

TEACHERS' PAY
INCREASE VOTEDAffects the Entire State;
Local Cost May Reach
\$475,000.

The teachers' minimum pay raise bill which today awaited Governor Schricker's signature may bring salary increases to nearly every teacher in the Indianapolis school system, it was learned today.

The bill affects the entire state, raising the minimum salary from \$800 to \$1000 a year, but school city spokesmen said its effect on Indianapolis probably would be to raise salaries "all down the line."

Although Robert Wyatt, executive secretary of the Indiana State Teachers' association, said it would raise salaries only about \$41,000, the spokesmen said they expected it to cost Indianapolis about \$475,000.

See Revision Necessary

They said that the entire teachers' salary scale here would have to be revised.

Directly affected here would be 20 "beginning" teachers now earning less than \$140 a month; 319 with A. B. degrees who are getting \$180 or less a month, and 25 with master's degrees who are earning \$180 a month or less.

The salary revision would go into effect with the next school year starting Sept. 1. The bill provides that the minimum pay for teachers with 72 weeks or less of professional training shall be \$125 per month.

Raises Are Graduated

For each year of teaching experience up to and including their eighth year, the teachers in this group would receive \$2.50 a month additional for each year.

It also provides that \$2.50 a month shall be added for each 18 weeks of additional professional training until the teacher shall have earned 126 weeks of professional training.

For teachers who have completed 144 or more weeks of professional training, salaries will be \$150 per month with \$2.50 a month added for each year of teaching experience up to and including the 10th additional year.

PLAN TO GARNISHEE
ON DELINQUENT TAX

The state gross income tax division will seek to collect delinquent gross income taxes by filing of circuit court suits under the state garnishee law, Gilbert K. Hewitt, director of the division, said today.

The suits will name both the delinquent taxpayer and his employer. They will ask that employers be ordered to take out of the defendant's wages an amount equal to 10 per cent of all he earns above \$15 a week until the delinquent tax, penalties and interest are paid.

Previously the division has collected delinquent taxes by suits for judgment against the taxpayer's property.

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JUDGES' SALARY
BILL DEFEATEDSenate Blocks Allen and
St. Joseph Raises in 1st
Night Session.

The first night session of the senate yesterday produced an economy drive which resulted in defeat of a bill making possible an increase in the salaries of judges of Allen and St. Joseph counties.

Heading a protest by Senate President Pro Tem Thurman A. Biddinger (R. Marion) that "we are beginning to get into bad repute with the people because of these salary grab bills," the upper house killed the measure by a vote of 18 to 26.

Senator Biddinger pointed out that "we have had introduced in the legislature some 160 bills raising the salaries of the legislators themselves, judges, state employees and numerous others."

Draw Beardley Fire

The bill, which would have permitted the commissioners of the two counties to raise the salaries of their circuit and superior court judges a maximum of \$5800 upon petitions by 100 resident freeholders, also drew the fire of Senator Edward H. Beardley (R. Elkhart).

He said that "in passing on these salary grab bills we lose sight of the fact that industry cannot raise the wages of its employees during the present emergency. Therefore we are not justified in raising the salary of any public official."

The senate passed unanimously a bill prohibiting the imposition of milk inspection fees levied by some boards of health for the purpose of inspecting dairy farms.

Regulate Horse Meat

The upper house also passed a measure regulating the sale of horse meat. The bill prescribes certain advertising standards which must be complied with by all establishments serving or selling horse meat.

The bill provides that every restaurant serving horse meat must advertise that fact on their menus.

The senate defeated a motion by Senator Samuel Johnson (R. Anderson) to force out of the senate Judiciary B committee a house resolution amending the state constitution to fix the terms of county officers at four years.

O. E. S. MEETING SET

Naomi chapter, O. E. S., will hold a stated meeting and election of officers at 8 p. m. Monday in the Masonic temple, North and Illinois sts. Mrs. Elizabeth Wigal is worthy matron and William H. Hartman worthy patron.

NAVY IS WARNED
ON MANPOWERClothing Fund Cut Down to
Require Congressional
O. K. on Increases.

WASHINGTON, March 3 (U. P.).—The house appropriations committee today approved a \$4,265,946,838 supplemental appropriation for the navy, but cautioned against the armed services drawing too heavily upon the nation's manpower supply.

Rear Admiral Randall Jacobs, chief of the bureau of navy personnel, had testified before a subcommittee that the navy expected to total 2,800,000 officers and enlisted men by June, 1944.

Other testimony showed that as of Feb. 1, there were 126,700 officers and 1,159,600 enlisted men in the navy.

Admiral Jacobs told the subcommittee that the navy expects casualties amounting to 10 per cent of its total personnel. Jacobs said that fewer than 10 per cent of the navy's present strength has been involved in active combat, and total casualties have amounted to 19,022.

Cut Clothing Fund

The committee, in explaining why it had reduced a proposed clothing and small store fund from \$147,240,000 to \$100,000,000, said: "While no ceiling had been imposed by law upon naval enlisted strength built up through the reserve, an expansion of such magnitude should be the subject of careful scrutiny and recommendation to the house naval affairs committee."

"With the manpower situation presently confronting us, it would seem highly important that the navy's man expansion program should be held to such minimum number as may be consistent with reasonably potential demands."

The committee cut the navy's supplemental appropriation \$196,803,017 below budget requests. A net reduction of \$187,793,417 was made in the request for \$4,000,000,000 for general purposes, and \$9,009,600 was cut from a \$250,000,000 request for contractual authority for public works projects.

3205 Ships Now

Highlights of testimony: On Jan. 1, 1943, the navy had 3205 ships in commission with 4998 due to be in commission by June, 1944.

In a majority of cases, navy WAVES have given better service at desk jobs than the commissioned officers and enlisted men they replaced. Secretary of the Navy Frank Knox supplied this "very good and sufficient reason" for the conclusion: "The average man in the navy department wants to go to sea. They do not want to be behind a desk while the average woman has no expectation of going to sea and she comes with a fine spirit of patriotism and, consequently, does better work."

The navy goes for motion pictures in a big way in its training program. Testimony before the appropriations committee revealed the navy planned purchase of 6500 motion picture projectors year.

The navy has felt the higher cost of living, too. Rear Admiral W. B. Young, paymaster general, revealed that the navy now spends 60 cents per day per man to feed its personnel. In 1933, it was 38 cents; in 1936, 46 cents, and in 1937, 48.4 cents.

The navy's per diem for midshipmen, however, is 80 cents. This, according to Rep. Albert Thomas (D. Tex.) is because "these boys eat a little higher up on the hog than the rest of the navy."

Rear Admiral Young said the navy's food conservation program works this way. If a sailor leaves a slice of bread or a potato on his plate after mess, he is ordered to eat it. Next time the sailor does not put so much on his plate.

"Now in a hundred plates you would not find enough to feed a hungry hog," he said.

The navy's plans for African operations even include immunization against the tsetse fly-carrier of sleeping sickness. Rear Admiral Ross T. McIntire, navy surgeon general, told the committee "we have a chemical that we use by mouth that immunizes completely for three months at a time."

SENATE INDORSES
NEWSPAPER BILL

The senate yesterday passed the house measure providing that persons who get newspapers from boys under 18 must pay their paper bill or be liable to a jail sentence of 30 days or a fine of \$25.

At the request of Senator Charles Phelps (R. Ft. Wayne), who asked those members of the upper house who had once served newspapers to rise, 17 senators stood up.

The bill now goes to the house for concurrence in the senate amendments which changed the provisions of the bill from a mandatory jail sentence of 60 days and a fine of \$25 to make the penalties permissive.

CARDINAL HINSLY BETTER

LONDON, March 3 (U. P.).—Arthur Cardinal Hinsley, archbishop of Westminster, spent a "good night" after showing slight improvement last evening, it was announced today. The head of the Catholic church in England is gravely ill following a heart attack.

When Colds Cause SORE THROAT

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Sunnyside to Name Manager
Under Bill Sent to Governor

The state senate today passed the bill to permit the Sunnyside sanatorium's board of directors to appoint the institution's business manager. The measure now goes to Governor Schricker for his signature.

The bill was introduced in the house early in the session following charges before the grand jury that "watered" milk and above-ceiling-price meat had been supplied to the hospital patients.

Senator John Atherton (R. Indianapolis) described the Sunnyside situation as "terrible."

"I'm bringing no charges here," said, "but the fact remains that all the people in the world who should be entitled to good, wholesome food they are the ones suffering from tuberculosis."

The senator declared that the persons interested in the "Sunnyside scandal" believe that the board of directors of the hospital would be more interested in the hospital than the county commissioners or other official bodies.

12 Italian Army Divisions
Are Withdrawn From Russia

BERN, March 3 (U. P.).—Premier Benito Mussolini has withdrawn 12 divisions—the major part of the Italian expeditionary force—from Russia for a rest before stepping up the Italian war effort in line with his promises to Adolf Hitler, reports from Rome said today.

(A Swedish telegraph bureau dispatch from Rome said the 12 divisions constituted all Italian troops in Russia.)

(A Rome dispatch to the Stockholm newspaper Dagens Nyheter said Hitler and Mussolini agreed that the Italian army henceforth errand area while Germany and her other allies concentrate on Russia. In addition, the dispatch said, Italy is expected to send 2,000,000 Italian workers to Germany to work in war plants.)

Expected to Return

An order of the day from Mussolini addressed to the eighth Italian army disclosed the return of his forces from the eastern front, admittedly after heavy losses.

After a rest during which their ranks will be reinforced, the Italian forces will return to the Soviet front, Rome reports indicated. Fresh divisions also are due to be sent to Russia, it was said.

Hitler and Mussolini met last Wednesday somewhere along the Italo-German frontier in what

ORDERS BIDS ON
GARBAGE PLANTWorks Board Authorizes
Specifications; Project
To Cost \$50,000.

Bids on complete rehabilitation for the garbage reduction plant here will be opened soon, Donald Bloodgood, superintendent said.

The works board today ordered him to prepare specifications for the estimated \$50,000 project which will include installation of 32 new garbage tanks used to reduce waste to usable by-products.

Mr. Bloodgood said city bonds would be issued to pay for the reconstruction.

Priority Seems Assured

In granting the city priorities for purchase of the metal cookers, E. W. Wilson, chief of the glycerin and fats division of the federal food distribution administration, said: "The production of garbage grease is of vital importance to the war effort, and if the cost of rehabilitating your plant is not too great, we certainly recommend that the necessary priorities be given you."

The plant has been contributing substantial quantities of reduced fats and glycerin to the war effort.

Six Months Required

Mr. Bloodgood said he anticipated "great difficulty" in obtaining bids on the work which will require approximately 190 tons of metal.

Should bids on construction be let, it will be at least three months before tank reinstallation will be started, he said, adding that the project completion.

At present the reduction plant is operating at about 60 per cent of capacity with tanks being used under low pressure only. All 32 of the tanks were partially condemned in January as safety hazards by state boiler inspectors.

PLAN SEABEE CENTER

WASHINGTON, March 3 (U. P.).—The navy announced yesterday that a new training center for the seabees—U. S. navy construction battalions—will be dedicated April 4 at Davisville, R. I.

Kin of Navy Men
Spur Bond Sales

MARION COUNTY'S navy folks, parents, wives and friends of men in the navy, will meet at 8 p. m. tomorrow at the world war memorial to name their chairman for the volunteer sales force to help sell war bonds.

The call for "navy volunteers" was issued today by Robert A. Adams, county executive chairman of the war savings staff. They will help staff bond booths and work in the \$4,777,000 county campaign for March.

"Marion county must do its share in Indiana's plan to sell \$22,000,000 in bonds during March to pay for new Vincennes," Mr. Adams said. "These navy folk, we believe, will be more than willing to prove to the Japs that they can't sink an Indiana ship."

GOVERNOR O. K.'S
WOMAN WORK BILL

Governor Schricker today signed the bill legalizing the employment of women in industry during night hours and on Sundays.

The law formerly forbade their employment after 10 p. m.

The measure was held necessary because of the present war emergency which forces factories to employ women "around the clock."

All employers who desire to employ women at night and who wish to ratify such present employment must file written notices with the commissioner of labor.

The law is retroactive to Dec. 7, 1941, when the employment of women on night shifts first began to be necessary.

Among 14 other bills signed by the governor was a bill requiring all public officials to file annual reports of the names of their employees, their addresses, duties and salaries with the office of state examiner of the department of inspection and supervision of public officers.

JUVENILE HOME
FIRE REVEALED40 Children Threatened;
Girls Start Blaze,
Rhoads Says.

Lives of more than 40 children were menaced by a fire at the Juvenile Detention home Monday, Judge Mark Rhoads of juvenile court, revealed today.

The detention home on W. New York st. has been condemned for more than two years as a "fire trap" and a health hazard. No action has been taken to establish a new home.

Judge Rhoads said the fire was started deliberately by "three girls. One of them, he said, confessed that they started the flames thinking all inmates would be released.

Ignites Curtain

She is said to have ignited a window curtain, but another became frightened before the flames had gained much headway. She spread the alarm, calling an attendant, who extinguished the blaze. The fire department was not called.

"Some children are bound to resort to such dangerous tricks to escape from an institution and starting fires in the present detention home may result in loss of lives unless something is done," Judge Rhoads said.

Efforts have been made by child welfare groups and court judges for five years to get a new detention home, but county commissioners have failed repeatedly on all projects proposed in connection with a new home.

Last December the grand jury warned county commissioners that they might face charges of criminal negligence in the event of some accident at the detention home.

FORMS FINN GOVERNMENT

STOCKHOLM, March 3 (U. P.).—Vasimos Hakkila, Social Democrat and speaker of the Finnish parliament, has been entrusted with the formation of a new government by President Risto Ryti, Helsinki dispatches disclosed today.

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