

# JACKSON COUNTY WELFARE OUTLAY REDUCED IN MAY

## Total Expenditure \$20,042 Compared With \$20,879 in April, Report Shows

A monthly statistical summary issued by the Jackson county public welfare commission showed today that total expenditures decreased last month to \$20,042.52 from \$20,879.76 in April. The summary was made public following the commission's monthly meeting Monday in city hall.

As compared with April, last month brought a reduction in costs in all the commission's forms of welfare but one. Expenditures for blind assistance were the same each month, \$264 for ten cases. General assistance, old age assistance and aid to dependent children cost less last month than in April. The greatest decrease was in general assistance or direct relief.

The total for last month, however, was higher than it was in May of 1939 when welfare expenditures aggregated \$19,251.16. With one exception, each kind of welfare cost more last month than in the same 1939 period. Blind assistance cost \$245 in May last year as compared with \$264 last month. The statistical summary follows:

May, 1940.	
General Assistance:	
Families	158 \$2,917.93
Singles	100 1,430.52
	258 \$4,348.45
Old Age Assistance:	
Cases	681 \$13,114.07
Aid to Dependent Children:	
Cases (Children 172.)	76 \$2,316.00
Blind Assistance:	
Cases	10 \$ 264.00
Total	\$20,042.52
May, 1939.	
General Assistance:	
Families	166 \$3,077.83
Singles	81 7,153.70
	247 \$4,231.53
Old Age Assistance:	
Cases	656 \$12,909.83
Aid to Dependent Children:	
Cases (Children 134.)	66 \$1,865.00
Blind Assistance:	
Cases	10 \$ 245.00
Total	\$19,251.16
April, 1940.	
General Assistance:	
Families	202 \$3,319.76
Singles	108 1,535.33
	310 \$4,855.09
Old Age Assistance:	
Cases	692 \$13,263.67
Aid to Dependent Children:	
Cases (Children 185.)	80 \$2,497.00
Blind Assistance:	
Cases	10 \$ 264.00
Total	\$20,879.76

# PENDLETONIANS SPUR CONGRESS

Pendleton, Ore., June 19.—(P)—The Pendleton preparedness assembly, which last month took the vanguard of national public demand for defense by organizing within two days a community-wide demonstration, begun with a parade, has not relaxed its belief that congress is not pressing the defense program rapidly enough.

Today, over the signatures of its directors, who are representatives of police organizations, veterans' groups, service clubs and government organizations such as city and county, it sent the Oregon congressional delegation copies of a new and stronger resolution, demanding the utmost speed for defense.

# HILLSBORO WEEKLY IS JUDGED NATION'S BEST

Hillsboro, Ore., June 19.—(P)—The National Editorial Association announced yesterday that for the second consecutive year an Oregon weekly has been judged the nation's best in the over-1000 circulation bracket.

W. Verne McKinney, publisher of the Hillsboro Argus, learned his paper had won the honor for 1941, which was taken last year by the McMinnville Register.

# LANE COUNTY CENSUS SHOWS 14,527 GROWTH

Eugene, June 19.—(P)—Lane county's 1940 census figure is 49,020, Mrs. Merle Stuart, director for this area, said today. This is an increase of 26.6 per cent over 1930 when the count was 34,493, a difference of 14,527.

# TECHNICAL STAFF FOR SHAKESPEARE FESTIVAL CHOSEN

Technical forces, to work in conjunction with production heads in the annual Shakespearean productions in Ashland this summer, have been announced by Director William David Cottrell as the second week of extensive rehearsals gets underway.

Dick Farmer and Delmar Solen of Hollywood and Tracy, Minn., respectively, will act as technical directors for the season. Kent Robbins of Ashland is to be stage manager, while Richard Putney of Ashland will handle electrical duties. Bookholders are Frances Schilling, Ashland, and Jean Grantham, Medford.

Assistant director will be Dorothy Pruitt, a veteran member of the Shakespearean casts. Well known throughout southern Oregon for her dramatic ability, she is handling the adaptation of "Much Ado About Nothing" and is embarking upon her sixth year with the group.

Original music is being composed by John Reischer of Medford. He is also a veteran member of the Shakespearean troupe and is prominent for his dramatic interpretation in community dramas. He will have charge of all music presentations for this summer's plays.

LaMerle Beck has been appointed dance director and is working on dance routines for two of the plays. She also appears in two productions, "The Comedy of Errors" and "As You Like It," and bears a reputation for dramatic portrayals.

Director Cottrell has completed his cast for "The Comedy of Errors" and will announce the names this week. This completes all for productions from a casting standpoint and rehearsals will now be continued on a full time basis.

# STATE LEGION HEAD URGES SENATORS TO AID BRIDGES OUSTER

Grants Pass, June 19.—(P)—In the "name of the American Legion of Oregon," Niel R. Allen, department commander, today urged Senators McNary and Holman to support passage of a bill to deport Harry Bridges, alien leader of west coast labor.

Allen's wire "urgently" requested that McNary and Holman do all in their power to have the senate join the house in its favorable action "as unmistakable gesture of an aroused citizenry exercising its power of sovereignty over aliens in our midst. We believe America's duty to herself in this time of crisis requires that she declare and exemplify in no uncertain terms... power which is actually the power of national self-preservation."

"The citizenry now looks to congress to correct the weakened indecision and vacillation of an executive agency of the government which now symbolizes the attitude toward all aliens within our borders."

Allen declared the power of the citizenry over aliens "is subject to no constitutional limitations."

# FARMERS AIDED IN DEBT REFINANCING

"The Farm Security Administration, through its farm debt adjustment service, is assisting debt-burdened farmers in Jackson county to continue with their farming operations where otherwise they would have been unable to operate," advises Eugene Hampton, farm security supervisor for Jackson county.

"Farmers are being assisted through a committee of farmers and civic leaders in the county in getting obligations refinanced, which in some cases means prevention of foreclosure of property and in other cases reductions of annual payments. They are also instrumental in some cases in getting contracts rewritten and obligations extended. This service is not restricted to Farm Security Administration borrowers, and creditors as well as farm debtors are eligible to apply," continued Mr. Hampton.

Anyone desiring information regarding this service should contact or write the Farm Security Administration, 211 Fluhler Building, Medford, Ore.

# On the Radio Chains

STATIONS Where to Find Them on the Dial: KEX, 1160, Portland; KFL, 640, Los Angeles; KGA, 1470, Spokane; KGO, 790, San Francisco; KJW, 920, Portland; KJR, 970, Seattle; KNX, 1050, Los Angeles; KOA, 830, Denver; KOIN, 940, Portland; KOMO, 920, Seattle; KPO, 630, San Francisco; KNL, 1130, Salt Lake.

Wednesday 5:00—Star Theater, KNX, KSL, KOIN, Green Hornet, KGO, KJR, KEX, Musical Soiree, KFI, Introducing KPO. 6:30—Shield's Revue, KGO, KEX, KJR, Hubbard's Band, KPO, KFI. 8:00—Violinist, KGO, Kyser's Prgm., KPO, KGW, KFI, Symphony Orch., KEX, Miller's Orch., KNX, KSL, KOIN. 8:30—Burns and Allen, KNX, KGO, KSL, Easy Aces, KGO, KEX, KJR. 7:00—Joy's Orch., KGO; Amos and Andy, KNX, KOIN, KSL, Hollywood Playhouse, KPO, KFI, KGW. 7:30—Drama, KGO, KEX, KJR; Plantation Party, KPO, KFI, KGW; Dr. Christian, KNX, KSL, KOIN. 8:00—Fred Allen, KPO, KGW, KFI; Ben Bernie, KNX, KSL, KOIN; Sports, KGO, News, KEX. 8:30—Baseball Game, KGO; Tuckers' Orch., KSL, KNX; Baseball Game, KEX. 9:00—Paul Sullivan, KNX, KSL, KOIN; Martin's Orch., KPO. 9:30—Savitt's Orch., KFI; Alexander's Orch., KSL; Stanford University, KPO, KFI, KGW.

10:00—Dance Orch., KSL, KNX; Reporter, KPO, KFI, KGW. 10:15—Primo Jr.'s Orch., KPO, KFI; Owen's Orch., KEX; Dance Orch., KOIN. 10:30—Richard's Orch., KOIN, KNX; Belchman's Orch., KPO, KGW, KFI; Stud's Orch., KEX, KJR. 11:00—Young's Orch., KOIN, KSL; Nottingham's Orch., KPO; This Moving World, KEX, KJR; News, KGW, KNX.

Thursday 5:00—Symphony Orch., KGO, KEX, KFI; Good News of 1940, KPO, KFI, KGW; Major Bowes, KNX, KOIN, KSL. 5:30—Army Band, KFI; Safety First, KPO. 6:00—Barber Shop Quartet, KGO; Miller's Orch., KNX, KOIN, KSL; Music Hall, KPO, KFI, KGW; Louis-Godoy Heavyweight Boxing Bout, KEX. 6:30—News of the War, KNX, KOIN, KSL; Easy Aces, KGO, KEX, KJR. 7:00—Fred Waring, KPO, KGW, KFI; Amos and Andy, KNX, KSL, KOIN; Drama, KGO. 7:30—Musical Americana, KGO, KEX, KJR; Ask-It-Basket, KNX, KOIN, KSL; Dorsey's Orch., KGW. 8:00—Strange As It Seems, KNX, KSL, KOIN; Sports News, KGO; Dress Rehearsal, KPO; News, KEX. 8:15—Gaiety on Parade, KOW. 8:30—Symphony Hour, KPO, KGW, KFI; Herbeck's Orch., KSL; Baseball Game, KGO; Answer Auction, KNX, KOIN; Sam Hayes, KGO. 9:00—Paul Sullivan, KSL, KNX, KOIN. 9:30—I Love a Mystery, KPO, KFI.

# POPULATION OF STATE UP OVER 10 PER CENT

Portland, June 19.—(P)—Oregon has grown between 19 and 11 per cent in population since 1930, State Census Supervisor Eyron G. Carney said today. The 1930 population was 953,786.

Reservations Now Being Made For Newhouse Series Reservations are now being made at the Lithia hotel in Ashland for the fifth annual series of metaphysical lectures to be given by Flower A. Newhouse here June 23 to 30. A well-known lecturer and author, Mrs. Newhouse will open the series at the Jackson county courthouse auditorium Sunday evening. As in the past, impromptu concerts will be given at the Lithia hotel by talented members of the group during the

# OREGON RANKS HIGH IN JOB PLACEMENTS

Salem, June 19.—(P)—Although 34th in population, Oregon ranked 21st in private job replacements, both in April and in the first four months of 1940, the state employment service said today. The service found jobs during May for a record, breaking total of 13,644 persons, of whom 7,613 were given jobs in farm and other seasonal work.

# PITCHER'S WINDUP

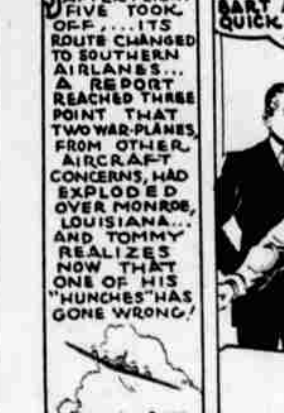
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# TAILSPIN TOMMY

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# BEN WEBSTER'S CAREER—And No Foolin'



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# IN THE DOOMED PLANE



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by JOHN HIX



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# OREGON BANKERS NAME PORTLANDER PRESIDENT

Gearhart, June 19.—(P)—The Oregon Bankers' association elected Charles H. Stewart, head of the Portland Trust and Savings bank, president at the annual convention Tuesday. J. B. Booth of Corvallis became vice-president and John L. Searcy of Hillsboro treasurer.

# Workers Back Britain

London, June 19.—(P)—The National Council of Labor issued a statement tonight pledging British workers to "give their utmost in every field of production and energy for which this crisis calls."

# MINNESOTA CONCLUDE DATE SET

Minneapolis, June 19.—(P)—The annual Pacific Northwest district Kiwanis convention will be held in Spokane August 18 to 20, Jack B. Godfrey, of Portland, district governor, announced today at the 24th annual Kiwanis International convention.

Godfrey also submitted a report to the convention showing the activity of 60 Washington state clubs.

# THE FEMALE FORTKEEPER!

MRS. LOTT HUMPHREYS-- IS IN FULL COMMAND OF FORT MACON, N.C., BUILT ENTIRELY BELOW GROUND!

MIL O OF CROTONA-- Famous Greek pugilist, COULD HOLD A POMEGRANATE SO TIGHTLY IN HIS FIST THAT NO ONE COULD REMOVE IT-- YET THE FRUIT WOULD NOT BE INJURED IN THE LEAST!

"MAYDAY! MAYDAY!" THERE IS A \$10,000 FINE FOR SAYING "MAYDAY" ON A COMMERCIAL RADIO BROADCAST! (IT IS AN INTERNATIONAL RADIOTELEPHONIC DISTRESS SIGNAL)

MAYDAY BAN Use of the word "MAYDAY" in any false or fraudulent manner on a radio program involves a \$10,000 fine, according to the Federal Communications Commission. "Mayday" is a corruption of the French "m'aider," a plea for help. The International Telecommunications Conference of 1938 ruled that this distress call should be sent only by order of the master or person responsible for a ship, aircraft or other vehicle in distress. An offender is subject to punishment by a fine of \$10,000, two years' imprisonment, or both. TOMORROW: Community Circus.

# THE "FIFTH COLUMN"!

FIRE ANTS-- DISRUPT TELEPHONIC COMMUNICATIONS BY ATTACKING THE INSTRUMENTS FROM WITHIN!



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