

Slight Change In Unemployment

Unemployment changed very little over Oregon during the past month, according to reports made to the State Unemployment Compensation commission. Local offices estimated slightly fewer active job seekers, while claims for benefits maintained an upward trend.

Principal changes came from Eugene, which had 2,400 without work Oct. 1 against only 825 a month before, and from Portland, where unemployment dropped 1,100 from the Sept. 1 figure of 6,700. Total for the state was 13,342 seeking jobs against 13,953 the previous month and 12,418 on Oct. 1, 1950.

Schools Withdraw Workers
Food processing plants operating near capacity cut unemployment around Portland, Astoria and Salem, while resumption of logging helped hold down claims around Toledo, Bend, Roseburg, Albany and Coos Bay. Opening of schools also withdrew many students and vacation workers from the labor market.

Continued claims taken at 29 local offices reached 6,450 last week, highest since late April with the exception of a short period during extreme fire danger late in August and early in September. New claims filed by Oregon residents since the beginning of the benefit year July 1, totaled 23,315, a few hundred more than at this time in 1950.

Unfilled job openings increased slightly during September to 2,745, just 92 more than a month ago but 262 less than a year ago. Decline in demand for skilled and semi-skilled workers in construction and machine shops was mainly responsible.

Azalea

By MRS. ILLA QUIRKE

The Cow Creek Rod and Gun club met at the Grange hall Oct. 10 and elected officers. They were: Joe Anderson, President; Don Brady, vice-president; Ted McGlasson, executive officer; Whitey Martin, instructor; and George Hendroth, secretary-treasurer.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Austin made a business trip to Portland last week. Mrs. Allie Garretson and Jim White visited friends on Cow Creek Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Ingils of Portland visited Mr. and Mrs. W. Quirke Saturday and Sunday. Mrs. Ingils is Mr. Quirke's daughter.

The Cow Creek PTA met at

Galesville school Oct. 5. The report of the last meeting was read and the committees gave their reports. Plans were made to give a party for the young people of the district. After the meeting doughnuts and coffee were served.

Mrs. George Wendroth spent several days in Eugene last week. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Heckard are parents of a daughter born at Sacred Heart hospital in Medford Oct. 2. She weighed six pounds, 12 ounces, and has been named Betty Lou.

A granddaughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. William Jantzen of Grants Pass last week. Mr. and Mrs. Jantzen had lived at Azalea for a number of years before moving to Grants Pass. This is their first grandchild. The parents of the baby are Mr. and Mrs. Bill Jantzen of Grants Pass.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Aggeron of Upper Cow Creek bought the Tom Cork place recently. They have sold their place near the Four Square mill.

Mrs. Thelma Larson and Illa Quirke were in Grants Pass last week on business.

Child Dies Following Mother Into Fiery Home

DYERSBURG, Tenn. — (AP) A two-year old boy perished in his flaming home here when he followed his mother into the smoke-filled living room. She was trying to save a few personal effects.

The body of Eddie Gene Redden was found dead behind the charred sofa by Fire Chief Otis Pruitt, who braved the flames after police dragged the hysterical mother to safety.

Mrs. William Redden had carried Eddie and his 1-year-old brother, Jimmy, outside the house Saturday when the fire started. She didn't know Eddie was close behind her when she went back.

Iowa Farmer And Wife Slain By Enraged Bull

DURANGO, Ia. — (AP) A bull enraged when his farmer owner started driving cows to the barn for milking, killed both the farmer and his wife Sunday.

Dead were Mike Magerus, 66, and his wife, Anna, 62, who lived on a farm near this eastern Iowa hamlet. They were trampled and gored by the bull.

The bull was shot and killed by three Durango men Henry Butlett, Herman Tappe and William Haberkorn. Butlett operates a butcher shop and grocery store in Durango. He said it took 38 shots from .22 caliber rifles to kill the bull.

Smoke From Trash Fire Leads To False Alarm

Two fire trucks were dispatched to 537 Fowler St. late Friday to battle a house blaze. But all they found was smoke.

The wind had carried smoke from a nearby trash fire into the house and the occupant thought the house was burning.

At 9:22 this morning, firemen extinguished a fire that caused \$50 damage in the basement of a house located at 1023 Jackson St. The blaze started when an electric light wire beneath a pile of trash shorted out, said Fire Chief William E. Mills.

Canyonville

By MRS. H. M. ANDERSON
The O.E.S. Social club will meet at the home of Mrs. Lillian Womach Wednesday, Oct. 17, at 8 p. m.

Mrs. Roy Lowless and Mrs. Guy Mussen of Grants Pass spent several days visiting Mrs. George Binder and assisting her at Binder's clothing store in the absence of Mr. Binder, who was hunting with Henry Ford in the Lakeview area.

Norman Lauf of Myrtle Creek, Dayton Bailey, D. W. Gill and H. M. Anderson left Friday for the Silver Lake region where they will hunt antlerless deer. Their names were drawn for the special hunting season.

J. B. Olinghouse is a patient at Myrtle Creek hospital. Mrs. Ralph Church, Douglas county Christmas seal sale chairman, and Mrs. W. F. Amiot, executive secretary of Roseburg, called on Mrs. H. M. Anderson, who is vice-president of the Douglas association, Wednesday. Mrs. Carl Moodie has accepted the seal sale chairmanship for this area.

CITY COURT CASES

Municipal Judge Ira B. Riddle reports the disposition of three cases:

Glady's Watson, 30, Roseburg, forfeited bail amounting to \$70 on two charges of disorderly conduct. William Joel Hulsey, 22, California, forfeited \$10 bail on a similar charge.

George Dewey Brannon, 38, Glady, was given a 10-day city jail sentence in lieu of a \$20 fine on a drunk charge.

MEETING POSTPONED

The Marcella Cudworth circle, which usually meets the third Monday of each month, will not convene today. Monday, Oct. 22, has been named as next meeting date. The group will meet at Mrs. Calvin Baird's home, 204 W. Douglas St. at 7:30 p. m.

Choral Evenings Planned At School

The first of a new series of choral evenings will be presented by the music department of the Senior high school Tuesday evening at 7:30 in the chorus room. The programs will be sponsored throughout the winter by various choral groups of the high school for the other students of the department and parents and friends. Hosts at Tuesday night's program will be the sophomore mixed chorus, a group of fifty students under the direction of Wendell A. Johnson.

The program will feature numbers by the mixed chorus by a selected group from the chorus, a violin solo by Galen Crisler and a period of community singing under the direction of Johnson and R. Cloyd Riffe, supervisor of vocal music. There is no admission charge, and the public is invited.

Tenmile

By JULIA BREITENBUCHER
Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Degner accompanied Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Phelps of Yoncalla to Eugene Sunday where they attended a Christian Science lecture.

Mr. Emmitt Harding of Portland was a weekend guest of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Wilson.

Don Bourassa was hurt Monday in a tractor accident and is in Community hospital.

Mrs. R. D. Lockwood, Mrs. Alice Pierce and Mr. and Mrs. Grafton Tyler were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Coats Monday afternoon.

Mrs. J. W. McCellan and Mrs. Elmer Sundquist were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Lockwood on Friday.

Keith Christopherson, who is with the air force in Alaska, has been promoted to the rank of sergeant. He is a grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Coats of Tenmile.

Mrs. Louis Diedrich and Mrs. Grafton Tyler visited Mrs. Kate Schosmo Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Lakey went to Myrtle Point last weekend to visit relatives.

Mrs. Alice Pierce spent Tuesday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Walter Coats.

R. F. Cooper Nominated For Sutherland P.M. Job

The name of Russel F. Cooper, Sutherland, is listed with four Oregon nominees before the U. S. Senate for postmasterships in Oregon. They were nominated recently by President Truman, the Associated Press reports.

FIRE HITS MOTOR CO
PORTLAND — (AP) — Fire, believed caused by an exploding light fixture, ripped through the Roberts Motor company building in northeast Portland Saturday.

Damage was estimated at \$500,000 by V. J. Ramsdell, a member of the firm.

FOOD POISONS SOLDIERS
CAMP SONTHEMAN, Calif. — (AP) — Food poisoning sent 66 soldiers to the Camp Sontehman hospital Sunday, an army spokesman announced. He said none was in serious condition.

The men were stricken after the Sunday noon meal in a mess hall. An investigation was ordered.

OREGON HUNTER MISSING
OREGON CITY — (AP) — Search has resumed for a hunter missing since Saturday in the rugged north fork Clackamas river region. The hunter, Warren Bond, 40, failed to meet companions at a rendezvous.

LABOR ACT RULING
WASHINGTON — (AP) — The National Labor Relations board has ruled that workers who strike to force an employer to make an illegal union shop contract lose their right to their jobs under the Taft-Hartley law.

Korean Red Resistance Shows Signs Of Fading

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day night accepted U. N. responsibility and promised prompt disciplinary action. The supreme Allied commander also expressed his "heartfelt grief" at the death of a 12-year-old Korean boy and the wounding of the boy's two-year-old brother in the attacks.

Two Air Battles Fought

In a Monday morning encounter 36 F-86 Sabre jets tangled for 10 minutes with 30 MIGs. Two MIGs were damaged.

In the afternoon another MIG was damaged when 36 Sabre jets fought for 25 minutes with about 50 MIGs.

Far East air forces planes flew 480 sorties during the day. Red road and rail lines were cut, supply depots were pounded and front line Communist troops were brought under rocket, napalm and machinegun attack.

B-29 Superforts bombed airfields and Communist troop positions.

HONG KONG — (AP) — Red China will hold a national celebration Oct. 25 to mark entry of "Chinese People's (Communist) volunteers" into the Korean war.

The directive was issued by the "Chinese People's Resist America, Aid Korea association."

OPS Agent Dates Talk To Cafe, Tavern Owners

Simon C. Berry of the Portland OPS food branch will be in Roseburg, Tuesday, Oct. 16 from 1 to 5 p. m. at the chamber of commerce, to give personal help to restaurant operators, proprietors of taverns and night clubs and all those covered by CPR 11. Many are long overdue in filing their OPS reports, he advises. Others who have already filed may have questions. The clinic will serve all of Douglas county.

Arrangements for this visit were made with the assistance of Harold J. Hickerson, manager of the chamber of commerce, Roseburg, Ore.

Former Douglas Resident Dies

Mrs. Ethel Parker, former Douglas county resident, died Sunday, Oct. 14, after an extended illness. She was born in Lane county Feb. 4, 1881, to the pioneer James Speer family. She resided in Oregon the major portion of her life. For many years she was a resident of Wilbur, but the last two years she lived with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. Alan Wickham, at 1746 E. 19th St., Eugene.

She was married June 9, 1900, to Frank Parker, who preceded her in death three years ago. Four children born to his union all survive. They include: Mrs. J. Files, Santa Rosa, Calif.; Mrs. J. Alan Wickham, Eugene; Lawrence Parker, Richmond, Calif., and Mrs. Earl Malan, Las Vegas, Nev. Surviving also are a grandson, Delwin Parker, and granddaughter, Mrs. Kay Gardner, and great-grandson, Kevin Gardner.

Funeral services will be Tuesday at 2 p. m. at Poole-Larson Funeral home in Eugene.

Dillard PTA Observes United Nations Week

United Nations week will be observed at the next meeting of the Dillard Parent Teachers association Friday night, Oct. 19, at 8 p. m. The program will be presented by four Dillard teachers who traveled on the Oregon College of Education Study Tour of Europe during the summer: Mrs. Margaret Kimmel, Mrs. Ula H. Winston, Mrs. Ethel Chase and Mrs. Ellen Pennie. A report will be given by the membership chairman, Mrs. Gladys Middlesadt, on the drive which is being held during October.

DRIVER FINED \$100

William Harold Klat, 19, 1127 E. 3rd St., was fined \$100 for allegedly operating a car while his driver's license was suspended, reports Municipal Judge Ira B. Riddle.

Egypt Turns Down Plan For Canal's Joint Defense

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nouncement by the Wafdist minister, parliament unanimously approved legislation canceling the laws under which Egypt's 1936 treaty with Britain and the agreement for joint British-Egyptian government of the Sudan were ratified.

Two decrees won quick approval. These provided for parliament to amend the Egyptian constitution to set up a constitution for the rich cotton-growing Sudan, and to provide partial autonomy for that territory of 8,000,000 people.

Britain Will Fight

British Foreign Secretary Herbert Morrison said last week that Britain would not get out. He said British troops would not start any trouble, but would fight if attacked.

This defiance was echoed by Sir Richard Howe, British governor general of the Sudan. He said he would resist any Egyptian attempt to drive Britain out of that area.

Howe has about 1,500 British troops and several units of native Sudanese to back up his words. There are also about 1,500 Egyptian troops in the Sudan commanded by British officers.

In his statement to the Sudan executive council at Khartoum, the territory's capital, he reemphasized that Britain's policy was to prepare the people for self-government rather than hand them over to Egypt before they know what they want.

WINTER ROMANCE

SANTA CRUZ, Calif. — (AP) — The Santa Cruz golden wedding club had a brand new wedding to celebrate today. Samuel Jackson Guymon, 87, was married Sunday to Mrs. Florence Emogene Hart, 79. Their first mates were dead. Guymon's first marriage lasted 61 years and his bride's 52.

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In The Armed SERVICES

Canyonville Sailor Visits While On 23-Day Leave

Fcs. 1c George W. Cooper, navy, is visiting his wife and daughter in Canyonville while on a 23-day leave following eight months duty in Korea.

After serving in World War II, Cooper joined the naval reserve and was recalled to duty 14 months ago. He will return to Vallejo, Calif., in 30 days.

He will serve aboard the USS Frank E. Evans, a destroyer.

American Legion Plans Joint Social Meeting

There will be a joint meeting of the American Legion and the ladies Auxiliary Tuesday at 8 p. m. in the new quarters at the Kohlhaugen building.

It was decided to hold this meeting so members could get acquainted. All members, guests and veterans interested in Legion affairs are invited.

There will not be a business meeting. The regular weekly prize will be awarded. Entertainment will be furnished and refreshments will be served. No admission will be charged.

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