

Labor Commissioner Frank Crane Issues Labor Law Reminder To All Employers

Inspector Available to Advise Any Interested Employer

The Christmas rush of business in retail trade brings a reminder from State Labor Commissioner Frank Crane about the North Carolina laws which regulate working hours of young people and adults.

Under a special provision of the State Labor Laws, said Crane, women 18 years of age or older working in mercantile establishments employing nine or more persons are permitted to work a maximum of 10 hours a day and not more than six of the seven consecutive days from December 18 through December 24. This provision, he said, applies only to women working in mercantile establishments for whom the usual legal maximum working time is nine hours a day, 48 hours a week, and not more than six days a week.

For women working in establishments employing eight or fewer persons, the maximum legal working time is 10 hours a day and 55 hours a week, Commissioner Crane said. There is no special provision for increased working hours during the Christmas business rush for this group of employees, he stated.

Crane also cited the fact that the law contains no special provision for overtime work by minors under 18 years of age during the Christmas business season. Minors 14 and 15 years of age are permitted to work a maximum of 40 hours a week, six days a week, and eight hours in any one day, provided they have first obtained an employment certificate from their local welfare superintendent. They may not work earlier than 7 A. M. in the day nor later than 6 P. M., he said.

Young men 16 and 17 years of age, after having secured an employment certificate, may work a maximum of 48 hours a week, six days a week, and nine hours in any one day, provided the work is done not earlier than 6 A. M., and not later than midnight. Girls 16 and 17 years of age may work only between the hours of 6 A. M., and 9 P. M., he stated.

Crane pointed out that the law

a brief address, welcoming the parents and congratulating the new society members. The group then enjoyed a social period in the home economics room.

The new members tapped into the society were Rosa Hollowell, Tommy Kehayes, Johnny Kramer, Linda Leary, Jack Overman, Myrna Skinner, Ruth Stokely, Linda Griffin, Grace Whiteman and Patricia Bunch.

The five old members include Billy Bunch, Rachel Wilder, Bonnie Wright, Jerry Downum and Billy Adams. Mrs. W. H. Hollowell, Jr., is sponsor of the Edenton chapter.

VISITING PREACHER AT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

The Rev. Roy A. Harrell will preach Sunday morning, December 23, at the 11 o'clock service at the Presbyterian Church. Mr. Harrell is the son of Luther B. Harrell of the Rocky Hock section and has been attending Bob Jones University at Greenville, S. C.

does not permit the employment of minors under 14 years of age, except for boys aged 12 and 13 employed in news delivery service.

A Labor Department inspector, Harry M. Tillett, Field Representative, Elizabeth City, will be available in Northeastern North Carolina to advise all interested persons concerning the Labor Law requirements, Commissioner Crane said.

Ten Members Tapped Into Honor Society

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As the band played softly the new members were tapped, after which Principal Gerald James made

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2 cans 39c

MINCE PIE Red Mill Mince Meat 20-oz. jars

Jar 37c

Weatherly's 1-Lb. Bags Orange Slice CANDY

Bag 33c

Weatherly's Walnut Buttercup CANDY 12-oz. bags

Bag 33c

Sealtest and Birtcherd's Eggnog Mix Quart 75c

DelMonte Crushed PINEAPPLE No. 2 cans

4 cans 99c

DelMonte Sliced PINEAPPLE No. 2 Cans

3 cans 99c

Ocean Spray Cranberry SAUCE 1-Lb. Cans

2 cans 37c

Flako Pie Crust Mix 10-oz. pkgs.

2 pkgs. 37c

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