

Pearson, Dellenback See Good Constitution From Efforts of Committee

Salem — (UPI) — "This committee can make history," the Joint House-Senate Committee on Constitutional Revision was told here Thursday.

Sen. Walter Pearson (D-Portland) made the statement as the committee met for the first time to start consideration of a proposed replacement for Oregon's century-old constitution.

Before the committee is a new constitution, written during the past two years by the Oregon Constitutional Revision Commission.

Pearson, a member of the revision commission, shares chairmanship of the legislative committee with Rep. John Dellenback, (R-Medford).

Pearson said the object of the revision commission "was to write a model constitution, the finest."

"I think that was done," he said.

Would Be First

He said if it is adopted by the legislature, Oregon will be the first state in the nation ever to adopt a constitution by the commission plan.

"I know many of you have doubts," Pearson said, "but I think you will find... this can possibly be done."

Dellenback said the committee's job is to tread between the extremes of accepting the revision as is or rejecting it in total.

Instead, he said, "the committee must try to come up with... the finest product that the people... can be willing to accept."

"In the long run, there isn't anything the legislature can do that will have greater impact," he said.

The committee will hold hearings and deliberate jointly, but the senators and representatives will vote in two separate groups.

Before the committee gets down to work, the House and Senate will meet in joint session Tuesday to hear a report from the revision commission.

UN Forces Prepare Move Into Kolwezi To End Secession

Elisabethville, Katanga, The Congo — (UPI) — UN officials prepared today to start moving into the Katangese stronghold of Kolwezi on the basis of an agreement with provincial President Moise Tshombe.

UN occupation of Kolwezi, a mining center and air base 150 miles northwest of here, was expected to make possible further talks on ending Katanga's secession and settling the 30-month Congo crisis.

Indian Gurkha troops of the UN force were encamped at N'Gubu, 60 miles east of Kolwezi.

An agreement between Tshombe and UN officials here Thursday stipulated the UN take-over of Kolwezi would be completed peacefully by Monday. The agreement followed Tshombe's announcement Tuesday of surrender in the face of UN military pressure.

An estimated 2,000 Katangese gendarmes and 300 white mercenaries were massed at Kolwezi, Tshombe's last bastion, but UN officials anticipated no trouble from them. Tshombe agreed to order the gendarmes and the population to cooperate in the UN occupation.

Tshombe's agreement with UN officials George Sherry and Maj. Gen. Prem Chand of India still did not convince central Premier Cyrille Adoula of the Katangese leader's sincerity to reunite his mineral-rich province with the rest of the Congo.

Adoula said in Leopoldville that Tshombe several times has "renounced his ambitions for an independent Katanga" only to renege.

The central premier said Tshombe would be given one more chance to reintegrate Katanga.

Foreign Briefs

SOUTH KOREAN FERRY BOAT CAPSIZES
 Seoul, South Korea — (UPI) — A South Korean ferry boat with an estimated 50 to 60 persons aboard capsized in heavy seas off the west coast of Korea today, with a probable heavy loss of life.

The National police reported that at least eight bodies had been recovered, with an undetermined number still missing.

COAL MINE EXPLOSIONS KILL ONE IN SPAIN
 Mieres, Spain — (UPI) — Two coal mine explosions and cave-ins near here killed one miner and injured six more Thursday.

DE GAULLE, WIFE PLAN VISIT TO GREECE
 Paris — (UPI) — French President Charles de Gaulle and his wife will visit Greece May 16-19 at the invitation of King Paul and Queen Frederika, according to an announcement here.

SOVIET COSMONAUT TO VISIT INDONESIA
 Jakarta — (UPI) — Soviet Cosmonaut Andrian G. Nikolayev will arrive in Indonesia next Monday for a 10-day visit, according to an announcement here.

Alien Life Forms On Space Craft Said Threat To Earth

Los Angeles — (UPI) — A scientist warned Thursday that it is conceivable that microscopic life forms from another planet could cling to returning space craft and destroy life on earth.

Dr. Solomon W. Golomb, of California Institute of Technology, said a life form inadvertently imported to earth might have the capability of successfully competing with earth forms for the basic raw materials of life.

"There's been a great deal of thought given to preventing contamination of the moon and planets during visits by earth space vehicles, but an even greater problem overlooked is what about microscopic organisms carried to the earth on return flights," Golomb, who spoke at the closing day session of the ninth annual American Astronautical Society, said there is little reason to believe that alien life forms would be more efficient than earth forms in the struggle for survival, but that it is a potential danger that must be recognized.

Dr. Fred L. Whipple, vice president of the society and director of Smithsonian Astrophysical Observatory, voiced a grim possibility that a meteor colliding with the earth could trigger a nuclear war.

"There is no way I know of tracking a meteor," he said. "There is no advance notice"

Discrimination 'Insult To God' Churchmen Say

Chicago — (UPI) — Jewish, Catholic and Protestant religious leaders, speaking with one voice, called Thursday for an end to racial discrimination because it was immoral and "an insult to God."

In an historic united plea, the religious leaders ended the four-day National Conference on Religion and Race with an "appeal to conscience."

"Racism is our most serious domestic evil," they said. "We must eradicate it with all diligence and speed."

They admitted churches and synagogues "have been slow" to enter the struggle for justice. And they also indicted all sections of the country — North, South, East and West — for practicing segregation.

"We repent our failures and ask the forgiveness of God," declared the statement adopted by the 700 delegates to the conference. "We ask also the forgiveness of our brothers, whose dignity we have offended."

"We call upon all the American people to work, to pray and to act courageously in the cause of human equality and dignity while there is still time to eliminate racism permanently and decisively."

Adopts Specific Proposals

The conference backed up the words with a program of specifics that called for religious bodies to:

- Help Negro families obtain homes in all white neighborhoods.
- Work for the "stabilization" of changing neighborhoods in the inner city.
- Invest pension and endowment funds in such projects as inter-racial housing developments that will promote "equality of opportunity."
- Insist that all contracts for church construction or supplies include a pledge of no job discrimination.
- Arrange for opportunities for whites and Negroes to meet "on equal status" and get to know each other as human beings.
- Solicit "open occupancy" housing pledges and establish "service centers to bring together buyers and sellers who are willing to integrate their community."
- Help conduct voter registration drives among Negroes in the South.
- Stress "education for racial justice" in all church-related schools, including Sunday schools.
- Use the pulpit for hard-hitting sermons on practical racial problems.
- Seek Negro Workers — "Actively seek" Negroes to serve on the staff of church-related institutions.
- Use church funds to facilitate mortgage financing for Negro home buyers.
- Demand that all federal grants — including aid to schools and hospitals — be given on the condition of "assurance of non-discriminatory admission policies."
- The leaders said it was time for churches and synagogues to "Lead, not follow" in the transition to an integrated society.
- "Even worse," the joint statement said, in conceding the major faiths had been timid in racial matters, "religious institutions have participated in perpetuating segregation in their own houses of worship, schools, hospitals, welfare institutions and fraternal organizations."
- The conference called for establishment of local inter-faith organizations to tackle specific portions of the "action program."
- It said plans already were under way for creation of such inter-faith machinery in New York, Chicago, Detroit, Atlanta, New Orleans, San Francisco, Oakland, Pittsburgh, St. Louis, Seattle and San Antonio, Tex.

Redden Receives Vice-Chairmanships

Freshman Representative James A. Redden (D-Medford) received two vice-chairmanships of standing committees as well as appointment to the Constitutional Revision committee in assignments announced by House Speaker Clarence Barton during opening week of the Oregon legislature.

Redden, Medford attorney, is vice chairman of the Judiciary committee and of the State and Federal Affairs committee.

Judiciary received 15 per cent of all referred legislation in the last session of the legislature, being second only to the Ways and Means committee. State and Federal Affairs received 7 per cent of the assignments in the last session.

Committees started working Wednesday.

The Family Council

Editor's note: The Family Council consists of a judge, a psychiatrist, three clergymen, three editors and a women's editor. This article is a summary of a family disagreement presented to the Council. The Council deals with problems, major and minor, encountered by guidance counselors and social workers. Edited by Mrs. Alma Denny. (Copyright by General Features Corp.)

Mrs. Terry J. — He shouldn't marry a girl who's such a coward.

Owen H. — Maybe she'll change. If not, we can adopt a child.

Mrs. Terry J. — My brother has fallen in love with a sweet young thing who'll never be more than a half-woman. She tells him straight up and down that she never wants to have a baby. It seems she was frightened out of it by her mother.

Why should he get himself tied to a girl with such fears? He's a handsome, healthy fellow making a good living. He can get himself a normal wife who will be a true mate in every way. He loves children. Why should he settle ahead of time for never having his own?

The Council: We'd say go ahead and marry the girl, Owen. It's unfortunate that her mother planted such dread of childbirth in Elissa that it has mushroomed into a phobia. But psychologists have ways of "un-phobiazing" an intelligent girl. Once Elissa can be convinced that no two cases are alike, and that maternal care has improved to an almost fool-proof perfection, the towering cloud of fear may begin to crumble. Psychological counseling or psychotherapy may then proceed to dissolve it.

For the present, Owen may comfort the young lady, and his sister too, with the news that this is a rather common problem. Many girls have heard mothers berate their children with the equivalent of, "After all I went through to bear you, I almost died!" Once in a while this may have been true. But usually it was histrionic, an unfair bid for endless sympathy. Elissa seems to have received a particularly heavy and graphic dose of her mother's baleful brew. But she may not be impervious to the antidotes.

These include books such as Dr. Grantly Dick-Read's "Childbirth Without Fear," published 30 years ago. Also available are courses and classes, some of which may be attended by the non-pregnant who, like Elissa, need a healthy attitude and philosophy more than they need diet rules. In England, for example there is a National Childbirth Trust devoted to preparing women for motherhood. It has 30 branches in the British Isles.

There's a Mothercraft and Childbirth Training group which starts every few weeks at the American Institute of Family Relations in Los Angeles, Calif. It stresses the intellectual and emotional preparation of expectant parents, as well as the physical.

Whether they adopt children or produce their own, Owen and Elissa will benefit from tracking down the true facts of childbearing as conveyed by physicians, nurses, and well-balanced mothers who were really "there."

Moderate Headway Recorded by Stocks

New York — (UPI) — Stocks made moderate headway today.

Fractional gains dotted the general list and a number of blue chips including American Telephone, Chrysler, Alcoa, International Nickel and Du Pont were up around a point or more, indicating good quality leadership.

International oils were narrow and failed to participate but motor shares and steels managed short gains and some chemicals posted wider advances.

DOW JONES AVERAGES
 New York — (UPI) — Dow Jones final stock averages: 30 industrial 872.98, up 3.98; 20 railroads 147.02, off 0.15; 15 utilities 133.65, up 0.80 and 85 stocks 237.27, up 0.98. Sales Thursday were about 5.23 million shares compared with 4.26 million shares Wednesday.

Thursday's prices on selected stocks:

Allied Chemical	44 1/2
Alum Co Am	29 1/2
American Air Lines	23 1/2
American Can	43 1/2
American Motors	119 1/2
A T & T	18 1/2
American Tobacco	30 1/2
Anaconda Copper	43 1/2
Bendix Corp	27 1/2
Bethlehem Steel	31
Boeing Air	123 1/2
Brunswick	19 1/2
Caterpillar Corp	38 1/2
Chrysler Corp	24 1/2
Coca Cola	88 1/2
C.I.B.S.	27 1/2
Columbia Gas	45
Continental Can	47 1/2
Crown Zellerbach	48 1/2
Cummins Steel	23 1/2
Curtis Wright	17 1/2
Dow Chemical	60 1/2
Du Pont	24 1/2
Eastman Kodak	113 1/2
Firestone	35 1/2
Ford	28 1/2
General Electric	78 1/2
General Foods	23 1/2
General Motors	60 1/2
Georgia Pacific	47 1/2
Greyhound	38 1/2
Guaranty	40
Homestake	44 1/2
I.B.M.	46 1/2
Int Paper	41 1/2
Johns Manville	28 1/2
Kennecott Copper	69 1/2
Lockheed Aircraft	32 1/2
Merck	52 1/2
Montana Power	36 1/2
Montgomery Ward	25 1/2
National Biscuit	24 1/2
New York Central	13 1/2
Northern Pacific	39 1/2
Pac Gas Elec	33 1/2
Pennac	43 1/2
Penn RR	14 1/2
Phillips	48 1/2
Procter & Gamble	73
Richfield Oil	41 1/2
Safeway	45 1/2
Santa Fe	26 1/2
Sears	74 1/2
Shell Oil	24 1/2
Seonoy Mobil Oil	59 1/2
Southern Co	54 1/2
Southern Pacific	29 1/2
Sperry Rand	14 1/2
Standard California	64
Standard Indiana	50 1/2
Standard N. I.	29 1/2
Stokeley Van Camp	18 1/2
Sun Mines	9 1/2
Thiokol	27 1/2
Texas Gulf Sulfur	14 1/2
Texas Pacific Land Trust	19
Thiokol	27 1/2
Trans America	46 1/2
Trans World Air	10 1/2
Tri Continental	44 1/2
United Carbide	109
Union Pacific	34 1/2
United Aircraft	32 1/2
United Air Lines	33 1/2
U.S. Plywood	43 1/2
U.S. Rubber	44 1/2
U.S. Steel	43 1/2
West Bank Corp	31 1/2
Westinghouse	34
Youngstown	28

Corvallis Man Named Douglas Fir Manager

Portland — (UPI) — Clyde D. Jernigan of Corvallis has been named Douglas fir logging manager for Georgia-Pacific Corp.

David R. Brown of Salem, who has held the position since 1955, is leaving it to become a timber consultant. Jernigan was logging superintendent for Willamette National Lumber Co. of Sweet Home prior to joining Georgia-Pacific as assistant to Brown in 1956.

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