

## Gardiner Lumber Company Sold, Is Reedsport Rumor

REEDSPORT — Rumors are afloat here of the sale of the controlling interest in the Gardiner Lumber company to lumber and plywood operators from the Vancouver, Washington, field. In the absence of O. H. Hinsdale, owner and general manager, other officers of the company have declined to confirm or deny the rumors.

The Gardiner Lumber company, owned and operated by the Hinsdale interests for many years, recently purchased a large body of county-owned timber located east of Roseburg and placed its logging operations on a sustained yield basis.

Rumors are that the sale includes both the mill and timber, and that peeler logs are to be shipped to Washington.

Numerous other business changes are in process of completion in the Reedsport area. Wally Buck, owner of the Rainbow Plaza, announces he has sold his business to unnamed Coos Bay parties. Mr. Haseapple, Florence, formerly associated with the distribution of Horn's Bakery products, has purchased and is now operating the Azalea Ice Cream and Sandwich shop, formerly conducted by Mr. and Mrs. "Doc" Franklin. The "Y" restaurant, located at the Thompson Motel, has been reopened under the management of George Golden, recent arrival in Reedsport from the east.

## Reported Hitler Death Scouted; Himmler Ruling

LONDON, April 11—(AP)—A report that Adolf Hitler has been assassinated circulated in Britain today, but Foreign Secretary Eden said he had heard nothing of it.

The foreign office said it was operating on the theory that Hitler still was in control, with Himmler in command of defense forces. One spokesman said that nothing definite had been received of a split among Nazi leaders.

As to Hitler's condition, he said, all kinds of reports are heard—that he is dying, insane or even dead and "any one of them may be true, but probably most of them aren't."

The British Press association reported a grave split developing among the Nazis and said evidence had reached official quarters in London that the Nazi party was "throwing over" Adolf Hitler in favor of Gestapo Chief Heinrich Himmler.

There was no confirmation from the British foreign office.

Without specifying the source of its information, the news agency's diplomatic correspondent said he had been authoritatively informed that there were good reasons to believe that Hitler already was being superseded by Himmler.

Foreigners who have been in the closest touch with Germany are convinced that Hitler is a "dying man," the correspondent added.

## Fish Lake Road In Poor Condition, Anglers Warned

Fishermen planning to open the season at Fish Lake on the headwaters of the South Umpqua were warned today by R. B. Hampton of Umpqua National forest service headquarters in Roseburg that travel conditions are not favorable. John Montgomery, district ranger at Tillamook, notified the Roseburg office that the South Umpqua road east of Tillamook is not in good condition. Due to high centers, it is passable only for cars and trucks with high clearance. It is soft and muddy in several spots.

Mr. Montgomery and Ira Poole made a trip to Fish Lake over the weekend, clearing the trail and making inspections of forest service properties. They learned that unknown persons, presumably hunters, had placed the forest service boats back in the water, after they had been beached for the winter. One of the boats has disappeared, while the other is sunken and broken. The log dug out, also used by fishermen, is waterlogged and unsafe for use, so that no boats are available on the lake at present.

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Cannon Towels

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