

LONG-BELL LUMBER OFFICIALS ARE HERE

Development of Holdings in Oregon to Be Topic.

CONFERENCE IS SLATED

Disposal of Several Options Now Held by Eastern Company Will Be Discussed.

Officials of the Long-Bell Lumber Company of Kansas City, Mo., said to be the largest lumber producing company in the world, arrived last night in Portland to confer on the development of their extensive timber holdings in Oregon.

A conference of the officials of the company is scheduled for tomorrow morning, when the work done by the experts who have been making extensive investigations of all available mill sites along the coast will be gone over in detail and the disposal of several options on large tracts that are now pending will be considered.

Tracts Bought in Oregon. The Long-Bell company has been investing in Oregon timber since 1915, when it acquired 87,000 acres of land north of Klamath Falls containing 1,700,000,000 feet of pine, from the Oregon Land & Livestock company.

Last spring the company made its first investment in fir timber when it bought a tract of land on the Cowitz river watershed comprising more than 2,000,000,000 feet of timber.

Officials of the company who will attend the conference are: W. Vandercook, chief engineer; C. H. Huffman, consulting engineer; L. L. Chapman, manager of the export department and W. F. Ryder, expert timberman.

FOOD PRICES GO HIGHER

PORTLAND ONE OF 3 CITIES HAVING HIGHEST INCREASE.

Clothing to Come Down Shortly, According to Prediction of Retailers' Union.

WASHINGTON, July 20.—Retail food prices continue to show a steady increase, according to survey of the food budget of the average family for June made public today by the bureau of statistics of the department of labor.

Prices increased in 23 cities under observation and decreased in 12. Increases observed were 5 per cent in Detroit, Omaha and Portland, Or.; 4 per cent in Boston, Indianapolis, Kansas City, Manchester, Scranton, Seattle and Springfield, Ill.; 3 per cent in Bridgeport, Buffalo, Chicago, Denver, Milwaukee, Peoria, Pittsburg, Portland, Me., St. Louis and St. Paul; 2 per cent in Cleveland, Columbus, Fall River, Minneapolis, Newark, New York and Providence, and 1 per cent in Birmingham, Bate, Los Angeles, Louisville, Memphis, New Haven, Richmond, Rochester, Salt Lake City and San Francisco.

CHICAGO, July 20.—Clothing prices are coming down shortly, according to A. B. Blackmore of the business extension department of the Retailers' Commercial union, who today commented on the fact that the 300 buyers from small towns in 25 states here were not closing many orders.

WORKS IN POISON OAK AND IVY WITHOUT FEAR

"THE Laurel Hill Cemetery, of which I am superintendent," writes J. H. Brummette, of Springfield, Or., "is full of poison oak. I take it very easily. When I sent you for a bottle of Santeptic Lotion, I had had poison oak for five months. I commenced using it and kept working in the poison oak. I am now entirely cured, and, besides, it certainly takes something to even help me. I had and have tried everything I or anybody else ever heard of, including all kinds of guaranteed remedies. Just simply time and money wasted. Santeptic certainly did the work."

HOUSE IS ROBBED TWICE

Thief Seen Making Escape, Driving Off in Automobile.

The residence of N. Tacht, 2335 East Eighty-second street, has been robbed two nights in succession and clothing and other personal belongings taken, according to a report made to the police yesterday. Mr. Tacht told the police that he saw the man making his escape from the house at the time of the second burglary.

MISS ETHEL UTTER DIES

Body Held in Chapel Awaiting Word From Relatives.

OREGON CITY, Or., July 20.—(Special)—Miss Ethel Utter, daughter of Mrs. Lake May of Canemah, died at the family home this morning. The body was taken to the Holman & Pace funeral chapel, where it is held awaiting word from relatives.

SPEEDER ASSESSED \$40

Fourteen Autoists Fined for Violating Traffic Ordinances.

A speed of 43 miles an hour down Albina avenue resulted in W. S. Fries being fined \$40 yesterday by Municipal Judge Rosenman. Fries was arrested by Patrolman Atkinson. He pleaded guilty.

OREGON PUBLICITY URGED

Gresham Editor Advocates Campaign of Information.

A campaign of information through the country papers of the state affiliated with the greater Oregon programme of the state chamber of commerce is advocated by H. L. St. Clair, editor and manager of the Gresham Outlook.

Victor Records

Come Early Our Supply Is Limited

- 18615 Yellow Dog Blues, Fox Trot, by Smith's Orchestra.
18526 Arabian Night, One Step, by Waldorf Astoria Dance Orchestras.
30596 Oh! by Jingo! Medley Fox Trot, Nobody but You, Medley Fox Trot, by Palace Trio.
18541 Canary, Medley Fox Trot, by Smith's Orchestra.
18526 Roses at Twilight, Waltz, by Yerkes Jazzarimba Orchestra.
17474 Silver Threads Among the Gold, by Elsie Baker.
17523 Woodland Echoes, by Neapolitan Trio.
18280 Aloha Land, by Louise and Ferera.
45178 Good Bye, Sweet Day, by Merle Alcock.
The Meeting of the Waters, by Merle Alcock.

G.F. JOHNSON PIANO CO. 140 6TH ST., BET. MORRISON AND ALDER.

Soda Fountain and Ice Cream Parlors in the Basement Underprice Store—Light Luncheon Served From 11 to 2:30 Daily—Shoe Shining in Basement See Demonstration of Hoover and Sweeper-Vac Electric Cleaners in the Rug Department 3d Floor—Trunks, Suit Cases and Bags on the 3d Floor

Glenwood Butter 2 Lbs. \$1.23. No delivery of butter except with other purchases made in the Grocery Dept. Glenwood Butter, 2 lbs. \$1.23

The Standard Store of the Northwest Olds, Wortman & King Reliable Merchandise—Reliable Methods

"Notion Day" Bargain Circle, 1st Floor—Sewing Needs and Small Wares at special low prices for today. Hundreds of different items in the sale. Take advantage of this opportunity.—First Floor.

Basement Economy Sales—Double Stamps

DOUBLE STAMPS. THE BASEMENT STORE presents a notable list of special offerings for Wednesday at prices which mean great savings. Every article in this advertisement is a splendid bargain. DOUBLE TRADING STAMPS GIVEN WITH ALL BASEMENT CASH PURCHASES TODAY.

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Sale of Women's Dresses. Every Woman's Silk or Wool Dress in the Basement Store reduced in price for the Wednesday Economy Sale. With every dress purchased we give 100 Extra Stamps. In the sale there are plain and embroidered Serge Dresses—Wool Jersey Dresses trimmed with buttons or embroidered—beaded Tricolette Dresses—Messaline Dresses and Taffeta Dresses in the season's most favored styles and best colors.

Apron Day in the Basement. Double Stamps With Cash Purchases. WOMEN'S BIB APRONS in attractive style. Made up in fancy plaid ginghams trimmed with plain chambray. Va-79c. BAND APRONS of good quality checked percale trimmed with piping and braids. Made with or without bib. 49c. COVERALL APRONS in good full styles. Of excellent quality percale in 12 light colors. Band trimmed; only \$1.35. GIRLS' APRONS made in overall style "just like mother's!" Percales and ginghams in assorted patterns. Ages from 2 to 6 years. Priced special 65c. Double Stamps!

Talcum Powder 8c Can. Basement—Talcum Powder of good quality put up in standard size cans. No telephone orders accepted. 8c On special sale today—at only 8c

Toilet Paper Special 17 Rolls \$1. Basement—Large size rolls, fine quality crepe paper. Limit 17 rolls to a customer—no telephone. C. O. D. or mail orders filled. Special, 17 rolls for \$1.00

Women's Tub Dresses Special at \$3.95. Basement—No woman need be without a generous supply of cool summery frocks when she can buy them for so little. These are made up in plaid ginghams and dainty figured voiles in a large assortment of colors and patterns. Some styles have ruffled collars. Delightful Dresses for almost \$3.95 any occasion. On special sale in the Basement Underprice Store, at \$3.95

Women's Silk Gloves 50c Basement Sale. Women's Silk Gloves of good heavy quality. Popular 2-clasp style. Sizes 5 1/2 to 7. White or black. A remarkable sale—don't fail to attend. Several hundred pairs 50c offered for today's selling; the pair 50c. Women's Hose At 50c. Basement—Women's Hose of excellent quality. Black or white, with double sole, heel and toe. Not all sizes, but wonderful values. Priced special, the pair 50c. Women's Vests 25c. Basement—Women's Sleeveless Vests of ribbed white cotton. Plain yokes or lace trimmed yokes. Full range 25c, sizes from 34 to 38. On sale 25c. Ask for your S. & H. Stamps.

Porch Dresses \$1.59. Basement—Women's Percale Dresses—a special lot bought underprice on account of sizes not being up to standard. Attractive styles with embroidered fronts. Good range of \$1.59. BANDEAU BRASSIERES of fancy pink mesh—priced very special at 50c

Women's Corsets \$1.98. Basement—Front and Back-lacing Corsets of a famous make. Medium and low bust models with rust-proof boning. Made of splendid quality coutil. All sizes from \$1.98 to 30 in the sale. Special \$1.98. BANDEAU BRASSIERES of fancy pink mesh—priced very special at 50c

Women's Sport Hats \$1.98. Basement—We have about 200 Women's Sport and Outing Hats—smart up-to-date styles, which will be closed out at the above price. All-white Hats in large and medium styles, especially adapted for outing, country or beach wear. Also Rough Straw Sailors in brown, black, navy and other good shades. These are from lines \$1.98 selling heretofore at \$2.98 up to \$4.98. Special \$1.98. All Untrimmed Hats HALF PRICE

Boudoir Caps At 49c. Basement—Women's Boudoir Caps in many pleasing styles. Made up in wash silks trimmed with dainty laces and ribbons. Priced 49c special in Basement Store 49c

Sale of Wash Goods At 39c Yard. Basement—Voiles, Lawns and Batistes in a great variety of pretty patterns for summer dresses. Dots, figures, stripes and figures in all the most desirable colors. 30 to 36 inches wide. See display in Basement Center Aisle—the yard 39c. Romper Cloth 39c. Basement—32-inch Romper Cloth—the ideal wash fabric for play suits, rompers, etc. Wears and launders well. 39c Medium and dark colors. Priced very special, the yard 39c. Longcloth 29c Yard. Basement—36-Inch Longcloth of fine soft finish for underwear and baby clothes. Slightly imperfect. No exchanges, 29c none sent C. O. D., no mail orders filled. Special, yard 29c. DOUBLE S. & H. STAMPS WITH CASH PURCHASES.

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15c "Daxol" At 10c. Basement—"Daxol" is a new and very effective antiseptic for cuts, open wounds, mosquito and insect bites, etc. Regular 15c preparation. Priced special at 10c

Special Sale of Silk Crepes \$1.69. Basement—Georgette Crepe and Crepe de Chine in 36 and 40-inch widths. Several hundred yards underpriced for today's selling. Flesh, rose, yellow, gray, maroon, taupe, purple, lavender, apricot, navy, tan, blue, green and black. These Crepes are of excellent quality for waists, dresses and lingerie. Beautiful finish. Supply your \$1.69 needs at once. Basement Store special, yard \$1.69. DOUBLE S. & H. STAMPS GIVEN WITH BASEMENT CASH PURCHASES

Pillow Cases At 19c. Basement—36x36-Inch Pillow Cases of good firm quality sheeting. One dozen to customer; each 19c. HOTEL TOWELS—medium size, with red border. No telephone or mail orders filled. Priced \$1.00 very special at 7 for only \$1.00. Curtain Goods 16c. Basement—Curtain materials with fancy colored border, lace edge, insertions, etc. Adapted for long or short curtains of all kinds. Priced special at—the yard 16c

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Pumps, Oxfords, Slippers \$4.98. Broken Lines and Odd Lots. Basement—Women's Low Shoes at a sacrifice price to clearaway many odd lots and broken lines. Oxfords, Pumps, Colonials, Silver and Gold Slippers in patent, vici kid, gunmetal and Russian calf leather. Black and brown. Turn or welt soles. Not all sizes in each style but there is a good range in the sale. Specially \$4.98 priced for today's selling at—the pair \$4.98

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Men's Dress Shoes \$4.98. Basement—Men's Goodyear Welt Shoes of brown or black leather. Vici kid, Russian calf or gunmetal. Manufacturer's samples and several broken lines from our own stock. Good range of styles and sizes. Basement Sale \$4.98. Children's Shoes. Parents will save many a dollar by coming to our Basement Store for the Children's Shoes.

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Sale of Brooms In the Basement. Brooms of a well known make bought underprice on account of slight defects which in no way impairs looks or service. You would not know these were "seconds" unless we informed you of the fact. Quantity is somewhat limited, therefore it is best to shop early in day. TWO SPECIAL LOTS: 59c--75c Double Stamps Cash Purchases

MEN. SOFT SHIRTS with collar attached. Neat striped patterns. Sizes 14 1/2 up to 17. Priced special in \$1.98 the Basement Store, only \$1.98. MEN'S HOSE of fiber silk, in black or white. Double sole, heel, toe, ribbed top. Sizes from 10 to 11 1/2 in the sale. Special, pair \$1.98. HANKERCHIEFS in \$1.00 18-inch size. Special, 10 for \$1.00. BOYS' KNICKERS in gray mixtures and fancy stripes. Sizes 89c from 6 to 15 years—the pair \$1.98. BOYS' OUTFIT SUITS of khaki color material. Coat, pants, \$2.50. BOYS' OVERALLS of blue denim. Ages from 4 to 10; at \$5c