

FOREST SERVICE BUILDS MACHINE TO SPUR SKIING

Sled-Hauling Tractor De- veloped to Convey Sports- men Up Steep Slopes — Skims Over Top of Snow

Paving the way toward more thrilling days for ski sport devotees, a new over-the-snow tractor was announced by the engineering section of the United States forest service through Medford headquarters of the Rogue River national forest today.

The new mechanical unit is a single track tractor attached to which is a sled big enough for 20 to 25 passengers. Purpose is to convey skiers to snow-capped mountain tops so that the sport may be enjoyed to the fullest. In many areas the best skiing spots are difficult if not impossible to reach because of the long ascent through deep snow.

The tractor is equipped with track cleats of duralumin to insure lightness and strength. Outstanding mechanical feature is a special power steering device by which the passenger is used as a rudder. The unit turns easily within a diameter of 45 feet, the forest service statement said. Because of the great track area and special low gearings, the unit will climb unusually steep grades either on bare ground or snow.

May Get One Here. While no official statement was made, it was indicated that when appropriations justify, one of the units would be acquired for use on Mount Ashland on the Ashland-Applegate scenic loop drive, considered one of the best potential snow sports areas in southern Oregon.

The new machine was tested recently near the Mount Hood Timberline lodge and found capable of hauling "up-mountain" loads of 30 to 50 than 20 skiers. Grades of 30 to 50 per cent were negotiated without difficulty. Snow depth was found no obstacle to the tractor whose wide base prevents it from sinking and stalling even in the softest covering, the announcement said.

Illustrating the values of the new tractor to skiers in eliminating arduous up-hill climbs, J. Frankland, regional chief of engineering said in the release from Portland headquarters that last week the machine conveyed passengers with ease up to a 7,800-foot elevation on the snow fields above Mount Hood Timberline lodge.

The new tractor was developed by the forest service as a much-needed aid to winter sportsmen. It was especially designed for use on steep slopes and can be used for other forest work such as trail building and snow removal.

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St. Bernard Dog Quits Hero Role; Kills Young Girl

GRENOBLE, France, May 20.—(AP)—A great Saint Bernard, noted for its rescue feats, rushed down the snowy slope from the storied monastery of Mount St. Bernard today and killed a 10-year-old girl before her father's eyes.
She was so severely bitten she died shortly after monks from the hospice drove off the dog and administered first aid. The father was unable to save her.
As is their wont, the dog, with other Saint Bernards, dashed out to greet the travelers near the monastery. Monks were at a loss to explain the ensuing assault.

MODERN COWMEN FOREGO REGALIA

BOZEMAN, Mont., May 20.—(AP)—Montana cattlemen gathered here today for their annual convention, but the only person in full cowboy regalia turned out to be a Chicago salesman.
Many of the ranchers and cowhands wore rangeland's ten-gallon hats, but had nothing to compare with the Chicagoan—unidentified by name—who squirmed uncomfortably in high-heeled boots and sheepskin jacket.
"Times have changed," opined Teddy Blue, 77-year-old rancher and cowboy since his teens. "It looks more like a gathering of a chamber of commerce than hard ridin' boys off the range."
"They used to come poundin' down the dirt streets raising a lot of dust and racket, and they used to reel along the board sidewalks back in the days when they didn't get to town but about twice a year," he reminisced.

\$90,000 OFFERED FOR SPRAGUE RIVER PINE

SALEM, May 20.—(AP)—T. C. Lorenz, Klamath Falls timber operator, presented an offer to the state land board today of \$90,000 for the purchase of 23,900,000 feet of pine in the Sprague river area in Klamath county.
The timber land reverted back to the land board when a bidder several years ago failed to complete his contract.
Lorenz stated his company had cut timber on the Indian reservation and was in position to cut the pine in the entire tract if the board accepts the offer. He stated he did not want the two million feet of fir nor the 180,000 feet of cedar on the property as shown in the cruise, stating it was of no economical value.

Dust Blots Sun In Salt Lake Region

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, May 20.—(UP)—Hoping for relief from dust storms which today blotted out the sun over Salt Lake valley and other points, residents of Utah, Nevada, and Wyoming awaited promised rains. Fertile soil from sun-baked farm lands which have received no water for more than two weeks was carried by a 30-mile-an-hour wind. J. Cecil Alters, federal meteorologist, said tonight.

MOP-UP SALE ON CANNED PEARS IS SET MAY 24 TO 29

Record-breaking sales of Oregon canned pears were reported today throughout the nation as 37,000 chain stores began a final assault on the surplus which threatened disaster to state growers.
Final clean-up week is scheduled May 24 to 29.

"I am sure that by the end of the campaign all fears of a glutted market will be relieved," said David Rosenberg, chairman of the Medford pear growers' committee.
Reports from the U. S. department of agriculture indicate 43 percent of the demoralizing 1936 carry-over was sold during the first quarter of the year, reflecting purchases for sale started in April.

On January 1, 1937, the nation's warehouses were jammed with 3,093,366 cases of canned pears, a carry-over enlarged beyond normal by a bumper 1936 crop, the maritime strike and unsettled foreign markets.

Forming the Pacific coast canning pear stabilization committee, growers appealed to the National Association of Food Chains, which responded with a vigorous nation-wide emergency sales campaign. As a result, the 3,093,366 case carry-over was slashed to 1,749,977 cases by April 1, 1936. Still further reductions are expected during the May 24-29 "mop-up" drive.

More cans of pears were pushed across grocers' counters during the April drive than in any two-week period in the nation's history, the increased national sales ranging from 30 to 2400 percent.
Oregon state chain stores reported heavy sales, paced by the Medford and Klamath Falls outlets of one group, which boosted its pear sales 3900 percent.

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of 1170 percent, and the following percentage increases by districts: Portland, 438; Salem, 27; Marshfield, 64; Medford and Klamath Falls, 3900.

AMY MOLLISON IRKED BY OVER-SEA HOP BAN

NEW YORK, May 20.—(AP)—Amy Mollison, British aviatix, sailed on the French liner Normandie today, denouncing the United States department of commerce for refusing to grant certificates for entrants in the proposed Lindbergh memorial flight from New York to Paris.
"It is not stunt flight, and I don't agree with the department of commerce on their ruling," she said.
"They are very far behind the times, and the only reason they made the ruling against the flight is to protect Pan-American Airways, which is going to start a trans-Atlantic line. The department is afraid that any disaster might prejudice pan-American. The ruling is as good as saying that modern flying is not safe."
Mrs. Mollison, suing her husband, James Mollison, for divorce in London, said that while in Paris she would seek to have the flight restored from Montreal to Paris.
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REV. D. E. MILLARD TO RECEIVE DEGREE FROM MINNESOTA UNIVERSITY

Rev. D. E. Millard, former pastor of the Medford Christian church, and resident of the valley since 1918, will leave by train Saturday morning for Minneapolis, Minn., where he has been called to deliver the commencement address to the graduating class of the Minnesota Bible university on May 26.
Following the address the university is to confer the doctor's degree upon Reverend Millard in recognition of his "special and valuable" work in hymn writing, according to announcement received from the university.
Reverend Millard was one of the first graduates of the institution and was the first pastor of the university church, known as the University Place Christian church of Minneapolis.
Following graduation in 1917, Reverend Millard entered war service at the Bremerton navy yard and after the armistice was called to the pastorate of the local Christian church where he spent nearly five years.
Following Rev. Millard's return on

School Bus Ejection Is Damage Suit Base

HILLABORO, May 20.—(AP)—Dorothy Davis, 18, of Scoggins valley filed suit through her guardian, Charles A. Davis, for \$5,000 damages, alleging she was forcibly ejected from a school bus serving the Forest Grove union high school.
George L. Hendricks and Sanford Matteson, described as operator and driver respectively of the bus, were named defendants in the complaint, which alleged that the plaintiff was ejected February 11, following a disagreement about where she was to sit.
To Buy More Fish
WASHINGTON, May 20.—(AP)—The surplus commodities corporation will purchase about 3,000,000 more pounds of fish for distribution to states for the use of unemployed, federal officials announced. The corporation previously purchased 6,400,000 pounds in an effort to relieve a surplus in the fishing industry.
Pen Population Drops
SALEM, May 20.—(AP)—A drop of nearly 100 in the population of the state penitentiary during the past

two months brought the total down to 1005 prisoners today. Much of the decrease was due to the good-time credit law passed by the last legislature. Governor Martin issuing paroles to those eligible.

Russia, with 1,700,000 men killed in action, suffered the heaviest loss of any nation in the World War. Germany was second with 1,600,000 and France third with 1,200,000. About 65,000 Americans were killed.

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