

### House Effort to Stave Off a Veto of Veteran Bill

House Rejects Higher Compensation Voted Earlier by the Senate—Senate May Yield.

Washington.—In a spirited rally to prevent a certain veto, the house rejected the higher compensations voted by the senate for veterans and sent the bill in which the dispute is bound back to a committee of senators and representatives to work out a compromise. The vote of 220 to 174 bound the house conferees to insist upon the more moderate veterans' compensation and federal pay plan the house had agreed upon.

Indications were the senate would yield to the house, accept its amendments and send the bill to the white house, where President Roosevelt will decide whether to sign or veto it. Many believed he would sign it.

The senate proposal for veterans would have cost the government an estimated 118 million dollars in restoring allowances that were taken from veterans by the economy act of last session. The house had voted \$3 millions for that purpose. The house also rejected by 28 to 164 the senate proposal to restore to federal workers the full 15 percent pay cut. This was estimated to cost 120 million. Instead, it agreed to give 10 percent of the amount back to government employees. Cost estimates for this were put at 126 millions.

The veterans' vote surprised Speaker Rainey and Representative Byrns of Tennessee, democratic leader, who had told reporters earlier they thought the senate amendments would be adopted. The tide was turned by an avalanche of telegrams from national and state commanders of veterans' organizations urging members to accept the lower provisions to avoid a probable veto. Many of these were read into the record by recipients during the debate.

Representative Browning, (d., Tenn.), a leader of the veterans' bloc, told the house that while he had no assurances that the president would sign the bill with the house compromise, the senate proposals would draw a certain veto. Explaining the senate amendments contained pensions and benefits for "wilful misconduct cases," widows of veterans who had remarried since the death of the veterans, and men who entered the service after the World war ended, Browning said "the first consideration is what is best for the veterans in the long run."

On the veterans' amendment, 187 democrats and 23 republicans voted to insist upon the house compromise; 88 democrats, 51 republicans and five farmer laborites voted to approve the senate amendments. On the pay cut 210 democrats and 18 republicans voted for the Vinson compromise; 74 democrats, 85 republicans and five farmer laborites voted for the senate proposals.

#### JOHN KIRKHAM POORLY

John E. Kirkham, former city treasurer, is quite poorly in the last week as he has suffered a repetition of his trouble with his leg which made necessary the amputation of one leg a year ago. In the last weeks the other leg has bothered him a great deal and surgeons has set in the member and may make necessary hospital treatment.

### Insull Mystery Man



Constantine S. Effax, the "mystery man" in the insull case, photographed in Chicago Tuesday as he returned to a myth or a figurehead for Samuel Insull. He denied he knew Insull.

#### GRASSHOPPER WAR SHAPED

Minneapolis.—The northwest's preparation for the grasshopper war this spring and summer, to be financed by the federal fund of \$2,354,000 provided by congress, neared completion with establishment here of a regional office to direct the work in eight states. This office will be housed for the present in the quarters of the Northwest Crop Improvement association.

Dr. J. R. Parker, of Boneman, Mont., director of the northwest grasshopper campaign, was here. B. M. Gaddis of the bureau of entomology at Washington will manage the purchase and shipment of arsenic, brom and other ingredients of poison bait.

Dr. Parker predicted that money from the grasshopper fund will be available within a few days. Organization of Minnesota and the Dakotas for insect extermination thru county and local directors and committees is virtually completed. Rapid progress also is reported by the other states, Montana, Wyoming, Nebraska, Iowa and Wisconsin.

#### TAX COLLECTIONS INCREASE

Washington.—New treasury figures showed income tax collections during the first twenty days of March were \$218,324,617 compared with \$160,744,322 last year. These figures, telegraphed here by internal revenue collectors, revealed payments increased in every state over last year with the exception of Kansas which showed a decline of \$73,600.

Collections by states for the first twenty days of March with corresponding figures for 1933 included: Nebraska, \$733,597 and \$543,220.

#### NO RADIO INTERFERENCE

North Platte.—The city council has passed an ordinance to control radio interference. The ordinance outlaws within the city limits the operation of any device that causes "reasonable preventable electrical interferences with radio reception in the corporate limits of North Platte. A fine of not less than \$10 or more than \$100 is provided for violation.

### Roosevelt Asks a Job Insurance Bill be Passed

Pending Insurance Measure Will Set Up State Systems—Pay Rolls' Tax.

Washington, March 25.—President Roosevelt today formally endorsed pending unemployment insurance legislation by expressing the hope that the Wagner-Lewis bill "will be passed by the congress at this session."

He approved the measure, estimated by Secretary Perkins to yield one billion dollars yearly through a tax on employers' pay rolls, in a letter to Chairman Doughton of the house ways and means committee.

Until the president spoke, the bill, although strongly supported by some administration followers, apparently was delegated to be laid aside. Mr. Roosevelt's request for passage may result in its enactment.

#### Swope Tells Views.

Only a little while before the president spoke, one of industry's leaders, George Swope, president of the General Electric company, said "We are going to get out of the slump," but that business should have a period of convalescence before being called upon to set up unemployment insurance reserves.

Testifying before a house ways and means subcommittee, Swope said he thought "the soundest basis for unemployment insurance is contributory, so as to evoke the interest of the employes."

#### Proposes 5 Per Cent Tax.

Swope said he thought the \$7 a week minimum benefits called for in the bill too low. The pending measure is intended to set up a system of state unemployment insurance systems through remitting whatever part of the 5 per cent tax on pay rolls of employers who hire more than 10 persons that is paid to state or company insurance funds.

The president said "This is an approach with which I agree, and which fulfills the promise of the democratic platform for 1932 to favor 'unemployment insurance under state laws.'"

#### FREIGHT TRAFFIC INCREASES

Omaha.—A survey among Omaha railroads Wednesday revealed that railroad freight traffic thruout the state thus far this year has exceeded that of the same period in 1933 by about 40 percent.

The commodities in which a substantial increase is shown include corn, potatoes, lumber, whisky, vegetables, agricultural implements, automobiles, iron and steel. A decrease was noted in wheat traffic, due to the smaller 1933 crop which is now being marketed, as compared with the crop marketed during the same period last year.

Nebraska's famous potatoes, along with Idaho's noted cobbiers, are being shipped by the hundreds of carloads across the state and one railroad showed an increase in receipts from its potato traffic of over \$100,000 for the first seven days in March of this year as contrasted with the same seven days in 1933.

#### SURVEY WORK NEARS CLOSE

Lincoln, March 22.—With 20 parties of about 135 men at various points in Nebraska to be called in March 31, the coast and geodetic survey begun under civil works administration grants is drawing to a close. The surveys are of special importance just now because of their relation to public works administration projects. In this state, Willard J. Turnbull, in charge of the surveys, pointed out two parties are working in the Frenchman valley, three parties are working on the Sutherland project, five are mapping out lines for the tri-project and two are locating points in the mid-loop valley for that project.

Only recently, Turnbull said, two parties were moved to Nance and Boone counties where they are laying controls for a \$300,000 soil erosion project.

#### COUNTERFEITERS BUSY

A number of bogus half dollars have been discovered in circulation in this city in the past few days and follows the warning issued some time ago that a large amount of half dollar counterfeit money being circulated in the west. The money is received in the course of business and ordinarily there is not a close examination made of the money which in the case of business houses is usually banked each day. Two cases of the counterfeit money has been revealed in this city so far.

### LEAD THE Easter Parade in Something New

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#### MARCH

The robins have returned from their winter's retreat. With their merry songs we presume, them to greet. Old Sol is tempering the winds that bring Life and beauty for all in the spring.

The lilac bushes are putting forth buds. While the gardener is busy planting his spuds, The bees are sipping the nectar sweet. And storing away honey for man to eat.

The frog in the mill pond is bellowing low. His bass voice seems to be all aglow. With joy, for the day has come that he can sing. For winter is gone and in rushes spring.

The tulips have bursted out of the ground, And soon will the larks be singing around, The quail with his quaint call of Bobwhite, And the boys will be flying their long tailed kite.

Just hitch up your belt and listen for the dove, To start up its cooing as though in love, To the one on the twig not far from your door, Which brings to your mind some forgotten lore.

The wind that caused the cypress to moan And swayed the branches of the evergreen torn, By winter's cruel blast that covered it with snow, Will now take life and spread and grow.

The apple and peach trees will burst into bloom, And fill the air with their sweet perfume, The lily and rose their charm will bring, Which proves conclusively that it surely is spring. —J. R. T.

#### CLIPS BULLDOG'S TOENAILS

Norfolk, Neb.—Buster, a pet Boston bulldog, owned by Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Wilson and family of Norfolk, can't walk these days. Some kindly soul cut off all of his toe nails.

Why this heinous act was committed members of the Wilson family do not know. Mrs. Wilson was gone from her home not more than three hours. When she returned she found Buster in excruciating pain. In agony, after being released by his torturers he had managed to crawl home to people he knew were his friends. Since then he hasn't been able to stand on his feet.

Buster, a favorite among children in Norfolk, was a good dog and caused no trouble. "We have never had a complaint against Buster," Mrs. Wilson said. A dog poisoner has killed nearly a dozen valuable animals in Norfolk within the past few months.

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### Borah a Firm Believer in Production Increase

Idaho Senator Says That Theory of Restriction and Restraint Is a Mistake.

Washington.—The hope of finding a way out of the nation's economic maze was described by Senator Borah as lying "in expansion, in production, in distribution" rather than in a program of restriction and curtailed output of industry. A policy of destruction and restraint upon initiative, energy and production, Borah said, has come from the view that overproduction is "one of the great contributing causes of our present trouble." He said this policy would end "in a great detriment to our nation as a whole and long retard recovery."

The Idahoan renewed his often repeated charges of monopoly under NRA codes and assailed the farm administration's program of crop reduction. Plans to cut corn, cotton, wheat and tobacco acreage would take 43 millions acres out of production and decrease the farm population 3,250,000, Borah said. Yet it is proposed, he added, to send some 2 million persons from industrial centers back to the farm.

"We should leave these people on the land and do everything we can to keep them on the land," the senator asserted. In advocating a policy of expansion, Borah advised building up foreign trade and efforts to restore the medium of exchange to the people of Russia and the Orient.

He said the answer to crop reduction was in restoration of purchasing power, adding: "An effort is now being made to increase wages and shorten hours. If the future is to be judged by the past, the raise will be charged back to the workman in increased prices. The purchasing power of the people is constantly undermined and decreased by the power of monopolies to fix the prices."

#### NOTICE TO FILE CLAIMS

To Creditors of the Bank of Murdock, Nebraska: Notice is hereby given that on the 19th day of March, 1934, the undersigned, E. H. Luskart, Superintendent of Banking of the State of Nebraska, made and entered an order pursuant to the terms of which all creditors and persons having claims against the Bank of Murdock, Nebraska, are ordered to file the same with the Department of Banking, at its office in the Bank of Murdock, in the City of Murdock, Nebraska, on or before the 15th day of May, 1934, under the penalty of having their claims not so filed forever barred, unless for lawful reasons shown permission may be given to file claim within six months after the date of said order.

Any creditors not receiving through the mail, proper form for filing claim may obtain same at the office of the Department of Banking in the Bank of Murdock, Nebraska. E. H. LUSKART, Superintendent of Banks. m22-2tw

#### MARRIED AT CITY HALL

Thursday afternoon at the city hall occurred the marriage of Miss Helen Stokes of Red Oak, Iowa, and Carl Gibson of the same city. The young people secured the services of Judge C. L. Graves, "the marrying squire," who in his impressive manner pronounced the words that made the two man and wife. They were accompanied by Tharon Krell, of Omaha, who with Chief of Police Joe Libenthal, served as the witness for the ceremony.

#### ATTEND FUNERAL SERVICES

From Thursday's Daily Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Patterson of this city were at Omaha today where they attended the funeral of Frank Wilcox, 74, a brother-in-law of Mrs. Patterson, whose sister was killed in an auto accident two years ago. The services were held at the Masonic Temple at Omaha and in charge of Nebraska lodge No. 1, A. F. & A. M. of which Mr. Wilcox was a veteran member and had filled the various offices in the lodge.

#### NOTICE ALL LANDOWNERS

Please send definite location of any lost or obliterated government section corners on or around your land, to this office as soon as possible, also state if the present section corners are liable to destruction. R. D. FITCH, JR., Cass County Surveyor. m17-2tw-3td

#### CLOVER SEED

Red and Sweet clover seed for sale. John McCarthy, Nebraska City, Neb., phone 5011. m22-3tw

### ANNOUNCING—OUR NEW LOCATION Cornhusker Hatchery & Chick Stores

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HAVE A DISAGREEMENT MAY EXPAND AIR SCHEDULES Thursday afternoon a disagreement between two well known residents of the city occurred which resulted in one of the participants receiving a badly bruised face where it had come in contact with the fist of the other participant. The injured party was taken to the county jail by Sheriff Sylvester and the injuries dressed. There being no complaint filed by either party to the trouble the sheriff allowed the man in his custody to return to his home.

TO VISIT IN OMAHA From Friday's Daily Janet and Ruth Westover departed this afternoon for Omaha where they are to enjoy the week end as guests of Almeta Nyquist, popular youthful radio star and who was heard on the Woman's club program today. The sisters will also be heard over the radio on Saturday morning from station KICK, appearing with the Bollinger band on the program.

STOCK CERTIFICATES TAKEN Detroit.—Brokers were notified of the theft of 110 stock certificates from the trust department of the National Bank of Detroit. The value of the stolen certificates was estimated at \$100,000, but officials said they were non-negotiable. The shares were of the Auto City Brewing company, and H. W. Rickell & Co.

#### BOY'S SKIN BLEEDING

Omaha.—Clarence Hall, Jr., 16, of Bardett, Neb., is critically ill at a local hospital of purpura hemorrhagica, a bleeding of the skin and mucous membranes. He had been in good health until Wednesday, and walked into the hospital Wednesday night unaided. His father furnished blood for a transfusion.

#### BANK ROBBER SENT UP

Ottawa, Ill.—Jacob Pearson, 32, arrested in Chicago after a twenty months' hunt, pleaded guilty to participation in the \$52,000 robbery of the Union National bank of Streator and was sentenced to serve from one to twenty years in prison. Pearson's sentence accounted for the last member of a band of ten involved in the bank robbery, in May of 1932.

#### SLAYER GETS LIFE TERM

Huron, S. D.—Edwin C. Sanford, 63, Cavour bachelor, pleaded guilty to first degree murder in connection with the slaying of L. A. Hahn, Cavour, and was sentenced to life imprisonment by Circuit Judge Taylor.

It's the belief that whenever a man reaches that stage in his where his activities are subject to government investigation, he can truly be said to be getting up in the world and should be listed among the successful. Journal Want-Ads get results!

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### Sheba's Lost Capital Found?



Circle on above map shows approximate position at which the French fliers, Captain Cornillon-Molignier and Andre Malraux, reported they had discovered the long-lost capital of the Queen of Sheba. The city, runs the report, is situated on the north boundary of Ruba-el-Khal in the Arabian Desert, about 1,000 miles southeast of Jerusalem.