

Spirited Bidding Marks Sales Of Forest Tracts

Some of the highest prices and most competitive bidding ever experienced highlighted the sale of four tracts of timber by the Bureau of Land Management in Roseburg this week.

High prices in the lumber market brought on primarily by strike conditions were reflected in the sale of a total of 3,516,000 board feet, according to BLM office personnel.

One tract of 336,000 was purchased by Myberg Lumber Co., Tenuille, for \$10,257.70. Douglas fir was appraised at \$5 per thousand, but sold for \$31.50 a thousand. There were 54 bids received on the tract in the Camas Valley area.

Thirty-one bids were received in the sale of the biggest tract, 2,165,000 board feet, about six miles east of Tiller. Scott Lumber Co., Tiller, paid \$49,023.10 for the parcel. Douglas fir was appraised at \$9.20 per thousand, but went for \$21.50.

Fifty-four bids were received also in the sale of 335,000 board feet east of Glendale in the Umpqua drainage area. The parcel went to the North Umpqua Timber Co. for \$7,537.15, with Douglas fir at an appraised price of \$10.40 per thousand going for \$23.

The other tract contains 680,000 board feet and is located in the Hubbard Creek area. The timber was sold to Sun Sluice Inc., Roseburg, for \$17,834.85. Forty-one bids were received. Douglas fir was appraised at \$9.80 per thousand, but went for \$27.25. There are minor species of negligible amounts in all the tracts.

The number of bids does not necessarily indicate the number of bidders, as some companies entered more than one.

House Extends Compensation To Four Million

WASHINGTON (AP) — The House voted Thursday to extend the federal-state system of jobless compensation to about four million more persons, while beating down a Democratic move to boost benefits.

Passage on a 309-36 rollcall vote sent to the Senate a measure, somewhat along lines recommended by the Eisenhower administration, to bring into the unemployment compensation program some 2 1/2 million federal government employees and about 1 1/2 millions working for firms which hire four or more employees for 20 weeks a year.

Senate Committee Votes Out Farm Bill

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points above the 75 per cent level ordered into operation April 1 by Secretary Benson. The House voted an 80 per cent level.

Aiken said he would ask the Senate to retain the 75 per cent basis because of the huge stocks of cheese, butter and dairy products now in government hands.

Another dispute centers around a proposed 2 1/2-billion-dollar "set aside" of the more than six billion dollars of farm surpluses now held by the government.

The Senate committee approved this 10-5 along with rigid high-level supports but Aiken said it was offered only as part of the flexible price support proposal.

Aiken said the farm bill probably cannot be reported to the Senate before Monday, in order to complete conflicting reports on several issues. He said debate probably can begin Thursday.

Northwest Strike Negotiations To Start Next Week

PORTLAND (AP) — Negotiations between major employers and the two big lumber unions now on strike in the Pacific Northwest will resume next week.

Spokesmen representing a number of the largest mills in the region announced late Thursday that they were ready to attend meetings to be arranged by the Federal Mediation Service. The first is expected Wednesday.

The unions, the CIO Woodworkers and the AFL Lumber and Sawmill Workers, previously had announced they were willing.

There were no signs, however, that either side yet was ready to give up major points. The unions have asked a 12 1/2 cent hourly increase, insisting it was overdue. Employers have argued the industry can stand no cost increase.

The divergent views led Thursday to the strike being extended to four plywood mills of the big M and M Woodworking Co. Some 2,000 men were idled by the walkouts at Portland, Albany and Lyons, Ore., and Eureka, Calif.

The 19-day-old strike has been fairly peaceful, but an assault and battery charge was filed against the head of the "Tito-Knot Lumber Co. at Redmond, Ore., Thursday after the president of a CIO Woodworkers local union was struck by an automobile going through a picket line.

The union official, Charles Martin, 64, was bruised, but a doctor said no bones were broken.

Winston People Go Traveling

By MRS. ALBIN NELSON

Mr. and Mrs. Allen McLennan and children and the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Norman McLennan, and grandson, Garry, of Los Angeles, Calif., spent the weekend together at Paradise, Calif. The McLennans also stopped at Chico to visit friends, and went through the Shasta Dam in northern California.

From Veneta

Mr. and Mrs. E. Pritchard of Veneta are spending their vacation at the Robert Nichols home on Ronald Street in Winston.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy M. Fisher and daughter, Lorraine, of Winston spent the holiday weekend at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Wicker, on Gregory Avenue. Mrs. Wicker was discharged from the Community Hospital Sunday and is now convalescing at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Slack and children, Willard, James and Marian, returned Tuesday after visiting with the Marshall and Leroy Slack families in Redding, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Pruitt and daughter, Marlene, and Sharon, and son, Rodney, returned Monday from a holiday weekend with relatives in Sheridan.

Riddle Woman, 92, Dies Friday

Mrs. Kenia C. Whitaker, 92, died in Riddle early this morning following a lingering illness. She was born in Illinois Jan. 15, 1862.

Mrs. Whitaker was married to John M. Whitaker Feb. 17, 1887, at Girard, Kan. On their honeymoon, they drove a team of mules from Bourbon County, Kan., to Lakin, Kan., where they homesteaded.

After Whitaker's death in 1919, Mrs. Whitaker moved to Oregon in 1935. She had lived in Riddle the past 15 years. She was a member of the Baptist Church of Lakin.

Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. Ralph M. Paddock, Riddle, with whom she made her home; a son, George C. Whitaker, Garden City, Kan.; eight grandchildren and 17 great-grandchildren.

The remains are to be shipped to Lakin for funeral services and interment. Ganz Mortuary, Myrtle Creek, has charge of arrangements.

Coroner Reports Cause Of Death

The investigation of the sudden death of Oliver Floyd McGrady, 54, who died in Roseburg Tuesday, has been completed by the coroner's office.

Coroner L. L. Powers said the attending physician called the death the result of a heart attack. The physician said McGrady had died of natural causes.

McGrady was born at Veneta, Iowa, Feb. 12, 1900. He is survived by his wife, Ruby Jean McGrady of 2404 Bertha St., Roseburg; three sons, Charles, Michael and James, and two daughters, Margaret and Loma, all of Roseburg; three brothers, Ralph, Sidney and Clarence, and a sister, Florence, all of Clear Lake, Iowa.

Funeral services for McGrady will be held at The Chapel of the Roses, Roseburg Funeral Home, Saturday at 11 a.m. Interment will follow in the Lookingglass Cemetery.



PRIZE WINNERS — Mrs. D. Wolfe, 2035 Vine St., at left, and Mrs. James E. Saxon, 1308 Bradford Ct., at right, were the one-two winners at a recent grand opening of the Necchi Sewing Circle at 115 S. Stephens St., Roseburg. They are shown here with store owner Gale Jakel. Mrs. Wolfe won a sewing machine Mrs. Saxon a vacuum cleaner. Other winners were Mrs. Loren Radford, Rt. 2 Box 165A, who won a storage hassock; Mrs. Betty Forbes, Rt. 4 Box 665, \$20 merchandise award; Mrs. Joy Norman, 102 Hamilton St., \$15 in merchandise; Mrs. Marion Joers, Rt. 1 Box 145, \$15. (Fredrickson's Photo Lab)

Vital Statistics

Marriage Licenses
GREEN-SMITH — James Rhonda Green and Faye L. Smith, both of Roseburg.

RAISOR-SCHULTZ — James W. Raiser and Yvonne L. Schultz, both of Roseburg.

Divorce Suits Filed
CORDELL — Ruth vs. Gilbert Keith Cordell. Married at Rockford, Ill., about Aug. 10, 1931. Cruel and inhuman treatment charged. Plaintiff asks custody of one minor child, \$10 weekly support money and a \$150 judgment.

RICE — Ida Florence vs. Leroy Arthur Rice. Married at Columbus, Ohio, April 21, 1949. Cruel and inhuman treatment charged. Plaintiff asks custody of one child, property settlement and payment of outstanding obligations.

EDWARDS — Dorothy Jean vs. Thomas E. Edwards. Married at Reno, Nev., May 24, 1952. Cruel and inhuman treatment charged. Plaintiff asks restoration of her former name, Dorothy Jean Wilson.

Separation Decree
PECK — Duard E. from Charlotte M. Peck.

Divorce Decree
JOHNSON — Elva from Carl E. Johnson. Property settlement ratified by court.

Reward Offered Return Of Stolen Wheelbarrow

A \$20 reward for return of a wheelbarrow stolen sometime Tuesday night is being offered by Gus Haft, 1506 Military Ave. Haft told Roseburg police Thursday that the wheelbarrow was taken from a truck parked in front of his house.

Mrs. C. G. Welch, 1645 Brown Ave., also complained the officers Thursday that her son's bicycle was stolen in the afternoon. He had gone swimming, and the bike was stolen from the swimming pool grounds.

Oakland School District Budget Election July 19

The Oakland School district's revised budget will go to the voters Monday, July 19.

Cuts in the items of the budget appeared in Thursday's News-Review, but the day of the election was noted only as Monday.

The vote July 19 will determine \$57,620.37 outside the 6 per cent limitation. The amount outside the limitation on the first budget was \$68,456.76.

The election July 19 will be held at the Washington School gym between the hours of 2 and 8 p.m.

BEERY JR. SUEO

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Actor Noah Beery Jr., 40, has been sued for divorce by his wife Maxine, who charges cruelty but made no detailed accusations.

Mrs. Beery is the daughter of the late Buck Jones, film cowboy actor.



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Wilbur Girl Rides With Saddle Club

By ODY MOORHOUS

Rosalie Trenlo spent several days in Elktion. While there she accompanied the Elktion Saddle Club on a horseback trip over the mountain to Yoncalla, where they participated in the Yoncalla Rodeo.

Russells Entertain
Mr. and Mrs. Ted Bernhardt and children, Joan, Ernest, Barbara Jean and Edward, of Espanola, Wash., visited several days last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Russell.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Grubbe of Berkeley, Calif., who are attending the University of Oregon at Eugene, were Saturday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Davis of Vermonia spent several days visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bob Gardner.

Weekend visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Russell were Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Barrett and family of Williamina and Mrs. Marnie Bruce of Heb.

Attend Shower
Mrs. R. B. Spackman and granddaughter, Janet Krogel, attended a bridal shower in Sutherlin last week, given for Joyce Kingsbury at the home of Mrs. Eva Musgrove, by Mrs. James Spackman and Vivian Pasmore.

Mr. and Mrs. Doug Hart and son, Jimmy; Gilbert Harvey, and Elaine Harvey of Coquille, drove to Diamond Lake and Crater Lake Sunday.

Mrs. A. E. Copeland drove to Junction City and Eugene this past week, and returned with her granddaughter, Connie Rouse, and her friend, Marilyn Woody, who will spend part of the summer with the Copelands.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Broszio, Ryland, Marla and Connie, and Mr. and Mrs. Pat Christie, Cristina and Freddie, spent Independence Day at the Philip Seaton home at Umpqua, at a family picnic.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Buie and Danny, Mr. and Mrs. John Buie and family, Colleen Christie, and Jerry and Janie Johnson, spent the weekend on the coast.

Allen McLellan and daughter, Sharon, spent July 4th on the coast.

John Chancellor and Alta Jean, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Pennington and Sharon, spent the weekend on the coast. They spent the night at Paradise Cove, and did some fishing and sightseeing up the coastline.

Local Civil Air Patrol Goes To Salem Saturday

Ten members of Roseburg's Civil Air Patrol squadron will go to Salem Saturday morning for the fifth annual search and rescue mission of the Oregon CAP wing. It will last through Sunday.

The mission's purpose, as part of a national plan, is to test the operational effectiveness of the wing by simulating actual search and rescue missions using CAP personnel, aircraft and communication and land rescue equipment.

The search mission, which will attempt to locate missing aircraft or target areas, will be graded by the 43rd USAP Air Rescue Squadron of McChord Field, Tacoma.

The following Roseburg CAP members will attend: Capt. E. W. Carter, 1st Lt. D. S. Kelley, 1st Lt. Frank von Borstel, 1st Lt. R. P. Allen, 2nd Lt. Ira Byrd, 2nd Lt. R. L. Green, Cadet Capt. John McCauley, Asst. Cadet Capt. Pat Beckley and Cadet Lt. Keith Rieder.

RELEASED ON BAIL

John Irvan Merrill of Long Beach, Calif., was freed from the Douglas County jail Thursday after posting \$500 bail, reports District Judge Elmer Baldwin.

Merrill was returned from Los Angeles after his arrest June 29 on a Douglas County fugitive warrant charging him with non support. Baldwin said. He was returned to Douglas County by a deputy sheriff.

Holdover Fireworks Explode Within City

A holdover Fourth of July celebration brought phone calls to city police Thursday night. An investigation of a series of explosions revealed that fireworks were to blame.

A series of five blasts were heard in the downtown area at 10:15. Police found remains of a repeating "bomb" in the street in the 100 block of North Rose.

Jones Services Set On Saturday

Mrs. Ida Pauline Jones died at her home in Canyonville on July 7. She was born in Iowa Oct. 25, 1874, and had lived in Canyonville for the past 25 years.

Mrs. Jones was a member of the All Souls Catholic Church, Myrtle Creek. She is survived by a son, Roy A. Wilcox, Bellevue, Wash.; three daughters in California; Mrs. Lee Johnson of Berkeley, Mrs. Ethel Risor of Oakland and Mrs. Charlotte Warren of Grass Valley; two sisters, Mrs. Heaverto of Yakima and Mrs. No-teware of Spokane; seven grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Recitation of the Rosary will be at 8 p.m. Friday in the chapel of Ganz Mortuary, Myrtle Creek. Requiem mass will be read by the Rev. James Gallagher at 10 a.m. Saturday in All Souls Church with vespers to follow in the Masonic Cemetery in Canyonville.

Australian Wins British Open

SOUTHPORT, England (AP) — Peter Thomson of Australia won the British Open Golf Championship Friday with a 72-hole score of 283. He had final rounds of 69 and 71.

The 23-year-old Australian, who has sharpened his game on the winter and spring circuit in America, finished a stroke ahead of Dai Rees of Wales and 40-year-old Syd Scott of England.

Rees and Scott had final rounds of 69 and 72 for 284.

America's hopes faded in the late afternoon when Jim Turnesa of Briarcliff, N.Y., 1952 U.S. professional champion, shot himself out of contention.

None of the other Americans finished among the leaders.

SCHOOL BIDS ANNOUNCED

Bids will be received July 20 at 8 p.m. at the Canyonville High School for construction of a library and domestic science room, according to Clerk Helene Altrec.

Plans and specifications are now complete at the office of Claire K. Hamlin and B. King Martin in Eugene.

BLM Schedules Another Large Sale Of Timber

The Bureau of Land Management has scheduled another whoping sale of green and salvage timber Aug. 4 in Roseburg.

The sale, scheduled at 10:30 a.m. in the Indian Room of the Hotel Umpqua, involves over 19 million board feet appraised at more than a quarter of a million dollars.

The Hotel Umpqua is being used because the turnout of bidders is expected to be too big to be accommodated at the Roseburg BLM offices. The last two sales have been held in the Umpqua.

The biggest parcel to be sold is 7,883,000 board feet on the North Umpqua east of Glide. It contains 6,285,000 board feet of Douglas fir and will sell at not less than \$108,643.60. Douglas fir on this tract is appraised at \$13 per thousand. It is O&C and public domain timber. The sale of the green timber will be oral.

Another big tract includes 7,875,000 board feet of green timber east and northeast of Elktion, included is 7,567,000 feet of Douglas fir appraised at \$16.90 per thousand. The total tract will be sold orally at not less than \$128,780.50.

The only salvage tract contains 2,286,000 board feet and is appraised at \$29.90. The 1,741,000 feet of Douglas fir included is appraised at \$11.40 per thousand. The timber, located west of Camas Valley, will be sold orally.

The fourth tract, located east of Myrtle Creek, will be sold through sealed bids. It contains 977,000 board feet of O&C green timber appraised at \$13,253.20. Included are 752,000 board feet of Douglas fir appraised at \$11.20 per thousand.

All four parcels contain 19,021,000 board feet appraised at a total of \$281,076.30.

DRAINED TO DEATH

REDWOOD CITY, Calif. (AP) — Seven-year-old Steven Mussalem, pretending to be a calf, died Thursday after his brother Neil, 10, snaggled him with a lariat and a riderless horse dragged him 500 feet.

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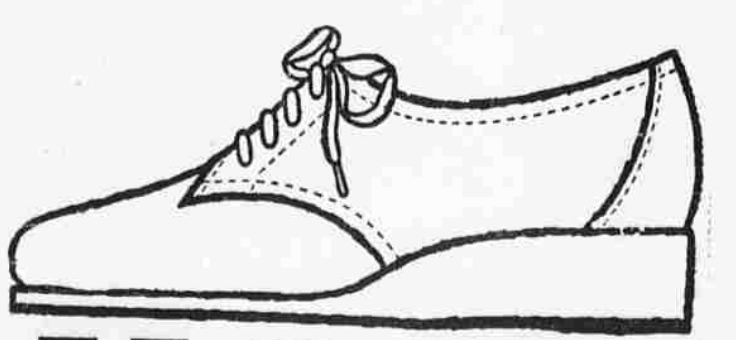
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