

TRUMAN PRAISES BUSINESS WOMEN ON JOB EFFORTS

President Truman officially opened National Business Women's Week today with a statement to Miss Margaret A. Hickey of the National Federation of Business and Professional Women's Clubs, Inc.

"The theme 'Jobs Enough to Go Round' which will emphasize the group discussions this year in the annual observance of National Business Women's Week is most timely, the president said. "I hope that the forthcoming conferences will be fruitful of wise counsels and will develop many suggestions to make full employment a reality."

"Full employment means work opportunity for every man or woman who wants to work. This opportunity is necessary to the continued progress of our nation. Without work there is no wealth; for wealth is the result of applied labor. Work likewise is essential to the full development of our individual citizens. We can store machinery carefully away; we can leave untapped for future use vast stores of natural resources. But we cannot store away or leave untapped the skills and talents of human beings. Every day lost in enforced idleness is an opportunity lost, a talent diminished, production gone forever."

"Our democratic system has succeeded because it is the best method yet devised for permitting a man to develop fully his own individual talents. Its future progress will rest upon the degree to which we Americans continue to have the opportunity for profitable, productive employment."



They chew some mighty big bites

Long had he loved to fish. Long had he known how other men love to fish. That's how it came about that a man whose business is selling paper for a paper house began sending fishing kits to the South Pacific.

You see, he wanted to make some personal contribution to the war. He figured his fellow anglers would appreciate hard-to-get fishing equipment none the less because they were in uniform and far from their favorite streams. Well, sir, he hit a jack pot.

Soon his garage was a shop. He drafted his neighbors as a staff. His home life vanished because he was always out promoting interest—at lodge, before service clubs, anywhere. When he should have been sleeping he was battling red tape to get wire for hooks and cord for line. Result: 32,000 fishing kits have gone their way.

Similarly, a busy manufacturer's agent finds there are no longer enough hours in the day. All because he once thought he would gather up a few discarded games and send them to hospital and recreational units. At last reports he had forwarded some 20,000 games.

These men are typical of patriotic Americans whose numbers run into thousands. You never hear of them. Even though the war is over, they still work constantly and anonymously in the interests of our service men. In many cases the popularity of an idea makes it seem they've bitten off more than they can possibly chew.

Yet they simply do not stop. They keep on giving their time. They keep putting up their own money. Some manage single-handed. Others wangle help. But they keep on doing a job, for the need is still great! To them we'd like to pay a tribute. We'd like to say "Good for you!"

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STANDARD OF CALIFORNIA

OBITUARY

NEMO E. B. TUCKER

Nemo E. B. Tucker (famously known as John) passed away Friday at the Veterans' Hospital in San Francisco.

Mr. Tucker was born in Montcalm county, Michigan, Jan. 21, 1887. He was a carpenter and had followed that trade throughout the valley for the past 19 years. He was a veteran of World War I, having served in France with the Engineer's Corps.

Mr. Tucker leaves to mourn his loss two brothers, George H. of Medford, with whom John had made his home for the past 25 years and Frank G., of Arlington, Wn., two nieces, one nephew, one cousin, also a host of friends throughout the valley and elsewhere.

Funeral services will be held at the Conger-Morris funeral parlors at 2 p. m. Tuesday, Oct. 9, interment at Memorial Park, and will be conducted by members of the Eagles' Lodge, with which Mr. Tucker had been affiliated for 18 years. Past Worthy President Ray Marks and Mr. Shannon White will officiate. Brothers of the lodge will be pall bearers and honorary pall bearers. It is requested that flowers be omitted.

SHERMAN S. SHELL

Sherman Stanton Shell, a resident of Medford for the past 18 years, passed away Saturday evening.

Mr. Shell was born in Allen county, Kansas, Sept. 19, 1871. On March 14, 1896, he was united in marriage to Miss Marcia Dawson at New Whatcom, Wash.

Mr. Shell leaves to mourn his passing his wife, Marcia Shell, one son, Glen Shell, Grants Pass, and a daughter, Mrs. Alfarretta Lee, Jacksonville; also two brothers, William Shell, British Columbia, and Sam Shell, Bellingham, Wash., and one sister, Mrs. Z. L. Dawson, Bellingham, Wash. He is also survived by two grandsons.

Funeral services will be held at the Perl Funeral Home, Tuesday at 2 p. m., with the Rev. Delbert Daniels, pastor of the First Christian church officiating. Interment will take place in Medford I.O.O.F. cemetery.

MAYME L. MEIER

Mayme Lorraine Meier, wife of William R. Meier, and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley D. Durkee, passed away at the family residence, 520 Palm street, Sunday morning. Mrs. Meier was born at Minneapolis, Minn., on Feb. 14, 1918.

She was united in marriage here to William R. Meier on May 5, 1943, and she spent her entire life in Medford, except for several months at Watsonville, Calif., where her husband was stationed with the army. She was taken ill there and returned to Medford three weeks ago.

Besides her parents and husband, she leaves one sister, Miss Deloris A. Durkee of Seattle, Wash., her grandmother, Mrs. D. J. Durkee of Baker, Ore., and a number of other relatives. Funeral services will be conducted from Perl Funeral Home Wednesday at 2 p. m., with the Rev. Louis C. Kirby, pastor of the First Methodist church, officiating. Interment will be in Siskiyou Memorial Park.

DEATH OF LT. ELLETT TOLD BY GRANDMOTHER

Information concerning the death of her grandson, Second Lt. Morris Ellett of Los Angeles, has been received by Mrs. Ella McBeath of Phoenix. As a boy Lt. Ellett spent several summers in the valley with his grandmother and later operated an art studio here.

Lt. Ellett, reported missing since Feb. 24 of 1945, was taken prisoner while engaged as a bomber pilot with the army air forces in the European theater and died in prison after 62 days of interment. Mrs. McBeath's informant stated.

FOURTH SET OF TWINS

Burbank, Cal., Oct. 8—(U.P.)—Mr. and Mrs. Kermit Lee today celebrated the arrival of their fourth set of twins—Kent and Keith.

ARMISTICE DAY PLANS WILL BE AIRED AT MEET

Plans for a big Armistice Day celebration will be completed at the regular monthly meeting of the American Legion at the Armory, Wednesday. Armistice Day committees will be announced Wednesday night for the largest celebration in years, according to Commander Richard Balze.

New committees for the Legion's years activities will also be appointed at the meeting. Many World War II veterans will be asked to assist in the stepped up activities of the Legion for the coming year. The local post has 116 World War II members and new ones are signing up every day. Balze said. Many new memberships have been purchased by relatives for men still in the service.

National and post colors will be displayed in the Chamber of Commerce windows during the Oregon State Guard recruiting campaign October 12 and 13. The local post will also cooperate by assisting with recruiting of new members for the local guard companies.

Commander Balze invites all veterans and especially all new members to attend the Wednesday night meeting which will start promptly at 8 o'clock. The American Legion Auxiliary will also meet Wednesday night and refreshments will be served the two posts after the meetings.

Livestock

Portland, Ore., Oct. 8—(U.P.)—Livestock: Cattle 2350, calves 400, market rather slow, but mostly steady; medium to good steers \$14.00-16.25, common grades down to \$11.00; good heifers \$15.00, common-medium grades \$9.50-13.50; carner and cutter cows \$9.00-7.50; common-medium beef cows \$8.50-10; good cows not moving; medium to good sausage bulls \$8-10.00; good beef bulls up to \$11.50; odd head to \$12.00 and above; medium to good grass calves, \$12-13.00; choice vealers up to \$14.00, odd head \$14.50.

Hogs 450, including 300 feeder pigs; slaughter hogs steady at ceiling; butchers \$15.75; sows \$15.00; early top feeder pigs at \$15.50 lower at \$19.50.

Sheep \$13.50; lambs active fully steady, good to choice \$12-12.50; some held higher, common-medium grades \$10-11.25; shorn lambs \$11.00; ewes around \$9c lower at \$4.00 down.

Chicago, Oct. 8—(U.P.)—(WFA)—Livestock: Hogs 2500. Active, fully steady; good and choice barrows and gilts 140 lbs and up at \$14.75 ceiling; food and choice sows at \$14.00.

Cattle 19,000. Calves 1500. Good and choice fed steers, yearlings and heifers, active, fully steady; lower grades less active, but mostly steady; cows slow, steady to 15 cents lower; bulls strong; vealers steady at \$15.00 down; 23 loads choice 908 to \$14.25 lbs. Steers and yearlings top at \$18.00.

Sheep 4,000. Market rather slow; slaughter lambs unevenly 23 to mostly 50 cents lower; good and choice slaughter lambs \$14.00 to \$14.50, ducks \$1.00 less.

Chicago Wheat

Wheat	Open	High	Low	Close
Dec.	176 1/4	176 3/4	175 3/4	176 1/4
May	174 1/4	175 1/4	174 1/4	175 1/4
July	169	170 1/4	168 3/4	169 1/4
Sept.	167 1/4	168 3/4	166 3/4	168

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Wall Street

New York, Oct. 8—(U.P.)—Industrial shares again led the stock market into new high ground for more than eight years today with volume increasing.

A long list gained one to more than 2 points. Steel, automobile, department store, aircraft, tobacco, and amusement issues were in the forefront. Rails joined the rise and the rail equipments also moved ahead.

Demand for stocks was based on a bright outlook for the post-reconversion period and hence traders paid only passing attention to strikes and other current problems. Leading steels made new highs despite a drop of more than 7 per cent in steel output caused by coal mining stoppages.

Sales on the "big board" totalled 1,780,000 shares against 1,420,000 last Friday.

Today's closing prices on selected stocks:

American Tel. & Tel.	182 1/2
Anaconda	38 1/2
Chrysler	120 1/2
Curtiss Wright	7
General Electric	47 3/4
General Motors	73 1/2
Montgomery Ward	68 1/2
Penn. R. R.	39 3/4
Phillips Petroleum	53
J. C. Penney	126 1/2
Radio	15 1/2
Southern Pacific	52 1/2
Standard Oil of Calif.	44 1/2
Texas Gulf Sulphur	47 1/2
Transamerica	14 1/2
United Aircrafts	28 1/2
U. S. Rubber	69
U. S. Steel	78 1/2

S. F. DAIRY PRICES

San Francisco, Oct. 8—(U.P.)—Dairy market: Butter—93 score 43 1/2, 92 score 43, 90 score 42 1/4. Cheese—Loafs 28.2, triplots 27.2. Eggs: Large grade A 55 1/2, grade A medium 50 1/2, small grade A 42 1/2, and large grade B 48 1/2.

EXTENDED VACATION

Hollywood, Oct. 8—(U.P.)—Film Actress Lola Lane, who objected to her husband's suggestion that she take a "matrimonial vacation," was granted a divorce today from airplane plant official Henry C. Dunham. Miss Lane and Dunham were married in January, 1941, and separated three years later.

EAGLE PT. GIRL TAKES PRIZE IN STATE 4-H FAIR

Helen Harnish, 4-H club member of Eagle Point stood in the blue ribbon group in the informal party dress class of the state 4-H club style revue held recently at Salem, Miss Helen Cowgill, assistant state club leader has just announced. Her dress, a dusty pink taffeta, floor length, with sweetheart neckline and sleeves outlined in royal blue was also judged worthy of a blue ribbon.

Allene Owens' informal party dress, flowered marquisette with neck line and sleeves outlined with a double ruffle of the same material was awarded a blue ribbon in the same class. Allene is a member of the Valleyview Clothing club.

In the knitting division, Maureen Friend of Antelope won a blue ribbon in the beginner class and Charlotte Kent of the same club won a blue ribbon in the advanced class. Barbara McCune of Eagle Point won a red ribbon in the Spreckles' canning contest.

These girls were all high place winners at the county 4-H club fair just concluded and won the honor of taking part in the state 4-H exhibit.

Boy Scout News

Court of Honor will be held at the county courthouse in Medford tonight at 7:30 o'clock.

ARMOUR HEIR HELD

Chicago, Oct. 3—(U.P.)—Philip D. Armour, IV, 27-year-old meat packing heir, faced prosecution today in the auto death of Mrs. Myrtle F. Cooper, 49, Evanston, Ill., widely-known dog fancier. Police said Mrs. Cooper was killed almost instantly yesterday in a head-on collision between her car and one driven by Armour, son of the former vice-president of Armour and Co.

Apostolic Overseer To Conduct Service On Tuesday Evening

The Rev. J. G. Robbins, assistant overseer of the Apostolic Faith church of Portland, will be at the local church Tuesday for an evangelistic service at 8 p. m.

Rev. Robbins has been in the ministry for over 40 years, and has conducted successful evangelistic campaigns throughout the west, having just returned from special meetings in San Francisco and Los Angeles.

A large orchestra and choral group, with Mrs. Willie Struhar, soprano soloist of Portland, will furnish a program of special music for tomorrow night's services.

Pigs to Fatten Hard to Locate

Farmers, who for years have prepared their own hams and bacon and country sausage are hustling around these days looking for pigs to fatten and kill for their own use. Feeder pigs are scarce, and some buyers report,

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as high as 30 cents per pound is asked, and only a few cents less per pound for suckling pigs. The county agent reports the fall farrowing as yet has not been as heavy as expected. There have been no reports of record broods.

Closing time for Sunday Too Late to Classify 4:30 Saturday afternoon. Please remember.

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