

Big Reforestation Program Completed in Rogue Forest

The largest reforestation program in the history of Rogue River National forest was completed last week as hot weather forced an end to tree planting activities on even the highest slopes.

Nearly 2 million seedling trees were planted on 3,650 acres of recently logged land during the fiscal year now drawing to a close, according to Forest Supervisor Carroll E. Brown. An additional 200 acres were reseeded using 186 pounds of tree seed.

The forest planting program furnished over 4,000 man-days of employment in the Rogue basin area, Brown said. A portion of the job was done by contractors, but the greater part was carried out by forest service crews.

Start of Season

The planting season actually started last fall, after the first soaking rains. On some parts of the forest, it continued at a reduced pace throughout much of the winter. However, the big effort in planting took place during the spring months as the snow blanket melted from the higher parts of the forest, Brown noted.

The cool, wet spring offered unusually favorable conditions for tree planting, making it possible to extend the season almost a month longer than is normal in this area. A better than average survival is anticipated because of the damp weather, favorable for transplanting, he added.

Ponderosa pine was the principal tree species planted with some sugar pine and western pine planted on portions of the Union Creek and Prospect districts, where the spread of white pine blister rust disease has been controlled by the eradication of ribes bushes.

Pine Planting Stock

Jeffrey pine planting stock was used in some higher elevations. Douglas-fir seedlings were planted on most north slopes and cooler sites while on the highest elevation planting areas Shasta red fir and white fir were favored. Test plantings of small quantities of giant sequoia, Japanese black pine and knobcone pine will be observed for response, Brown noted.

The seedlings for planting came from five different nurseries. They are Forest Service nurseries at Wind River, Wash.; Bend, Ore., and McCloud and Placerville, Calif.; and the State Forestry Department nursery at Elkton, Ore.

Most of the planting stock had been raised specifically for use on the local forest from seed collected in this area in previous years. Both one-year and two-year-old seedlings were used in the field planting.

Some "wildlings" seedlings were collected locally near the planting sites, Brown said. These were young trees, sometimes found growing in profusion along recently graded road banks and similar locations subjected to a heavy seed fall.

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Direct Seeding

The seed used for direct seeding was also collected locally. Most of the forest's tree seed is processed by Tepper Tree Seed Co. of Shady Cove. Seed used for direct seeding

Graduate Students May Live on OSC Campus Next Year

Corvallis — Space will be reserved in Oregon State college dormitories this fall for graduate students who desire to live on campus, Thomas F. Adams, dormitory director, has announced.

In past years, graduate students lived in various units throughout the dormitory system, but this will be the first year that they will be living in separate areas designated for graduate students only.

The new area will provide an atmosphere that is more conducive for concentrated study, Adams said. Both the men and women graduate students will have units reserved for them.

Building Program

Under the dormitory building program the past five years, there will be ample space for all freshmen, sophomore, junior and senior students who wish to reside in on-campus residence halls.

OSU now has residence hall space for 3,000 students. During the past five years, five residence halls with a capacity of 1,550 students have been built.

Residence hall space will be sufficient for the next two years, but with the predicted increasing enrollments additional residence halls will need to be completed and ready for occupancy by 1963, Adams reported.

Small Living Groups

The 1,500 men and 1,419 women students in the residence halls are divided into small living groups with between 60 and 80 students each. Each group has an upperclass student appointed as an adviser who counsels and assists the underclassmen with academic as well as personal problems.

This program has been found to be increasingly helpful to students, especially freshmen, in making the transition from high school to college studies, living and activities, college officials pointed out.

was treated with a rodent repellent to discourage seed eating mice and chipmunks.

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He said it has been discovered that susceptibility to the imported disease varies greatly between individual trees. Some tree specimens have been found that appear to be completely resistant to the cankers of the rust disease.

Brown said "the rust resistant characteristic can be inherited, as observed from studies made by the forest service in Idaho and at the small seed orchards at the Wind River nursery in Washington. Rust resistant white and sugar pine are being established in the Prospect area by grafting branchings from rust resistant trees onto seedlings of ordinary pine trees. This work, together with experiments in controlled pollination and hybridization of certain selected pine trees, is one of the many activities on the local national forest."

Eugene Boy Killed In Fall From Truck

Eugene — Eight-year-old Buerl A. Gustafson was killed Tuesday afternoon when he fell from a truck driven by his father's employer, William Wallace Brown, Buerl was the son of James Gustafson.

Brown told state police the boy was riding on the passenger side of the truck cab as the vehicle turned into Brown's driveway, on Fern Ridge rd. northwest of Eugene, at about 10 miles an hour. Brown said the boy apparently had his hand on the door handle, the door flew open, and the boy fell out.

Japanese Premier Expected To Quit

Tokyo — Nobody will be surprised in Japan if Prime Minister Nobusuke Kishi resigns after President Eisenhower completes his visit to this country.

The pressure has become almost unbearably heavy on the 63-year-old pro-Western leader and most observers of the political scenes generally believe that he will bow to demands to quit.

Kishi's efforts to declare a truce with the political opposition so as to give Eisenhower a unanimous, nationwide welcome came a bit too late.



OFFICIAL CALL—Admiral Ishiguro of the Japanese Maritime self defense force made an official call on Mayor Terry Schruk of Portland recently and presented him with pictures sent by children of Yokosuka to the City of Portland, and also presented a letter of greeting from Mayor Nagano of Yokosuka. As they look over the pictures in the Mayor's office, (left) Ruth Halvorsen, head of art department, Portland public schools; Jack Edwards, superintendent of public schools, Portland; Rear Admiral Ishiguro; Mayor Schruk; Yoshio Nakagima, superintendent of schools from Sapporo, Japan. (UPI Telephoto)

LIKE DAD, LIKE SON

Minneapolis — (UPI) — Many people are bad drivers because their parents were, says E. Ray Cory, president of the Minnesota State Automobile association. "The youngster who has watched his parent for many years flout traffic laws tends to grow up with an understandably irresponsible attitude toward his driving," Cory said.

Two Youths Escape From MacLaren School

Portland — (UPI) — State police said Wednesday they were searching for two youths from MacLaren School for Boys near Woodburn, who fled from the University of Oregon Medical School Hospital here Tuesday night.

New York — (UPI) — Voting machine manufacturers expect record sales this year. More than 105,000 machines are expected to be in use this fall as compared with 89,000 in the 1956 presidential election year, according to Automatic Voting Machine Division of Rockwell Manufacturing Co. They will be installed in about 77 of the largest 100 cities in the country.

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