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HOUSE OVERRIDES VETO OF BONUS BILL DESPITE ROOSEVELT OBJECTIONS

Lower Chamber Casts Vote Of 322 to 98 After Listening To Message Delivered By President

SENATE DEFERS ITS DEBATE UPON ISSUE UNTIL THIS MORNING

Senators Limited To 30 Minutes In Discussion Of Veto; Final Vote Expected To Sustain Presidential Veto May Not Come Until Tomorrow; Chief Executive, Setting Precedent By Appearing Personally To Deliver Veto Message, Rejects Cash Payment Proposal In Emphatic Manner; Cites Generous Treatment of Veterans Of World War And Describes Patman Proposal As "Gratuity"; Refutes All Arguments Advanced In Its Behalf, But Leaves Possible Compromise Loophole.

Washington, May 22.—Swiftly overriding President Roosevelt's forbidding veto warning of "disastrous consequences," the House today re-passed the Patman bonus bill and sent the new money plan to an almost certain death in the Senate.

The Representatives voted 322 to 98 to make the \$2,200,000,000 measure law over the Presidential veto.

The huge majority—many more than the two-thirds needed—was rolled up only minutes after Mr. Roosevelt personally assailed the "deceptively easy method" of paper money payment before a joint Senate-House session and overflowing galleries.

Capitol Packed
The first personally-delivered veto message of history drew throngs that packed the capitol to overflowing. But except for notables and their wives, most were forced to be content with a glimpse of the Chief Executive going to and from the Capitol and with snatches of applause which echoed through the corridors.

Despite the almost instantaneous House action, the more deliberate Senate decided to wait until tomorrow to consider the Presidential message which with the House, it heard flay "printing press money" as an invitation of "an ultimate reckoning in uncontrollable prices and in the destruction of the value of savings."

Thomas (D-Okla.) leader of the Senate Patman inflationary forces, gained the delay on grounds that the message needed more study. Administration forces, expressing confidence the bill could be stopped with the 35 votes they claim have stood fast during terrific pressure of the past few weeks, agreed to the postponement with the understanding Senators could not speak longer than 30 minutes. This, however, did not necessarily mean a vote tomorrow.

Still Fighting
Fighting desperately, but apparently hopelessly, to gain a few votes after Mr. Roosevelt's blunt assertion that full cash payment of the bonus represented "a new straight gratuity or bounty to the amount of \$1,800,000,000," the Patman forces already were looking ahead to a new drive for legislation after the final vote ballot. Roosevelt forces thought they saw a possible compromise loophole in the deadlock between Congress and the White House in Mr. Roosevelt's suggestion that \$750 was the outside limit of what now was owed the veterans.

This approximated the figure proposed in the Harrison compromise which the Senate rejected in favor of full payment. But payment leaders gave little heed to this implication in the message and drew scant applause when read to the joint Senate-House assembly.

Also jutting prominently from the carefully-prepared Presidential veto were these words:

"The complete failure of the Congress to provide additional taxes for an additional expenditure of this magnitude would in itself and by itself alone warrant disapproval of this measure."
Most comment on the President's message—Democratic and Republican alike—was favorable, but held no sign of important vote shifts. The House ballot showed a net gain of four votes against the Patman bill, and Senate leader questioned even this much change on their side, though Representative Patman (D-Tex.) author of the bill, contended one Senate vote "might still decide the issue."

Look To Senate
In Cheyenne, Wyo., the House ballot overriding the veto was praised as
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H.O.L.C. Bonds Are Called

All outstanding Home Owner's Loan Corporation bonds, bearing 4 percent interest, of Series 1933-51, have been called for redemption on July 1, 1935, and will cease to bear interest on that date. Holders of these bonds have been offered the privilege of exchanging these bonds for a 4-year 1 1/2 percent bonds of the H. O. L. C., dated and bearing interest from June 1, 1935, and fully and unconditionally guaranteed, both as to interest and principal, by the U. S. Government.

If the above offer of exchange is not accepted, the Home Owners' Loan Corporation 4's will be paid at par July 1, 1935.

For further information, see your local banker.

Our Correspondents

We are decidedly proud of our correspondents and appreciate the many newsy items sent us from week to week, but we are especially proud of three of the most outstanding. The column, "The Question Box," by Rev. J. F. Herbert, and the "Short Sermon," by Rev. Joe B. Currin, and the column headed "Views and Reviews," are worth more than passing notice. We have had many compliments on all of these, but especially have we had many expressions of delight in reading Views and Reviews. The author of this column is more than an ordinary contributor and if you are not following these articles you are missing a real treat.

Farmers Invited To Witness Wheat Demonstration

Improved Wheat after Soil Improvement To Be Shown At Mr. T. B. Davis' Farm Friday At 3:00 P. M.

County Farm Agent H. K. Sanders has written 100 farmers in Allensville Township to meet at the farm of Mr. T. B. Davis Friday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock, May 24th, for the purpose of inspecting 2 acres of an improved variety of wheat which is growing on a piece of land where lespedeza has been growing for the past two years. This wheat is being grown beside our native Red May wheat.

The improved variety of wheat that our farmers are asked to come to see is called "Red Heart." This wheat is an improved Little Red or Red May wheat as we know it in Person County. Mr. David R. Coker, of Hartsville, S. C., took our native wheat and improved it over a period of years until it will increase the yield over our native wheat at least 25 to 33 per cent. In addition to this, Mr. D. R. Coker has succeeded in getting this new improved wheat to mature at least 14 to 21 days earlier than our native Little Red or Red May wheat.

Mr. W. W. Rogers, of the Bethel Hill section, conducted an experiment with Red Hart wheat about three years ago, and he found that it increased his production at least 33 per cent.

If you believe that blood will tell in animals, you should by all means attend this Field Meeting Friday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock to see that improved seed also will tell.

All farmers interested in larger wheat yields per acre through improved seed wheat are urged to attend this Field Meeting.

Question: Why should we sow ordinary wheat when improved wheat will give us 33 per cent more wheat for the same labor.

COME TO SEE THIS WHEAT GROWING DEMONSTRATION.

"Leasburg Commencement"

The seventh grade of Leasburg school will give their graduating exercises at the school building Friday night, May 24th at eight o'clock. Among those receiving certificates at this time are Ella Harris and Frank Winstead, Jr. The public is cordially invited.

AN UNUSUAL OCCURRENCE



Reading from left to right, standing: Vurlest Tuck, Murlest Tuck, Rachel Carver, Gracie Carver, Annie Katherine Barnett, Annie Laurie Barnett; seated: Bruce Pulliam and Talmadge Pulliam.
The above four-sets of twins were baptized by Rev. W. F. West, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Roxboro, on the same evening.

WINES AND CIDERS MAY BE PROCURED FOR HOME USE

County Commissioners Have Right To Prohibit Manufacture And Sale

Alcoholic Content Limited To Natural Fermentation

Tom Bost has gotten hold of a copy of the wine and cider law and sent it to the Greensboro News. This shows that the board of county commissioners in any county may veto the whole wine and cider law. And that means a fight in every county. The act reads as follows:

"Section 1. That it shall be lawful for all persons growing crops, either wild or cultivated grapes, fruits or berries to make therefrom light domestic wines or wines having only such alcoholic content as natural fermentation may produce, for the use of his or their family and guests.

"Section 2. That any grower of such crops may make such wines, sell and transport the same to any person, firm, or corporation in the state engaged either as wholesaler or retailer of food products, such wines to be sold in original packages not for consumption on the premises, except in hotels and bona fide restaurants engaged in selling food and serving meals.

"Section 3. Any person, firm or corporation authorized to do business in the state, may under regulations set out by the commissioner of agriculture and approved by the governor, engage in the processing of fruits, grapes or berries, or juices produced therefrom and grown within the state, by natural-fermentation into light domestic wines, and such wines shall be classified and recognized as food and distributed as such.

"Section 4. The commissioner of agriculture shall promulgate and publish such reasonable rules and regulations.
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First Lady To Deliver Final Address at U.N.C.

Invitation Extended On Behalf Of President Graham By Ambassador Daniels

Mrs. Anna Elinor Roosevelt, wife of President Franklin D. Roosevelt, has accepted the invitation of Dr. Frank P. Graham, President of the Greater University of North Carolina, to deliver the commencement address at Chapel Hill on June 11.

It will be the first time in the history of the country's oldest state university that a woman has delivered the address which is an annual occurrence at the time when diplomas are awarded graduating students and honorary degrees are presented to those receiving them. Mrs. Roosevelt has spoken several times in North Carolina.

The invitation was delivered by Ambassador Josephus Daniels, United States representative to the government of Mexico, and a trustee of the University, on behalf of President Graham. Mr. Daniels will attend the exercises, immediately after which he will leave for his ambassadorial duties in Mexico City.

Recommended For Employment Office

At a meeting of the local board, with a number of citizens, Mr. G. Harold Thaxton was recommended as manager of the employment office for Roxboro and Person County. It is hoped this office will be opened here soon, as it will be quite a convenience for the unemployed.

New Enterprise

Four young progressive business men have opened up a new store in a small way, their store building being an old cribhouse located just back of the new tennis court that has recently been built on Lamar Street. The proprietors are: Bubber Winstead, Jim Winstead, Hayden Newell, and Barden Winstead. The All-American Red, White and Blue Store is the name and the slogan is "Give The Boys In The Crib A Break." The boys will engage in a general line of groceries with delivery to your door.

PASTOR RETURNS

Rev. J. F. Herbert, who is holding special evangelistic services at Leesburg, Virginia, has written that he will be back in Roxboro on the coming Saturday and will preach at eleven o'clock at Long Memorial Church.

ATTENDED GRADUATION EXERCISES WEDNESDAY

Mesdames Ruth Stephens, Margaret Strayhorn, J. F. Herbert, and J. J. Winstead attended the graduating exercises at Mary Elizabeth Hospital in Raleigh Wednesday. Miss Virginia Stephens was a member of the graduating class.

Mrs. Bettie Huff Died Wed. After A Long Illness

Mrs. Huff Had Been Resident Of Hurdle Mills Section For Many Years, Was Widow Of Lucius Huff

FUNERAL SERVICES ON THURSDAY P. M.

Mrs. Lucius Huff, 79, and widow of the late Lucius Huff, passed away Wednesday morning at 7:40 a. m. following a long illness.

Surviving are three daughters: Mrs. Aubrey Long, of Roxboro, Mrs. Tom Gentry of Hurdle Mills, and Mrs. Geo. Whitfield of Roxboro; two sons, Messrs. John and Nat Huff of Roxboro and one brother, Mr. John Gentry of Timberlake. Her husband, Mr. Lucius Huff, preceded her to the grave several years ago.

Funeral services were conducted from the home of Mrs. W. J. Huff near Hurdle Mills Thursday afternoon at 2:30 p. m. Burial was made in the family cemetery.

Presbyterian Services To Close Sunday Evening

Rev. J. H. Caligan Has Been Doing Some Fine Preaching In This Series.

NO SATURDAY EVENING SERVICE

The series of services that have been going on at the Presbyterian Church each night this week will come to a close with the Sunday evening sermon.

Rev. J. H. Caligan of Valdese, N. C. has given his hearers some rare sermons since he began the series on Monday evening. Taking as the theme of the meeting that song "More Like The Master," this visiting preacher has entered into a study of that portion of the Bible which deals with the "Sermon on The Mount."

"Jesus was more of a teacher and leader of men than he was a preacher" Mr. Caligan pointed out in some of his messages.

Rev. Mr. Caligan does not use high-powered evangelism in presenting his sermons, but rather he uses the simple, straightforward method of preaching that distinguishes him as a student of the Bible and a man with a firm conviction in the faith that it teaches.

Rev. Thomas Hamilton and the Presbyterian Church are to be congratulated on having Mr. and Mrs. Caligan here for this week.

Services will be conducted each evening during the remainder of this week with the exception of Saturday evening.

Civic Group Will Have Farmer-Club Meet In Near Future

Monday Night's Program Was In Hands Of George Currin And Bill Warren

WINNER OF KIWANIS AWARD PRESENT

Some time in the near future the Kiwanis Club will have as its guests several farmers from over the county. Each member will invite a farmer friend of his to the meeting. This program is in accordance with the Kiwanis International organization to build better understanding among all the citizens of a given community.

Meeting Monday night in the Community with Vice-President B. B. Knight presiding the above question was put before the house and enthusiastically carried. A committee was appointed to work out the details and report at the next meeting which will be Monday night.

The chairman of the program committee turned the meeting over to Geo. Currin and Bill Warren, in charge for the evening. Mr. Warren delivered a very instructive and educational lecture on "Electrical Furnaces."

Bobby Michaels, President of the graduating class of 1935 from the Roxboro High School, and an active leader in his class, was present for the meeting. Bobby was awarded the Kiwanis Award for outstanding leadership in school activities and citizenship, an award which will be presented annually to the student who is adjudged deserving of it in the graduating class of the high school.

Mr. Walter Dodge was another guest present for this meeting.

New Residence On Charles Street

It happens so often that when a new residence is built here it is not news. Rev. Joe B. Currin is building a bungalow on Charles Street, which will care for one more family, but if you want it you will be wise to contact Mr. Currin quick.

LOCATES LOST SISTER

Los Angeles.—Through the medium of a chain letter, Bert Johnson located a sister whom he had lost track of fifteen years ago.

Local FHA Setup Organized Here Wednesd'y Night

F H A Representative From Asheville Here To Explain Setup. Committee Appointed To Make A Survey

Mr. Marion Bolick, representative of the Federal Housing Administration, met with a group of local citizens Wednesday night in the Grand Jury room at the Courthouse to explain the method in which the FHA would operate.

Any responsible person who wishes to build a house or repair one can apply for a loan under this setup, have it guaranteed by the government, get his money, and have as many as twenty years to pay it back.

As Mr. Bolick pointed out this is strictly a business proposition wherein the borrower is given ample time to repay the loan. He must have a regular income, and it is felt that it would be best if his monthly payments did not exceed twenty-two and one half per cent of his income. Thus a man with a hundred dollar per month income could care for a \$3,000 loan, for under this setup you are required to pay back \$7.00 per month per thousand dollars borrowed.

Subject to approval from state headquarters the following committee was appointed to look after the local survey: Mr. S. F. Nicks, Jr. chairman; Mr. J. S. Merritt, secretary, Messrs. Hugh Sawyer, J. T. Bradsher, E. E. Bradsher, D. S. Brooks, Anderson Timberlake, Gilmer Masten, Burke Mewborne.

The FHA will have a booth at the Exposition to be held here next week and a representative will be there all the week to answer any questions that may come up.

Ladies Costume For Club Meet Wed. Afternoon

Literary Club Entertained Research And Reviewers Clubs At Community House

MOTHER GOOSE WAS THE THEME

Fidelity, romance, fiction and nursery rhymes reigned again Wednesday afternoon in the land of Mother Goose, which under normal conditions is none other than the prosaic community House.

The Thursday afternoon Literary Club entertained the Research and Reviewers Clubs Wednesday afternoon at the Community house. The invitations were in the form of poetry, and requested that each guest come in costume, representing a character in fiction, comic strip, history, or nursery rhyme.

Here is a list of the ladies present and the characters they represented:

Mrs. J. F. Herbert greeted the following guests at the door attired as Alice in Wonderland and invited them into the realm of Mother Goose. Mrs. K. L. Street as Madam Butterfly, Mrs. S. B. Davis as Mrs. Cornelia Spencer, Misses Eloise Newell, Billie Street, and Elizabeth Long as the Three Fiddlers, Mrs. H. K. Sanders as Ole King Cole, Mrs. W. F. West as Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch, Mrs. J. J. Winstead as Tom Sawyer, Mrs. A. F. Nichols as Minnie Ha Ha, Mrs. E. P. Dunlap as Mistress Mary, Quite Contrary, Mrs. W. T. Pass as Little Women, Mrs. I. O. Abbitt as Queen Victoria with escort, Mrs. E. B. Craven as Simple Simeon, Mrs. W. E. Malone as a Wooden Soldier, Mrs. H. L. Crowell as Mother Hubbard, Mesdames B. B. Strum, R. M. Spencer and R. A. Whitfield as gypsies, Mrs. J. A. Beam as Mary Had A Little Lamb, Mrs. J. H. Hughes as Kit of the Dutch Twins, Mrs. A. M. Burns as Little Eva, and Mrs. Hugh Woods as Simple Simeon.

BANKING ROW

The row over the pending banking bill finds opponents divided, with some believing that monetary control should be with private banks and others holding that a free play of economic forces will work best. Of course, advocates of the bill want public control of monetary and credit policies.