

FSA Can Aid Farmers Now

With funds for the new fiscal year available now, Lane County farmers, returning servicemen and war workers unable to finance sound farming operations through normal credit channels can make use of all Farm Security Admin-

istration services, reports Norman Fletcher, county FSA supervisor. Fletcher pointed out that FSA supervised loans can be made for purchase of livestock, machinery, seed, feed, household goods, tractors, wells, sprinkler systems, building improvements, advance cash rent and nearly every farm operational expense or item. Loans can be made to family-type farm-owners or renters and for sound part-time farming operations. Loans are limited to \$2500

and can be repaid within five years with interest at five per cent on the unpaid balance. A limited number of 40-year farm ownership loans also can be made in the county. "The county FSA committee, which reviews all loan applications, believes that FSA loans combined with management help can contribute to improved dairy stock, farm buildings, small water facilities and increased farm income from more efficient farm operations," Fletcher said. County FSA committeemen are

Roy Corum and David J. Calvert, both of Rt. 2, Eugene, and Leland C. Ross, Rt. 1, Eugene. The FSA Lane County office is in Room 9, Post Office Bldg., Eugene and office hours are 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. Monday through Friday.

6000 Strike In Sympathy

PORTLAND, Me. — (AP) — Approximately 6000 AFL members left their jobs in a general city-wide strike Wednesday in sympathy with the 16-day walkout of about 200 AFL Public Works Department employees.

The strike threatened to seriously hamper activities of this city of 80,000. Involved were bus and truck drivers, building trades and other workers. Horace E. Howe, president of the Central Labor Union, said the workers would attend mass meetings until an "honorable settlement" is made with PWD employees who want a 15 cent per hour wage increase, overtime starting at 44 instead of 48 hours, union recognition and other benefits.

Recruiter Announces Enlistment Ceremony

To save time for men signing up for the Navy's V-6 inactive reserve, ceremonies will be held in Eugene at some future date, at which time an officer will be here from Portland to swear in all men who have enlisted up to that time, announces Leonard Reinholdt, chief turret captain in charge of the Eugene Navy recruiting station.

Reinholdt explained that heretofore each man had to go to Portland to be sworn in, and the new arrangement is for greater convenience. He stated that any man who has had previous service in the Army, Navy, Coast Guard, Marines or Naval Reserve may enlist in V-6, from which they will be called to active duty only in case of emergency. Ex-Navy personnel will be enlisted in the reserve in the rating they held at time of discharge, regardless of how long they have been out, and men from other services will hold the rating of seaman, first class, the recruiter said. Reinholdt said that enlistment in V-6 gives men an opportunity to hold a rating, to gain longevity and to improve their rating.

1000 Rescued From Vessel

RIO DE JANEIRO — (AP) — An estimated 1000 passengers Wednesday were removed safely from the Brazilian transport ship Duquecas after it caught fire off Cape Frio.

Late morning advices from the burning ship said the removal of passengers and the fire had been brought under control, with some 50 crewmen remaining aboard. The Duquecas, a 16,000-ton ship, served as a troop transport throughout the war. She left Rio de Janeiro at 10 p. m. Tuesday for Lisbon and Naples to pick up immigrants.

'Army! Go Ahead Please' Is Word for Picnic

"One Twin engine-High-East-Where? Over the barn, going like heck!" Something like that will be called to memory Sunday, Aug. 4, when former members of the Eugene Filter Center hold their reunion picnic in Skinner's Butte Park. All workers are urged to bring a picnic lunch and be on hand for the dinner at 1 p. m.

Mrs. Glen Lewis is general chairman and she asks that each one recall any amusing or exciting experience which he may have had while working. Each family is requested to bring dishes and silverware for its own use. Coffee and cream will be furnished.

Court Denies Triple Damages to OPA Agent

ASTORIA — (AP) — Triple damages for over-ceiling price sales cannot be collected by an OPA agent who purchased the goods while seeking violations, a circuit court has ruled here. Judge Howard Zimmerman dismissed OPA suits against five grocery stores in his ruling.

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Vet's Representative Named for Northwest

Leighton H. Steele has been named veterans federal employment representative for this region, which includes Oregon, Washington, Idaho, Montana and Alaska, according to an announcement by James P. Cooley, director of the 11th Civil Service Region. In order to compile comprehensive information data regarding the Civil Service Commission's veterans' program, Steele will get in touch with all veterans' organizations and federal agencies throughout the region.

Portland Millage Rate 48.2 for Next Year

PORTLAND — (AP) — A total millage rate for Portland of 48.2 mills, 2.1 above last year, has been set by the Multnomah County Tax Supervising and Conservation Commission for the fiscal year 1946-47. The commission established a budget of \$32,064,934.30, over three and a half million dollars more than last year, and reported only an increase of assessed valuations prevented a higher rate boost.

FAIR ATTRACTIONS

GRESHAM — (AP) — Sea rescue units, radar and other war-developed military devices will be demonstrated at the Multnomah County Fair here Aug. 19-25.

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Civil Service Extends Examination Deadline

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