

Lesson for Vermonters

Aiken Tells Solons State Should Borrow to Expand

By KENALINE COLLINS
MONTPELIER, Vt. — A lesson in economics and how to sell Vermont was given to members of the Vermont Joint Assembly by U. S. Sen. George D. Aiken.

His approach to economic development of the state led several conservative members of the House to comment "He sounds like a New Dealer."

Up To Credit
The days of running the state government on a "strictly pay-as-you-go" policy are already

past," he said. "So long as the credit of Vermont is such that the state can borrow at a rate well below that which the federal government has to pay, I cannot get too alarmed."

Though he did not say it, his message "came through" to legislators as he explored the area of borrowing money and when to borrow in the state's interest of economic development, it was apparently his answer to Gov. Philip H. Hoff's charges that Vermont is now nearly at its bonded indebtedness peak. That change was made several times after the election campaign began last fall.

"It's not so much the amount of money we spend as what we get for a dollar that counts," he said. In Sen. Aiken's opinion, to compete with every other state for new business, Vermont will have to borrow money.

He noted that "Vermont's keenest competition will come from our neighbors immediately to the south of us." He said "I do not object to fair competition. However, when organizations like the Greater Boston Chamber of Commerce or the New England Council advocate the reduction of our air service the preemption of our water resources, the obstruction of waterway improvement in the Champlain Valley, or when they oppose our acquisition of low cost electric power and object to the extension of federal industrial benefits to rural areas, then we can only conclude that their purpose is to place Vermont at a disadvantage in competing for new industry and new business and that their definition of 'fair competition' may not coincide with our own."

Notes Waterway
Along the lines of economic development Aiken noted the Champlain Waterway now being proposed and studied closely this year by legislative committee members of both New York and Vermont.

"Opposition to improvement in this area," he said "is spearheaded by the same elements that opposed St. Lawrence electric power for Vermont."

Improvement of Rt. 100 which runs from the Massachusetts-Vermont border to the Canadian border was referred to as a step in the right direction to gain tourist and industry. This proposal was voted down last month by the Vermont legislature in conformance with Gov. Hoff's request for "no new bonding this year."

Sen Aiken said a great amount of private capital had been invested in Vermont over the past few years, primarily in development of ski areas, but he said, "This does not relieve us from public participation and investment made by towns for ski access roads and other improvements have resulted in 'new income of millions of dollars annually' that the state gets back full investment every few years in revenue."

He said "We've got a lot to sell in Vermont — a good source of high-grade labor and perhaps the most amicable labor relations of any state in the union, an exceptional supply of fresh, clean water and the environment people like in which to live."

What does he think of Gov. Hoff's reiteration through the press that the state is reaching bankruptcy and is at its bonding peak?
"That's bad advertising," he said. "The remarks are downgrading. I certainly don't go along with the statement that the state is in a crisis."

Jewett to Speak At Industrial Conference in NY

Roger Jewett, executive director of the Northern Berkshire Development Corp., will be one of the panelists in a discussion session at the first annual Area Industrial Development Research Council at the Hotel Summit, New York City, Tuesday and Wednesday.

He will share the Tuesday morning discussion panel with John S. Walsh, manager for area development of the Pacific Gas & Electric Co., and Otto Pongrace, director of area development for the New York Central Railroad system.

The Industrial Development Research Council was founded in 1961 as a professional organization of industry executives sharing vital interests in the planning of industrial growth.

City Calendar
Tonight
BLACKINGTON UNION CHURCH — Women's Guild will serve a public ham supper in the church annex from 5 to 7 p.m., with tickets available at the door.
LAFAYETTE CLUB — Dance in the club rooms starting at 9 p.m.

New GE Product

New Lightning Arrester Gives More Work Orders

A new product which already has meant more work orders for the Pittsfield General Electric plant was announced yesterday by the lightning arrester and cut-out product section of the company's distribution transformer department.

Donohut W. Lynch, LACO general manager, said the new product is the Alugard station arrester, a device for protecting power transformers, transmission lines, and other electrical apparatus from lightning and switching charges. The new arrester is currently being brought to the attention of potential customers from coast to coast by LACO marketing people.

LACO engineers and manufacturing people have devoted five years of research and development to the design of this arrester which will be produced in ratings from 3 to 312 kilo-volts. Greatly improved protective characteristics and greater reliability are two major advantages of the Alugard arrester over previous station arresters sold by both General Electric and competitors.

Besides being ruggedly constructed, the Alugard arrester also features a "new look." It is up to 32 per cent shorter and up to 60 per cent lighter in weight than previous models.

This appearance improvement is expected to be a strong selling point to customers. Power companies are constantly seeking improved appearance in and above their substations.

Lower-height arresters, like Alugard arresters, permit lower steel work and a ground-hugging substation silhouette which can easily be dressed up with shrubs.

A new gap plate material — called Alurite — is used in the Alugard arrester. This material was developed by Dr. John J. Pitha, LACO senior ceramicist. Unlike other gap plate materials, it is porous — allowing quick-cooling and rapid "quenching" of discharges taken by the arrester.

These Alurite plates are being produced in LACO's Building 42 manufacturing area. This means additional work possibilities for local people because gap plates of other material were previously purchased from an outside vendor.

Aiken Says GOP Will Go to Convention With 'Open Field'

MONTPELIER, Vt. — U. S. Sen. George Aiken, D-Vt., said at a press conference here that he feels the Republican will go to the national convention "with a pretty open field."

He said it was too early to judge the effects of the recent marriage of Gov. Nelson Rockefeller to the former Mrs. Margaret Murphy. He did say that numerous jokes had been circulating Washington the past week — like "It would be nice to have someone happy in the White House."

Personally he feels that Sen. Barry Goldwater won't run for the presidential nomination. "He's almost virtually assured of reelection as senator from Arizona," Sen. Aiken said. "There is some question in my mind whether he will run for president."

Aiken said that Goldwater is not the conservative his supporters would have the public believe. "But it's one of the things he would have to contend with should he run," he said.

One-Day Furloughs At GE for Lack of Work

The General Electric Co. at Pittsfield gave 38 distribution transformer department employees a one-day furlough yesterday for lack of work, and will lay off 22 to 25 tank shop welders for a similar one-day furlough Monday for the same reason, company officials said.

Joseph J. LaCasse, president of Local 255, International Union of Electrical Workers, said company officials have been asked to explain the situation to Union officers Monday.

Deaths

Mrs. Samuel Gamache Dies in Hospital, 79

Mrs. Emma (Sweeney) Gamache, 79, of 8 Ruel St., Adams, widow of Samuel D. Gamache, died this morning at 1:45 in W. B. Plunkett Memorial Hospital, Adams, where she had been a patient for the past two weeks.

Although she had been in failing health she had been able to be up and about the house until Easter.

Born in Adams, Feb. 6, 1884, she was a daughter of the late Joseph and Melvina Sweeney. She attended Adams schools and always resided there. Prior to her marriage she was employed in the Jacques Mill of the former Renfrew Manufacturing Co., Adams.

Mrs. Gamache was a member of Notre Dame Church, Adams, and the Ladies of St. Anne Sodality.

She leaves one son, S. I. C. Clement J. Gamache of the U. S. Army, currently stationed in Alaska; a daughter, Miss Annette Gamache of Adams; one sister, Miss Albina Sweeney of Pelham Manor, N. Y.; one grandson and several nieces and nephews, one of whom Joseph Sweeney of Commercial St., Adams, was married by Mrs. Gamache's parents in the Sweeney home, as a foster brother.

Funeral arrangements are incomplete. The body is to be at the Trotter Funeral Home, Adams.

Mrs. Adelard Lincourt Dies in Natick at 86

Mrs. Adeline (Perreault) Lincourt, wife of Adelard J. Lincourt, of 380 Union St., died last night at the home of an adopted son, Paul Vine of Natick, after a long illness. She was 86.

Born in Cuttice, Canada, she came to Adams with her parents, Sinia and Delima (Cyr) Perreault, where she lived until her first marriage. Following her marriage to Joseph Demers of Holyoke, the couple moved to Plainfield. He died 25 years ago. After her death she came to North Adams where she was married 14 years ago to Mr. Lincourt.

Besides her husband she leaves four stepdaughters, Mrs. Benoit Martin, Miss Lucia Lincourt, and Miss Grace Lincourt, all of North Adams, and Mrs. Albert Allard of Los Angeles, Calif.; two stepsons, Adelard R. Lincourt of North Adams, and George Lincourt of Bennington, Vt.; one brother, Joseph Perreault of Adams.

The body will be brought today to the San Soucie funeral home here. Visiting hours tomorrow will be from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9.

The funeral will be Monday at 9 with a High Mass of Requiem at Notre Dame Church where Mrs. Lincourt was a regular attendant. Burial will be in the family lot in Plainfield Cemetery.

Ethel C. Bratton, Retired Teacher, Dies, Aged 86

Miss Ethel C. Bratton, 86, retired school teacher and graduate of North Adams and Stamford, Vt., schools, died yesterday after a long illness at the Prospect Nursing Home, North Bennington, Vt. She had resided at 218 Beech St., Bennington.

Held Master's Degree
Born Dec. 19, 1871, in Stamford, she was the daughter of the late Wheeler and Nancy (Barber) Bratton. She was graduated from teachers colleges in Castleton, Vt., and Oswego, N.Y., and received her master's degree in education from Columbia University. Miss Bratton taught for many years at the Ethical Culture School in New York City and for a year at the Montgomery (Ala.) Teachers College after the death of her sister who had held that position.

Miss Bratton retired from teaching during the 1930s and moved to Bennington where she lived at 218 Beech St.

She was a writer and was also known as an accomplished seamstress. Her membership in organizations included the Assn. of Ethical Culture Teachers, and Mt. Anthony Chapter, OES, and the DAR, both in Bennington.

Funeral Monday
She is survived by several nieces and nephews, among them William and Arthur Bratton, both of Williamstown, and Mrs. Everett Lilly of South Stream Rd., Pownal, Vt.

Funeral services will take place Monday morning at 11 in Hanson-Walbridge Funeral Home, Bennington. The Rev. Thomas Street of Williamstown, pastor emeritus of the First Congregational Church, Old Bennington, will officiate. Burial will be in the family lot at Stamford. Calling hours at the funeral home are today from 3 to 8 p.m., and tomorrow from 7 to 9.

Woman Driver Blames Truck for Collision

A parked truck blocked her view of the road, Susan MacCuvay, 22, of Bennington, Vt., told local police yesterday, and when she pulled her car into Ashland Street from a driveway near Quincy Street, her car collided broadside with an approaching vehicle operated by Richard F. Levermash, 41, of 63 Dover St., causing \$200 damage to the local man's car.

Funerals

Mrs. Dennis Boudreau

Funeral services for Mrs. Dennis J. Boudreau of 67 Howland Ave., Adams, who died Wednesday night, were held this morning at 11 in St. Thomas Church, Adams.

The Rev. Joseph T. Harriott was celebrant of a Solemn High Requiem Mass. The Rev. James A. Lehey was deacon. The Rev. John McDonald, a guest at Greylock Rest, Adams, was sub-deacon.

Bearers were Charles Welch, Peter Decensi, Levi Sordini and Joseph Gusmerini, all of Adams, and Dominic and Herman Boudreau of Whitefield, Maine. Burial was in Bellevue Cemetery, Adams. Fr. Harriott conducted committal service. He also led the Rosary last night in the McBride Funeral Home, Adams.

Harry V. Higham

Funeral services for Harry V. Higham of 28 Burt St., Adams, 32nd degree Mason and prominent 50-year veteran member of Masonic organizations who died Thursday afternoon, will be held at 3 tomorrow afternoon in the McBride Funeral Home, Adams.

The Rev. Henry C. Cooper, pastor of the First Congregational Church, Adams, will officiate. Burial will be in the family lot in Maple Street Cemetery.

Calling hours at the funeral home will be from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 this afternoon and tonight.

Mrs. Emma L. Wilson

The funeral of Mrs. Emma Lena (Walz) Wilson, 85, of 497 W. Main St., who died at her home Thursday, was held at 10 this morning at the Simmons Funeral Home.

The Rev. Orvel E. Hooker, pastor of the First Baptist Church, officiated. Burial was in the family lot in Brookfield Cemetery, Brookfield.

Eusden Reports

Chaplain at Williams Says Birmingham Most Segregated City in United States

"I read a lot about Birmingham, but never realized that it is the most segregated city in the United States," Williams College Chaplain John D. Eusden told an overflow crowd of more than 300 in Baxter Hall late last night.

The Rev. Mr. Eusden and J. H. K. Davis II, chairman of the campus Civil Rights Committee who also spoke, returned yesterday from the racially troubled Alabama city where they spent three days aiding the cause of integration.

Human Rights
"You can't stay away when matters of basic human rights are in question," Mr. Eusden said in explaining why he went to Birmingham.

"Why do you go?" he asked. "You go because this is truly a national concern," he answered. "You go because it is good to be there representing another section of the country."

The Williams chaplain reported that when they arrived in Birmingham they found that other northern whites working for the movement were Dr. William Sloan Coffin, former Williams College chaplain now at Yale, and Mrs. Coffin; a Yale law professor; a representative of the Foreign Correspondents' Assn.; and 19 rabbis. He said that one of the rabbis who had been to South Africa told him that outside of Johannesburg, Birmingham is the most segregated city in the world. Mr. Eusden cited instances of segregation they observed in the stores and the taxis.

Mr. Eusden said that he and Mr. Davis spoke at meetings in churches and stood by ready to demonstrate if necessary. "Yesterday, it appeared there would be a demonstration in which northern leaders would lead a snake dance down Main Street," he said. He told his audience that in the end the four main points of the package program were granted or are soon to be carried into effect. "Whether they will be hard to say," he said. "If not, the committee will continue its demonstrations."

Cites Effectiveness
Citing the effectiveness of the demonstrations, Mr. Eusden said that they create mass attention to what is happening in Birmingham and that all business stops for hours afterward. He said he felt it was the force of the demonstrations that led the merchants to desegregate their stores.

"What can we as a northern community do?" asked Mr. Eusden. Answering his own question, he said that we should be vigilant as citizens that the demands apparently granted are carried out, and that some kind of pressure be kept in the office of the U.S. Attorney General and the President for a leadership role in this situation.

Mr. Davis told the gathering that he was the only northern white student in the south. He said that he told them that the

people in the north think that the students in Birmingham are doing some brave and beautiful things. "It meant a lot to them," he added.

Mr. Davis said that the students in Birmingham played a major role in the demonstrations. "Jail was something to them like a service," he said. "It means freedom." The student civil rights leader said that the ministers would go into the churches and get the young people to sing. "There were 6,000 kids in church the first day," he said.

King's Fight
"This has been Martin Luther King's fight," Mr. Davis observed. He said that the terms of the settlement were on Mr. King's terms and that he has won a victory.

Mr. Davis said he felt that the four Williams students in Birmingham now aren't going to see much action. The Williams quartet who left Wednesday for the southern city are John W. Kifer of Chappaqua, N. Y.; James F. Pilgrim of Richmond, Ind.; Douglas D. Rose of Royal Oak, Mich.; and Roger K. Warren of Ridgefield, Conn.

Mr. Davis told the students that what they can do is: first, reach into their pockets; second, show support for the integration movement.

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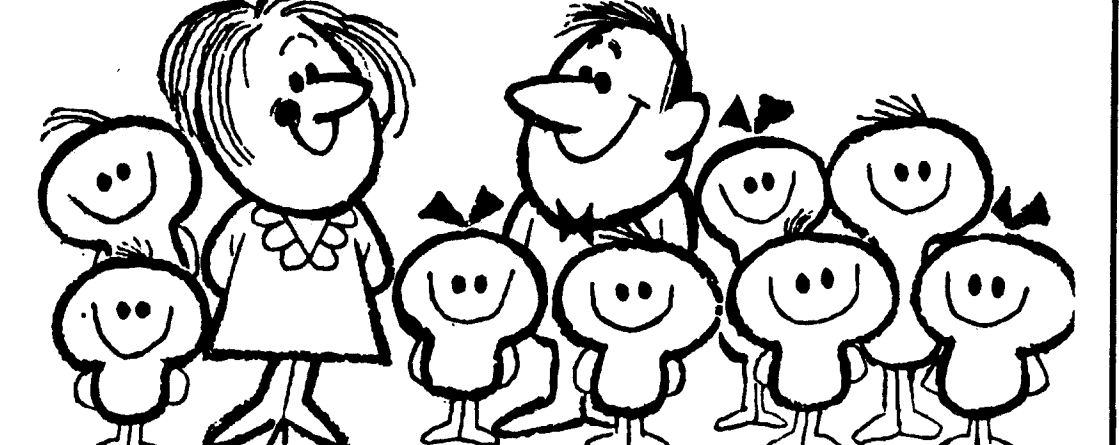
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MOHAWK: "Operation Bikini," 1:00, 3:35, 6:10, 8:50; "Snake Woman," 2:20, 4:55, 7:30.

ADAMS: "To Kill a Mockingbird," 8:45; "Information Received," 7:15; "The Lion," 9:00; "In Search of the Castaways," 7:30.

COURT'S DRIVE-IN: "Diamond Head," 10:05; "Requiem For a Heavyweight," 8:20.

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