

# Gates Favors Cigarette Tax

## FUNDS URGED FOR PROPOSED HEALTH WORK

Governor Eyes Revenue as Means of Financing Long-Range Plan.

Governor Gates said today he would approve a tax on cigarettes to finance a long range health program for Indiana.

He expressed belief proceeds of such a tax, ranging from one to five cents a pack, should be distributed partly to state agencies and partly to local units.

"Indiana needs a long-range health program," he said, "and that is too big a proposition to be financed out of current tax revenues."

"The actual proposal of a cigarette tax would have to come from the state health council, which is studying the matter."

Dr. LeRoy Burney, state health commissioner, said a one-cent tax in Indiana would raise in the neighborhood of \$2,000,000 annually.

Governor Gates said the present \$55,000,000 balance in the state treasury could not be used for the health program because it "must be maintained to protect our educational and other institutions."

Under Indiana's constitution, the state cannot go into debt and therefore must maintain a reserve for emergency financing.

## AMA PRESIDENT DENIES CONTROL

Promises Offense Against Regimentation.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 5 (U. P.).—Members of the American Medical Association were promised today a continuing "offensive" against regimentation of the nation's health services.

The pledge came from A. M. A.'s new president, Dr. Olin West, of Chicago. He was elected yesterday at the final session of the house of delegates during the A. M. A.'s 95th annual convention.

The house chose Atlantic City for its 1947 convention. Delegates voted tentatively to hold the 1948 meeting in St. Louis and the 1949 convention in New York City.

Dr. West, who resigned only a few months ago as the A. M. A.'s secretary and general manager, received a standing ovation after he attacked persons who claimed a "hierarchy" controlled the A. M. A.

"I have been a member of the A. M. A. for close to 50 years," the 72-year-old president said. "I have looked for a hierarchy since I first heard it mentioned and...I have never found it."

Dr. West also denied charges that the A. M. A. was "always on the defensive."

"We have had to defend ourselves against the evils of regimentation and had not the association's efforts persisted uninterruptedly, we would not still be fighting the Murray-Wagner-Dingell bill. Instead, we would have been its victims seven years ago."

"In defending the cause of medicine, we have assumed the offensive for that cause."

Other officers elected for 1947 were: Vice president, Dr. Edward L. Bortz, Philadelphia; secretary, Dr. George F. Lull, Chicago; treasurer, Dr. J. J. Moore, Chicago; speaker of the house of delegates, Dr. Roy W. Pouts, Omaha; vice speaker of the house, Dr. Francis Borzell, Philadelphia; member of the board of trustees, Dr. C. W. Roberts, Atlanta, Ga.

## \$100,000 Painting Is Bought for \$40

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., July 5 (U. P.).—A painting of the "Descent from the Cross" which has been missing for six years from Harvard university's Fogg museum has been returned by a man who paid \$40 for the masterpiece possibly valued at \$100,000, the university disclosed today.

Recently Mrs. Jean Bullitt Darlington of Westchester, Pa., sued Harvard for \$100,000. She charged she sent the picture to the museum to determine its authenticity and it never was returned.

The museum said it turned the painting over to a man representing himself as Mrs. Darlington's agent. He placed it in a gallery which went out of business.

Harvard officials said the man who purchased the painting from the gallery called the university's lawyers when he saw a story of the missing picture, which either was an original by Peter Paul Rubens or a copy by one of his students.

He returned it to Fogg museum for safekeeping until it could be identified by Mrs. Darlington.

## ROXAS NOMINATES FOREIGN SECRETARY

MANILA, July 5 (U. P.).—Elpidio Quirino, vice president of the Philippines, has been nominated secretary of foreign affairs by President Manuel Roxas, it was announced today.

The nomination came as the new republic rapidly carried through technicalities accompanying formal severing of ties with the United States.

## Mother of Quads Arrives in U. S.



Norah Carpenter, who bore quadruplets to ex-Sgt. William Thompson, Pittsburgh, is shown beside the slipper which carried her and the three surviving children to the United States for her marriage with Mr. Thompson. With her are the children, Maureen (in her arms), Madeline and Michael.

## Expects to Marry Ex-G. I. At Pittsburgh Within Week

NEW YORK, July 5.—Norah Carpenter, unwed British barmaid, brought her three surviving quadruplets to America today to marry their father.

The father—William (Red) Thompson, a Pittsburgh commercial printer who met and fell in love with Miss Carpenter while stationed with the army in England—was not at the airport to meet them.

Friends said Thompson was waiting "nearby" and would soon be reunited with the children and their excited, happy mother.

They also said that Miss Carpenter and Thompson would marry within a week. The marriage was delayed for two and a half years by the refusal of Thompson's wife to give him a divorce.

An hour and 53 minutes after their trans-Atlantic plane landed, Miss Carpenter and the children—Madeline, Maureen and Michael—were taken from the airport in a taxicab to meet Thompson at an undisclosed rendezvous.

Miss Carpenter was nervous and her temper short.

She had agreed to talk briefly with reporters in the airport dining room, but became upset when photographers snapped numerous pictures as she and the children walked from the customs office.

A hostess said she had not eaten any solid food during the entire trip, and had not napped as had the other passengers.

The children, who were described as "good kids," by hostesses, became restive while waiting for customs agents to inspect their baggage, and began crying.

When Miss Carpenter reached the dining room, she lost control. "I can't stand any more of this," she screamed, and turned to Thompson's attorney, Sam Keller of Pittsburgh, who had been at the airport to meet her.

Looks Like Father

He hurried her to a waiting taxicab with Thompson's first cousin, sandy-haired John Warner, a discharged veteran, who looked very much like the pictures of the baby's father.

When photographers tried to snap pictures of her in the cab she pleaded: "Please leave me alone."

Keller said Miss Carpenter and Thompson would wed next week.

They have not obtained a license yet because Pennsylvania law requires a blood test of both principals, and a three-day wait after application.

Attract World's Attention

Miss Carpenter and Thompson attracted worldwide attention when on Feb. 27, 1944, she gave birth to quadruplets, two girls and two boys, at Heaton, England.

She had met and fallen in love with Thompson a year before when he visited the pub where she worked as a barmaid.

Thompson admitted immediately that he was the father of the children and said he wanted to marry their mother as soon as he could get a divorce from his wife in Pittsburgh.

One of the baby boys, MacDonald, died five days after he was born.

Meanwhile, Thompson's wife, Eleanor, whom he married Nov. 11, 1941, announced that she would not give him a divorce because of her religion.

She was a Roman Catholic and Thompson was a non-Catholic. They had no children.

Thompson returned to Pittsburgh July 1, 1945, and as far as anyone knows he never visited his wife.

Last February, Mrs. Thompson

## ENROLLMENT TO RISE AT BUTLER

President Ross Expects All-Time Record.

A record-breaking enrollment at Butler university is expected for the fall semester opening Sept. 16. Dr. M. O. Ross, president, who today announced the calendar for the 1946-47 school year, expressed a belief the fall semester enrollment will exceed the 2500 students now enrolled, largest in the school's history.

Freshman tests and conferences will be held Sept. 9-11. First-year students will enroll Sept. 13-14, while upper classmen will enroll Sept. 12.

Evening division classes will open Sept. 16-21. Mid-semester grade reports will be due Nov. 9. Thanksgiving vacation is scheduled for Nov. 27 to Dec. 2, with Christmas vacation, Dec. 20 to Jan. 6.

Founders' Day Feb. 7

Final fall semester examinations will begin Jan. 27.

Registration for the first semester will open Jan. 27, with instruction starting three days later.

Founders' day exercises are scheduled for Feb. 7. Mid-semester reports will be due March 29, beginning of spring vacation which will last until April 7.

Honor day activities will be held May 8, prior to final examinations scheduled for May 29 to June 5.

June 7 will be alumni reunion and senior class day. Baccalaureate services will be held June 8, with commencement exercises the following day, closing the school year.

## NAME OFFICIALS FOR HORSE SHOW

Event Scheduled July 13-14 At Fairground.

Col. James Seashole of Atlanta, Ga., author of several books on horses and associate editor of National Horseman magazine, has been chosen announcer for the first annual celebration horse show to be held at the fairgrounds July 13 and 14.

Sponsored by the Indiana Association of Tennessee Walking Horse Owners, the three-program event will be open to all types of riding horses.

Russell Fortune Jr., Indianapolis realtor, will serve as ring steward. Warren M. Atkinson, association president, said today.

Among early entries is Star Parader, Tennessee walking mare, owned by Fred Collinge of Wabash, Ind. A well-known mare throughout Indiana, Star Parader has been shown many times in the South.

Pancho, a parade horse owned by Mrs. L. E. Brown of South Bend, a consistent winner, also was among the first entries.

All top horses from this section of the country are expected to be entered in the show. Mrs. Ernest Pace, association secretary, said: Program for the show is:

July 13, 8 p. m.

Tennessee walking mares, open; pleasure horses, open; three gaited, open; junior fine harness; palomino, open; five gaited, open; Tennessee walking stallion or gelding; jumpers, open.

July 14, 2 p. m.

Amateur horsemanship (under 18 years); Tennessee walking colts suckling and yearling; fine harness, open; three gaited amateur; Hooper special Tennessee walking horses; five gaited amateur; western pair; hunters, open.

July 14, 8 p. m.

Junior Tennessee walking horses, open; three-gaited stake; fine harness stake; parade horses; five-gaited stake; Tennessee walking stake; hunters and jumpers stake.

Officers of the association, besides Mr. Atkinson and Mrs. Pace are W. M. Pearce, Connersville, vice president, and J. R. Coshaw, Indianapolis, treasurer.

Members of the board of directors are: S. Porter Pike, Centerville; Harold Kattau, Indianapolis; Earl Marple, Greenfield; Fred Collinge, Wabash; O. K. Mannan, Indianapolis; J. D. Adams, Columbia City; Fred Miller, Portland; Dr. L. E. Wineinger, Westfield, and Dr. O. A. Kopp, Anderson.

SYMINGTON IN JAPAN

TOKYO, July 5 (U. P.).—W. Stuart Symington, assistant secretary of war for air, arrived here today from Bikini for an inspection tour of Japan's air installations.

## IN INDIANAPOLIS

EVENTS TODAY

Indiana Milk Producers Association, luncheon, 12:15 p. m., Lincoln. Brotherhood Railway Clerks, meeting, 7:30 p. m., Lincoln. Indianapolis Redevelopment Committee, luncheon, 12 (noon), Columbia Club.

BIRTHS

At City—L. D. Jettie Canady. At Colman—Warren, Rozella Roberts. At Methodist—Warren, Frances Hutter. Philip, Elizabeth Overman; Lonnie, Evelyn Dorchester; Charles, Ida Alford, and Debra, Mildred Pitsenberger. At St. Vincent—Daniel, Mildred Kovac, and Robert, Martha Ann Bell.

At St. Francis—Albert, Mary Brandt. At City—Lawrence, Nevelsna Ridley. At Colman—Clifford, Grace Adams; Harold, Margie Hart, and John, Clara Shannon. At Methodist—Harold, Margaret French; Marion, Mary Gail; William, Dolores Bond; Edwin, Mary White, and William, Dorothy Cooke. At St. Vincent—Lester, Adis Bedford; Thomas, Grace Young; Bernard, Christine Drew; Martin, Lulu Jackson; Fred, Alice Daulty, and Edward, Frances McClintock.

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