

Discharge of Dentists Sped

WASHINGTON, Oct. 12 (AP)—The army and navy have lowered discharge requirements to speed release of dentists and some medical corps officers.

Effective November 1, dental corps officers will be discharged upon completion of 24 months service instead of the present 30 months.

Veterinary corps, sanitary corps and medical administrative corps officers, formerly required to serve 36 months, now may be released with 32 months service.

Non-specialist medical corps officers must still complete 24 months service, although surplus medical officers may be released if they are within 60 days of their eligibility dates.

Mission Society Meets With Mrs. William Lake

JEFFERSON — The Evangelical Missionary society met Wednesday with Mrs. William Lake, 10 members and two visitors were present. Mrs. A. E. Bashford led the devotion. Mrs. James Hague read a poem, "Is it nothing to you?" Mrs. Don Davis gave current events pertaining to missions.

Mrs. George Kihns reviewed a chapter of the study book, "India at the Threshold." Mrs. Albert Meyers read a thank you letter for clothing sent for Philippine relief.

The Spiritual Life committee, composed of Mrs. Don Davis, Mrs. Harry Olsenburg and Mrs. A. E. Bashford, are to plan the thank offering program to be given in November.

1945 Student Awards Made by Jefferson ASB

JEFFERSON — Associated Student Body made awards for last year's velle leaders to Loraine Prokop and Shirley Gukey and a song queen letter to Betty Jo Herrington. Date for the first school skate is October 22.

The junior and senior classes tied in the ticket sale and each will get a half day educational trip.

The school carnival and home-making day will be November 1, along with the home football game with Astoria.

Thursday, October 17, the Jefferson football team will play a team from the Bible Institute of Salem.

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READY FOR SKY ROUNDUP — Maxine Neal added this bronco to the air for the annual aviation celebration, featuring aerial stunts for private fliers, at Las Vegas, Nev.

Silverton Plans Chest Kick Off

SILVERTON, Oct. 12—George Manolis has been named chairman of the Silverton Community Chest campaign in which \$4000 will be raised. Date for the start has been set for Friday, October 25 when a ham and eggs breakfast will be held for workers.

Manolis is also president of the local organization.

An earlier date had been set for the drive but was changed. M. G. Gunderson is vice president of organization and Glen Briedwell, secretary and treasurer. Other members of the committee are Lloyd Larsen, chairman of the school board; R. A. Fish, president of Rotary; and George Christensen, mayor.

4 Corners Extension Unit Meets Tuesday

FOUR CORNERS, Oct. 12—The Four Corners Home Extension unit will meet with Mrs. Warren Shraake, 3820 Monroe ave. Tuesday at 10:30, for an all day meeting. This is the first meeting of the year and Eleanor Trindle, home demonstration agent, will present the demonstration on "Keeping well with vitamins A and D."

Mrs. Ernest Walker is president of the group; Mrs. Henry Hanson, vice president, and Mrs. Ralph Mercer, secretary. Those signed for the course last spring and anyone else in the district who is interested is invited to attend this first meeting.

Brush College Club Elects New Officers

Mrs. Hugh Craig was hostess for the Brush College Woman's club Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Mike Focht was elected president of the club. Other officers named were Mrs. Emmett Rogers, vice president; Mrs. Monty Harris, secretary; Mrs. Carl Wood, treasurer.

The club's Children's Farm Home chairman will be named at a later date. Plans for taking over of the boys' cottage, which is in need of refurbishing, are under way by the club.

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Union Hill Woman's Club Holds Meeting At Ray Johnston Home

UNION HILL—Mrs. Ray Johnston entertained the Woman's Club at her home for the first fall meeting Thursday. Plans for entertaining the Marion County Federation of Women's clubs were made.

Present were Mrs. Henry Tate, Mrs. W. M. Tate, Mrs. Ralph Moller, Mrs. Maurice Heater, Mrs. Adolph Heater, Mrs. Ray King, Mrs. C. E. Heater, Miss Florence Pottorff, Edna Moller, Mrs. Morris Johnston, Mrs. A. L. Koslenborder, Mrs. Henry Peters, Mrs. Dolph Heater and Mrs. Johnston. Mrs. Maurice Heater will be hostess for the club, October 24.

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Vets Protest Court Martials

WASHINGTON, Oct. 12 (AP)—Officials of five veterans organizations complained Friday that enlisted men get a raw deal under the army's present court martial set-up.

Urging varied methods of changing procedure, they declared that in many theatres of command a dual system prevails—with soft rules for officers and tough ones for GIs.

Their gripes were voiced to a special civilian committee on military justice established by the war department to study the problem and make recommendations. Generals Omar Bradley and Courtney H. Hodges expressed belief that justice has prevailed in nearly all cases under the present system.

Wife Charged with Husband's Death

PALM SPRINGS, Calif., Oct. 12 (AP)—A few hours after her husband was fatally shot in their \$100,000 winter residence, Mrs. Ruth Hitchner, 42, was arrested Friday on a booking of suspicion of murder.

Police said they found her, kneeling over the body of Adam H. Hitchner, 43, civil engineer, entreating him:

"Keep breathing and you won't die."

Police Chief August Kettman said Mrs. Hitchner told him she and her husband argued over removal of some furniture from the house; that he struck her on the hand with a hammer and that she fired one shot at him. They had been estranged for some time, the chief added.

Lincoln Goodwill Club Elects New Officers for Year

LINCOLN—Mrs. R. J. Hackett, Mrs. Chris Yungen and Mrs. Lois Crawford were hostesses for the initial meeting of the Lincoln Goodwill club Thursday.

Fall garden flowers were used as decorations. Mrs. Nels Yenckel, president, conducted the business meeting. Grop singing was held. The Treasurer's report showed \$14.65 as a bank balance and \$30 as proceeds from a food sale October 8.

Mrs. Crawford, health chairman of the club, has been invited to attend the Dallas City Library meeting October 22 to hear Mr. Sherer, director of social hygiene education for the Oregon Tuberculosis association, tell of work throughout the state.

Officers elected are president, Mrs. H. D. Burns; vice president, Mrs. T. L. Hicks; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Lois Crawford.

Mrs. B. L. Hicks, Mrs. L. I. Mickey and Mrs. R. J. Meissner will be hostesses in November. Members as a group will present the program at the Lincoln community club meeting October 25. Club guests were Mrs. George Smith and Jill and Michial, Mrs. Fanny Emel, Mrs. J. D. Feller, Mrs. Avalt Miller and Norma and Verna, Judy Meissner, Jeannie Smith, Mrs. Theodore Muyskens, and Mrs. J. D. Walling.

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Polk Community Chest Agricultural Workers Named by Howard

PEDEE — The Pedee Farmers Union met Thursday. Rufus Dodge vice president conducted the meeting in the absence of C. L. McSherry, who is ill in the Dallas hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Anderson are new members.

Need of a yellow line on the highway was discussed and the secretary was instructed to write the State Highway Commission and request it be completed. R. Vance McDowell of Salem explained the Community Health Center and showed plans of the proposed clinic building to be built in Salem. J. Reese of the educational department of the Pacific Supply Cooperative showed pictures on the cooperative health movement.

Sidney Howard, in charge of soliciting for the community chest in agricultural districts, has named as helpers Gus Jahn, Fir Grove; Charles O'Neal, Cherry Grove; Mrs. Adolph Anderson, Pedee Creek road; Arthur Clark, Riner; Mrs. Glen Edwards and Mrs. Jack Wells for Pedee valley. Supper was served during the social hour.

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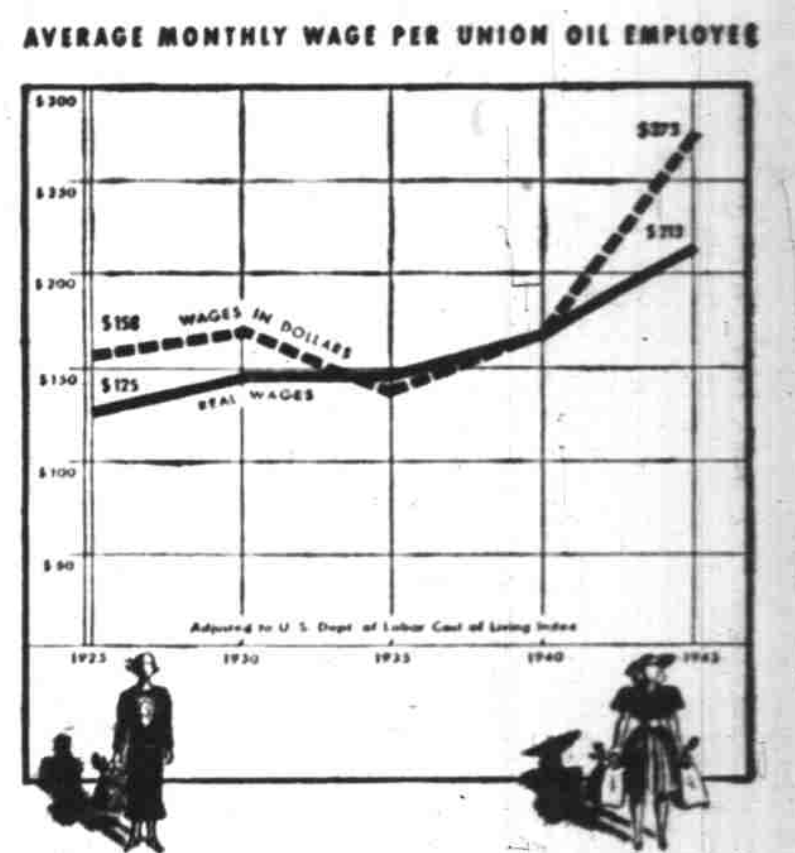
There's only one way to raise wages



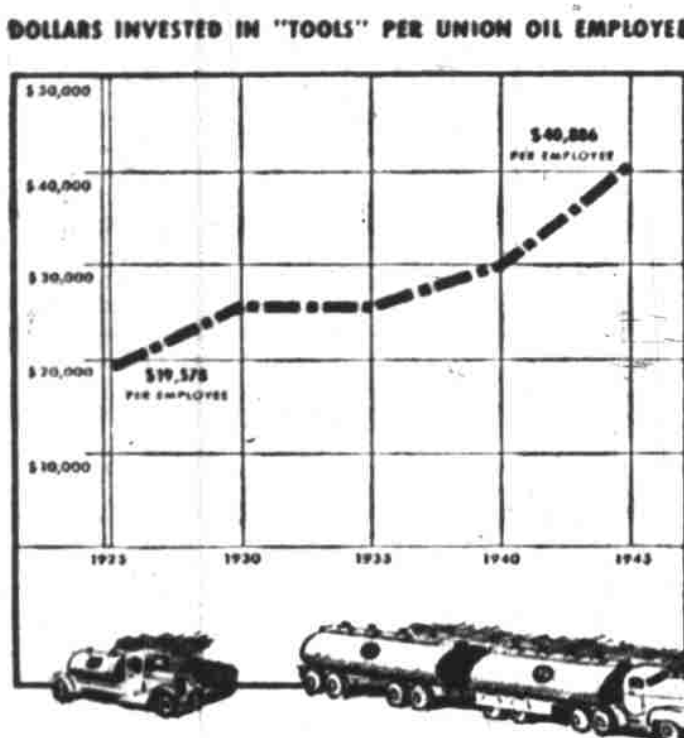
1. Each year a business produces so much income. Part of that income goes for rent, raw materials and other expenses. What's left is divided between the employees and the owners—as wages and profits. Many people think wages can be raised by giving employees a bigger share of the income that's left. But in 9 cases out of 10 this can't be done.



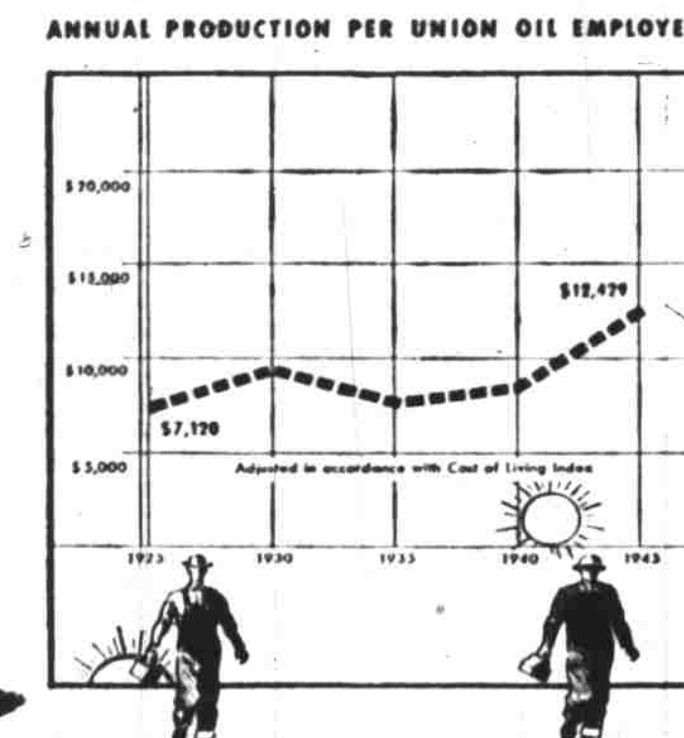
2. In most U. S. businesses the employees are already getting a lion's share of the income. Last year, for example, Union Oil employees got 77% of all income the company produced over expenses. (The stockholders got 12% in dividends and 11% was plowed back into the business.) Nevertheless, employees' wages since 1925 have almost doubled.



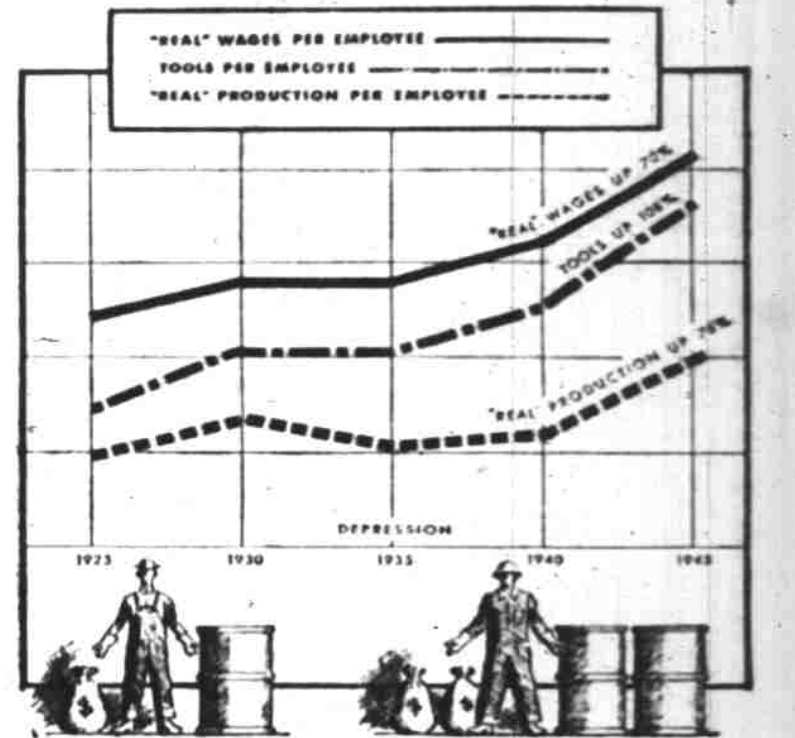
3. Here's the average Union Oil employee's wage in actual dollars per month (dotted line above). Of course \$1 today won't buy what it bought—say—in 1935. So we've also converted those dollars into "Real" Wages (solid line). This shows what the U. S. Dept. of Labor Cost of Living Index found the pay check would actually buy each year in food, clothing, etc.



4. Now, if there are only so many "pieces in a pie," how were wages increased that much? Mostly by producing "bigger pies." In 1925 each Union Oil employee had an average of \$19,578 worth of "tools"—oil wells, refineries, trucks, etc.—to work with. By 1945 the owners had provided him with \$40,886 worth—twice as much.



5. "Tools" are one thing that enable people to multiply the labor of their hands. Today, Union Oil people work about 35% fewer hours than in 1925. They have better vacation, hospital and pension plans. But because they have more "tools" with which to work, they can produce more. And because they can produce more, per employee, they are able to earn more.



6. The three charts together show graphically that the only real way to raise wages is to raise production. Union Oil is not unique in this respect. Almost every U. S. business plots out the same. But one word of warning: Until recently, stockholders have always had the incentive to provide more and more "tools." Today, much of that incentive has been whittled away. Unless it is restored, we're not going to have the progress in the future that we've had in the past.

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