

House Tables Bill Backed By OEA To Change Age For School Entrance

SALEM (AP) — The House Education Committee Friday tabled a bill that would change the entrance age into school for first graders.

The committee voted 7-1 to table the bill, which has the effect of killing it. Only Chairman Tom Monaghan, D-Milwaukie, opposed the action.

The bill earlier last week brought mothers and fathers out to protest against the measure. It would have allowed school districts to require children to be six before July 1 to be admitted to the first grade.

The present law admits children to the first grade as long as they are six before Nov. 15.

The bill had the sponsorship of the Oregon Education Association.

Self Assessing

SALEM (AP) — The chairman of the House Ways and Means Committee said Friday he will introduce a bill to let each person set the value on his own property.

Rep. Clarence Barton, D-Coquille, said there would be one condition — the person must accept any sale offer for the property at that price.

This, he said, is done in Australia and New Zealand and would eliminate complaints of unfair evaluation.

"Who knows what property is worth better than the owner," Barton said.

Public Defender

SALEM (AP) — Multnomah, Clackamas and Lane counties could adopt the public defender system under a bill sponsored Friday by Rep. George Van Housen, D-Portland, chairman of the House Judiciary Committee.

Driver Hurt In Accident

Edward R. Bandomelin of Portland suffered a fractured pelvis and was taken to Klamath Valley Hospital Friday at 11:55 p.m. when the car he was driving went into the ditch at the top of Spring Creek Hill on Highway 97.

Bandomelin, according to the State Police report, was southbound and had pulled out to pass another vehicle when he saw another vehicle approaching northbound. He braked his car to get back into the right lane but lost control. The car was listed as a total loss.

George Stacey at the Stukel Mountain Gravel Pit reported to State Police Saturday that someone had stolen a 50-gallon barrel of gasoline and a cement cart sometime Friday night.

Dugan and Mest of Klamath Falls reported the theft of hubcaps from a car on the firm's lot Friday night. City Police also received a report of the theft of a transistor radio from a Willard Hotel office desk. The theft was reported by Maud Bergison.

City Briefs

REBECCA SHORT, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Short of the Henley District, is one of 54 students at Colorado State University at Ft. Collins who received straight As for the fall term. Rebecca, a sophomore, is majoring in English and has had one year at the University of Oregon.

HOWARD SCHAUER was elected treasurer to the newly incorporated Oregon Beauty Schools, Inc. meeting in Eugene on Jan. 15. He also attended an OBA Committee workshop to observe the latest spring styles as released by the National Hair Fashion Committee.

BASIN BRIEFS

FORT ROCK
THE RALPH McALLISTER family of Salem spent last week here winterizing their cabin. They were assisted by Mrs. McAllister's father, S. Boatwright, also of Salem.

R. A. (RUBE) LONG, a director of the State Department of Agriculture, attended a board meeting in Salem last week. He spent a day visiting the legislature prior to the session.

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MRS. MARGUERITE K. NELSON was re-elected secretary-treasurer and manager for the coming year.

Declaration of dividends for 1960 showed that a total of \$47,386.36 had been paid out to members at a rate of four per cent per annum. The assets of the association increased by \$220,000 in 1960, with total assets as of Dec. 31, 1960, \$1,498,519.

Loans made to new borrowers in 1960, mainly for purchase or construction of homes, amounted to \$352,800.

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Police Standards

SALEM (AP) — A committee of seven policemen has asked Gov. Mark O. Hatfield to support a bill to establish minimum standards for police training in Oregon.

Sheriff Joseph D. Walsh of Jackson County, one of the committee, said Hatfield showed interest in the bill.

Hearing Scheduled

SALEM (AP) — The Senate State and Federal Affairs Committee will hold a hearing at 3 p.m. Tuesday on Gov. Mark O. Hatfield's bill to create a state Department of Commerce.

The bill would consolidate all agencies dealing with business and industrial development. It is a part of the governor's plan to reorganize the state government.

Arts Commission

SALEM (AP) — A 12-member Oregon Fine Arts Commission would be created by a measure introduced Friday by Rep. Alice Corbett, D-Portland.

The committee would make a study of the status of Oregon art and artists, and report to the 1963 legislature on what should be done to encourage art.

Police Markings

SALEM (AP) — Sen. Carl Francis, R-Dayton, chairman of the Senate Judiciary Committee, introduced a bill Friday to require that all police cars in Oregon be plainly marked.

Francis said his bill would curb crimes committed by "lover's lane" bandits who sometimes pose as policemen in unmarked cars.

Ask For Benefits

SALEM (AP) — Increased Social Security benefits and federal pensions were asked Friday in a memorial introduced by Rep. Thomas R. McClellan, D-Neotsu.

The memorial, addressed to President Kennedy, asks for a 50 per cent increase for persons getting less than \$100 a month.

Adreazza Rite Scheduled

WEED — Rosary for Mrs. Roma Adreazza, 72, was set for today at 8 p.m. at Holy Family Catholic Church. Mass will be Monday at 10 a.m.

Mrs. Adreazza died at her home at 236 Main Street in Weed Thursday after a short illness. Her two sons, Irvin and Anthony, own and operate a service station and auto dealership in Weed.

Mrs. Adreazza was born in Italy July 17, 1888, and had lived in Weed for the past 40 years. She moved here with her husband from Hill in 1921. Mr. Adreazza preceded her in death in 1922.

In addition to her two sons, she is also survived by two daughters, Mrs. Lena Seitz and Mrs. Ever Baldo, five grandchildren and one great-granddaughter of Weed.

Burial will be in the Winema Cemetery in Weed.

"DENNIS THE MENACE" School



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Change In Selection Procedure Advised

SALEM (AP) — An 18-member bipartisan committee recommended Friday that delegates to national party conventions be selected at state party conventions.

Youth Camp Is Suggested

SALEM (AP) — The possibility of establishing a youth camp near Pendleton was raised in a letter discussed by the state Board of Control Saturday.

The Oregon Juvenile Judges Association has asked that the state not sell its land at Reith, near Pendleton, until it had a chance to study the possibilities of such a facility.

The state previously announced its intention to sell the farmland which it no longer needs. The judges hope to establish the facility for pre-delinquent youngsters.

"We should commend the efforts by counties to try to do something about this problem," Secretary of State Howell Appling Jr. said.

Policemen Nabs Brush Salesman

A brush salesman was arrested and charged with a violation of the city's Green River Ordinance last Wednesday after a city police patrolman saw him soliciting door-to-door.

Delmer Roy Gray, 51, 1235 Adams Street, was not arrested after a complaint by Mrs. Jim Howard Hess, 293 Roosevelt Street, as originally reported in the Herald and News. Mrs. Hess and other residents of the area were contacted by the police as possible witnesses in the matter.

Gray is scheduled for a municipal court hearing this week.

School

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garet Westlin, third grade; Carol Mosher, fourth grade; Marie Carlson, fourth and fifth grade; Naomi Hadley, fifth grade, and Elnor Anderson and Delmar Beagle, sixth grade. Ona Kammerer is head cook. Dorothea Mack, Ethelda Croft and Margaret Ziegelmeyer, assistants, and Ralph Sukraw and Alden Sheridan, custodians and bus drivers.

Brower and Dr. Robinson thanked parents and youngsters of the area who accepted a brief period of "double shifting" at Stearns School graciously. They also expressed gratitude for a large turnout for ceremonies.

Parents who toured the new facilities after the program were outspokenly enthusiastic. The building is a striking study in informal symmetry, brick and glass.

Youngsters study in glass-walled rooms that jut into courts.

The design is strategic to diffuse sunlight and minimize distraction. About half the 12 rooms are L-shaped, with a "fool" that may be used for study area, library or activities.

Ceremonies were conducted in the multipurpose room that may be used as a gym, auditorium, play area and cafeteria. Acoustics are so good that a speaker with a voice raised slightly is perfectly audible without amplification at the rear of the room.

The building was designed with economy of operation and construction in mind. It cost \$324,000, or \$10.60 per square foot, exclusive of architect's fee, furniture and equipment, site improvements and site purchase. That figure is considered unusually low, say school officials.

Classes first were held there early in December. The school accommodates Air Force youngsters living in Falcon Heights housing area and civilian children of the Midland area.

OTI Department Sets Open House

Klamath Basin visitors will be welcome at the Gunsmithing Department's open house on the OTI campus next Tuesday, Feb. 7. The laboratory in Nickerson Hall will be open throughout the day and from 7 to 9 o'clock in the evening, according to Earl Sweet, gunsmithing instructor.

Classwork will continue as usual during the day but students will expect visitors to look over their shoulders and ask questions.

There will be a display of instructional aid materials, gunsmithing tools made by the students, cutaway models, and some custom gunwork. The display will be secondary to the main purpose of the day's program which will be to acquaint visitors with one of OTI's instructional programs.

Similar programs will be arranged for other curricular areas. Facilities in the Engineering Associates area will be open for visitation one day during Professional Engineers Week, Feb. 19 to 26.

American institutions of higher learning have approximately 76,000 part-time teachers.

Fifty-five cents is the average price of a package of cigarettes in Britain.

Airman

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to rob the East Side Grocery and robbed Goldy's Cash Grocery of \$45. Thomas replied with a strong "no" to each question.

"You're telling the jury that you're innocent?" Murray asked.

"That is correct," Thomas said.

"That is so correct."

In final arguments, Murray maintained that the state's case "just didn't add up." He said there were too many discrepancies between witnesses' testimony.

Deputy District Attorney Robert M. Redding finished the prosecution summary by donning Thomas' blue nylon Air Force jacket and slipping one of the paper bags over his head.

"Linwood Thomas was wearing this jacket and this paper sack when he robbed Goldy's Cash Grocery," Redding said, keeping one hand in his pocket as if holding a gun. "He walked into the store and told Floyd Goldy to 'Give me your money or I'll kill you.'"

Jury foreman Leonard Petrick, Main mayor, returned the not guilty verdict at 10:10 p.m. Friday. Other jurors were Rufus Quillan, Joyce Baldwin, Helen O. Brown, Harry M. Briggs, Charles Thurman and Arlene Schubert, all of Klamath Falls; Ralph I. Cecil, Keno; E. C. Lemler, Merrill; Claudia Lorenz and Ray O. Hobbs, both of Chiloquin; and Ralph Sterns of Malin. Quillan was the lone juror to oppose the verdict.

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Dailey Funeral Set On Monday

Funeral services for Charlotte Mae Dailey, 22, Talent, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Shilts, Klamath Falls, will be conducted at Hillcrest Mortuary Chapel, North Phoenix Road, Medford, Monday at 1 p.m. The Rev. L. G. Devey of Ashland Luthia Church of Christ will officiate.

She died Thursday following an auto accident in that vicinity.

Interment will be in Hillcrest Memorial Park, Ashland Mortuary is in charge of arrangements.

Miss Dailey was born June 21, 1928, in Stanley, Wis. She had lived in Talent since 1954, where she was employed at the Jackson County farm home. She was a member of Jackson County Employees' Association and Ashland Luthia Church of Christ.

Besides her parents, she leaves a brother, Harold Dailey, Talent; a half-brother and a half-sister, Melvin and Alice Shilts of Talent; and a half-sister, Sharon Shilts, Klamath Falls.

The creeping flu wave edged south to London after a month-long rampage through the north and midlands. More than 750 people have died of influenza since the outbreak.

Members of the Klamath County Association of Practical Nurses are going to meet Monday at 7:30 p.m. in the county library to discuss plans for the state convention to be held here in September and to appoint committees.

The meeting is especially important and a good turnout is asked by association officers.

County Welfare Seeks Surplus Clarification

The Klamath County Welfare Commission decided Friday to get a clarification of policy from the federal government before plunging into a program to issue surplus food to welfare recipients and other low income groups.

County Judge R. R. (Bob) Walker said he would write to Congressman Al Ullman and attempt to find out if government "red tape" has been eased in regard to the surplus food program. Oregon is one of only eight states in the country not using surplus foods in its welfare program. President John F. Kennedy recently issued a federal order that more and better surplus foods should be made available.

Two years ago, Klamath County decided not to use surplus foods because the cost of administering the program was more than the foods were worth. The foods were to be issued in addition to normal welfare grants and

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They will be present for a meeting of the Oregon Civil Rights Advisory Committee Monday evening, Feb. 6, at 7:30 p.m. at the YMCA.

Milton D. Goldsmith, executive director of the Jewish Welfare Federation of Oregon and chairman of Oregon's Civil Rights Advisory Committee, will be guest speaker.

Also present will be Mark Smith, Civil Rights Division Administrator of the state Bureau of Labor. The public is invited to attend the meeting.

it was stipulated that a family of four, for example, could be issued only \$2.80 in surplus foods for a month. Also, foods available under the program were limited to all-purpose flour, corn meal, rice and dried milk.

The surplus foods had to be ordered in carload quantity and some of the foods were required to be repackaged by licensed food handlers. Storage of large quantities was also a problem. Representatives of the State Department of Finance told the welfare commission that the surplus food program would not save the counties money but would, in actuality, increase welfare costs. Commission member Everett Mettler thoroughly investigated the program.

"We would like to use surplus foods," Welfare commission Chairman Reuben Larson said. "The only problem arises if federal regulations make the program too expensive for us." He said Modoc County, Calif., is using surplus foods and suggested that the commission investigate that operation.

The state, under Governor Mark O. Hatfield, has established pilot programs in Marion and Polk counties to determine the costs of administering a surplus foods program. Another encouraging development is the fact that more foods are due to be available next month. Canned pork and gravy, dried beans and peanut butter will be added to the list.

Larson said approximately 1,500 Klamath County families would be eligible for surplus foods. The percentage would be about 50-50 between welfare cases and low income families. Able bodied single men not eligible for welfare would also be certified to receive the food.

Judge Walker said surplus foods are presently being utilized in the County Nursing Home and County Juvenile Home. Institutions and schools have higher priority for surplus foods than welfare commissions.

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FLU HITS ROYALTY

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