In the 1930's construction workers building the Golden Gate Bridge were the first bridge workers to use hard hats and safety lines to keep them safe on the job.





In England, during the 17–1800s youngsters as young as 4 years old were employed to clean chimneys.





Worker rights for those under the age of 25 have come a long way. In fact, because of policies to protect younger workers, these days, injuries are relatively uncommon.





Before they were famous, Kanye West worked at the GAP, Brad Pitt danced in a chicken suit, and Gwen Stefani worked at Dairy Queen.





In the early 1900's the Radium Girls were a group of female wrist-watch assemblers who painted watch dials with radioactive material so the watches would glow in the dark.





In Oregon, you must be 16 to be able to drive as part of your job.





History's first recorded labor protests (strikes) were organized by the Ancient Egyptians in 12th century BC.





According to the Bureau of Labor and Industry, deep sea fishermen, like those seen on the TV show Deadliest Catch, have the highest death rate of all occupations in the United States.



