

"Local Option" Rent Bill Gets Friendly Reception From Senate Members

WASHINGTON, May 2 (AP)—A house-passed bill extending rent control but letting each city, town and county decide whether to take it or leave it, was tossed to the senate today.

The "local option" feature got a friendly reception there.

The house approved the measure 204 to 182 last night after beating down attempts to require a 10 per cent rent increase where ceilings now apply.

Modified in several ways that are not to President Truman's liking, the bill provides:

1. Continuation of controls from June 30 to December 31, with the president given authority to con-

tinue them by proclamation to March 31, 1946, if he deems this advisable. Mr. Truman asked for extension of controls in their present form until June 30, 1948.

2. That "the governing body in any county, city or town may in their discretion terminate rent control earlier by a finding that the necessity therefore no longer exists." This amendment, by Rep. Redden (D-N.C.), was adopted by a vote of 129 to 84. It would not apply to state rent control laws.
3. Authorizes landlords to raise rents 15 per cent in return for a two-year lease if the tenant agrees.
4. Exempts from ceilings all new houses and apartments and any that have not been rented in the last two years.
5. Abolishes all government priority and allocation controls over building materials and construction under the veterans housing act, except that the government may require a permit for construction of buildings to be used for amusement or recreational purposes.
6. Retains veterans preferences to buy or rent new homes and continues government mortgage insurance on new homes up to 90 per cent of value.

Phone Issues Explained By Manager

Charles Seavey, local manager of the telephone company, told the Kiwanis club in a talk Thursday that significant issues other than wages are involved in the current strike.

He said that the phone companies had been willing from the start to arbitrate the wage question, but that they refuse to arbitrate other issues which they feel are an invasion of management's responsibilities and rights.

Seavey told the Kiwanis club that he was talking as an individual and not as a spokesman for management.

Among the union proposals he mentioned as an invasion of management functions is the matter of putting overtime on a voluntary basis, insistence that union approval be obtained before the company can proceed with a construction project, and union insistence upon determining who can be supervisors and what their duties shall be.

Seavey said that fairer labor laws, greater union responsibility and better work on the part of management are the present problems to the rank and file of labor, are steps that can be taken to prevent strikes, failure of management to recognize labor rights and problems, ambitions of labor leaders, and in some cases, un-American interests at work in an attempt to disrupt the economy of this country.

At the Kiwanis club meeting, L. L. Lombard and Dick B. Miller, local automobile men, each presented checks of \$250 to the fund to be used by the club in developing a children's recreation center in Mills addition.

By MARY LOU CASE

Candidates for next year's student body officers was the topic of today's meeting of the nomination committee. The report of the committee will be made public at a student body meeting active period, Monday. Nominations from the floor will be accepted then. The student body officers consist of a president and secretary elected from next year's senior class; first vice-president from the junior class; second vice-president from the next year's sophomore class, and a yell leader. The third vice-president is elected in the fall from the freshman class. Members of the nominating committee are Barbara Zinn, Wesley Robinson, Maude Thompson, Pat Williams, Helen Jackson, Jim Carter, Sandra Moore and Joe Demetracos.

Last call for the Elk's dance. Tomorrow night's date—9 to 12 the time. Couples only—with Baldy's band and it's all free. Following the dance there will be a buffet supper.

Picnic plans are being worked up by the Commercial club for Saturday, May 10 at Moore park. Expenses will be paid for by club members and guests can be brought for a 25 cent extra charge. Helen Jackson is in charge of the picnic; committee heads are Katherine Paup, food; Barbara Dotson, entertainment; and Carroll Horton, transportation.

Since all social economics classes

HIGH SCHOOL News Notes and Comment

are studying housing and community living. Everett Vanderpool's 9th period class took a field trip Thursday to Sheldon Brumbaugh's studio. Groups of sketches of house and community plans were looked over and explained.

Today was the last chance for Pep Pepper applications to be turned in. To be eligible for Pep Peppers a girl must be of sophomore or junior standing, have a grade point average of 2.7 or better and be active in two or more clubs around school. Marilyn O'Neill is president of Pep Peppers and she will turn over her gavel to the 47-48 president at the banquet, May 20.

Classified Ads Bring Results

Cancer Fund Totals \$1159

Klamath county cancer fund total is now \$1159.38. It was announced today by Malcolm Epley, county chairman for the American Cancer society, and Tom Patty, chairman of the 20-30 club cancer drive committee.

The quota for this county is \$2850 and the chairmen said that the drive will continue until the quota is reached, as is being done in the state campaign as a whole.

"These contributions have come largely on a voluntary basis, without personal solicitation," said the chairmen. "We are sure many other people are willing to contribute to this worthy cause, and will send in their checks soon." They may be sent either to Epley at The Herald and News, or 20-30 club cancer drive, Box 778, Klamath Falls. Checks may be made payable to the "Cancer Fund."

Bruce Braaten of the 20-30 club has been an active solicitor for the cancer fund, being responsible for \$240.

Strategic Mineral Search To Be Cut

WASHINGTON, May 2 (AP)—Exploration and research on fissionable and other strategic minerals may have to be abandoned or sharply curtailed July 1 for lack of funds, Dr. R. R. Sayers, director of the bureau of mines, said today.

Pacific Northwest projects which he said would be hit through slashing the bureau's appropriation from \$10,535,875 to \$4,233,750, include:

- The electrothorium magnesium plant in Pullman, the Zirconium pilot plant at Albany, Ore., coal exploratory work in Alaska and coal laboratory research in Seattle.

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PTA Notes

County Council

The final meeting of the Klamath County Council of PTA will be a potluck luncheon in the Fremont school auditorium on Monday, May 5, at 12 o'clock noon.

Unit members are asked to contact local presidents if they are planning to attend. All members of the Parent-Teachers association are invited. Delegates will give their reports on the Oregon Congress convention. There will be a resume of the year's accomplishments in PTA.

Roosevelt

Installation of officers of Roosevelt PTA will be held Tuesday, May 20, at 2 p. m. in the school auditorium.

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Mrs. Frank Peyton, regional vice president, will conduct the installation of officers.

At that time, Mrs. Arthur Reinhart will be installed as president of the organization. All mothers are urged to attend this last meeting of Roosevelt PTA.

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