

Vanport Flood Brings Out Value of Recording Armed Service Discharges

The value to war veterans of recording their military discharges in the county court house was poignantly brought out by the recent Vanport disaster, where countless numbers of these documents are presumed to have been lost, the Oregon Department of Veterans Affairs said this week.

For those veterans who had recorded their discharges, there should be no delay in applying for GI benefits or other rights to which they may be entitled, because photostats may be obtained easily from the county recorder. These are bona fide copies and can be used for virtually all occasions where proof of military service is required.

Those who neglected to have their discharges recorded will find it necessary to apply for a certificate in lieu of lost discharge, which usually results in considerable delay because the applications must be processed in Washington, D.C.

First evidence of white men in Oregon is the salt cairn built on the northern Oregon coast during the winter of 1805 and 1806 when the Oregon country was explored by the famous pathfinders, Lewis and Clark. The cairn, built to exact salt from ocean water, is now an historic site at the well known resort city of Seaside, 80 miles from Portland.

Back to the Farm Movement Halted

WASHINGTON — The back-to-the-farm movement apparently has halted.

The Department of Agriculture estimated 27,440,000 people were living on farms in January, this year. This compares with 27,550,000 a year earlier.

The decrease contrasts with gains in the farm population in the two preceding years.

From a low of 25,190,000 which was reached in January, 1945, the farm population increased by nearly 10% to 27,550,000 in January, 1947, as demobilized veterans and some civilian migrants returned to farms after the end of the war.

The decrease in farm population occurred despite the fact that births to farm residents exceeded deaths by nearly 500,000. This was the highest annual national (births and deaths) increase since 1925, when the farm population was about one-tenth larger than now.

Nearly a million persons moved to farms and cities, towns and villages last year. But more than 1.5 million moved away from farms.

Read the classified pages.
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LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF TIMBER SALE: Sealed bids, marked outside "Bid for Timber", and addressed to the Regional Administrator, Bureau of Land Management, Region I, Swan Island Administration Building, Portland 18, Oregon, will be received until and opened at 10:30 a.m., Daylight Savings Time, July 20, 1948, for the purchase of all merchantable timber designated for cutting upon tracts hereinafter described; the cutting and removal of the timber to be carried out in accordance with the forest practice rules approved on July 7, 1938, by the Secretary of the Interior. Each bid must state the amount per thousand feet, board measure, that will be paid for each species and the total consideration which will be paid for the timber. No bid for less than the appraised value will be considered. Each bid must be submitted in duplicate and be accompanied by a deposit. The deposit must be in the form of a certified check on a solvent bank and in favor of the Treasurer of the United States. The amount of the deposit will be \$5,000.00 provided the total amount bid is over \$5,000.00; it will be \$10,000.00 provided the total amount bid is over \$10,000.00; it will be 10% of the amount bid when the bid exceeds \$100,000.00. If the total amount bid is less than \$5,000.00, the deposit shall be the amount of the bid. The deposit will be returned to unsuccessful bidders; applied as a part of the purchase price of the successful bidder; or that portion of the deposit, representing the minimum required by law, shall be retained as liquidated damages if the high bidder does not execute contract and furnish satisfactory bond within thirty days of acceptance of the bid or cannot furnish evidence of his ability to comply with the local marketing requirement. This evidence must be submitted with the bid and shall conform with the requirements as set forth in this advertisement. In sales over \$10,000.00, the successful bidder will be required to furnish a sworn financial statement, in duplicate, showing ability to fulfill the terms of the contract. A bond on all sales will be required in an amount computed at the rate of at least 20 per cent of the first \$10,000.00 of the bid, plus 10 per cent of any additional amount of the bid in excess of \$10,000.00. Payment for timber will be required in advance of cutting, payment in full at the time of filing the contract being required in sales amounting to \$10,000.00 or less. In larger sales, at the option of the Regional Administrator, payment may be made in a number of installments scheduled to keep pace with the rate of timber cutting and payable upon demand from the Regional Administrator. The right is hereby reserved to waive technical defects in this advertisement; to reject all bids, or to award the timber for the amount of the highest bid to other than the highest bidder when necessary, pursuant to the Act of August 28, 1937 (50 Stat. 874), in order to provide a continued supply of timber to local industry and contribute to the permanence of the community which is dependent upon such industry. Timber sold in accordance with this advertisement must be manufactured within the marketing area as designated for each tract described below in accordance with the Orders of the Secretary of the Interior, No. 2285, and Nos. 2380 to 2390, Incl., dated December 11, 1946 and November 29, 1947, respectively. Further information regarding this sale may be obtained at District Offices of the B.L.M. located at Salem, Eugene, Roseburg, Coos Bay, and Medford, or at the office of the Regional Administrator, W. H. Horning, Swan Island Administration Building, Portland 18, Oregon. Dated at Portland, Oregon, this 28th day of June, 1948. IN LANE COUNTY: UPPER WILLAMETTE MARKETING AREA: T. 17 S., R. 1 W., Sec. 7, all merchantable timber designated for cutting on a portion of Lots 4 and 5, estimated for the purpose of this sale to be 305 M. feet marked Douglas Fir, 10 M. feet marked White Fir. No bid for less than \$13.55 per M.ft. B.M. for the marked Douglas Fir, \$4.80 per M.ft.B.M. for the marked White Fir, or a total purchase price of \$4,180.75 will be considered. Only 56 Douglas fir and 6 White Fir trees blazed with two notches are included in the sale. The marked trees are confined to an area of approx. 12.5 acres on the north side of Lots 4 and 5. T. 18 S., R. 1 E., Sec. 23, all merchantable timber designated for cutting on a portion of the SE 1/4 NW 1/4, estimated for the purpose of this sale to be 195 M. feet Douglas Fir. No bid for less than \$15.75 per M.ft.B.M., or a total purchase price of \$3,071.25, will be considered. This sale includes only 76 marked Douglas fir trees in an area of approx. 7 acres in the central portion of the SE 1/4 NW 1/4. All others are reserved. The area is to be logged with caterpillar type tractor unless otherwise authorized by the officer in charge of the sale. T. 20 S., R. 2 W., Sec. 1, all merchantable timber designated for cutting on a portion of Lot 5 (NW 1/4 NE 1/4), por. N 1/2 SW 1/4 NE 1/4, estimated for the purpose of this sale to be 635 M. feet Douglas Fir, 10 M. feet White Fir, 25 M. feet Hemlock, 100 M. feet Western Red Cedar, 1970 Lineal Feet Red Cedar Poles. No bid for less than \$11.60 per M.ft.B.M. for the Douglas fir, \$3.85 per M.ft.

B.M. for the White Fir and Hemlock, \$3.45 per M.ft.B.M. for the Western Red Cedar, \$6.55 per Lin. ft. for the Red Cedar Poles, or a total purchase price of \$7,944.25, will be considered. An area of approx. 31 acres lying east and south of a blazed line is reserved from cutting, including blazed and posted line trees. 47-2t-48

LATHAM

Here from a distance for the W. T. Garoutte funeral were Mr. and Mrs. Pat Brown of Blue River, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Trunnell of Eugene and Mr. and Mrs. John Taylor of Eugene, as well as Katherine Garoutte Gridley, husband and son, of Sisters. Nelson Garoutte of McKenzie Bridge has been at the home for some time. Others were Mr. and Mrs. Clay Garoutte of Coquille, Vern Garoutte and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Garoutte of Bandon, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Garoutte of Creswell and Mrs. Will Hart of Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Essex of Colorado Springs visited three days with Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Plaster last week. Mrs. Essex, the former Nona Bland used to live on the place owned now by J. B. Grubb. She attended the Latham school with Mrs. Plaster. Mr. and Mrs. Essex left Sunday for Lebanon to visit her father now past ninety at Lebanon. They will visit other relatives and friends in Oregon.

Carl Tonole Jr., of Tule Lake, Calif., is visiting at the home of his uncle Tony Tonole.

Mr. and Mrs. George Morris of Ashland visited recently at the Chester Morris and Roy Beers home.

Birthday Party
Florence Beers was the honor guest at a birthday party held at the Gerald Beers home Saturday evening. Others present were Betty and Roy Duerst, Gilbert and Everett Yearous, Nina Chapman, Lorraine and Lenore Porter and Alvin Becker of Portland, who flew down for the event.

4-H club reporters: We have a special place for your reports. Everybody reads the Classified.

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We never did learn whether Kilroy settled down, or Richard got the door open.

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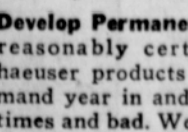
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