

WITHHOLDING TAX BACKED BY U. S. TREASURY

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2 (AP)—Enactment of pay-as-you-go tax legislation to provide a 10 per cent withholding tax after deductions for millions of America's income taxpayers was urged today by the treasury. It flatly opposed the Ruml plan to skip one year of tax liability to make income payments current.

Treasury officials said the proposed new levy would be in addition to the five per cent victory tax, now being withheld from paychecks. That would make the total federal withholding tax 24 per cent after deductions, with a portion of the victory levy being set aside for post-war refund unless used by the taxpayer for certain purposes at the end of each year.

Randolph E. Paul, treasury general counsel, stressed the importance of prompt action as he told the house ways and means committee that a 10 per cent withholding tax, equivalent to the levy provided for by the normal six per cent income tax plus the 13 per cent surtax rate on the first bracket, would simplify the collection problem and avoid unnecessary refunds.

Fully Current
The normal tax and first bracket of surtax income includes the first \$2000 of taxable income after deductions. Paul said the proposed withholding rate would make fully current in their income tax payments about 70 per cent of the estimated 44,000,000 taxpayers. He proposed that congress provide for deferment of 1942 tax liabilities during the period of transition to the new system.

Seattle Landlords Ordered to Turn The Heat Back On

SEATTLE, Feb. 2 (AP)—The contention of the OPA that landlords who make indirect attempts to evict tenants by reducing service are in violation of rent regulations was upheld here yesterday in federal court by Judge John C. Bowen.

The court issued an order against Mrs. W. E. Greenway who two weeks ago turned off the heat in her apartment, locked the furnace room door and left the city, advising tenants that they were on their own responsibility if they chose to remain. Most of them did—through some of the worst weather of the winter.

Judge Bowen signed an order today, the first of such in the Puget Sound area, instructing the Greenways to adhere strictly to wartime rental regulations.

Construction of Another Canadian Highway Revealed

OTTAWA, Feb. 2 (Canadian Press)—Construction by United States forces of a new highway north of the Peace river to the Mackenzie river in the Canadian northwest was disclosed in the house of commons Monday.

A question asked by John R. MacNicol, progressive conservative member for Toronto, brought out the fact the building was underway. This route is in addition to the Alaska highway, which runs through northern Alberta and British Columbia, the Yukon territory and Alaska.

STANDS BETTER CHANCE

When divorcees and widows over 30 years old remarry, they marry younger men than do spinsters who marry after 30, statistics reveal.



Dr. J. O. Kinnaman will lecture here beginning Thursday at the Klamath temple.

ARCHAEOLOGIST TO LECTURE IN CITY

Dr. J. O. Kinnaman, a member of the Earl of Carnarvon's party which entered the tomb of King Tutankhamen, will speak Thursday, February 4, at 7:45 p. m., at the Klamath Temple, 1007 Pine street. He will continue his lectures for one week.

Dr. Kinnaman proves the Bible by the science of archaeology, having spent over 40 years in excavating in Bible lands, and from this wealth of experience he gives lectures on such topics as "Daniel in the Lion's Den," when he tells about the unearthing of the den into which Daniel was thrown; and the discovery of the furnace in which the Hebrew children were put, "Trailing the Exodus," "The Great Pyramid at Gizeh," and other topics.

Dr. Kinnaman is a director of the Bureau of Bible Research, is a recognized archaeologist and has written and lectured widely on archaeology and the Bible. He is a life member of the Society of International Archaeologists, formerly editor-in-chief of the American Antiquarian and Oriental Journal; archaeological editor of the Congregational Christian Beacon, and a member of many other archaeological societies and Christian groups. Dr. Kinnaman is author of "Diggers for Facts," "Some Problems in Ethnology," "Who Built Fort Ancient?" and many other volumes.

He is appearing at the Klamath Temple starting Thursday, February 4, at 7:45 p. m., through the following Thursday. The visitor will also be available to speak at civic clubs and schools during the dates of February 4 to 11. Those interested may contact Rev. D. B. Anderson, phone 3874 or 6325.

Barn Roof Caves In Under Snow

POE VALLEY—One result of the storm in this valley was the damage to Clarence Webber's barn. Roof of the barn caved in under weight of the snow.

Webber has moved his milk cow to the Roy Holmes' place for the present.

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GRANGE OFFICERS ELECTED TUESDAY

FORT KLAMATH—Election of officers for the ensuing year was held at the last meeting of Fort Klamath grange on Tuesday evening, with George M. Denton, worthy master, in the chair.

The following were chosen to serve for 1948: master, T. R. Nicholson; overseer, Hansford Williams; lecturer, Mrs. Pearl Baker; steward, Victor Nelson; assistant steward, Fred Brown; treasurer, Fred Brown; lady assistant steward, Mrs. George Denton.

Gatekeeper, Victor Sisson; secretary, Mrs. Fred Brown; chaplain, Mrs. M. L. Ferguson; Ceres, Mrs. Paul Wampler; Pomona, Mrs. T. R. Nicholson; Flora, Miss Ellen Brown.

Executive committee: M. L. Ferguson, G. M. Denton, F. G. Brown; musician, Mrs. Charles E. Race.

During the meeting, the following applications for grange membership were read: Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Blickenstaff, Joe Baker, Clifford Engle, and James Wampler.

At the next regular meeting on February 2, the newly elected officers will be installed.

A potluck luncheon was served at the close of the meeting by Mrs. Pearl Baker and Mrs. George Denton of the Home Economics committee.

Malin

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Rajnus and family are spending a few weeks in San Francisco, where he is receiving medical treatment.

David Cleveland, Portland, visited recently with Mrs. Cleveland, who is teaching in the Malin grade school.

Mr. Durnell, Klamath Falls, entertained members of the Malin grange at the last meeting with motion picture reels on "Steel" and "The American Way."

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Henzel and daughter Janie, have returned from a recent visit with relatives in southern California.

"The Croatians," under direction of Charles Elias, entertained students and faculty members of the high school last week with an educational program, one of the national assembly group given each year. Yugoslavian folk songs and dances in costume were colorful numbers and the director explained the origin and use of the musical instrument "Tamburitza."

Drifted snow is making travel difficult for Mrs. Sidney Martin, who carries the mail between Merrill and Malin on the Star route and patrons could assist materially by shoveling drifts from in front of mailboxes, she said.

Corporal Gipe Visits Friends In Merrill Area

MERRILL—Corporal Walter Gipe of the anti-aircraft division of the coast artillery, stationed at Seattle, was a weekend guest here. He was feted at a dinner planned for him by Mr. and Mrs. Hilary Winebarger last Friday evening. Gipe left here to spend a brief time with his family in Colorado before reporting back to duty.

Places were marked for Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Reeder, Mrs. Walter Robison, Mrs. Carl Robison, Mrs. W. J. Reed and A. J. Milkowski. Walter Robison and son Carol, were in Red Bluff on business and unable to attend.

Paul Hooper to Speak at Farm Center Meeting

TULELAKE—Paul J. Hooper, Susanville, affiliated with the farm security administration, will speak at a meeting of the Tulelake-Modoc Farm center Tuesday evening, February 9, discussing Mexican labor. Wanda L. Stark, Tulelake, also on the program, will explain the federal income tax.

The meeting will open with a potluck supper at 6:30 o'clock. The date was postponed from a February 1 because of conflicting dates.

Tulelake

Gladys Hedlund, Modoc county home demonstration agent, was present for the all-day meeting of the Homestead community club held at the home of Mrs. Marvin Thomas. Members studied meat substitutes and analysis of foods. Fourteen were present for the potluck luncheon and lessons.

Committees responsible for the success of the recent public card party sponsored by the auxiliary of Tulelake Legion post were pleased at the response to invitations. Twelve tables of cards were in play with high score in pinocchio going to Mrs. Hyman Wechsler and Mrs. Crowther. High in bridge went to Mrs. Gerald Stark.

Mrs. Marvin Thomas, president of the auxiliary and general chairman, was assisted by Mrs. George Yost, Mrs. George Frey, Mrs. Clark W. Fensler, Mrs. Howard Dayton, Mrs. P. C. Bergman and Mrs. Anna Knoll.

Members sold a cake during the evening that boosted the total "cash intake" to \$31.

Word has been received here of the death recently at Berkeley, Calif., of W. O. Banks, father of Mrs. W. R. Moore, Tulelake, who was at her father's bedside. Mr. Banks passed away following an extended illness.

RED CROSS SEWING NEEDS EMPHASIZED

FORT KLAMATH — "The Fort Klamath Red Cross Sewing committee wishes to announce to the ladies of the community that we are beginning a new year of sewing which is urgently needed. The committee asks each and every one to take and finish at least one garment a month. This isn't much for each one to do and would certainly help the few women who have done it all to date."

This appeal was issued today by Mrs. Guss Page, chairman of the Fort Klamath Red Cross needlework group.

"This isn't a duty that people should have to be invited to do," Mrs. Page continued. "We are all in this war and if we could each help with a little sewing, it seems as though everyone would feel much better by doing a little patriotic duty."

"The chairman has a thankless job but is willing to continue as chairman if she can get a little cooperation from a great many who have not yet helped at all in this work. Let's get going and help get this thing over with successfully. A few of us put in 1190 sewing hours last year; let's double it this year."

Quartz Mt.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Doris entertained Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Barnes with a dinner. Cards were played in the evening with Doris getting high score.

Mary Hertzog spent last week visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dinnie Bedord, in Crescent City. Bedord went to Crescent City for his health.

Jimmy Barnes has gone to Klamath Falls to take civilian pilot training.

LeRoy Peggott has stopped his studies in high school to join the navy.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dean and children spent the weekend in Klamath Falls.

Mrs. McMurner and children had lunch with Mrs. Barnes Saturday.

Mrs. Una Real has been confined to her home the last few days with the flu.

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FARM GOALS TO BE TALKED AT MEET

TULELAKE — Food production goals for 1948, labor and machinery shortages, and election of officers and directors are on the program for the annual meeting of the Tulelake National Farm Loan association to be held Wednesday, February 3, in the annex of the Presbyterian church.

Directors of the association are Karl D. Gentry, A. I. Rose, Fred E. McMurphy, Guy Porterfield, W. C. McClymonds, Tulelake and Vince Court, secretary-treasurer, Alturas.

Members of the association are urged to be present.

Library Club to Hold Discussions

MERRILL — "Who are the United Nations?" is the title of a roundtable discussion planned for the next five meetings of the Merrill Library club. The program will be inaugurated at the February meeting to be held Thursday afternoon, February 4, in the clubrooms. Roll call will be answered with a current event.

Mrs. Claud Moreland, president, will call the meeting to order and members of the executive committee, Mrs. T. O. Wheeler, Mrs. Don Palmer, Mrs. A. J. King, Mrs. E. E. Kilpatrick and Mrs. Clifford Shuck will serve on the refreshment committee.

Poe Valley

Mrs. Benedict and daughter Helen, were callers at the Nork home one day this week.

Mr. Benedict, Eddie Roberts and Charlie Rife are helping Archie Roberts repair his barn.

The Moore boys and families have moved their mailbox to the Archie Roberts' corner. They are going to live at the Benedict home for a while.

Vic Brown is hauling potatoes and hay to Merrill this week. He recently butchered some hogs.

Joe and John Nork built a new bulpen out of some poles recently. They also built some feed racks.

The Emil Wells family were callers at the Vic Brown home recently.

"Ark" Builder Tells Tales Of New Life in Far North

TACOMA, Wash., Feb. 2 (AP)—Paul Satko, who sailed from Tacoma for Alaska in his home made "ark" in 1940 returned here today for a visit and told many stirring tales of the new life he has found for himself and his family in the far north.

The first newspaper man to spy the erstwhile Virginia welder said cheerily, "hi, there, Paul, long time no see."

Satko, who stands a mere 250 pounds in his stocking feet, quickly brushed a huge hand across his beaming round face and said:

"Don't say no-seeum to me, those dern things have like to et me alive since I moved to Alaska."

Satko said his ranch, "Journey's End," near Juneau, won't be out from under the snow until April, that his wife and children are living in their town house in Juneau until then and

that meanwhile he expects to spend some time visiting and buying supplies.

He said that the "ark" which was sunk for six days by a storm after the Satkos reached their Alaskan home, is afloat once more awaiting the time Satko can beach it as a relic.

"People still come and like to look at it," he said.

Satko says that 13 acres of his 122 acre farm are in production and that he gets lovely radishes, turnips, rutabagas and potatoes, but that bears trample down a lot of stuff taking short cuts across his fields.

He says he never goes into his fields without an Enfield rifle and that he's bagged three monster brown bears and one black.

He said, "all bears run when they see me, the trouble is those brown ones run at me."

Satko said his 18-year-old son, Joe, is in the merchant marine and that his daughter, Hazel, is married to Sergt. William Brown in Juneau and that the rest of the family is home. The Satkos have ten children.

WRA SHOULD DECIDE JAP COMPENSATION

SALEM, Feb. 2 (AP)—The federal government is the sole agency to determine whether Japanese in war relocation camps are eligible to receive unemployment compensation, Attorney General I. H. Van Winkle ruled today in an opinion for State Treasurer Leslie M. Scott and the unemployment compensation commission.

Van Winkle suggested that if the commission wants to prevent payment of claims to Japanese, it should communicate with Lt. Gen. John L. DeWitt, commanding the western detention command, or the war relocation authority.

Many Japanese who worked in the Ontario beet fields received compensation when their jobs were terminated and they went back to camps.

TREE BE' OMING EXTINCT
The Franklania tree has never been found anywhere in the world except on a few acres of Georgia swamps. Cuttings from this tree have been taken to England and to the city park of Philadelphia and they are all that are left.



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