

Continuing Trend To Heavy Bidding Noted at Auction

A continuing trend of heavy bidding was noticeable at an oral auction timber sale Thursday at the Medford district office of the bureau of land management.

The bureau offered and sold nine tracts containing an estimated 24,993,000 board feet of timber for a total price of \$833,087.15. The tracts were located throughout the Medford district in Jackson, Josephine, Klamath and Douglas counties.

Bid prices for Douglas-fir, which was the major species on six tracts ranged from \$34.25 per thousand board feet board feet to \$50 per thousand. On the three tracts in which white fir was the major species, the bid prices were \$12, \$25 and \$26.25 per thousand board feet.

Douglas County Tracts

The two tracts in Douglas county were purchased by Caveman Lumber company of Wolf Creek and Patterson Lumber company of Glendale. Caveman Lumber company bid \$51,696.90 for a tract of 1,111,000 board feet on Russell creek near Azalea. They competed with four other bidders for the tract.

Patterson Lumber company was the higher of two bidders competing for a tract of 3,497,000 board feet near Trappers cabin. The high bid was \$115,297.30 for the tract.

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\$66,922.15 contains 1,567,000 board feet near the headquarters of Jump Off Joe creek.

Grave Creek Sale

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Lithia Lumber company of Ashland and Kogap Manufacturing company of Medford.

Lithia Lumber company purchased one tract containing 3,083,000 board feet on Sardine creek and a second containing 4,437,000 board feet near Pilot Rock. The high bids were \$98,481.45 and \$155,223.10 respectively for the tracts.

The bids for Douglas-fir for

the two sales represented both the lowest and the highest bids of the sale. The Sardine Creek sale brought \$34.25 per thousand board feet for Douglas-fir and the Pilot Rock tract brought \$50 per thousand. The Pilot Rock tract also represented the highest bid for white fir at \$26.25 per thousand.

The tract purchased by

Loyd Silva contains 6,130,000 board feet on the Butte Falls Prospect rd. The purchase price, which was the highest offer of five bidders was \$225,816.80.

Submit Only Bid

Kogap Manufacturing company submitted the only bid for a tract of 3,756,000 board feet in the Dead Indian area. The bid was \$75,013.55. This

was the only tract for which there were no competing bids. The Klamath county tract consisted of 1,312,000 board feet near Buck Lake. It was purchased by Chiloquin Timber company of Klamath Falls for \$40,015.30.

The last sale of the fiscal year for the Medford district of the bureau will be held at the district office June 25 and will consist of 10 tracts containing 24,191,000 board feet appraised at \$613,121.20. Eight of the tracts are located in Jackson county and one each in Josephine and Doug-

las counties. Additional information regarding the proposed sales may be secured from the bureau office located at 600 Riverside ave. and Barnett rd., Medford.

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HAL GARDENER
Division Chairman

Section Heads for Service Division Of UMC Named

Harold W. (Hal) Gardner, chairman of the service division of the 1959 United Methodist Crusade, has announced completion of the appointment of section heads for his division.

Serving as heads for the UMC service division will be Al Carpenter, assistant division chairman; Bill Luman, amusements; Ed Barnett, communications; Floyd Hart, general insurance; Tom Teutsch, life insurance; Douglas Pickell, real estate; Max Weston, hotels and motels; Clifford Proctor, transportation; Al Bradford, barbers; Kern L. Gibson, hairdressers; Larry Schaefer, cafes; John Dumas, laundries and dry cleaners; Richard Miller, finance; Floyd Brownlee, taverns; and Oral Freemyer, utilities.

The service division, one of the largest in the UMC, is responsible for more than \$26,000 in the 1959 fund-raising campaign which begins Sept. 14. The section heads are now recruiting solicitors. The appointments will be announced as they are completed.

According to Campaign Chairman Del Landing, chairmen have now been appointed for all but one UMC division. Gardner is the first to complete appointments to all section head posts.

The 31-year-old Gardner is the youngest man to be given the responsibility of chairmanship of a UMC division, according to Landing.

He was born in Bend, and attended Willamette university. He has been employed by the California Oregon Power company for 10 years as a special accountant, is a member of the Medford Elks club and the Medford Junior Chamber of Commerce. He and his wife, Genevieve, live at 3456 Hollywood ave., Medford.

According to Landing, it is hoped that all workers for the 1959 UMC campaign will be organized by the end of June.

LIKES OLD SYSTEM

Atlanta (UPI)—You'll have a hard time convincing Georgia Gov. Ernest Vandiver that "missile mail" is faster than conventional air mail. Vandiver received a letter from Jacksonville, Fla., Friday — 96 hours after it was sent by Postmaster General Arthur Summerfield in a Regulus missile fired from a submarine to the Mayport, Fla., naval station. Jacksonville is only 350 miles from Atlanta — less than two hours by air.

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