

### Lumber Industry Back to Normal, Coast Reports

Seattle (AP)—With lumber production now caught up with demand, the lumber industry is the first of all major industries to show signs of returning to normal.

That is the opinion of H. V. Simpson, executive vice president of the West Coast Lumbermen's association. Simpson pointed out that busy Douglas fir sawmills in Oregon and Washington last year turned out the most valuable single year's output in the industry's history.

The total value of the year's manufactured products was \$677,250,000, with 90 per cent of that amount representing new money brought into the two states. Production, measured in board feet, totaled 8,500,000,000 during 1948 in western Oregon and Washington.

Simpson said the biggest development in the industry has been in better forest utilization. He said the strong demand, both during the war and after, has made it profitable for loggers to market parts of trees that they previously had to throw away as waste.

**More Wood Available**  
Simpson said the west coast lumber industry is producing 2,000,000,000 board feet a year of this type of inexpensive low-grade lumber. He said this increased utilization means that Douglas fir forests actually contain more wood volume than they did before.

Another big improvement in the industry, he added, has been the tree farm program, which has spread from the west coast region into 22 states since 1941.

Simpson also praised the "keep green" movements of Pacific north states, which he said has held losses that result from man-caused fires to a very low figure.

Simpson said the lumber industry would be able to fill all orders for home building or industry during 1949.

### Captured Near White House



George Ashton (right), 21, one of two gunmen who held up a B. & O. streamliner in West Virginia, is led from pawn shop near the White House by Detective Sgt. William Christian (left) after a gun battle with police. Ashton's accomplice, Luman Ramsdell, was critically wounded in the dust.

### Prohibition Ends in Kansas



Verne Furlong celebrates the end of 69 years of Kansas prohibition by strolling into police headquarters at Wichita with a bottle of champagne, a fifth of rye and some whisky. "We used to have to sneak around alleys with this stuff; now it's okeh, isn't it?" asked Furlong. Police Chief George Shepard (right) and Policeman Frederick Fink said it was, although such a visit was a bit of a toll.

### Four Cities in Dispute Over Right to Harbor Constellation

Baltimore (AP)—New strength has been added to Baltimore's bid for possession of a gallant American warship of old, the frigate Constellation, now berthed in the Boston navy yard.

An organization established here by some 150 navy and coast guard veterans is dedicated to the sole objective of having the historic vessel restored and brought back to Baltimore, where she was launched 152 years ago.

"Commissioned" as "The United States Ship Constellation," the new ex-seaman's group has affiliated with the Veterans of Foreign Wars as post 10,000. The organization is calling every VFW post in the country to seek congressional and public support of its aims.

**Other Cities Lay Claim**  
A tough fight apparently is in store because Baltimore isn't the only city staking a claim to the great little ship that brought glory to the U. S. navy in various wars.

Boston has it now and wants to keep it. Newport, R. I., had it for

some years and wants to get it back. Marcus Hook, Pa., has put in a bid, too.

But the men of "Ship 10,000" believe the Constellation rightly belongs in Baltimore, her birthplace.

"Ship Captain" Edward E. Bros, who served in the Pacific during the war as a lieutenant commander in the coast guard, said his group proposes that the Constellation be towed back to Baltimore and established as a national shrine at Fort McHenry in Baltimore harbor.

**Funds Needed**  
Bross said estimates of the cost of restoring the ship range up to several million dollars. Congress has authorized the restoration project, but has insisted that the work would have to be done with money contributed by the public. The donations have been meager.

As a result, says Frederic H. M. S. Farley, historian of "Ship 10,000," the Constellation "now lies in Boston navy yard, a dismantled hulk awaiting the apathetic disposition of an indifferent congress." The Constellation, America's

oldest floating warship, is one of the three original frigates of the U. S. navy and was the first American warship to engage in a major sea battle.

In Washington recently, high navy officials joined the Naval Historical Foundation in marking the 150th anniversary of that battle, in which the Constellation defeated the French L'Insurgente in the Caribbean sea.



### SPRING SPECIALS FOR PAYDAY

<b>SHORTENING</b> ..... 3 lb. tin 90c	SNOWDRIFT OR CRISCO	
<b>Swans Down CAKE FLOUR</b> 2 3/4 lb. pk. 34c		
<b>OREGON</b> 14 oz. jar	Tall Can	
<b>Apple Butter</b> ..... 9c	<b>Pet Milk</b> ..... 2 for 25c	
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<b>Sunshine Honey Maid</b>	<b>Grahams</b> ..... 2 lb. box 55c

<b>QUALITY MEATS</b>	
<b>SLAB BACON</b> —by the piece ..... lb. 59c	Well Streaked With Lean
<b>SHORT CUT STEAKS</b> ..... lb. 78c	
<b>T-BONE STEAKS</b> ..... lb. 89c	Grade A Steer Beef
<b>SMOKED PICNICS</b> ..... lb. 49c	Short Shank
<b>GROUND BEEF</b> ..... lb. 45c	No Cereal or Water Added. Made Fresh Daily
<b>BEEF ROAST</b> ..... lb. 61c	Lean and Meaty
<b>SMELT</b> ..... 2 lbs. 25c	
<b>FRESH FILLET OF COD</b>	<b>FRESH FRYERS</b>
<b>FRESH OYSTERS</b>	<b>FROZEN FRYERS</b>
<b>FROZEN SALMON</b>	<b>RABBITS</b>
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<b>Spitzenberg Apples</b> ..... 5 lbs. 29c	<b>U. S. No. 1 POTATOES</b>
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### Barkeeper Says Cut Worth Fight

New York, March 24 (AP)—Sam Atkins said Wednesday the nickel glass of beer was worth fighting for, just like the constitution and freedom of speech.

Sam is the Bowery barkeeper who cut the price of a seven ounce glass of suds to five cents.

The response from the brewers was almost as electrifying to Sam as his price cut was to his customers.

Sam, you made the beer too cheap, the brewers said.

His regular supplier said Sam would get no more beer from him. Two others to whom he turned for emergency supplies said:

"No beer."

One distributor did agree to supply him with enough to last him through today. But he upped the price on Sam, cutting his profits from \$3.24 to \$1 per half barrel at a nickel a glass.

Sam threatened to battle the brewers in the courts on grounds they were restraining trade.

"I'll fight everyone of them in court," Sam vowed, "and I think the public will back me up."

Sam said he understood the trouble originated with the tavern owners rather than the brewers. He said other taverns believed he would take away their trade with nickel beer and had threatened to stop buying beer from breweries unless they boycotted him.

"I'm too much competition," said Sam.

**NOT MUCH LOVE LOST**

Woodstock, Vt. (AP)—After hours of deliberation, a jury in an \$8,000 alienation of affections suit awarded the plaintiff 50 cents.

### LIFE GOES ON

Muskogee, Okla. (AP)—Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Russell were celebrating their 39th wedding anniversary when their two sons became fathers within the space of a few minutes on the same day. The babies, a boy and a girl, were born in the same hospital, were delivered by the same doctor and their mothers shared one room.

### Hot, Sour Acids in Throat After Meals

Retired Pasadena Fire Dept. Captain, Walter L. Hiltreth, 520 Summit Ave., in gratitude of what KAL-O-DEX has done for him, states, "I was so run down I could hardly get around—couldn't sleep at night because I bloated up so from food that soured in my stomach and came up into my mouth—had to take something right along for relief. I feel wonderful now since taking KAL-O-DEX, for it keeps my bowels regular—no more bloating or dizzy spells, and I've gained strength as my nerves agree with me now and I can sleep nights."

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