

More Engineers Needed to Meet National Demand

Oregon State College—The nation will face a serious shortage of college trained engineers in the next few years unless more young men decide to make engineering a career, according to Professor Charles A. Mockmore, head of the Oregon State college civil engineering department.

Professor Mockmore, who is Northwest representative on the National Engineering Council for Professional Development, said both national and local figures support the prediction of a shortage made by engineering education leaders.

Nationally, there will be a need for some 80,000 engineering graduates in 1952, but engineering schools will be able to turn out only about 25,000 trained men, according to figures compiled by S. C. Hollister of Cornell university, president-elect of the American Society for Engineering Education.

The picture gets increasingly worse in succeeding years, declared Professor Mockmore. Only about 18,000 graduates are expected to be available in 1953, and the figure will probably drop to around 16,000 in 1954.

Pre-registration figures released by George W. Gleason, OSC dean of engineering, bear out the nationwide trend. Early in August, only 175 new engineering students had been accepted for training at OSC, compared with 229 in 1950, 287 in 1949, and 431 on the same date in 1948.

To further complicate matters, Professor Mockmore pointed out, about half of the 1951 crop of engineering graduates have entered the armed services, increasing the problems of supplying men for defense jobs and other engineering positions.

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Mr. and Mrs. Herold Robbins and two children of Cottage Grove have bought the place formerly owned by Dick Iccason at Eden Park and have moved.

Mrs. Glen Roby has received word from her brother and wife that they have a new baby boy, Steven Michael, weight 7½ lbs, born to Mr. and Mrs. Ted Seidel of Los Angeles, September 4. Ted formerly lived and went to school here.

Mr. and Mrs. Darrel Mosby took part in the Creswell Rodeo Sunday. Mr. Mosby acted as chairman and judge and Mrs. Mosby as secretary and flag bearer. Riders from Cottage Grove and Eugene also took part in the rodeo.

When Clarence Duerst returned from his trip to Canada, his cousin Mrs. Genevieve Lenstrom returned with him for a visit with relatives here and in Portland. This was her first trip to Oregon.

Mr. and Mrs. Houston Sanders and four children of Mercede, Calif., visited last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bostick. Mrs. Sanders is a sister of Mrs. Bostick. They all attended the State Fair at Salem and other points of interest in Oregon.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Rearick and son Allen attended the State Fair at Salem one day last week with Mr. and Mrs. Delmer Rearick of Cottage Grove.

Mrs. Leon Pool returned Saturday night from a week's visit at Garlerville, Calif., with two daughters and families, Mr. and Mrs. George Schultz and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Bennett and with Mrs. Ralph Schultz at Fortuna, Calif.

Mrs. Berta McGuire and Mrs. Harry Castle attended a bridal shower Friday honoring Doris Dixon at the home of Mrs. George Foster of Thornton Corners.

School started Monday at Blue Mountain with 14 in the lower grades and 13 in the upper grades. Mrs. Gladys Ide and Mrs. Louise Wickendoll are teachers. Mrs. Berta McGuire, cook and Ronnie Bassett and Douglas Castle, janitors.

Several ladies of the Blue Mountain district got together and cleaned the schoolhouse and lunchroom last week. Those helping were Esther Ward, Dottie Ekelund, Mable Bassett, Dorothy Woodward, Ellen Ekelund and Millie Roby.

A board meeting was held at the Blue Mountain schoolhouse Monday evening to catch up on the summer work and pay the bills.

Those going to Springfield Tuesday to attend Officers' Training meeting of Extension clubs were Mrs. Harry Castle, chairman; Mrs. Everett McCoy, vice chairman; Mrs. Glen Roby, secretary-treasurer; and Mrs. Roy England, publicity chairman.

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MARINE BAND TO PLAY—The United States Marine Band, oldest military musical organization in the nation, will play a concert in Eugene, Thursday, October 11. Performances at 1:30 and 8 o'clock are scheduled.

LYNX HOLLOW

Mrs. Orville Lamb, Reporter

Community club met Friday with 11 members present. Officers elected for the next year are: president, Mrs. Orville Lamb and vice president, Mrs. Elmer Korpela. Mrs. Korpela will also serve as secretary-treasurer. Mrs. Kenneth Brown, is the retiring president and Mrs. J. B. Williams, retiring secretary.

Next meeting will be Friday, September 21, at 1 p.m. at which time work will be done on the applique quilt. Business meeting will be the first Friday of each month. Anyone of the community, interested in the welfare of the school children, is welcome to join.

Ray, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Simonson, is attending Linfield college at McMinnville. This is Ray's first term.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Fisher and son Billie attended the State Fair. Billie was especially interested in the livestock exhibits.

Mr. and Mrs. Vic Korpela and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Korpela, spent Labor Day at Lorne with Mr. and Mrs. Will H. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Korpela, bought the Leonard Korpela house and have moved in after getting most of the remodeling and painting done.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Williams, son and daughter, Johnny and LaVerne, Michael Atkinson, and Mrs. Williams' father, G. W. Blevins of Arizona, recently spent a few days at Coos Bay.

Theron Atkinson is home from the hospital after several weeks serious illness but is not able to be about a great deal yet.

Joyce and Bennie Jones from Costa Mesa, Calif., are spending the winter with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Arney and attending school here. Both are in the sixth grade.

G. W. Blevins, of Flagstaff, Arizona is visiting his daughter, Mrs. J. B. Williams and family. Mrs. Williams plans to return to Flagstaff with her father next week and visit with her mother there and other relatives a short while.

Helen, three-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chuck Bivens, went into the pen for a closer view of their goose, but with Thanksgiving not so many weeks away the goose was in a bad mood and attacked Helen and had a few good nips before her four-year-old brother, Roscoe could come to her rescue with a stick. Between the two kids won the battle and now Helen stays outside and the goose inside.

Mrs. John Macauley has been with her mother, Mrs. Z. R. Davis, in Creswell since Saturday as Mrs. Davis has not been feeling up to par of late.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman McTaggart of Hebo, spent the day Sunday with his sister, Mrs. Pearl Underwood.

Mrs. George Quackenbush, Jimmy and Lucille of Ada are at the Orville Lamb home, while Jimmy undergoes medical care at the Eugene Clinic.

Mrs. Nettie Lamb, is at home with her son Orville Lamb after some weeks with her daughter, Mrs. W. B. Chapman of Rainier. V. J. Caley, returned home Labor Day after nearly a year of visiting relatives at Manhattan, Salina and Topeka, Kan., Oklahoma City, Okla. and at Fort Worth, Tex. Caley saw first-hand the destruction of the Kansas floods and experienced the heat waves and drought of Texas.

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Seven Extension Home Ec Agents Named at OSC

Seven county agents in home economics joined the Oregon State college extension service this summer, announced Mrs. Azalea Sager, state home demonstration leader. Their appointments are subject to approval by the state board of higher education.

Miss Edna Mae Miller filled a vacancy in Malheur county. She served in the Navy during World War II, studied at the University of Denver and Drexel Institute of Technology in Philadelphia and taught school in Pennsylvania.

Miss Eileen Van Garven, a native of North Dakota, has been assigned to Multnomah county. She has been an extension agent at Waterville, Wash., for the past three years.

Mrs. Helen Horst is now agent in Coos county. She received degrees from Indiana university and Lewis & Clark, and did graduate work at Colorado A & M. She has lived in South America for several years.

Mrs. Malno Reichert, new Polk county agent, received degrees from Brigham Young university and Oregon State college. She taught home economics last year at Weber Junior college, Ogden, Utah.

New Deschutes county agent, Miss Virginia Weiser, taught home economics at Oregon State college until her recent appointment. She received degrees from Hunter college in New York City, and Michigan State college.

Mrs. Wanda Gossage has joined the state staff as agent-at-large. A graduate of Winfield college, she has been teaching at Vernonia. A second new agent-at-large, Miss Roberta Donahue, Redmond, is a 1951 graduate of Oregon State college.

Blanks for Vets Bonus Available About October 1

Applications blanks for the Oregon World War II veterans' bonus will be available about October 1, and applicants are urged to obtain certified copies of their discharges from county clerks right away so that these documents will be on hand when they file for their bonuses, the Department of Veterans' Affairs reported recently.

However, the question of whether bonus payments will start this year hinges on the outcome of the \$40,000,000 in bonus bonds to be offered by the department shortly, Director William F. Gaarenstroom said.

The federal government in May requested states not to issue veterans' bonus bonds at this time because of their inflationary effect, and also asked investment firms not to purchase such bonds if offered. West Virginia later the same month offered but failed to sell \$67,500,000 of bonus bonds for this reason.

Gaarenstroom said that while it is not the department's intention to defeat the government's efforts to curb inflation, "nevertheless we are mandated to sell the bonds by the constitutional amendment passed by the voters of Oregon last November providing for payment of a World War II veterans' bonus, and by the bonus enabling act passed by the 1951 legislature."

Date of the bond sale has not been set, but it will be in early September.

Application blanks will be available in all Oregon communities, through county veterans' service officers, county clerks, and from bonus committees set up by posts and chapters of such organizations as the American Legion, the Disabled American Veterans and the Veterans of Foreign Wars.

Veterans were advised to pick up their blanks from these local sources rather than to write the veterans' department in Salem.

With the Granges

Dorena Grange
By Mrs. E. D. Sherrill

With the coming Lane County Fair uppermost in the minds of all grange members, Dorena granges are reminded that Mrs. Claude Arne has been appointed chairman of the Agricultural exhibit and all produce is to be taken to her home on Monday, September 17. Construction of the booth will be taken care of Sunday, September 16.

There will be a general work day at the hall, Saturday, September 15 and all men are urged to turn out. Potluck dinner will be served at noon.

Mr. and Mrs. George Molitor, of Willakenzie Grange were visitors of the evening.

Following a brief discussion on the beer bottle menace along the highways, Mr. Claude Arne was appointed chairman of a Resolutions committee, with Mr. Glen Gillespie and Mr. Henry Snauer, to draw up a resolution to be presented at the Pomona Grange, September 29, concerning this issue.

The literary program was presented by the Granges and included group singing of several numbers; a game for the small folks, "The Travelling Candy"; a gymnastic dance, "The Hokey Pokey" by everyone; assorted quiz and answers; tableau depicting the stations of the Graces and products of the farm home; and a vocal trio by Jean Ellen, Shirley and Ellen Sherrill, accompanied on the accordion by Alpha Pitcher.

Youth Group
The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Avanelle Wicks, Thursday, September 13. Members are reminded that the square dance dresses are to be ready for judging at the September Pomona meeting. Canning contest entries are to be taken to Mrs. Ellen Sherrill before November 1.

Home Economics Club
Mrs. Raymond (Thelma) Wicks reported more than \$350 was cleared at the food concession during the South Lane Fair. Some bills and funds had, as yet, not been turned in, so that an accurate account could not yet be made. The serving committee for the

Marines to Release Men on Priority 1

Parents and wives of enlisted Marine Corps Reserve in "release priority one" who went on active duty before September 4 of last year can expect them home in August or the first part of September. Thirteenth Marine Corps Reserve Headquarters has announced.

Priority one includes veterans of World War II and those who have had at least a year of service between September 16, 1940 and June 24, 1948. Also in this category are those who have served three years of active duty before July 1 or who were 26 or over on that date.

Eligible reservists in units committed to combat will not necessarily be home by the end of August, but they will be on their way from combat areas.

Release in September or October is expected for officers other than second lieutenants, in priority one who began their active service before last July 28. Second Lieutenants will serve a total of 21 months, including any enlisted time.

It was pointed out that this is not "rotation." These reservists are being released from active duty. They are mostly veterans. Rotation is being accomplished under a separate policy.

next grange meeting, September 21, will be Mr. and Mrs. William Vaughn, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Vaughn, Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Wicks and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Wicks.

Hebron Grange

by Mrs. Hugh Trunnell

The refreshment committee for September 15 request members to bring cake or jelly. Committee members are Mr. and Mrs. Seldon Powell and Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Tonole.

The Home Economics club will give the program with Helena Overgaard in charge.

Stop all machinery while cleaning, oiling and adjusting. Haste makes accidents.

DISSTON

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Overnight guests at the Arthur Magnuson home over the week end were Mrs. Della Kimball, and Mrs. Donna Zurecher and daughter Ginger of Lebanon. Mrs. Kimball is Mrs. Magnuson's mother.

Disston schoolbells rang again September 4 with 88 pupils enrolling the first day. Mrs. Anna Schwader of Junction City will again be principal this year. She will also teach the upper grades. Louis Pinkston of Coquille will teach fourth and fifth. Mrs. Jesse Walther of Eugene will teach the third and fourth and Mrs. Cleo Belle Wilson will teach the first grade.

From all the reports the children are really enjoying those hot lunches served for the first time this year in the Disston school.

Mrs. Hazel York and daughter Joretta moved to Springfield Sunday, so she can be nearer the doctor she is taking treatments from. Joretta will attend high school in Springfield for the coming term.

Disston Mother's club met at the school Thursday evening September 6 at 7 p.m. Officers were elected for the coming year as follows: President, Jean Baker; vice president, Irma Carr; secretary-treasurer, Toni Barber. It was decided to have a membership drive to end on October 12. Cookies and coffees were served at the close of the meeting by Opal Jones and Irma Carr. Next meeting will be September 20 at 7 p.m.

The Howard Reynolds family has moved to Cottage Grove. Sunday visitors at the Barney Lance residence were Mr. and Mrs.

Jay Snyder and two children of Anlauf.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Shepherd and daughter LaVanne called at the Otto Janisch home Sunday.

Week end visitors at the Leonard Deveraux home were Mrs. Frank Thornton, Charles Thornton, Mrs. Elvane Blondell of Powers; Melvin Keller of Gold Beach, and Mr. and Mrs. St. Onge of Astoria.

Mrs. Betty Deveraux left Sunday for Sutherlin where she will resume her job. She has been home for the past three weeks, helping her folks who are staying at a Eugene hospital with their son Douglas. We are sorry to report at this time that Douglas hasn't regained consciousness after a fall from the rail-road bridge three weeks ago.

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