

Business Outlook Better Last Week, But Big Snag Seen Over Labor Pay Issue

By RICHARD FISKE
NEW YORK, Aug. 15 (AP)—Business was downgraded good in several unrelated industries last week.

Manufacturers were adding workers or shortening vacations to meet increased production schedules.

Luggage and leather makers reported orders were running 25 per cent ahead of last year. Factory sales of washing machines were at a 1949 top.

The wheels of many other industries were rolling along at good speed.

But the labor situation was not encouraging. There was a possibility labor disputes might jam a monkey wrench in the smooth running machinery.

The steel industry would be more optimistic if it weren't for the threat of labor trouble.

Ford workers voted overwhelmingly to strike if necessary to get pensions, health benefits and a wage increase. A walkout would put a crimp in the record high production rate at which automobiles are rolling off the assembly lines.

There were a few other disturbing situations.

In Washington the government

started off the first month of the new fiscal year spending more money than it had in the bank. That spurs inflation with a capital "L."

The only living former president, Herbert Hoover, had an unsettling thought.

The government is spending the people's savings, he said, and through government spending and taxes the nation is heading for collectivism.

Corporate earnings still were pretty good. But they were a little lower in the second quarter in many cases. It is still costing them more money to make a dollar.

Some of the big fellows, like American Woolen and U. S. Rubber cut their second quarter dividends.

But that was water over the dam. Those figures reflected past performances. Current conditions were more encouraging.

Westinghouse said it planned to hire additional workers at its Mass. plant, and other Springfield, Mass. plants to meet increased production schedules in its electric appliance divisions.

Motorola, Inc. television and radio manufacturers, reported it was expanding its worker rolls to the highest number in its history to meet heavy demands for its products.

The Verney corporation, makers of textiles, reduced employee vacations at Greenwich, R. I. from two weeks to one to handle stepped-up production.

Construction awards hit a 1949 high and there were such items as a \$9,000,000 school building program in the days ahead.

The commerce department said business cut its inventories another \$1,000,000,000 in June. Most of the cut, outside of seasonal factors, was in manufacturers' holdings.

The chamber of commerce of the United States said there was no question the slide is continuing, but it becomes more apparent it is of the orderly readjustment variety rather than a panicky collapse.

Even the most optimistic were bothered by the labor situation, however.

The nation's big steel companies began telling their side of the story to the president's fact-finding board this week.

Clarence B. Randall, president of Inland Steel and management key-note, said the industry couldn't afford the CIO Steelworkers' demands for a 30-cent-an-hour package including wage, pension and insurance benefits.

He said President Truman's creation of the board was an "industrial revolution" which ultimately would lead to nationalization of the industry. He inferred CIO President Philip Murray persuaded the president to establish the board.

The 60-day truce in the steel industry is up August 30 and the firming of the board are not binding. Union and management appeared as far apart as when the truce began.

The CIO Electrical Workers union talked about a possible strike against General Electric, which rejected fourth round wage demands.

Steel has been made from iron for centuries, but only in very small amounts until about 100 years ago.

Four-H News

The Henley Flower club held a meeting at Mrs. Johnson's home on the 11th of August.

The members were divided up in groups of two. Each group made a very attractive flower arrangement. Mrs. White told the girls what was wrong with their flower arrangements and gave a few hints on better arrangement.

The club discussed the flower show, and the meeting was adjourned and refreshments were served.

OMA HOFFMAN, News Reporter.

The fifth meeting of the Main Canner club was held at the home of Barbara Cornett on July 27. The club members had a potluck dinner before the meeting. After the meeting Barbara Cornett gave a jelly making demonstration, using the "kleanet" method.

The sixth meeting of the Main Canner club was held at the home of Shirley and Edna King on August 2. After the meeting refreshments were served to the following members and visitors: Pat Tucker, June Saunders, Dorothy Saunders, Jean Rajnus, Beverly Martin, Shirley King, Mrs. Mildred Lahoda and Edna King. EDMONA KING, News Reporter.

The seventh meeting of the Main Canner club was held at the home of Jean Rajnus on August 9. Joan Howell was present and members discussed problems they had been troubled with in their canning.

After the meeting refreshments were served. The following members and visitors were present: Dorothy Saunders, Pat Tucker, Barbara Cornett, Sally Simalley, Shirley Dixon, Shirley King, Jean Rajnus, Edna King, Mrs. Mildred Lahoda and Mrs. Rajnus. EDMONA KING, News Reporter.

The Bonanza Can Can club met at the home of Esther Brown August 4. Garden club members were present. The roll call from the canning club was to name a favorite fruit. The garden club roll call was to name a favorite flower.

Before the meeting the club members enjoyed dancing on the lawn.

The club members discussed the demonstration day to be held August 22. The garden club will exhibit.

After the meeting, songs were sung and home movies were shown. Watermelon was served to the guests and members.

HAZEL BRADSHAW, News Reporter.

Hoover Arrives in New York City
 NEW YORK, Aug. 15 (AP)—Former President Herbert Hoover drew applause and cheers from a crowd at Grand Central terminal when he arrived today from Chicago on the Twentieth Century limited.

Hoover, now 78, went directly to his suite at the Waldorf-Astoria. He said there was "much ado about nothing" over the gall bladder disturbance he suffered on the train from California.

The ex-president whiled away the hours on the trip playing gin rummy with his secretary, Miss Bernice Miller.

Hoover plans to spend a good part of the next year in New York, helping to put into effect the recommendations of his committee on reorganizing the executive branch of the government.

Golden Rule Church Ended By Judgment

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 15 (AP)—A court judgment dissolved Christ's Church of the Golden Rule here Friday, virtually ending four years of litigation.

Superior Judge Clarence L. Kincaid signed the judgment on the basis of a stipulation presented by Attorney Russell E. Parson, representing Mr. and Mrs. Arthur I. Bell, and Assistant Attorney General Kenneth E. Lynch.

Bell once headed the group. He also was a former director of the controversial Mankind United, once charged with sedition.

Parsons said the step clears the way for bankruptcy court to turn over some \$400,000 in remaining assets of the Golden Rule church to Bells present organization, Ecclesiastical society of Christ's Church of the Golden Rule, the church said it operates in Northern California and Southern Oregon.

A suit brought by then Attorney General Robert W. Kenny in October, 1945, attempted to dissolve the present church. The complaint accused the Bells of inducing many persons to turn over their assets to the church on promises of life-long security.

A receiver was named in the case, but shortly afterward a petition of bankruptcy was filed in federal court and a referee took over the organization's assets, then valued at \$3,000,000.

BID CALL
 PORTLAND, Aug. 15 (AP)—The army engineers will invite bids August 19 for construction of levee improvements in the Crowlitz county consolidated dike improvement district No. 1, along the right bank of the Columbia river two miles west of Longview.

Kate In Action
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Young GOP's Ask Cake To Quit Position

GEARHART, Aug. 15 (AP)—National Republican Commissioner Ralph Cake has been asked by the executive board of the Young Republican Federation of Oregon to quit his party office.

The board criticized Cake's "inaction" as chairman of the labor committee of the national party in a resolution approved here yesterday. The statement said Cake had failed to keep the Oregon party united advised of his activities. It said "he does not reflect the temper of the republican party in Oregon."

Two party leaders had criticized Cake's work at a Saturday evening Clatsop county party roundup. James Thayer, Carlton, vice chairman at large of the federation, declared the Oregon committeeman was "deadwood" and had done nothing on his labor committee assignment. State Party Chairman Sigfried Unander later told the Clatsop group "I do not disagree with anything said here tonight."

Cake was at his ranch near Sisters over the week-end and reported he had not learned of the criticism. He said he has no reason for the call for his resignation.

Unfair Labor Suit Draws Denial

PORTLAND, Aug. 15 (AP)—A drug store firm's charge of unfair labor practice against the AFL hotel and restaurant union has been dismissed by Trial Examiner Charles W. Whittemore.

The Halestop-Durg Stores, Inc., Portland, have been picketed since last year. The national labor relations board previously had dismissed a similar charge against the union.

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