

JOBLESS BENEFITS BRINGS LARGE SUM TO LOCAL REGION

SALEM, May 11. (Sp.)—Four months administration of the unemployment compensation law distributed two and one-half million dollars to eligible jobless workers in Oregon, and claims handled by the Medford office which serves Josephine and Jackson counties brought \$66,503 to this section.

This was 2.7 percent of the total. Portland maintained its position at the top with 46 percent of the total benefits paid, and Ontario replaced The Dalles at the foot of the distribution ladder with 8 percent.

Processing of claims and benefit payments are reaching current status rapidly. Checks now are going out at the rate of 20,000 per week and 78 percent of the more than 65,000 claims filed have passed for payment. Many unemployed workers are receiving their 15th checks this week. Average per check is \$11.82.

Less than 7 percent of the total claims received are either incomplete or in the computing process. The other 93 percent have been denied due to labor disputes, seasonality, insufficient earnings in base year or because earnings in the base year were in occupations not covered by the law.

"Everything possible is being done to expedite payment of benefits and the percentage of claims tied up is low, considering the volume," according to Administrator D. A. Bulmore.

"Failure of employers to send in wage and separation reports and apparent lack of knowledge by claimants as to work records covering the past 12 to 18 months prevents current processing of 2,050 claims, but a thorough audit of claim files has been completed, our adjustment section is well organized and affidavits by employees are being accepted in lieu of wage and separation reports when efforts to procure the latter prove unavailing."

CAPTAIN INGERSOLL TO BE REAR ADMIRAL

WASHINGTON, May 11.—(AP)—Captain Royal E. Ingersoll, chief of the navy's war plans division, who worked with British naval authorities in evolving a program for bigger battleships, was promoted today to the rank of rear admiral.

President Roosevelt sent his name to the senate for confirmation, and when the senate approves his new rank, Ingersoll will be sent to San Pedro, Cal., to command the sixth cruiser division consisting of four heavy cruisers.

Brigadier General James B. Jones of Wheeling, W. Va., was nominated to be a brigadier general in the adjutant general's department reserve.

STRIKE FORCES CLOSE FORD'S MEXICAN PLANT

MEXICO CITY, May 11.—(AP)—A spokesman for the Ford Motor company's \$2,000,000 assembly plant here said today the plant would be closed if the Mexican labor department backs demands of striking workmen. The three-year-old plant, which shut down when the strike started yesterday, employed 300 workmen and recently produced an average of 800 cars a month.

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Circus Arrives at Noon for Medford Showing



Today is circus day. Youngsters of Medford went to bed last night and dreamed of clowns with funny faces, giraffes with necks that reached up into the clouds, elephants with long trunks, pretty girls in pink tights and fluffy skirts, cavorting on the backs of dappled horses—and goodness knows what else.

And, today, their dreams came true, for the great Al G. Barnes and Sells-Floto Combined Circus arrived at noon today. Large crowds gathered at the Southern Pacific railroad yards to see the circus train pull in with its bright colored wagons, horses, elephants and performers. Hardly had the train come to a stop before a crew of several hundred men started the work of un-

loading and transferring of the wagon and equipment to the show grounds near Jackson school. Another crowd gathered at the show grounds to watch the canvas—huge spreads of it—gradually going up in the air, and forming a veritable little city. There was the cookhouse ready to serve breakfast to over six hundred hungry circus people. The blacksmith and his crew were busy shoeing horses in their shop erected for the day. Inside of two hours the big top, the menagerie and the side show tents were up and nearly ready for the two performances this afternoon and at 8 tonight.

Many new features have been added to the 1938 program, making it the greatest performance offered by the Al G. Barnes and Sells-Floto

Circus during the 30 years that it has successfully traveled the United States. Following the magnificent opening pageant the performance moves swiftly introducing the famous Riefenbach family of riders with Clarence Bruce, the world's foremost riding comedian; Mabel Stark, the Queen of the Jungle, the only woman to handle a mixed group of 25 jungle beasts; Janet May, the unrivaled aerial gymnast; Anna Merkle, the human fly; Frank Phillips, fearless wild animal tamer; Walter McClain and his three herds of performing elephants; Jack Joyce, presenting 30 perfectly trained horses; the Flying Lorings and over sixty merry clowns.

MENUHIN WILL MARRY AUSTRALIAN HEIRESS
LONDON, May 11.—(AP)—Yehudi Menuhin, 21-year-old violinist, announced his engagement today to pert, red-headed Nola Nicholas, 19, daughter of an Australian millionaire. Yehudi, now a grown-up "boy prodigy," said he and Miss Nicholas would marry at a London registry office before May 27. Then, he said, they will sail for the United States to settle down on his Los Gatos ranch in California's Santa Cruz mountains.

Weather
Northern California: Generally fair tonight and Thursday but considerable cloudiness on coast and unsettled extreme north portion; rain extreme northwest portion; moderate temperature; moderate northwest to west winds off the coast.
Oregon: Unsettled tonight and Thursday; showers east and occasional rain west portion; moderate temperature; increasing southerly wind on coast.

REVISED LIST OF POLLING PLACES GIVEN FOR CITY

The completed and revised list of primary polling places for the 21 Medford precincts, with two changes from the previously published list, Southeast precinct, and West precinct, follows:
North Main—Holland Hotel.
South Main—134 South Ivy St.
North Central—City Hall.
South Central—Jackson Hotel.
South Riverside—Parker's Chip House, 611 South Riverside Ave.
North Riverside—Lincoln school.
North—Camp Withus.
Oakdale—Senior high school.
Newtown—Courthouse, ground floor.
King—Förner house, 611 West 11th st.
Northeast—Woods Lumber Co.
Cottage—Boy Scout Headquarters.
Southeast—312 East Main.
Queen Anne—Roosevelt school.
East—Herman Powell's residence.
Southwest—Washington school.
South—1215 West Tenth st.
West—1104 West Main street.
Kenwood—23 Rose ave.
Northwest—Jackson school.
Haven—Junior high school.

KLAMATH TO MAIL SPUD IN PINE BOX

KLAMATH FALLS, May 11.—(AP)—A one-day air mail service covering east-mountain cities here and Portland has been plotted by local fliers and postoffice authorities in conjunction with national air mail week.
Two privately-owned planes will leave the Klamath airport Thursday morning, May 12, pick up pouches in Lakeview, Bend, Redmond and Prineville and arrive in Portland at 1:30 p. m.
Bulk of the cargo from here will consist of miniature pine boxes each containing a single Klamath potato. From Portland the boxes will be forwarded to addresses throughout the country by regular mail planes.

A special cachet picturing an airliner winging over Crater lake will be used to stamp the outgoing air mail.

START WORK SOON ON BARRIER AT CRESCENT

CRESCENT CITY, May 11.—(Sp.)—Work on construction of the sand barrier from Whale Island to the shore will begin as soon as materials and rights of way are supplied, Captain Butler, Captain Ponds, and two other army engineers have stated here.

Ownership of Whale Island is still in dispute, with the harbor commission attempting to make arrangements with Eric Lyders, claimant, should he win the case now pending before the circuit of appeals.
Hobbs, Wall & Company has undertaken to supply stone from either Preston or Woody islands.
Captain Butler said the money is available to start work, which is scheduled for completion this year.

POLISH AIRMEN PLAN L. A. TO WARSAW HOP
LOS ANGELES, May 11.—(AP)—A twin-motored American plane bearing Poland's five-man aerial expedition is prepared to take off tomorrow on a 16,500 mile flight from Los Angeles to Warsaw.
The men will fly first to Mexico City, and along the west coast of South America, then from Natal, Brazil to Dakar, French West Africa, and on to Poland by easy stages.

On the Radio Chains

STATIONS
Where to Find Them on the Dial:
KEX, Portland, 1180; KFI, 840; Los Angeles; KGA, 1470; Spokane; KGO, 790; San Francisco; KGW, 620; Portland; KJR, 970; Seattle; KXN, 1650; Los Angeles; KOA, 830; Denver; KOIN, 940; Portland; KOMO, 928; Seattle; KPO, 680; San Francisco; KSL, 1130; Salt Lake.

Wednesday
5:00—(CBS) Grace Moore, KXN, KSL, KOIN, (NBC) Town Hall, KOA; Tune Types, KGO, KEX; Organist, KPO, KFI.
5:30—(NBC) Concert, KGO; Behind the Footlights, KPO; Violinist, KFI, KGW; Concert Hall, KGO.
5:45—(NBC) Headlines on Parade, KXN, KOIN, (NBC) Stories of Life, KPO.
6:00—(CBS) Gang Busters, KSL; Rainbow's End, KOIN, KXN, (NBC) Kyrer's Music, KFI, KPO, KGW; Concert, KEX.

6:30—(NBC) Minstrel Show, KGO, KOA, (CBS) Jack Shannon, KXN.
7:00—(NBC) Amos & Andy, KPO, KFI, KGW; Concert Hall, KGO, (CBS) Jack Fulton, KSL; Scattergood Baines, KXN, KOIN.
7:15—(CBS) Lum & Abner, KSL, KOIN, KXN, (NBC) Uncle Ezra, KPO, KFI, KGW; Outlets' Orch., KGO, KFI.

7:30—(CBS) Ben Bernie, KXN, KOIN, KSL, (NBC) Webb's Orch., KGO, KGA; Heldt's Orch., KPO, KGW.
8:00—(NBC) Town Hall Tonight, KPO, KFI, KGW; Dance Orch., KXN, (CBS) Cavalcade of America, KXN, KOIN, KSL.

8:30—(NBC) Miller's Orch., KGA, (CBS) Sports, KXN.
9:00—(NBC) Downey's Orch., KPO, KFI, KGW; Rapp's Orch., KGA, (CBS) Gang Busters, KXN, KOIN.
9:30—(NBC), Trumbauer's Orch., KPO, KFI, KEX; Waltz Interlude, KGA, (CBS) Brandwynne's Orch., KXN.

9:45—(NBC) Univ. Explorer, KGA, 10:00—(NBC) News, KPO, KFI, KGW, (CBS) Cook & Grant, KSL, 10:15—(NBC) Ravazzini's Orch., KPO, KFI, Dance Orch., KGA, KGO, KGA.
10:30—(NBC) Dance Orch., KGO, KGA.
10:45—(NBC) Larry Lewis, KPO, KFI, (CBS) Parker's Orch., KOIN, KSL, KXN.

11:00—(NBC) Martin's Orch., KPO, KFI, KGW; Five Star Final, KGO, Organist, KGA, (CBS) King's Orch., KXN, KOIN, KSL.
Thursday
5:00—(NBC) Film Stars, KPO, KFI, KGW; Symphony, KGO, (CBS) Major Bowes, KXN, KSL, KOIN.
5:30—(NBC) Symphony, KGO.
6:00—(NBC) Bing Crosby, KPO, KFI, KGW; Under Western Skies, KGO, (CBS) Concert Orch., KXN, KSL, KOIN.

6:30—(CBS) Americans at Work, KXN, (NBC) Shield's Music, KGO, 7:00—(NBC) Amos and Andy, KPO, KFI, KGW; Concert Hall, KGO, (CBS) Jack Fulton, KSL; Scattergood Baines, KXN, KOIN.
7:15—(CBS) Screen Scoops, KXN, KOIN, KSL, (NBC) Schallert Interviews, KGO, KGA; Agnew's Orch., KPO, KFI, KGW.
7:30—(CBS) Kate Smith, KXN, KOIN, KSL, (NBC) Leo and Ren, KGO, KGA; Beece's Orch., KPO, KGW.

8:00—(NBC) Owens' Orch., KGO, Dance Orch., KPO, KGW.
8:15—(NBC) Symphony Hour, KPO, KFI, KGW; Owens' Orch., KPO, KGW; Ball Game, KGO.
8:30—(CBS) Calling All Cars.

KXN; String Trio, KOIN, (NBC) Van's Orch., KJR.
9:00—(CBS) Jurgens' Orch., KXN, KOIN.
9:15—(NBC) March of Time, KPO, KFI, KGW.
9:30—(NBC) Three Cheers, KJR, (CBS) Jelesnik's Orch., KSL, 10:00—(NBC) News, KPO, KFI, KGW; Dance Orch., KJR; Baseball, KGO, (CBS) Pianist, KXN, KSL.
10:15—(NBC)—Ravazzini's Orch., KPO, KFI, Dance Orch., KGA, (CBS) Parker's Orch., KSL, KXN, KOIN.
10:30—(CBS) Parker's Orch., KSL, (NBC) Dreiske's Orch., KGO, KGA, KEX.
10:45—(NBC)—Trio, KPO, (CBS)

Nelson's Orch., KXN, KSL, KOIN, 11:00—(NBC)—Trumbauer's Orch., KPO, KFI, KGW; Five Star Final, KGO; Organist, KGA.
Closing time for Too Late to Classify Ads is 1:30 p. m.

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