

House Votes To Raise Appropriation For State Training School

Special to The Chronicle.
Columbia, March 1.—Among the amendments proposed to the state appropriations bill last week in the house of representatives, on which roll call votes were taken, were a number which raised the appropriations for various state schools and institutions.
An amendment to raise the appropriation for the State Training school from \$558,326 to \$633,326 was adopted by a 72 to 37 roll call vote. Representatives Milam, Wasson and Culbertson of Laurens county voted for the amendment.
An amendment which increased the appropriation for the School for the Deaf and Blind from \$212,000 to \$326,144 was approved by an 89 to 25 vote. Representatives Culbertson, Milam and Wasson voted in favor of the amendment.
The house adopted two amendments affecting the State Opportunity school. The first of the amendments raised the school's appropriation from \$96,210 to \$135,000. The second decreased the amount to \$114,500. Representatives Culbertson, Milam and Wasson voted in favor of the first amendment and against the second amendment.

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BABSON'S LETTER

(By ROGER BABSON)
Babson Park, Fla., Feb. 26: Of course, farm prices will ultimately be dependent upon supply and demand. With or without parity they are bound to sell lower. Whenever great surpluses occur in any product, black markets develop. Potatoes, which cannot be preserved, may be thrown overboard; but the public will never stand for throwing wheat, corn and other cereals overboard. The cost of living for 1949 will be less than that for 1948.

The above does not mean that the parity subsidy which the farmer now gets will be eliminated. It may automatically and gradually be decreased; but parity for farm products is here to stay. Farmers may at last feel that they are going to be taken care of as have other groups.

The government does not compel the farmer to sell at any definite price, but rather merely offers to "loan" the farmer a parity price of his product. The government calls it a "loan"; but it really is not a loan because, unlike other loans, if the value of the product goes down below the amount of the "loan", the farmer is not compelled to make up this difference. It is a unique proposition of "heads I win, tails you lose" always in favor of the farmer.

When I was a boy there were almost no government subsidies of any kind. As a result, our government which is now spending \$44 billion a year, got on with less than one billion a year. The first subsidy was that of the protective tariff. This was just as much of a subsidy to manufacturers as parity support is now to the farmers. It is very difficult to get tariffs removed after they have once been put on the books. The next subsidy was given to those who would build and operate steamboats. These subsidies have constantly been increased rather than diminished. In the meantime, pension subsidies were given to Civil War veterans, then to Spanish War veterans, and later to World War veterans. These subsidies started in a small way, but here again, they have constantly increased. Labor has received a subsidy by government supporting labor unions and permitting us consumers to be assessed for increased wages.

Perhaps the greatest subsidy is that paid to unneeded government employees. To supply these and other funds income taxes were invented. It is well to remind younger readers that the normal income tax in 1913 was only 1 or 2 per cent and the highest tax for the richest people went up to only 5 per cent. This has gradually been increased so that the normal is now over 20 per cent and taxes gradually increase so that the rich people pay over 90 per cent. Hence, the farmer is justified in asking that he likewise be taken care of as well as these useless government employes in unnecessary government bureaus.

Many talk of parity as a temporary affair, but I can assure farmers that it will be just as permanent as tariffs, soldiers' pensions, labor legislation and income taxes. The parity program may be adjusted from time to time in accordance with general business conditions, but farmers can depend upon it forevermore. I forecast that from now on whatever the administration the farmer will be taken care of as he should be.

The above is one reason why I am optimistic on good farm property as insurance. Large commercial farms may be attacked as other large corporations, although they also deserve protection. I believe, however, that the small sustenance farms which are fairly near good communities are an excellent insurance. Every family should own such a sustenance farm somewhere. This does not mean to leave a good city job and go into farming as a business. I do not recommend small farming as a business, but I do recommend it as an insurance, and as a place to live and get your food, clothing and necessary shelter in case of World War III. Furthermore, as people wake up to the importance of such insurance, these farms will become more in demand and hence, should be a good investment if bought at a right price.

FINAL SETTLEMENT

Take notice that on the 18th day of March, 1949, I will render a final account of my acts and doings as Executrix of the estate of Robert Pressie Neighbors in the office of the Judge of Probate of Laurens County, at 10 o'clock a. m., and on the same day will apply for a final discharge from my trust as Executrix.

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