

Land Bureau Sales Of Timber Bring \$346,000 In Bids

Five tracts of timber sold at an oral auction last week by the Bureau of Land Management in Roseburg. The five tracts totaled 13,749,000 board feet and brought \$346,780.80.

The first tract located at the head of Thisselburn Creek south of Drain was purchased by Woolley Logging Co. of Drain at the appraised price of \$20,202.50. An estimated 2,855,000 board feet was involved and Douglas fir brought \$24.50 per thousand.

Woolley Logging Co. also purchased 4,003,000 board feet at the appraised price of \$139,042.20 in a tract on Smith River northwest of Drain. Douglas fir brought \$28.80.

D. H. Johnson of Riddle was successful bidder at \$25.50 per thousand for a tract on South Myrtle Creek. The 2,503,000 board feet brought \$56,033.50.

Roseburg Lumber Co. purchased two parcels. The first located southwest of Riddle on Middle Creek contained 929,000 board feet and brought the appraised price of \$20,319.20. The second tract south of Riddle on Douglas fir brought \$25.50 per thousand and the total tract volume was 2,491,000 board feet.

Other bidders qualifying but unsuccessful were Edward Birkenfeld and Sun Studio.

The next BLM oral timber auction in Roseburg is scheduled for Dec. 20, 1957. Information on the tracts which will be offered is available at the district office, 2583 W. Harvard Ave., and will be mailed upon request.

Lookingglass Man Dies In Portland Hospital

Granville Hampton, 55, a resident of Lookingglass for the last 28 years, died Friday in the Veterans Hospital in Portland.

Hampton was born Feb. 2, 1892, at Newport, Ky., the son of John W. and Katherine Hampton. He was a veteran of World War I and a member of the VFW.

He became ill and was taken to the Portland hospital three weeks ago.

He is survived by two brothers and three sisters, all of whom live in the East.

Funeral services will be held at 10:30 a.m. Thursday at the A. J. Rose and Sons Mortuary, Portland. Interment will follow in Willamette National Cemetery.

Highway Skid Causes One Death, 6 Injuries

SANDY, Ore. — One man died and six other persons were hurt, one seriously, when a car skidded on icy Highway 26, hit a bridge abutment and plunged 25 feet into Cedar Creek, five miles east of here, late Monday night.

Dead is Delmer Gene Niles, 28, of Route 3, Gresham. His neck was broken.

Beck's Attorney Denied Directed Verdict Appeal

SEATTLE — Dave Beck's attorney, his motion for a directed verdict of acquittal rebuffed, today starts presenting his case in the grand larceny trial of the portly president of the Teamsters Union.

Atty. Charles S. Burdell told newsmen that Beck, "at this point," appears certain to be a witness.

Burdell's motion for acquittal was submitted — and turned down by Superior Judge George H. Revell — after the state rested its case against Beck yesterday.

The Teamsters Union boss is charged with misappropriating \$1,900 from the sale of a union-owned car. His son Dave Jr., was convicted of similar charges Nov. 23.

The state's last witness Donald D. McDonald, bookkeeper for the Western Conference of Teamsters, testified he never received \$1,900 from Beck, who has contended he turned the money from the sale of the car over to McDonald in 1936.

Leukemia Fatal To Oakland Boy

Gerald Edward Gossett, 10, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ewell Gossett of Union Gap, died Sunday at the John Becker Children's Hospital in Portland. He had suffered from leukemia.

The boy was born in Bakersfield, Calif., May 1, 1947. The family moved to the Oakland area in 1950.

Besides his mother and father, he is survived by two brothers and one sister, Hoyt, Dennis and Germaine, all living at home; a grandfather, John Gordon of Lamont, Calif.; a grandmother, Mrs. Pearl Smith of Marion, Ore.; and several uncles and aunts.

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Collision Near Glendale Puts Two In Hospital

A collision between a private pickup and a county dump truck Monday sent two Glendale people to Forest Glen Hospital, Canyonville, with minor injuries.

Mrs. Edith Holmgren and her daughter, Judy, 15, were released after medical treatment. Floyd Emerson, 19, driving the pickup in which two were injured, and Stephen Holmgren, 4, were unhurt.

Emerson was blinded by the sun, according to Mrs. G. B. Fox, News-Review correspondent, and ran into the rear of the county truck, which was spreading gravel. The truck driver's name wasn't learned. The pickup was heavily damaged.

Council Rejects Sewer Payments To Contractors

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represents the usual 10 per cent retaining fee.

Roderick recommended that construction work on the line be postponed until next spring, when ground water should be evaporated. He said the presence of water in the area now makes it impossible to work on the line.

The council also decided to withhold payment of \$18,466.32 to Salem Sand and Gravel Co. for work on the interceptor sewer until the firm submits release papers similar to those to be submitted by E&W Construction. Roderick reported that inspection of the Salem firm's work showed that everything was as specified in the contract.

The council also asked Roderick, as the representative of the contractors, to submit an affidavit stating that the E&W and Salem Sand and Gravel projects have been inspected and no apparent damage to any property is involved.

Todd Sum Approved

Payment to Todd Building Co. for construction of the sewage treatment plant was approved. The payment will come to \$30,870.92.

Roderick also submitted his firm's estimate for interceptor sewer number two and mains number three and five. The firm's plans and specifications, he said, estimate the job at \$312,217.70. The estimate was approved by the council, subject to final approval of Geddes and the federal agencies involved.

Roderick's estimate for his firm's engineering services, which makes up a part of the total estimate, came to \$11,621.23. The council ruled that this fee will be paid when the total estimate gains final approval of the city attorney and the federal agencies.

In other action, Farrell's request that the council call for advertising of bids for a new city fire truck was approved. Farrell said bids will be opened and a contract drawn up in about six weeks.

Ellis Bids Rejected

Two of three requests submitted by Truman Ellis, local taxicab operator, were turned down by the council.

Ellis asked for permission to charge a flat rate of 75 cents from the West Coast Airlines terminal at Roseburg Airport to downtown hotels and to set up a 25-cent-per-mile discount for persons carrying advertising for the Ellis Cab Co. Both requests were refused on grounds they conflict with city ordinances.

The council approved Ellis' request that he be allowed to issue \$5 coupon books to customers for purposes of convenience. The request was approved, providing the coupons do not entitle customers to discounts from regular meter rates.

Ellis also was given free reign regarding an informal request to allow him to use the city's call box that Ellis said he would use at the airport during plane arrivals to have the same right to meet planes as do private motorists.

Petition Denied

A letter was read to the council from Lyle F. Glott, president of the City Planning Commission, in which Glenn recommended that a petition by Mrs. Helen Wolsey requesting vacation of an alley be denied. The council complied with Glenn's recommendation.

The alley, which Mrs. Wolsey had stated was not in use, is located between Commercial and O'Dell Avenues and runs from Carter Street to Boston Street. Glenn's letter noted that two-thirds of the alley is in use and gave several other reasons for keeping it in use, including the possibility that it may be used as an access road for future industry at the location.

The council approved payment of \$2,133 to Todd Building Co. for paving work done on Terrace Avenue. Farrell said excavation has been completed and some 320 square yards of rock have been laid.

Also approved were three requests for renewal of liquor licenses and one for a new license.

License Approved

The application of William DeBolt, now sole owner of the Monogram Cigar Store, 830 SE Douglas Ave., for a class A retail malt beverage license was approved.

Renewals were approved for Frank S. Webster, operator of The Food Mart, 930 SE Stephens, class B package; Fraternal Order of Eagles, class A club dispenser; and Glenn and Sara Fraundtner, proprietors of The Club, 809 SE Cass Ave., class A retail malt beverage.

TODAY AND TOMORROW

TUESDAY — DEC. 10

Douglas County Juvenile Advisory Council, 8 p.m., Circuit Courtroom "A" of county courthouse. An executive committee meeting will precede at 7:30 p.m.

Riddle High School junior class play, 8 p.m., school auditorium.

BIRD WATCHERS

PRINCETOWN, England — Officials of Dartmoor Prison reported Tuesday a group of inmates have formed a bird watching society.

As their object of study they chose the jackdaw, known as the bird world's No. 1 thief.

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OSC Dormitory Plans Reviewed By State Board

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PORTLAND — Plans for a new dormitory to house 366 women at Oregon State College were before the state Board of Higher Education Tuesday for final approval.

The board gave preliminary approval Monday.

Estimated cost is \$1,800,000. Architects have provided for a cafeteria, and a landscaped play area on top of the building.

At its preliminary monthly meeting Monday the board let several contracts for building projects.

Three provide for construction of a \$174,555 arts building at Oregon College of Education in Monmouth. Cascade Contractors, Eugene, received the general contract of \$119,235. Bowen Brothers Plumbing, also of Eugene, won a \$44,730 contract.

Contracts were awarded for a \$445,733 science classroom at Southern Oregon College in Ashland. The general contract went to the Wiley Co., Ashland, on a bid of \$242,200.

Contracts also were let for a \$305,377 heating plant at Southern Oregon. The general contract went to the Wiley Co., Ashland, on a \$242,220 bid.

In other action the board: Approved purchase of the Acacia fraternity house at Corvallis, with Oregon State College and the board sharing the \$28,000 purchase price.

Approved plans for a \$186,000 heating plant addition at the University of Oregon.

Authorized the university to sign contracts with the city of Eugene and the city water and electric board for restoration of the Eugene millrace near the university campus.

Hospital News

Douglas Community Hospital

Admitted

Medical: Janice Clarno, Mrs. Jackson Stroop, Guadalupe Galvan, Mrs. Bob Blackwell, Mrs. Howard Gaddis, Linda Salomonson, Harold Holstrom, Idyley Park, Gary Thompson, Winston; Mrs. Gayther Eastridge, Myrtle Creek; Mrs. Melvin Palmer, Sutherlin.

Surgery: Arthur Gaddis, Ray Blissett, Roseburg.

Discharged

Mrs. Howard Givens and baby, Dennis Granville, Oakland; Linda McMurtry, Mrs. Harry Radford, Mrs. Kenneth Van Orman and baby, Clyde Eugene, Roseburg; Mrs. Amos McDonald, Winston.

Mercy Hospital

Admitted

Medical: Morris Lang, Fred Becker, Mrs. Frances L. Lott, Roseburg; Ralph Johns, Myrtle Creek; Mrs. William Miles, Sutherlin; Mrs. Fletcher Ison, Winston; Mrs. L. E. Coon, Dillard.

Surgery: Mrs. William Lange, Mrs. Roland Springer, Judith Kowalewski, Roseburg; Mrs. R. B. Collins, Canyonville.

Discharged

Mary Counts, Mrs. John Kelly, Mrs. Clifford Courtney and baby, Kelly Ann; Mrs. Richard Ross, James Cascani, Mrs. John Walker and baby, Wade Sherman, Roseburg; Daniel Lee Willard, Idyley Park; Mrs. Floyd Gardner, Glendale; Mrs. Ralph Brown, Oakland.

Veralee L. Cunningham Funeral Is Set Thursday

Funeral services for Veralee Lou Cunningham, 49, will be held in the Camas Valley Community Church Thursday at 2 p.m. The Rev. John Morange will officiate.

Mrs. Cunningham was killed in an automobile accident Sunday on Highway 42. She was born April 27, 1908, in Tibbetts, Mo., and came to this community 14 years ago. She was a resident of Winston at the time of her death. She had been a news reporter for The News-Review for a number of years and was a member of the Independent Order of Foresters.

She is survived by her husband, William, Winston; two daughters, Mrs. Helen Anderson, Tacoma, and Mrs. Betty J. Campbell, Vancouver, Wash.; and two brothers, Homer Ridgdon, Los Angeles, and Elmer Ridgdon, Bellflower, Calif.

Vault interment will follow in the Noah Cemetery in Camas Valley. The Chapel of the Roses is in charge of the arrangements.

California Veteran Dies In VA Hospital

Joseph R. Machado, 61, of Salinas, Calif., World War I Army veteran, died at the Veterans Administration Hospital in Roseburg last Friday night.

He was born at Holister, California, July 14, 1896, and was a carpenter by trade.

He is survived by a sister, Mrs. Adeline Oliveri of Salinas.

The body is being shipped to Holister today by Gene Mortuary of Myrtle Creek.

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George Clark Funeral Services Set Wednesday

Funeral services for George Robert Clark, 31, Grants Pass, will be held Wednesday at 2 p.m. at the Hull and Hull Mortuary in Grants Pass.

The pastor of the Lutheran Church will officiate. Clark died Sunday morning at the Josephine General Hospital. Doctors had been unable to diagnose the cause of illness. He had been partially paralyzed since an auto accident about four years ago.

Mrs. Bowers Funeral To Be Held On Friday

Funeral services for Ella C. Bowers, 52, will be held in The Chapel of the Roses Friday at 2 p.m. The Rev. Lawrence A. Smith Jr. of the Church of the Open Bible will officiate.

Mrs. Bowers was born July 23, 1905, in Foston, Minn., and moved to Canada at an early age with her parents. She was married Feb. 22, 1929, to Carl Bowers in Ione, Wash., and lived there two years. They moved to Klamath Falls in 1931, living there until 1945 when they came to Roseburg to make their home.

She had been an employee of the Roseburg Veterans Hospital and was a member of the Church of the Open Bible.

Surviving are her husband, Carl, Roseburg; two sons, Lyle George, Roseburg, and Leo Cornelius, LaPointe, Calif.; her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Cornelius, Veteran, Alberta, B.C.; seven sisters, Mrs. J. A. Olson, Sutherlin; Mrs. Ray Olberg, New Westminster, B.C.; Mrs. Tommy Eld, West Calgary, Alberta; Mrs. Louie Frome, New Westminster B.C.; Mrs. Fred Otto, Edmonton, Alberta; Mrs. Clara Creighton, Nelson, B. C.; and Mrs. Joe Embury, New Westminster, B.C.; and two brothers, Enoch Cornelius, Veteran, Alberta, and Daniel Cornelius, Hughenden, Alberta.

Vault interment will be in the Roseburg Memorial Gardens.

FILES FOR BANKRUPTCY

William Isaac Overman, Myrtle Creek plywood worker, has petitioned for bankruptcy in U. S. District Court, Portland, listing \$3,061.51 in debts.

Funeral Services Slated Wednesday For Edith Wilcox

Funeral services will be conducted in Portland Wednesday for Edith B. Patterson Wilcox, a former resident of Roseburg, who died in a Portland hospital Monday following a long period of ill health.

Born in Minnesota, she came as an infant with her parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. V. S. Patterson, to Roseburg, where she received her education in the elementary and high schools.

She was married in Roseburg to L. W. Myrick, now deceased, and resided in Coos Bay prior to moving to Portland.

Following the death of Myrick, who was married to Walter Wilcox, Portland contractor. They had resided in late years in Hood River.

Surviving are the widower and two sons, Raymond Myrick, Portland, and Elwyn Myrick, Eugene. Other survivors include two nephews residing in Roseburg, Claude W. Patterson 1443 NE Vine St. and News-Review Editor Charles V. Stanton, 1627 NE Commercial Ave.

Services are being held at 11:30 a.m. Wednesday from Colonial Mortuary, Portland.

Death By Strychnine Confirmed In Report

A preliminary report was received Monday by the district attorney's office confirming that Fred Wright, 48, died from strychnine poisoning.

A telephoned report was received from the State Police Laboratory at Portland. Bert Burgoyne, deputy district attorney, said he is informed that a complete analysis of tissue and stomach contents has not been completed.

Wright, a Days Creek resident, died Thursday in Myrtle Creek where he had been taken after being stricken. He was on his way to work, Coroner L. L. Powers said, and had pulled his pickup truck off the road at Days Creek and summoned help by honking the vehicle's horn.

Powers reported that Wright had left for work soon after eating a breakfast of mush.

An investigation of the Wright home for a possible source of the poison revealed a can of coyote poison containing strychnine. Law officers are seeking to find if this was the poison which caused his death and if he might have accidentally taken some.

Surviving are her husband, Carl, Roseburg; two sons, Lyle George, Roseburg, and Leo Cornelius, LaPointe, Calif.; her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Cornelius, Veteran, Alberta, B.C.; seven sisters, Mrs. J. A. Olson, Sutherlin; Mrs. Ray Olberg, New Westminster, B.C.; Mrs. Tommy Eld, West Calgary, Alberta; Mrs. Louie Frome, New Westminster B.C.; Mrs. Fred Otto, Edmonton, Alberta; Mrs. Clara Creighton, Nelson, B. C.; and Mrs. Joe Embury, New Westminster, B.C.; and two brothers, Enoch Cornelius, Veteran, Alberta, and Daniel Cornelius, Hughenden, Alberta.

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White died Sunday in a local hospital. He had been a resident of Camas Valley and this community for the past 24 years.

He is survived by his wife, Lois; two daughters, Mary Lois and Susan Eileen, all of Camas Valley; his father and stepmother, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas F. White, Brewster, Neb.; a brother, Vernon White, Broken Bow, Neb.; and three sisters, Mrs. Ida Kurpiuwet, Chelan, Wash.; Mrs. Elsie Turner, Greeley, Colo.; and Mrs. Velma Furguson, Klamath Falls.

The family has requested that in lieu of flowers contributions may be made to the Cancer Fund. Contributions may be left at The Chapel of the Roses.

Vault interment will be held in the Roseburg Memorial Gardens.

Elmer E. Sundquist Dies Here Monday

Elmer Erick Sundquist, 47, resident of Camas Valley for the past 11 years, died in a local hospital Monday. He was born Aug. 7, 1910, at Prentice, Wis., and was married to Evelyn Heminger at Tomahawk, Wis. on Jan. 11, 1933. He came to Oregon about 19 years ago, residing at Salem and Dallas until 1946, when he moved to Camas Valley. He was employed by Stebbins Lumber Co., at Porter Creek.

He was a member of Willamette Aerie of Fraternal Order of Eagles at Salem.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Evelyn Sundquist; a daughter, Mrs. Jerry (Lois) Dancer, both of Camas Valley; a son, William Sundquist, Grants Pass; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Erick Sundquist, Prentice, Wis.; a sister, Mrs. George (Mildred) Carlson, Ogema, Wis.; and four grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held in the chapel of the Long & Orr Mortuary Friday at 3 p.m. with the Rev. Lester G. Olson, pastor of Faith Lutheran Church, officiating. Concluding services and vault interment will follow in the Roseburg Memorial Gardens.

GLENDALE GI OVERSEAS

Army Pvt. Herman E. King, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lansford King, Glendale, recently was assigned to the 56th Quartermaster Battalion in Germany. He entered the Army in May 1957.

Dulles Says NATO Must Be Prepared To Meet Challenge

WASHINGTON — Secretary of State Dulles said Tuesday the North Atlantic allies must be prepared to meet more adequately the challenge of both military and economic warfare in the future.

Dulles told his last news conference before his departure Thursday for next week's NATO Council meeting in Paris that he thinks the allies can make a greater use of Europe's industrial potential in producing some of the new weapons.

He also said the whole question of global versus limited war is being restudied, but the general thinking of U. S. military leaders is that the possibility of local conflict still should be considered in planning.

There will be no NATO doctrine on the question of the scope of possible future war pending studies now being developed, Dulles said.

Dulles delivered a verbal snub to former U. S. Ambassador George Kennan who has been criticizing U. S. foreign policy and proposing new lines of action in speeches in Britain.

Asked whether he thinks it would be valuable to bring Kennan back into the government—Kennan retired under pressure early in Dulles' administration—Dulles said tersely that the government has an opportunity to get his thinking anyway.

Investigation Slated Into Vanguard Failure

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guard—reported it had determined the exact cause of the rocket's failure at the Cape Canaveral, Fla., test area.

The misfire "was caused by a mechanical failure in the propulsion system, details of which are classified," the Navy said.

The failure of the Vanguard rocket stirred new demands for acceleration of the satellite and missile program. Pressure for a speedup has been building since Oct. 4 when Russia launched its first satellite, Russia put Sputnik II into orbit Nov. 30.

MOVIE MAGNATE DIES

HOLLYWOOD — A heart attack has claimed movie executive Fred S. Meyer at 66.

He died Monday at his home. For the past 20 years the German-born Meyer had been in charge of industrial relations and personnel at 20th Century-Fox studio.

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