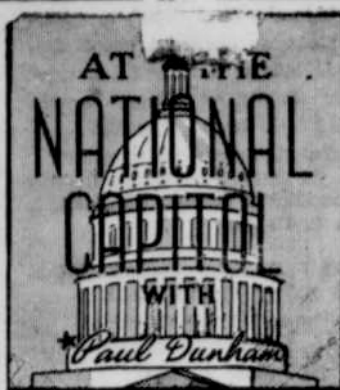




Washington, D. C., July 22--Flashes of congressmen breathed a long sigh of relief when the senate dropped its demand, via the McKellar bill, for senate nomination and confirmation of all employees of war agencies drawing \$4,500 per year or more. The house had repeatedly refused to bow to this bill. For years congressmen have seen their patronage go from bad to worse. Most all of the juicy jobs, such as United States attorney, big town postmasters, United States marshal, collectors of customs and internal revenue, have always been the patronage of senators, especially so if the senator was of the same

political faith as the incumbent president. The poor congressman had to be content with handling out a few small postoffice jobs and other low bracket positions to the faithful who did the campaigning for him and all the other political chores, come election time. And the congressman has to go through this same song and dance every two years, senators only every six years, which makes quite a difference politically speaking.

For years past, civil service has been gradually blanketing all such jobs to a point where the congressman has few jobs to hand out, except his office staff, which is generally loaded with close relatives or in-laws. The top hands of the congressman who keep the home fires burning while he is at the national capital expect to be rewarded for months of campaigning if their man wins, because no one likes to work for nothing. These rewards have always been political appointments or other favors the congressman is in a position to dish out. So, when the house turned thumbs down on the McKellar bill it helped to save some of their little remaining patronage in the higher bracket jobs.

Train, and even bus travel from now on will be tightened up on John Q. Public. Railroads and bus lines will demand advance reservations (some have already done so), including coach passengers traveling but a short distance. Army and navy personnel, plus long hauls of war materials, have taxed all railroad facilities to the limit. Railroad officials predict that in the very near future all passenger reservations will also have to be accompanied by a statement showing the trip to be necessary. The mad scramble for railroad tickets after congress recessed taxed accommodations to such an extent that many of the lawmakers had to wait several days before they could board the "choo-choo" for home.

During the two months' recess administration top hands and advisers to the president will try their best to smooth out the numerous wrinkles in the entire OPA set-up. This government agency has caused Mr. Roosevelt more continual grief than anything else. Several major adjustments for OPA are known to be in the offing which, it is hoped, will rid the agency of much trouble. The college professors and the long-haired boys who have been running the whole show and also running it unto the ground, are definitely on the way out. Close advisers of the president have convinced him that therein is the reason for much of OPA's grief. Other strenuous efforts will be made to iron



out the difficulties existing between top hands in some of the other war agencies, which likewise have embarrassed and annoyed the president.

From all indications, Oregon's Senator Rufus Holman intends to make immigration one of his leading arguments for reelection. The senator will be joined in this campaign by several northwest congressmen, who also are to be re-elected or defeated next year. Senator Holman, who is a member of the senate committee on immigration, has made quite a study of the subject and believes that immigration laws should not be relaxed, as advocated by some of his colleagues, but tightened. While vacationing in Oregon during the recess Holman intends to contact everyone possible to obtain their views on the matter.

Among the members of the present congress there are 61 senators and 162 representatives who are veterans of the war with Spain or world war No. 1, and several latter who have also seen brief service in world war No. 2. This may or may not be significant of the type of legislation which will be enacted for the benefit of the boys who return when peace is declared, but it is not unreasonable to expect that the general congressional attitude will be more liberal toward veterans than it was during the days of agitation of a bonus for the boys who fought Germany in 1917-1918. Already congress has shown a disposition to extend the generous provisions which have been made for dependents of men in the armed forces and when married men with children are inducted a still further expansion is probable.

Buena Vista

Mr and Mrs Leverett Goodell and family, who live near Vale, were Sunday dinner guest at the Leslie Topliff home.

Mr and Mrs George Cleaver and family and Vernon Maw were Sunday dinner guests at the Alva Goodell home.

Mr and Mrs J. W. Jennings and Elton and Romaine spent Friday at the O. L. Hendry home at Glens Ferry.

Mr and Mrs Grester Sage of Butte were week-end guests at the E. L. Jamison home.

Mr and Mrs George Cleaver and Mr and Mrs Lester Cleaver were in Ontario Thursday.

The Out Our Way club held its regular meeting at the Ellis Horn, Sr., home. Six members attended. Refreshments were served. The next meeting will be held at the Jim Ritchie home July 29.

Mr and Mrs Willis Burtrum called at the Martin Osborn home near Homedale Wednesday evening.

NEWELL HEIGHTS

The Messrs Ray, Pratt and Borge have started the second cutting of haying. Others will follow in

the next two weeks.

Mr and Mrs Lester Goulet and daughter returned from Yakima Saturday. Mr Goulet purchased a new truck. He has contracted the digging and hauling of 300 acres of potatoes for Sid Flannigan.

The M. L. Kurtz family attended a family dinner at the Will Gahley home in Ten Davis Sunday in honor of a cousin, Frank Smart, who is home on furlough.

Harold Kurtz has been sent to San Antonio, Texas to a classification center.

Mr and Mrs Bruce Pinkston and son of Bend, Oregon have been visiting at the Walter Pinkston home.

Shirley Smith who was confined to her bed with rheumatic fever, is able to be around again.

Big Bend

Mrs Grover Lee who was guest of her mother, Mrs N. S. Phelan, left Tuesday upon a call from her husband, who was transferred from Madras, Oregon to Pasco, Washington.

Mrs Della Bunnell spent last week in Caldwell.

Threshing combining and second haying keep farmers busy in this community.

Mr and Mrs DeOss went to Boise, where Mr DeOss will receive medical treatment.

A very large crowd attended the bridal shower honoring Mrs George Cartwright at the Harvey Bennett home Thursday afternoon and many beautiful gifts were received. The party was sponsored by the Jolly Janes.

Wayne Roberts had his tonsils removed Thursday in the McDonnell Nursing home in Parma.

Mrs Ulfrey and daughters, Inez and Lois, who spent the past month visiting their son and brother, Everett, his wife and new baby daughter, returned to their home in Alma, Nebraska Tuesday. A farewell picnic in their honor was held Sunday.

Robert Luimer of Ohio, who is a marchmate on a blimp in the coast guard at Tillamook, visited his Aunt, Mrs P. B. Anderson, and cousin, Mrs Della Bunnell, the past week.

Kingman Kolony

The A.N.K. Garden club met at the home of Miss May Beaumont Tuesday afternoon. Mrs Dennis Patch had charge of the program for the afternoon. Miss Beaumont served ice cream and cake.

Gordon Toomb, who is home on vacation from Walla Walla and his nephew, Don Toomb, who is home on furlough from Jackson, Mississippi helped William Toomb for three days this week on a hay silo he is building.

Mrs Frank Fredericks and her daughter, Mrs Elsie Heltz, were in Nyssa Monday afternoon.

Mr and Mrs Vernon Parker and children of Adrian visited in the William Toomb home Wednesday evening.

Mrs Conrad Martin accompanied Mr and Mrs Carl Hill of Newell Heights to Caldwell Thursday.

Mrs Arthur Cartwright spent two days in the Nursing home in Nyssa this week. Mrs Earl Parker of Newell Heights is keeping Darrel and Loyd for a few days.

Mr and Mrs Conrad Martin were Sunday dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Dennis Patch of Adrian.

Mrs Vernon Parker and children of Adrian were Sunday dinner guests

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estions about their work and when they would return to their homeland.

From Wilder the caravan passed through Parma and went to the farm home of Mr and Mrs Lee Johnson where a picnic supper was served on their spacious lawn to more than 100 persons, including the party in the caravan, other officials and a number of farmers and their wives from the Parma community.

The guests were served cafeteria style and ate at several tables, the Halfaxes, the Bottolfsens, the host and hostess eating at a head table near the front of the house.

After the dinner of raspberries, sandwiches, cherries, coffee, tea, lemonade and "trimmings the ambassador in another short talk referred to the affair as "delightful, quite different from anything anyone has ever asked us to do before."

He expressed pleasure at the opportunity to mingle with the people and he referred to the farming country he had just seen as a "real garden of Eden."

"I have long heard of American barbecues," he remarked as a smile lighted his wrinkled and usually careworn face. "I don't know whether this is one but if not I hope no one will tell me for I want to tell my friends in England I've been to a real barbecue."

Lady Halifax also mingled among the group on the Johnson lawn, meeting the guests and chatting informally with all. Like her husband she was plainly attired, simple and direct in manner, with none of the frills associated with English aristocracy in the average American's mind.

Lord Halifax and his party left Boise Sunday afternoon for Portland.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the following warrants will be cancelled and the payments thereof will be refused unless said warrants are presented to the County Treasurer for payment on or before September 1, 1943.

GENERAL FUND WARRANTS			
Claimant	Amount	No.	Date Issued
East Side Grocery	\$ 8.00	19427	Aug. 31, 1935
Mrs C. L. Palmer	7.50	18915	Oct. 31, 1935
John Kilpatrick	3.00	19086	Nov. 12, 1935
Elizabeth A. Williams	7.50	19341	Nov. 30, 1935
Moses M. Williams	7.50	19342	Nov. 30, 1935
Moses M. Williams	7.50	19342	Dec. 31, 1935
Mrs C. S. Warner	25.00	19881	Jan. 25, 1936
Mrs George McTavish	20.00	19922	Jan. 30, 1936
Mrs George McTavish	20.00	19923	Jan. 30, 1936
Frank B. Glenn	15.00	19934	Jan. 30, 1936
Mrs R. G. Wheeler	25.00	19935	Jan. 30, 1936
Mrs Clara H. Young	15.00	19937	Jan. 30, 1936
Harry Stephens	10.00	19940	Jan. 30, 1936
Mrs Ida M. Craig	10.00	19950	Jan. 30, 1936
Mrs Louie Hyde	12.50	19952	Jan. 30, 1936
Mrs A. B. Garrett	10.00	19962	Jan. 30, 1936
Mrs C. C. Kilburn	15.00	19963	Jan. 30, 1936
Mrs Emil Lanor	12.50	19968	Jan. 30, 1936
Sarah Jane Ricker	10.00	61	Jan. 30, 1936
James W. Gilson	7.50	65	Jan. 30, 1936
Joe McReynolds	1.20	152	Feb. 8, 1936
Aura Ingle	10.00	871	Apr. 7, 1936
State Relief Com. of Oregon	225.00	1112	May 6, 1936
GENERAL ROAD WARRANTS			
Geo. Eldredge	15.00	10096	Aug. 10, 1935
A. F. Hill	10.50	10136	Sept. 6, 1935
T. B. Duncan	8.00	44	Nov. 12, 1935
C. H. Hoffman	24.00	171	Dec. 21, 1935
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