

Unander Sees Eventual Sales Tax in Oregon

Salem —UPI— Is Oregon to have a sales tax? According to State Treasurer Sig Unander—yes.

"It's a mathematical reality," he said today. "The people aren't going to put up with any more property tax. We've gone as far as we can go with the income tax. A sales tax seems to be the only untapped field, providing it is not an additional tax."

Unander said that if a sales tax were put to a vote of the people right now, it would be voted down. "But later on, when the issues are clearly defined and the need spelled out, I think it will get in. A sales tax is inescapable in the future."

Pearson Plan Praised

He said that Senate President Walter Pearson's "approach" to the problem "is excellent." Pearson has suggested that the question be put to the electorate in 1961 in a special election. Pearson suggested that several programs be offered so that voters can decide what kind of a tax program they want.

Unander said "competent revenue forecasts project a major increase in expenditures. They range from an increase of \$40 to \$50 million to meet general fund requirements over the next biennium."

"The need is there but has not been clearly demonstrated to the people," he said. "What the people really want,"

SUSPEND 11 GUARDS

Raiford, Fla.—UPI— Eleven guards, under indictment for alleged brutality to prisoners, were suspended Wednesday at the Florida state prison here. The eleven were among 14 men indicted Tuesday by a federal grand jury on charges of brutality.

Heavy Snow at Government Camp

Salem —UPI— Heavy snow was reported at Government Camp today with chains advised. There was light snow at Warm Springs junction and Santiam pass.

The highway department reported icy spots at McKenzie pass, Green Springs, Lapine, East Side McKenzie pass, Willamette pass from the tunnel to the junction of Highway 97, Chemult, Klamath Falls and Bly.

U.S. Leadership Claim in Nuclear Field Challenged

Washington —UPI— Two Democratic Senators today challenged the administration's claim that the United States leads the Soviet Union in means of delivering nuclear weapons.

Sens. Mike Mansfield (D-Mont.) and Albert Gore (D-Tenn.) disputed the statement by Defense Secretary Thomas S. Gates that this country leads Russia "both with respect to nuclear weapons and the means of their delivery."

Gore said that Gates, who gave the assurance yesterday to the NATO Council of Ministers in Paris, seemed "to overlook two things."

Russia's Advantage

The Tennesseean, a member of the Congressional Atomic Energy Committee, said that these two points were "Russia's lead in rocketry" and "the effectiveness of anti-aircraft weapons against planes."

"Both operate to Russia's advantage," Gore said. Gore said he was "inclined to believe that the secretary was right in his assumption" that this country is superior to Russia in stockpile and quality of nuclear weapons.

No Exact Knowledge

"However, that is an opinion," he said. "Neither he nor anyone else in the government has any exact knowledge of the stockpile or quality of Soviet nuclear weapons."

Mansfield said he "would doubt" the Gates statement. The assistant Senate Democratic leader said "the Russians are ahead of us" in the fields of intercontinental ballistic missiles and space rockets.

"If we do not wake up, we are in danger of becoming a second class nation," Mansfield said.



LEARNS OF SLAYING—John (Jake) Barber Factor reads a newspaper in Chicago shortly after learning that prohibition era beer baron Roger Touhy had been shotgunned to death. Touhy, 61, was paroled last month after serving 25 years in prison for kidnaping Factor. —(UPI Telephoto)

In Mail Dec. 26 Tax Forms Due

Washington—UPI—The government is getting set to send out 59,300,000 reminders that the best things in life are not free.

Starting Dec. 26, postmen throughout the county will begin delivering federal income tax forms to people who filed returns for 1958. The deadline for reporting 1959 income is next April 15.

This year the Internal Revenue Service is mailing out about 700,000 fewer than in 1958. Officials explained that the number of people filing declined last year, probably because of the 1958 business recession.

About 17,490,000 taxpayers will find that their envelope from the IRS contains the new

STEAMSHIP MAN DIES

Camden, S. C.—UPI—Harry Wilson Warley, 76, retired president of the Bethlehem Transportation Corp. and several other steamship-operating subsidiaries of the Bethlehem Steel Corp., died Wednesday.

Stubblefield Twin Goes Home

Parma, Idaho —UPI— Tiny Denett Linn Stubblefield — separated from her Siamese twin sister in a rare operation at a university hospital in Portland — is home for the first time.

Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Stubblefield of Parma, brought her here in a station wagon from Portland Wednesday.

Denett's twin, Jeanett will remain in the University of Oregon medical school hospital until she learns to breathe normally. Then she, too, will make the 400-mile journey home.

The babies were born June 29 at Nyssa, Ore., and rushed the next day to Portland. Surgery was performed to separate them Oct. 6 by a team of 17 surgeons and aides.

Just before the Stubblefields left Portland Wednesday the babies were held up for photographs and the children reached out and touched hands.

The trip home was uneventful for Denett, her mother said, the baby sleeping most of the way. As soon as the family arrived in Parma Denett got a checkup at the doctor's and then a bottle of evaporated milk and water.

Youngs Bay Route Receives Approval

Salem—UPI—The State Highway Commission Wednesday put its stamp of approval on the proposed Youngs Bay Route involving U. S. Highway 101 relocation between Astoria and Gearhart.

The relocation is expected to cost nearly \$5 million. Included is a 4,220-foot bridge at Smith Point connecting just north of Camp Rilea with the present Coast highway.

BLOOD DONOR RECORD
Marietta, Ga. —UPI— The Georgia Division of Lockheed Aircraft Corp. said it set a national record as the largest industrial blood donor Wednesday when 963 workers gave blood to the Red Cross.

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Stocks Extend Gains

New York —UPI— Stocks extended opening gains today. Support centered in some of the electronic, metal, rail and tires issues.

Zenith stood out in the electronics with a gain of more than 2. Philco and General Time added 1 or better. Collins Radio, a feature in recent sessions, lost nearly 3 points in the first hour.

Steels were dull. U.S. Steel eased a bit. Republic firmed. Youngstown was unchanged. Kennecott added a fraction in the metals, where Reynolds Metals rose more than 1. Motors were mixed.

DOW-JONES AVERAGES

New York —UPI— Dow-Jones final stock averages: 30 industrials 673.20, up 1.42; 20 railroads 154.99, up 0.14; 15 utilities 87.04, off 0.13; and 65 stocks 218.62, up 0.27. Sales Wednesday were about 3,270,000 shares compared with 3,450,000 shares Tuesday.

Wednesday's prices on selected stocks:
Allied Chemical 118
Alum. Co. Am 104
American Can 41 1/2
American Motors 78 1/2
A. T. & T. 78 1/2
Anaconda Copper 63 1/2
Armed Steel 78 1/2
Bendix Aviation 71

Boeing Air	30 1/2
Caterpillar Corp.	33 1/2
Chrysler Corp.	70 1/2
Continental Can	45 1/2
Crown Zellerbach	55 1/2
Curtiss Wright	30 1/2
Dow Chemical	99 1/2
Firestone	29 1/2
Du Pont	29 1/2
Eastman Kodak	109 1/2
Firestone	131 1/2
General Electric	93 1/2
General Foods	104 1/2
General Motors	53 1/2
Georgia Pacific	43 1/2
Graham Paige	21 1/2
Greyhound	20 1/2
Gulf Oil	108 1/2
Homestake Mining	42 1/2
Idaho Power	46 1/2
I. B. M.	42 1/2
Int. Paper	134 1/2
Johns Manville	50 1/2
Kennecott Copper	96 1/2
Katy	5 1/2
Lockheed Aircraft	32 1/2
Montana Power	24 1/2
Montgomery Ward	52 1/2
Natl Biscuit	54 1/2
New York Central	26 1/2
Pac Gas & Elec	64 1/2
Penney J. C.	18 1/2
Penn RR	15 1/2
Radio Corporation	69 1/2
Richfield Oil	75 1/2
Safeway	36 1/2
Sears	48 1/2
Shell Oil	79 1/2
Secony Mobil Oil	40 1/2
Southern Co.	38 1/2
Southern Pacific	22 1/2
Standard California	46 1/2
Standard Indiana	40 1/2
Standard N. J.	48 1/2
Sun Mines	6 1/2
Texas Co.	83 1/2
Texas Gulf Sulfur	18 1/2
Tex Pac Land Trust	19 1/2
Transamerica	29 1/2
Trans World Air	13 1/2
Tri-Continental	39 1/2
Union Carbide	148 1/2
Union Pacific	31 1/2
United Aircraft	39 1/2
United Air Lines	36 1/2
U. S. Rubber	63 1/2
U. S. Steel	99 1/2
Youngstown S & T	132 1/2

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