

## The Week In Washington, D. C.

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It is a pleasure to be able to report that steel is being allocated for the production of a reasonable number of freight cars per month. Transportation and ICC officials have long declared that we must have at least 10,000 new freight cars a month in this country to replace old cars which are going out of service and to build up an adequate car inventory. Early this year panicky production authority executives threatened to cut the steel for cars back to about 6500 per month, but later had the good judgment to allow car builders



to increase their capacity. The goal of 10,000 cars has not yet actually been reached but the output in May was 9,774 cars, in June it was 9644 cars and third quarter production is scheduled to total more than 28,500. Even this output of new cars is not enough to prevent car shortage in the lumber producing sections in a bad season, but it will help.

## Reasons Given For Odd Oregon Names

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wedding accessory.

The Oregon visitor may not see any cascades at Cascade Locks on the Columbia river, but when Bonneville dam was built, the lake covered the white water. Nearby Bridge of the Gods was named thusly because of the legend centuries ago that a natural bridge crossed the Columbia near this site. Volcanic action and accompanying earthquakes shook the rock structure into the river and left the cascades, the legend says.

Cayuse, Oregon is named for the tribe of Indians by that name and Dilley was named for Milton E. Dilley, pioneer merchant.

Though Drain is located in a canyon area, it was not named for its location but for Charles Drain, a pioneer and member of the state legislature.

Eightmile is named because a canyon by that name lies about eight miles up Willow Creek from the Columbia River. Tenmile comes from the fact that a pioneer living in Happy Valley, in Douglas county, drove cattle ten miles from the valley and grazed them at the sit of the present

community.

Follyfarm was called thusly by J. H. Neal, owner since he tried to irrigate his land under adverse conditions. The postoffice later adopted the same name. Fossil is named because of fossil remains located on the ranch of Thomas B. Hoover, who was the first postmaster there.

"The River Goes Gliding Along"—a song by the small son of Mrs. Carrie Laird, first postmaster of Glide, Oregon, was responsible for the community being so called. Grizzly was not named for a bear but for Grizzly mountain, so called because of its grizzled appearance.

Halfway was originally about the distance between Pine and Cornucopia, in Baker county, but since the post office was later moved, it no longer bears this significance. Another town named because of a cattle brand is the community of Izee in Grant Co. M. N. Bonham, a local rancher, used the letters "IZ" as his brand.

A most reflective community in Douglas county is Looking-glass so called because of the mirror-like quality of the green valley grass. Mist was really so called because of the atmospheric condition of its location in the Nehalem valley in Columbia Co. Pedee in Polk county was named for the Peedee river in North and South Carolina by Co. Cornelius Gillam, a native of North Carolina.

Post, in Crook county was named for its first postmaster, Walter H. Post. Promise, Paradise, Remote, and Wonder all were named because of those qualities at the locations of the communities. Wonder was named so because many people wondered how the Wonder store would receive enough trade to keep in business, so the story goes.

Sixes was named for the river of that name, originally called Sihks river, the Chinook jargon word for friend. There is nothing spinning at Top, Ore., but the story spun there is that the town was named for Top Reasner, a prominent local resident.

Doris Freeman spent last week at Gold Beach.

Flossie Buchanan has thought up a new sandwich, a fish burger, made of seafoods: oysters, clams, tuna, etc. She serves these at her newly-opened Burger Bar.



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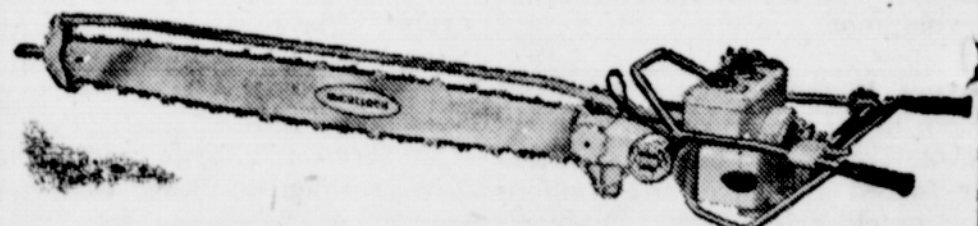
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