Drastic Changes Are Urged In State's Education Policy

6-Point Program to Be Given to '49 Legisature

A special legislative committee at Harrisburg has suggested several drastic changes in state educational policies to permit more Pennsylvania girls and boys to attend college.

The suggestions are the result of a two-year study by a 16-member commission headed by Dr. R. L. Johnson, president of Temple University.

The group said this state ranks 37th among the 48 states in the percentage of its population with two or more years of college education.

To improve the state's educational level, the committee recommended:

1. Expansion of Pennsylvania's engineering colleges to permit a 20 percent increase in enrollment.

2. That Penn State College devote more attention to two-year courses in vocational agriculture —even, if necessary, at the expense of other school activities.

3. That more junior and community courses be set up to reduce the cost of continuing education beyond high school. These school should offer courses in the technical, commercial, agricultural and home-making fields.

4. Restriction of the number of out-of-state students permitted to attend Pennsylvania's medical and dental schools. Almost half of the students of these schools are from other states.

5. That the 14 state teacher colleges give their "immediate attention" to providing more elementary school teachers.

6. And that more technical institutes be established and their enrollment be boosted from 7,000 to about 20,000.

The committee also suggested wide expansion of power of the State Council of Education to permit it to coordinate the activities of all institutions of higher education which receive state aid.

They recommended adoption of a new constitutional amendment whereby the superintendent of public instruction would be nominated by the State Council of education and appointed by the governor for an indefinite term. Under present law, the superintendent is appointed by the governor for a four-year term.

The committee agreed that the present college scholarship program, including the state senatorial scholarship plan, is "not entirely satisfactory nor adequate." They did not make any recommendations but urged that the problem be studied further.

A further study of the nursing schools also was suggested.

Another recommendation provided for the cancellation of all certifications of teacher-education institutions on Mar. 1, 1949. The study would reexamine all the schools before certifying them again.

Newspaper Printing Once Banned In Oklahoma Under $5,000 Penalty

It was once against the law to publish a newspaper in what is now Oklahoma.

A special order by Secretary of the Interior Henry M. Teller in the 1880's made publishing a newspaper in the Cherokee Strip territory (now northern Okla.) a crime punishable by imprisonment and fine. Conviction carried a possible one five-year jail term or a fine of $1,000-$5,000 or both.

A pioneer Oklahoman, Captain David Payne, sometimes called the "father of Oklahoma," posted a copy of Teller's order on the door of his newspaper office and went ahead and published his paper, the War Chief, anyway. He and his staff were arrested but eventually were released without a trial.

The average age of patients now dying of tuberculosis is over forty years.

Unions Plan to Wage Fight On State 'Anti-Labor' Acts

Seek Unemployment Compensation Raise

State CIO and AFL unions are preparing to wage a vigorous campaign in the 1949 Pennsylvania Legislature for repeal of a number of "anti-labor laws" enacted by the last general assembly, according to a dispatch from Harrisburg.

The two union groups also expect help from the UMWA in a projected drive to wipe out the restrictive legislation and obtain enactment to:

1. Prohibit discrimination because of race, creed or color in hiring and working conditions through establishment of a fair employment practices commission.

2. Increase benefits under the unemployment compensation, occupational disease and workmen's compensation laws to the levels prevailing in comparable industrial states.

3. Return the state labor relations law to 1937 status, eliminating 1939 amendments which one union leader said "ruined chances of settling fairly any labor-management disputes."

4. Replace the 1939 anti-labor injunction law with one affording unions more protection against court intervention in labor-management controversies.

Specific recommendations for new legislation at the general assembly session opening Jan. 4 will be drafted by AFL unions at a meeting in Harrisburg Dec. 14. CIO recommendations are to be adopted at a Pennsylvania Industrial Union council meeting in Harrisburg a week or so after the close of the national CIO convention, which begins Nov. 22 in Portland, Ore.

Payments to Veterans Show Slight Decrease

Harrisburg, Nov. 23—(PNS)—In the week ending Nov. 12, jobless benefits paid to unemployed veterans of World War II showed a slight decrease over the preceding week according to the State Treasurer.

In the past week, payments were made to 16,603 former servicemen with payments amounting to $330,116 for the week. On the other hand payments for the previous week amounted to $353,318 and were paid to 17,775 veterans.

Last year, the State Treasurer said, payments during the week were made to 41,274 veterans in the amount of $840,506.

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By WILLIAM RITT
Central Press Writer

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A new gadget is a combination cigaret lighter and pencil. Swell idea—when fresh out of fags all you need do is light up the pencil.

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Government experimenters have developed a smaller turkey. They can't do that to us—not just before Thanksgiving, anyway!

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How discouraging—to ask for a drumstick and get in return something that looks like a toothpick with skin.

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A Toronto dental student has gone in for professional ice hockey. That's understandable —in each business the prime object seems to be the removal of the other fellow's teeth.

Spangler

MRS. HILDA DEMI
Phone Barnesboro 281-M

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Strassler are the proud parents of twin boys, born at the Miners' Hospital, Saturday, Nov. 20. Mrs. Strassler is the former Naomi Daugherty.

Mrs. Lillian Demi, and Mrs. Anna Whalen, attended the Kick-off supper for the Miners' Hospital drive at the Barnesboro Legion Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Casher of Cresson were visiting friends and relatives here over the week end.

Mrs. Lucille Moore of Ebensburg, was visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Greene on Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Smith of Philadelphia are in Spangler on account of the illness of the former's father, Mr. Andy Smith.

Westminster Youth Fellowship of the Spangler Presbyterian Church is holding a Thanksgiving Service at 10 a. m. on Thursday. Rev. Washburn will preach the services.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Burkhard and children of Johnstown were visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John MacIndoe on Sunday.

oann Lovette of Indiana State Teachers College was visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Lovette over the last week end.

Mrs. Herbert Yeager and sons, Dean, Leon and Bobby, of Bedford, Pa., were visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Fennello recently.

Beth Whited and Bernardine Woods have returned to Harrisburg where they are employed.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Whited and family spent Sunday at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Whited.

A number of local young people attended a skating party held by the Patton Youth Fellowship Monday evening at Patton.

The ladies of the Band Boosters' Club gave a banquet Wednesday evening, Nov. 17, at the High School, in honor of the high school band. It was held in the form of a "Get Acquainted" party and the band entertained the ladies. A selection was sung by the music instructor, Mr. Pollock, as well as a vocal solo by Bill Stephenson, a member of the band.

A large number of people attended the Spangler High School and Alumni football game on Sunday. The high school was victorious, 16-6. Proceeds from the contest will be used in the purchase of uniforms for the high school band.

Miss Edith Temple entertained her cinch club last Wednesday evening. A delicious lunch was served and prizes were awarded to Mrs. Lillian Demi, Mrs. Katie Macek and Mrs. Gwen Elliott.

Mrs. Annie Demi, Miss Olive Westover, Joey Westover and Mrs. Orvis Meyers were callers in Altoona on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Tindiglia, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Tindiglia and son, and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Yahner and children of Cresson were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Salbego.

Theresa Salbego, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Salbego, is a patient at Miners' Hospital.

A brithday party was held recently at the home of Mrs. Katherine Smako, in observance of her 28th birhday. A large number of friends and neighbors attended. Bingo and cinch were featured. Mrs. Smako received many gifts. An enjoyable time was had by all.

Out-of-town guests in attendance at the Lantzy-Kirsh wedding on Saturday, included: Mr. and Mrs. Howard Warner of Altoona; Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Burley of Ebensburg; Mr. and Mrs. Norman Casher of Cresson, Mrs. Orend Horten and son, of Westover; Miss Helen Syberts of Westover; F. S. Kirsch and Philip Kirsch, both of Pittsburgh; Mrs. I. M. Kline of Hastings; Mr. and Mrs. Carl Feist and son of Cleveland, Ohio, and Robert Kirsch of Osborn, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis and daughter, of Wilkinsburg, spent the week end visiting relatives here.

John Ahlstrom of Akron, Ohio, spent the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Anderson.

Carl E. Feist of Cleveland, O., spent the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Kirsch. On his return he was accompanied by his wife and son, who had spent a week here.

NICKTOWN

By ROSE MARIE HUBER

Mr. Donald Best of Nanty Glo visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Ragley on Wednesday.

Mr. Paul Adams and Mrs. Betty Lambour of Altoona, were at the home of friends here on Sunday.

Miss Geraldine Krug of Altoona was a visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Pfiester on Sunday.

Miss Corrie Kline of Johnstown spent several days this past week at her home here.

Mrs. Joe Peters is a patient in the Miners Hospital in Spangler, as the result of a broken leg.

Sister M. Anecedus and Sister M. Berkmans of Altoona, were visitors here on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward Wensel of Mahaffey were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clem Kirsch on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Ragley and family attended the Turkey Supper in Belsano on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Krug and Mrs. Robert Dinsmore were callers here on Sunday.

Miss Sophie Gormish R. N., of Philadelphia is visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Gormish.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Nealen of Chest Springs and Mr. and Mrs. George Nealen of St. Augustine were Sunday visitors in Nicktown.

Winslow Dorthy was the winner of the combination radio and phonograph chanced off by the Boys Football Team on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Krug and family of Emeigh were visitors in town on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Peters of Pittsburgh, were visitors here last week.

Change Is Asked In Appeal Site for Jail Warden Case

A new site has been requested for the next phase of the extended legal controversy over the warden's job at the Cambria County jail.

The Pennsylvania Supreme Court, which will hear an appeal in the case, has been asked to conduct its hearing in Pittsburgh. The hearing on the appeal filed by Vincent F. Bunch originally was scheduled for Jan. 3, in Philadelphia.

Mr. Bunch, dismissed as warden June 1, brought suit against the Cambria County Prison Board and his successor, Edward W. Beattie, who has been warden since June 1. Judge Jesse Long of Jefferson Co. dismissed the complaint of Bunch that he was unlawfully dismissed and ruled that Beattie has full right to the warden's job.

Through Attorney Bruce Sciotto, Bunch carried the case to the supreme court. Sciotto said that if the higher court agrees to move the hearing from Philadelphia to Pittsburgh, a new date probably will be set. Sciotto said he petitioned the supreme court for the transfer upon agreement with counsel for Beattie and the prison board. Attorney Alton A. McDonald represents Beattie and Attorney Philip N. Shettig is counsel for the board.

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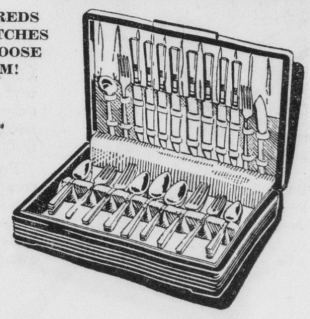

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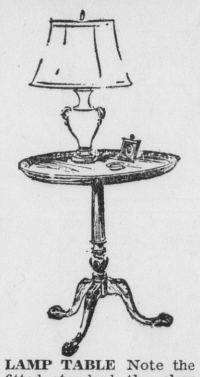

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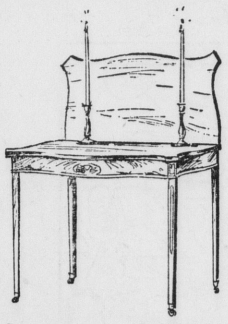

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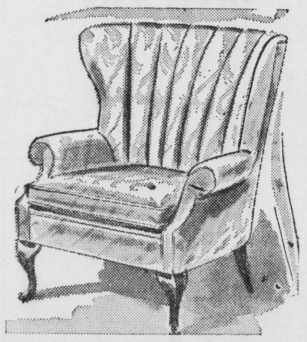

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