

Neuberger Believes Evidence Refutes Lumber Criticism

Washington - Sen. Maurice Neuberger of Oregon said today the factual evidence of sale reports "appears to refute" criticism by industry spokesmen and some Congressmen that Forest Service timber pricing policies have been "unrealistic" and a cause of increased unemployment in Oregon and Washington.

The Oregon senator disclosed that the Industrial Forestry association had sent her a telegram on Jan. 25 stating "what we need is realistic National Forest timber appraisals. Despite steady decline of lumber and plywood prices for more than a year, Forest Service appraisals have not declined accordingly. This has aggravated the cost-price squeeze on forest products. It has increased unemployment. It will increase further unless National Forest timber is appraised at what it is worth."

In a reply to H. O. Puhn, president of the Industrial Forestry association, Shelton, Wash., Senator Neuberger reported:

"Listed below are the appraised and bid prices paid for the timber sold in western Oregon for each quarter of calendar year 1960:

Quarter	No. Sales	Volumes MBF	Appraised Value Per MBF	Bid Value Per MBF
1	74	212,292	\$24.87	\$24.23
2	241	997,372	22.50	22.09
3	83	443,719	20.85	20.11
4	88	368,130	18.53	21.82
	486	2,020,513	\$21.67 (Avg.)	\$27.17 (Avg.)



FUND RAISER - Malcolm Dooley, 31, makes a point in New York City as he discusses his entrance into the Medico fund raising caplan. Dooley's late brother, Dr. Tom Dooley, was his own fund raiser in introducing 20th century medical science to the jungle kingdom of Laos. Dooley is carrying on for his brother in raising money for 17 Medico teams in 12 medically backward countries. (UPI Telephoto)

Second Oil Well Reaches 8,280 Feet

Lakeview - Drilling at Humble Oil and Refining company's second oil well near Lakeview reached 8,280 feet last week, according to George Dabney, field superintendent. Humble's first well near Dairy Creek Guard Station was drilled in 1960 and reached a depth of 12,093 feet. The current well is being drilled on a day-to-day basis by Sun Drilling company.

Drilling will be studied closely by Humble officials before announcement of future plans is made.

PRIEST DIES

Chicago - (UPI) - Mass for the Very Rev. Dominus D. Holoweczyk, retired Ukrainian Catholic priest and former general superior of the Order of St. Basil the Great, will be offered Thursday. Father Holoweczyk, 75, died Saturday at St. Joseph's monastery, Glen Cove, L.I.

PAN ON FIRE

Portland (UPI) - Six pieces of fire equipment answered an alarm at the Fray Nursing home on SE. 105th ave. Monday but there was no major blaze. Sheriff's deputies said a greasy pan had caught fire.

INVITED TO DINNER

Hollywood - (UPI) - Comedian Danny Thomas announced today he has accepted an invitation to entertain at the White House Correspondents Dinner Feb. 25 in Washington, D.C. President Kennedy, his cabinet, foreign diplomats and other guests will attend.

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MISSILE LOADED - An Atlas missile, right, is loaded from a trailer into a MATS C133 Cargomaster plane at Travis Air Force Base for shipment to the facilities at Cape Canaveral. Travis' 84th Air Transport Squadron is the only organization involved in the Atlas missile lift. Even the outsized C133 is a close fit for the huge missile—with clearance of parts in some instances less than an inch. (UPI Telephoto)

Canada Said Not Encouraging Trade With Castro's Regime

Washington - (UPI) - Fears that Canada has stepped in to fill the trade void between Cuba and the United States are unfounded, according to a private research group.

"The Canadian - American Committee" said Cuban propaganda efforts and exaggerated press reports have given the impression that Canada is encouraging trade with the regime of Cuban Premier Fidel Castro.

"It should be emphasized that the Canadian government has taken no initiative to encourage such trade," the group said. "The Cuban government's flamboyant claims that Canada can fill the economic gap created by the U.S. embargo against Cuba, the group said in a report.

Enthusiasm Lacking

"It is important for people in the United States to recognize that this is propaganda and, moreover, that such propaganda is not received with any enthusiasm in Canada," the committee said.

The report said that no "serious conflict of views" between Canadian and U.S. government officials exists on the question of Canadian trade with Cuba.

Auto Industry Layoffs Will Total 80,000 By Feb. 13

Detroit - (UPI) - Layoffs in the sagging auto industry were expected to increase this week and will total 80,000 workers by Feb. 13.

The one-week layoffs start Monday with 13,500 being furloughed by the Ford Motor Co. and another 20,000 by American Motors. General Motors has announced that 46,500 employees would be laid off for the week of Feb. 13.

The layoffs announced Friday were scattered across the nation, blunting to some degree the impact of regionally hard-hit areas such as Michigan.

GM said operation will be halted at Pontiac, Oldsmobile, Buick and Fisher body plants in Michigan for one week and will resume production Feb. 20.

The spokesman said the shutdown would affect plants in Linden, N. J.; Arlington, Tex.; Southgate, Calif.; Kansas City, Kan.; Wilmington, Del., and Atlanta, Ga.

The American Motors Layoffs will close plants at Milwaukee and Kenosha, Wis. It is the second week-long shutdown for American Motors in a month.

Ford said its assembly plants at Dearborn, Mich., St. Louis, Mo., and engine plants at Cleveland and Lima, Ohio, will be closed during the same period.

A scheduled layoff at the Ford plant at Brook Park in suburban Cleveland was postponed.

Pharmacy Phacts

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Morse Protests Moving Post Office

Washington - (UPI) - Sen. Wayne Morse (D-Ore.) said he has renewed his protest of the transfer of regional post office headquarters from Portland to Seattle. Morse asked that the facility be moved back to Portland.

The Oregon Democrat said he made the plea in a letter to the Post Office department in the hope the new administration would reverse the decision of Arthur E. Summerfield, postmaster general in the Eisenhower administration.

DISCUSS TROOP FIGHTS

Leopoldville - (UPI) - United Nations and Congolese officers met Monday in the Kivu province town of Kindu to discuss ways to prevent further clashes between U.N. and Congolese troops.

Electrical Industry Executives Get Jail Terms on Price Fixing Charges

Philadelphia - (UPI) - Jail sentences for seven executives in the electrical industry on price fixing charges set a hard pace for other defendants who face a federal judge today in the same anti-trust law violation.

The businessmen were told they bilked their country and fellow businessmen while "flagrantly mocking" the free enterprise system.

The seven upper echelon executives were sent to jail for 30 days Monday by Chief U.S. District Judge J. Cullen Ganey in the first round of sentencing of 48 individuals and 32 companies charged with price-fixing and bid-rigging on a gigantic scale during the past five years.

The judge also levied nearly \$1 million in fines against the firms and individuals and gave 19 other industry executives suspended 30-day jail terms and placed them on five years probation.

Urges Stiffer Penalties

Ganey's sentences on the first six of 20 indictments were slightly less than that urged by the government, despite a message from U.S. Atty. Gen. Robert F. Kennedy saying even stiffer penalties would have been justified.

The judge told the defendants in a pre-sentence statement they had "destroyed the model which we offer today as a free world alternative of state control of socialism and eventual dictatorship."

EICHMANN 'NERVOUS'

Jerusalem, Israel - (UPI) - Former Nazi official Adolf Eichmann was described today as "rather nervous" in a 90-minute talk he had Monday with his two German lawyers. He goes on trial March 13 charged with mass murder of Jews and other crimes.

BAGS WILDCAT

Hemet, Calif. - (UPI) - Vern Hamilton said today that he bagged a wildcat without even trying. His truck struck the animal on a highway. He said he would have the wildcat stuffed as a trophy.

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Co., \$35,000; Square D Supply Co., \$10,000; H. K. Porter Co., Inc., \$25,000; Schwager-Wood Corp., \$15,000; Southern States Equipment Corp., \$20,000; Foster Wheeler Corp., \$20,000; Carrier Corp., \$7,500; Ingersoll-Rand Co., \$20,000; C. H. Wheeler Mfg. Co., \$20,000, and West-

Funeral Questions

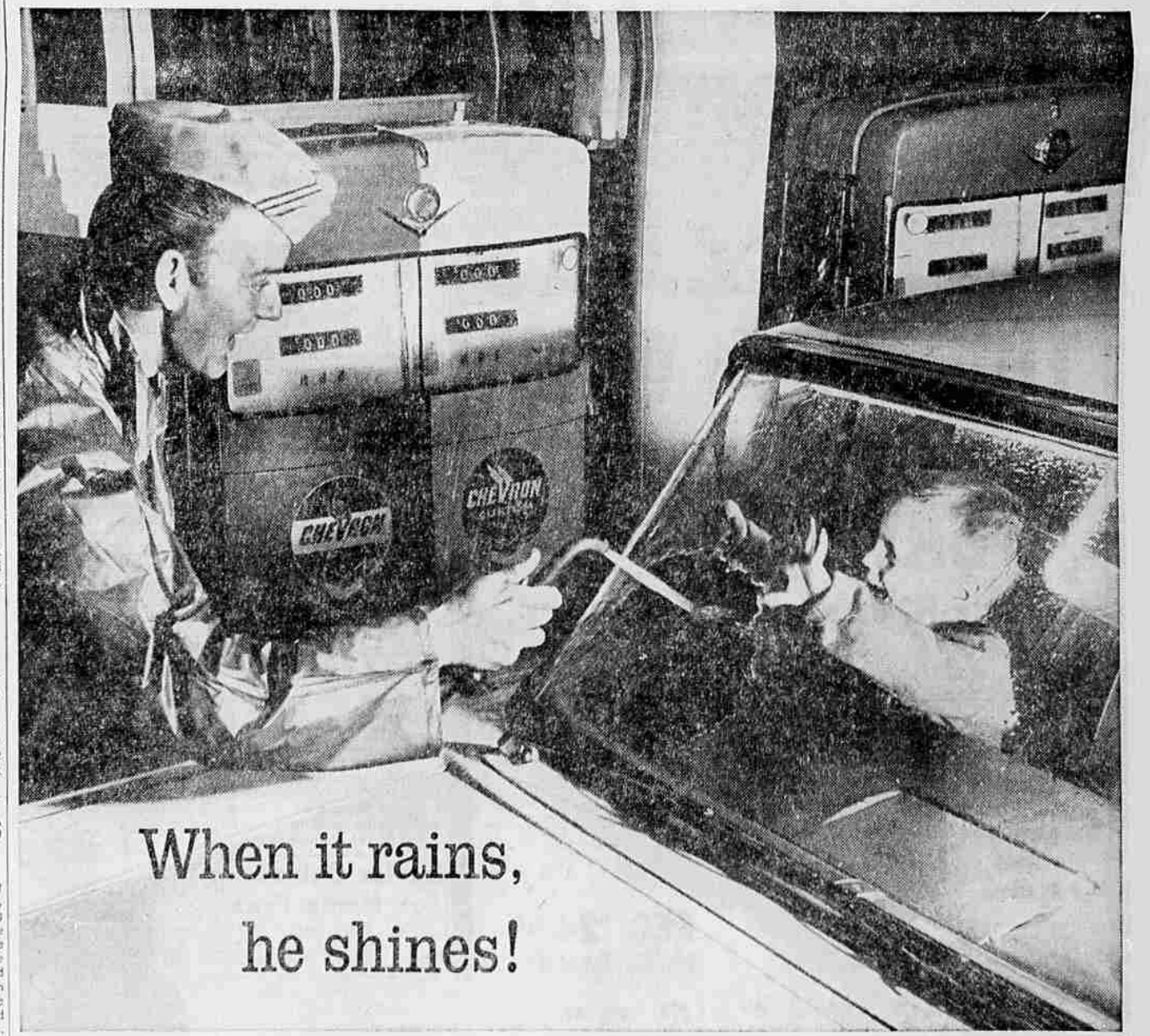
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- Q.** What papers or proofs are needed when filing for Social Security survivors payments.
- A.** When a widow applies for benefits, she should, if possible, bring with her the death certificate, the marriage certificate, her birth certificate, and the birth certificates of any children eligible for payments. If either the deceased worker or the widow were married to someone else before they married one another, the widow should bring along a death certificate for the former spouse, divorce papers if the marriage ended in divorce, family letters or other documents, or even newspaper clippings reporting the death or divorce. However, the widow should not delay filing her application because she does not have some of these papers available. Parents generally must file proof that they were supported by a son or daughter. This must be done within two (2) years after the insured worker's death. Even parents who will not have reached retirement age by the end of the 2 year period must file this proof of support within that time.
- Q.** Doesn't the Funeral Director take care of the Social Security Lump Sum Death Payment application?
- A.** The Funeral Director can help the survivors in this matter, but the actual application must be made by a member of the family in most cases. Under a new social security ruling, the lump sum death payment can now be paid directly to the funeral home to help pay the funeral expenses. However, in most cases, the application and authorization for this payment must be taken care of by a member of the family.
- * The Flag flown at MEMORY GARDENS this week will honor the memory of EUGENE K. BRAZIEL.



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