

# ALTURAS FOREST UNIT IS PLACED ON THE MARKET

### Cruisers to Make Appraisal Before Timber is Advertised for Sale

ALTURAS, Calif.—Word was received Saturday night that Chief U. S. Forester Col. W. B. Greeley has approved the plan of putting the Fandangio Timber Unit on the market. Appraisers will be sent up here this summer and as soon as a complete appraisal has been made of the timber, and approved, the unit will be advertised for sale.

It will be remembered that the Forest Service recommended that this unit not be put on the market until a broadgauge railroad was assured. The Modoc County Development Board immediately wired Congressman John E. Raker, and U. S. Senators Samuel Shortridge and Hiram Johnson protesting against this ruling. These wires were followed by the facts in the case and Congressman presented them to Col. Greeley who, upon the showing made, canceled the former order and sent to San Francisco for further detailed information. The information requested was secured from the local Forestry office here and was forwarded to Washington and upon its receipt there a new order was made approving the sale as soon as an appraisal could be made.

According to the plans adopted by of this timber, this unit will furnish 10,000,000 to 12,000,000 feet per year, under the period cutting plan, allowing only timber of a certain growth to be cut, the supply is practically unlimited.

It will take about two years after the timber is actually sold to build a mill large enough to handle the cut and the mill would furnish employment for from 80 to 100 men 10 months in the year. Such a mill would also furnish lumber for the box factory in sufficient quantities to enable it to double its present capacity, and to run 12 months in the year.

## PELICAN BAY CAMPS

Hard work has driven from our midst a man who but a few short weeks ago came to milk the cows for the cats. Will somebody please tell us where we can obtain an experienced dairyman?

We once heard of a man called "Moonlight" Enright, but Jack Sampson, foreman of camp one, goes him one better. The loggers say we will soon meet ourselves coming home from work.

We neglected to say in our first article that Heinie Smallfield is now doing all the milking for the kitchens.

"Dublin" Dan Livingston has finally descended to the low level of using cup grease for badness. Van Ess is unobtainable in either camp.

John J. Brown is not only anxious but tearing his hair to go laying steel with his "Brown Boys." We understand that during the last year he burnt out all the bearings on the track layer.

Charlie Dowling, steward, has been seen driving through the timber from camp to camp in a "Chevie" touring. How come, Charlie? Where is the sedan?

Unlike as two peas in a pod are Charlie Hagan and Lee Lyman, "pencil pushers." Charlie is right there with a "have one on me, boys." Where is Lee?

Ed, alias "Fat," Graham, "Bull Cook" at Pelican Camp No. 2, is becoming conscientious in his work. No longer do the boys ride merrily to town on company gas.

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and oil. Alas! It is under lock and key.

"Compound George," the "Super-heater Kid," who now holds forth on the two spot, has applied for the position of head track layer for Mr. Brown. Although his evenings should be spent in study for the new position, he is seen in company with an unknown fair damsel.

Rook McCullom and Red Johnston started to town the other night in the red Paige, with murder in their eyes, but were forced to turn back on account of snow. Last summer the Paige could go through three feet of snow, but it shows decided evidence of lost power.

"Gusie" Sheerz is rapidly becoming a "hard guy" under the nightly management of Jim Johnston and Marlon Masten. "Gusie" says it is a hard life.

"Radio Heinie" looks very sleepy these mornings. Such is the life of a radio bug.

Mickey Delaughters, our handsome conductor on the Twenty-eight, is trying hard these days to win back the five he lost on the fight. Micky says "Owing it to you is better than beating you out of it."

"Cockney" Joe Myerscough is tuing up his car, preparatory to a fishing trip with his buddy, Fred Cass.

"Oslo" Dutch has just cleared up the right-of-way for our new side track, strongly supported by our clever engineer, Arthur.

The camps have slowed down a little, or at least camp No. 2. They are loading ten cars a day for the time being, while camp No. 1 makes up the deficit of 24 to 24 cars per day. The jammer loads 22, and the Ohio loads the average four. Dutch says four cars is a day's work, if they don't go to fast.

Weather conditions up to the 23rd have been very unfavorable, but we are enjoying a touch of spring today.

Jimmy Johnston and Marlon Masten were in town over the week-end. They say the lights have dimmed a little.

"Our Boy" Jack Alexander was in town last week-end and he was in town this week-end. We wonder why.

## JACKSON FORESTER GIVES FIRE RULES

### Spark Arresters Must be Used on Locomotives and Stationary Engines

According to Philip B. Lowe, district fire warden for Jackson county, notice is hereby given that it is unlawful for any person, firm or corporation of employe thereof to use or operate any locomotive, logging engine, portable engine, traction engine or stationary engine which is not provided with an adequate spark arrester and an ash pan, kept in constant use and repair, in or within one-eighth of one mile of any forest lands from May 1 to October 1.

Also it is unlawful for any person or persons to set on fire or cause to be set on fire any forest lands, slashing, brush lands, grass, grain or stubble on his own or the property of another between the dates of May 15 and October 1, without first securing a written or printed permit from the forester or a warden and complying with the terms thereof.

## VISITS HATCHERY

E. H. Pike, superintendent of the Pelican Bay Lumber company's plant visited Chiloquin and Asprovo on business last Friday. Pike drove from Asprovo to the Henry Stout hatchery, where he looked over the hatchery and fish. Pike declares that Stout has a splendid collection of fish, and that he had best brand them all lest ambitious anglers steal them and exhibit them as proof of their prowess.

## BACK FROM CAMP

Prentice Puckett left for his camp at Lobert siding Friday morning, after spending several days in Klamath Falls attending to business and buying supplies. Puckett stated that he expected to begin shipping logs to Wheeler-Olmstead immediately after the first of the month. The output of the camp will be well over fifty thousand feet per day.

## LAME DUCKS LEAVE

Ike Lee, veteran of the Lumberman's Lame Duck ward at the Klamath General hospital, was discharged Saturday morning, and will soon resume his work as a logging contractor for the Big Lakes Box company. Hans Anderson, who was also considered a Lame Duck, having a leg broken just above the ankle, was discharged this morning.

## VISITS MILLS

C. M. Tuley, district representative of the P. B. Yates Machine company, made a trip to the mills in the northern part of the county Tuesday.

# FOREST WEEK TO BE OBSERVED IN KLAMATH COUNTY

### District Forester C.M. Granger to Address Chamber of Commerce

As a part of Oregon's observance of American Forest Week, C. M. Granger, district forester of the United States Forest Service will address the chamber of commerce and guests at the forum luncheon Wednesday, April 29. Granger is in charge of the entire northwest, including Alaska, and his coming is counted a special favor by lumber operators, timber owners, and all others interested in the efficient preservation of the country's forest wealth.

Governor Pierce has issued a proclamation seconding President Coolidge's national proclamation, setting aside the week of April 27 to May 3. The governor's proclamation follows:

### American Forest Week Proclamation

Whereas; Honorable Calvin Coolidge, President of the United States has issued a proclamation designating April 27 to May 3, 1925, as American Forest Week; and

Whereas, Oregon now contains more standing timber than any state in the Union, the timber, next to the land itself, representing the state's greatest resource; and

Whereas, We are dependent upon our forests for a perpetual and regulated supply of water for domestic use, as well as for irrigation purposes and our rapidly developing hydro-electric power, and

Whereas, Our forests furnish haunts for the protection and preservation of our wild game, and add to the beauty of our mountain scenery rivaling Switzerland in its grandeur and magnificence;

Now, Therefore, I, Walter M. Pierce, Governor of the State of Oregon, in conformity with the proclamation of President Coolidge, do designate and set aside the week of April 27 to May 3, 1925, as American Forest Week and urge that through commercial organizations, clubs, boys, scouts, fraternal orders, schools, the pulpit, the press, radio, business houses and officers, the economic importance of perpetuating our forests through conservation and fire prevention, be brought to the attention of every individual within the state.

In Witness Whereof, I have here-

unto set my hand and caused the seal of the state of Oregon to be affixed this is the 15th day of April A. D. 1925. Walter M. Pierce, governor.

## Milling Around

Co-ed—You know I didn't accept Claude the first time he proposed. Friend—I guess you didn't. You weren't there.

"What's your religion?"  
"I'm an atheist, thank God."

**Gone But Not Forgotten**  
I once had a bottle of rye—  
Most expensive that money could buy;  
I hired a feller  
To sweep the cellar—  
I once had a bottle of rye.

**HOLLAND IS HEAVY IMPORTER OF LUMBER**

America's Participation in This Market Very Slight at Present

Importing more lumber than most European nations in proportion to its size, with average annual takings around \$45,000,000, the Netherlands offers an excellent field for American exporters, according to Axel H. Oxholm, chief of the Lumber Division, author of "A Field Study on the Lumber Markets of the Netherlands," released today by the Department of Commerce.

American participation in the trade at present however, is inconsequential, Mr. Oxholm states, our exporters only contributing about 3 1/4 per cent of the total. This ratio, he contends, is altogether too small and could be materially increased with more intensive sales effort.

The Netherlands is one of the poorest countries of Europe in regard to timber resources. Only 7.6 per cent of the total land area, or slightly over 600,000 acres is devoted to forests. Of other European countries only the United Kingdom has a smaller ratio of forest land to total area.

At least 90 per cent of the normal lumber requirements of the Netherlands must be imported, and although some progress is being made in reforestation, Mr. Oxholm points out that there is practically no hope of increasing the percentage of lumber production for some generations.

Mr. Oxholm stresses the importance of more direct and personal interest of American exporters in the Netherlands market. As Dutch importers as a general rule show

no special initiative or inclination to push American woods in preference to other lumber, he advocates special measures to be taken. Lack of accurate information on American woods, he says, is a serious handicap in the Dutch market. He reports that in spite of diligent search not a single book of authoritative information in regard to American woods has been found in the Netherlands printed in Dutch.

## SPRING CLEANUP

Work is progressing on the painting of all the buildings of the Edwards Box company. The buildings will also be white washed on the inside.

## ATKINS MAN HERE

Ed Hibbert, salesman for the Atkins saw people, was in town last week visiting the various mills in the interests of his company.

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## HAMMOND OPERATIONS

MILL CITY, Ore.—During the recent storm which brought such heavy rains and some snow to the city, ten inches of new snow fell at Hammond Lumber company camp 24, and it was necessary to close down operations for one day on account of the heavy storm. Logging is progressing again as usual, but considerable snow remains on the mountains.

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