

Sidelights

John Gutenberg, who over 500 years ago printed the first Bible from moveable type, was a Catholic. The Gutenberg Bible, the world's most valuable book from a collector's standpoint, is a Catholic Bible. . . . Women born under Libra (Sept. 23-Oct. 22) are usually good companions, intensely affectionate when properly inspired, have good style sense but are rarely good cooks. Or so say the stargazers.

Asides

As for unusual matrimonial records, consider that of a California woman who married five times before she was 37 and had her first baby when she was 39. . . . On restaurant orders of bacon and eggs only two eggs are included. Should be three eggs. That is the custom in Ireland, where the combination of bacon and eggs originated.

GOP Looking To South for Votes

Washington—(U.P.)—The Republican Party cast another hungry look at the South today in its search for new strength in the elections of 1958 and 1960.

Much talk about the need for a GOP buildup in the South was heard at week end meetings of the Republican National Committee. These ended Tuesday with the election of H. Meade Alcorn Jr. of Connecticut to succeed Leonard W. Hall as national chairman.

At his first news conference, Alcorn termed the South "a tremendous reservoir of Republican strength which we need to tap."

One of his first tasks after he becomes chairman Feb. 1 will be to deal with the South. The National Committee voted Tuesday to authorize the new chairman to appoint a five-member subcommittee to explore ways of expanding the party organization in the still largely Democratic Southern states.

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