

U. S. State Department Has Disciplined 27 in 3 Years

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WASHINGTON (UP)—The State Department disciplined 27 employees during the last three years under its security program, but no one was fired.

U. S. Production Continues Climb

WASHINGTON (UP)—The nation's industry set a production record in September and October, and shows signs of breaking the new record this month.

September and October production climbed to 145 on the Federal Reserve Board's index, which uses average production for the years 1947-49 as a comparison basis of 100.

This means production in those months was 45 per cent higher than the 1947-49 average. The previous record was 144 last December.

The board reported Thursday that rising steel and auto output were large contributors to the general production increase of the past two months.

It said assemblies of 1957 model cars rose sharply in early November. Steel production this month was close to the record volume in October.

The only major area of industrial activity which fell off in October was construction materials and that fell only slightly. Lumber production has been sliding since August.

Butler Raps U. S. Papers

WASHINGTON (UP)—Democratic National Chairman Paul M. Butler said Thursday that newspapers carried "practically no criticism of the failures" of the administration's foreign policy during the election campaign.

He said the press followed "the Eisenhower administration's line that all was right with the world."

Butler said press coverage in the 1956 campaign "was more fair" than in 1952. But he added: "When war broke out in the Middle East, few newspaper readers were informed that the policies of bungling during the past four years led up to the events that reached the crisis stage in the last days of the campaign."

He also cited a survey by Editor & Publisher, trade magazine of the newspaper industry, which showed that only 15 per cent of the nation's daily papers, with only about 10 per cent of the total circulation, supported Democrat Adlai E. Stevenson.

"In many states," he said, "there was no daily newspaper supporting the Democratic candidates and no criticism of administration policies."

The State Department started its security program in October, 1953, under the administration of Scott McLeod. The program was designed to help clean up what Republicans called a "mess in the State Department" left over from Democratic administrations.

An information bulletin made available to the United Press showed that in three years the department's security offices recommended 33 disciplinary actions, including nine letters of reprimand and 24 temporary suspensions.

For One Day
Actually, only 18 department employees were suspended for infractions of security rules and nine others were sent reprimands. None was fired.

Informed sources said most of the suspensions were for one day. The maximum could have been 30 days.

The disciplinary action was meted out for such rule infractions as leaving security papers on desks at night and forgetting to lock security files at night.

There are about 12,000 persons working for the State Department here and abroad.

In all, the bulletin said, the security office checked 967 violations during the three-year period. Apparently the bulk of the violations did not warrant disciplinary action.

20 Won Appeals
The security office explained that first violations "are ordinarily acknowledged by a letter from the office of security to the employee," but no immediate record is made in his personnel record. If a second violation occurs within two years, both violations are recorded in the personnel record.

The bulletin said that "relatively few employees of the Department of State or the foreign service are responsible for repeated violations."

It said that "less than one per cent of all employees commit 12 per cent of the violations."

The security office also said some 50 persons involved in security cases have appealed the cases. About 20 won their point. The security office said that in each successful appeal information was brought out which was not originally available to the security office.

Forget-Me-Not Efforts Lauded
A. A. Hunter, chairman of the Forget-Me-Not sale for the Central Oregon chapter of the Disabled American Veterans, today thanked the Usherettes and the Pep club of the Bend high school girls for their successful efforts on Veterans Day.

"The girls did a wonderful job," said Hunter, "and I am sure the whole town must be pleased with their action. We realized \$143 from their work."

The chapter bought forget-me-nots from the DAV national headquarters in Cincinnati. The money is used, said Hunter, for disabled veterans throughout the country. Proceeds above costs go to the support of the local chapter.

Dinner Planned At Tumalo

TUMALO — The Ladies Guild will serve a dinner Monday evening, November 19, at 7:30 to the Kiwanis of Bend. It is open to the community and will be held in the grange hall.

The Tumalo Extension Unit will meet Tuesday, November 20, at the home of Mrs. Jack Wilson.

A community Thanksgiving dinner will be held Thanksgiving day at the grange hall starting at 12:30. All are asked to bring three dishes including a meat dish.

The Ladies Guild will hold a Harvest Festival in Bend Saturday, November 24, in the old Erickson building.

The Los Pasonas Club met at the home of Mrs. Dewey Wilson Wednesday evening. The group voted to help with a community United Fund program at a later date. They will hold a progressive dinner on Sunday evening, November 25. Refreshments were served by the hostess following the meeting.

Those attending were: Mrs. Neil Davis, Mrs. Lee Putnam, Mrs. Gene Davis, Mrs. Harvey Stephens, Mrs. H. Perkins, Mrs. Armand Karrer, Mrs. Lawrence Allen, Mrs. Robert Petersen, Mrs. John Kiew, Mrs. Bob Hagerty, Mrs. Gerold Evanoff, and Mrs. Jack Wilson.

Achievement Day Held
4-H Achievement meeting was held Saturday evening at the grange hall in Tumalo. Jackie Dick was in charge of a short program. Doug Messenger presided over the meeting and made the presentations. Serving refreshments were Mrs. Vance Corwin, Mrs. J. W. Martin, Shirley Lowe, and Mrs. Lawrence Allen.

The Tillicum Study Club met Tuesday at luncheon at the home of Mrs. C. I. Dunlap with Mrs. W. J. Malone as co-hostess. Mrs. Dunlap presented the program which was entitled "Art Through Pictures." Those attending were: Mrs. C. L. Allen, Mrs. Ted Becker, Mrs. Del Davis, Mrs. A. C. Gage, Mrs. E. W. Putnam, Mrs. Hubert Scoggin, and Mrs. Louis Wilson.

Sandra Miller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Miller, was chosen princess of the freshman class of Redmond High school for the football dance.

C. Z. Peden of Redmond was a dinner guest at the Gene Davis home Saturday.

Mrs. Lee Allen and daughters of Yoncalla were weekend guests at the C. L. Allen home.

Visits Reported
Mr. and Mrs. Don McAndie and son of Quincy, Wash., visited the Dewey Wilson home Saturday.

Mrs. O. K. Mooty of Spokane, Wash., visited at the home of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Putnam, for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Davis, and Mr. and Mrs. Harvy Stephens, and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hagerty were guests at a birthday party held Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Petersen. The party was in honor of Mr. Petersen.

Art Myers of Bend, Jack Wilson, Scott McClaran, and Vance Corwin were in Enterprise for several days elk hunting.

Mr. and Mrs. Del Davis visited relatives in Longview and Seattle, Wash., over the weekend.

Heavy Snowstorm Swirling Into Upper Midwest Reaches

By UNITED PRESS
A heavy snowstorm swirled into the upper reaches of the Midwest today after howling across the Northern Plains, coating roads with packed ice and snow and causing at least three traffic deaths.

The dead were motorists who were unable to control their skidding autos on the glazed highways.

Meanwhile, the coldest weather of the season pushed eastward, causing thermometers to nosedive through Ohio in the north and Mississippi in the south.

All of the central portion of the nation except the Northwest was gripped by the cold snap.

Wide Snow Belt
Heavy snow spread a white blanket from eastern Montana through western Upper Michigan. Snow depths generally varied from six to eight inches in most storm-hit sections, but one of the heaviest snowfalls was at Duluth, Minn., where 12 inches fell.

Strong northwest winds, with velocities often reaching as high as 55 miles per hour, whipped snow into deep drifts and reduced visibility as low as poor to zero.

Eight inches of snow was reported at Grantsburg, Wis., and three inches whitened parts of Upper Michigan where the heavy snow was continuing today. Northwest Iowa was covered with a two-inch blanket of white.

Highways in Minnesota, Wisconsin, North Dakota, Upper Michigan, and northwest Iowa were glazed with ice and snow, and reported hazardous.

Buses and trains ran "way behind schedule" and planes were grounded in the area. Harbors along Lakes Superior and Michigan were jammed with lake boats fearful of venturing out on the storm-tossed waters.

Winds Close Docks
At Ashland, Wis., on Lake Superior, iron ore shipments halted as snow and wind drove crews off the docks. The loading of iron ore from the Gogebic range at Ironwood, Mich., and Hurley, Wis., also was stopped by the storm.

Schools closed early Thursday in many communities struck by the snowstorm, and road crews worked through the night to make highways passable.

Homebound traffic Thursday evening at Minneapolis and St. Paul was tied up by snow and ice and the many minor accidents caused by car skids.

Sleet, hail and rain battered the Upper Michigan peninsula, where the storm knocked down about 30 telephone poles in the Sault Ste. Marie area.

Session Draws Mid-Oregonians

REDMOND — Several Central Oregonians are to be on the program of the annual meeting of the Northwest section of the Society for Range Management in Penton, B. C. Dates are November 26 and 27.

Special county agent Elgin Cornett will moderate a panel discussion on livestock control practices for range management, with some of the local personnel on that panel. It will be a half-day program.

Taking part will be Richard Driscoll of the Forest Experimental station in Bend, C. B. "Bud" Adams of Lone Pine, manager of Grey Butte Grazing Association; Bill Currier, formerly with the forest reseeding program in Bend who last week moved to Portland; Buck Hoppe from Ize, Hank Leithead who recently went to Ephrata, Wash., from the SCS office in Bend, is listed as a speaker. Ruben Lene, Fort Rock rancher, will probably attend from this region, as may others, according to Cornett.

Range management, reseeding, livestock control and related matters will be considered.

DELEGATION ARRIVES
BELGRADE (UP)—A Soviet army delegation arrived here Monday to begin a week's tour of major Yugoslavian military installations and factories. The delegation, headed by Col. General V.N. Komarov, was invited by the Yugoslav government.

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