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WESTERN MILLS HIT BY JUMP IN SHOOK FREIGHT

Old Rate Will go Into Effect October 1, is Word Received by Mills

HURTS EASTERN SALES

Gives Big Advantage to Wisconsin Producers of Box Shook

SEATTLE.—Manufacturers and wholesalers of box shooks have been somewhat disappointed over the announcement that the rate of 40 cents per hundred pounds on shooks from Puget Sound to Atlantic common points is to be advanced to 50 per cent on October 1. The rate that was in effect for several years, Mills and wholesalers had been building up a large shook trade on the basis of the lower rate, although the steamship lines advised them when the reduction was made that it was experimental.

North Atlantic buyers have conceded that west coast spruce and hemlock shooks are of better quality than competitive woods.

With the transcontinental railroads now seeking higher overland freight rates it is seen by shook wholesalers that the lost Chicago union stock guards business is being pushed further beyond their reach.

West coast shippers were able, under the low water freight, to ship shooks far into the interior from the seaboard in competition with stock from Wisconsin. Efforts are being made to work out a plan that will enable them to hold this trade despite the higher freight rate. The Australian demand for shooks is good and the market very strong.

S. P. May Cancel Lease on Lumber Mill, North Bend

NORTH BEND.—Unless the present lessee of the Willamette-Pacific Lumber company plant in North Bend starts immediate operation of the plant, the Southern Pacific, owner of the property, will take steps to cancel the lease. This was recently announced by E. L. King, district superintendent.

The lease is held by Mr. McCall, who purchased it at bankrupt sale, but has never operated it. The plant has been idle for several months.

"If McCall does not begin operations soon, the Southern Pacific will cancel the lease and turn the property over to someone who will run it," said King.

The plant will employ between 80 and 100 persons.

McCall is expected in North Bend tomorrow.

Anderson and Middleton Co. of Oregon, Cottage Grove, shut down for a week beginning September 14, on account of lack of logs, due to a fire in the company's logging operations.

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Lumberlogue,

Klamath Falls, Oregon.

No.

Gentlemen:

I desire to receive the Correspondence Course in Lumber and Construction Information for Retail Lumber Dealers. I expect to apply myself to the study of this course and to comply with the requirements of administration. In case I find it impossible to continue the work with due diligence, it is my understanding that the course will be re-assigned.

Signed.....

Name of firm or employer.....

City..... State.....

Street Address.....

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OH WOODMAN, SPARE THAT LIMB!



Because of many requests received at this office for copies of the Lumberlogue containing this picture, we are running it again. Published through the courtesy of the proprietors of "Collegiate Wit and Humor," New York humorous magazine in which it first appeared.

Beetle Ravages Will Be Studied in Metolius Area

BEND.—A. J. Jaenicke, national forest entomologist for the North Pacific district, and M. W. Stone of Tacoma, Wash., were in Bend this morning and expected to leave today for the pine timber country near the head of the Metolius river and in the Green Ridge country, where they will make an inspection of the pine beetle infestation to determine whether or not control measures will be necessary this winter. Wait Perry, local lumberman, and A. D. Cannavina, forest ranger, will be members of the party also.

Inspections made by Jaenicke, Stone and Cannavina last spring showed that a large number of the pine beetles in the Metolius country had been killed by the cold weather of the past winter and it was thought that control measures would not be necessary. At that time an inspection trip was planned for this fall.

After cruising several sections of timber, data on the extent of damage done by the beetles this summer will be compiled to determine whether or not the forest service will do beetle control work during the coming winter.

LOG HEARING DATE IS SET

OLYMPIA, Wash.—Following a conference here today between officials of the state department of public works and railroad attorneys May 3, 1926 was fixed as the date on which the general log rate hearing will be held. It was decided the necessary data could not be assembled and arranged before that time, J. C. Denney, director, said.

The hearing will be held in accordance with the ruling of the United States supreme court, which reversed the order of the department of public works, establishing uniform rates on the larger lines of the state because it was held that the proper method had not been pursued in arriving at the rates. The state courts were also reversed in the high court ruling and the case remanded back for further consideration by the department.

Logging Cars Kill Resident of Bend

BEND, Ore. — Called to the Bend country less than one year ago to attend the funeral of his brother who had been killed in an accident, Alvin H. Pritchard, 52, is dead in this city, also the result of an accident. Asa L. Pritchard, his brother, died when a long string of moving logging cars were backed against the car under which he was working. Alvin H. Pritchard died Sunday afternoon from injuries received when a "high line" toppled limbs of a pine tree on him. Both men were working for the Shevlin - Hixon company when injured.

Lakeview Mills & Timber company at Lakeview, has started its operations at its sawmill on Crane creek.

TENANT ITEMS

Mrs. Dale Beeson the primary teacher in our school has been quite ill for over a week.

During her absence from school her room has been cared for by Mrs. R. E. Hawkins. Miss Beeson expects to resume her duties Monday.

Edwin Shostrom, brother of Mrs. George Miller, who has been employed at the machine shops for the past year, left Tuesday by auto for Portland and other points. He may go as far north as Prince Rupert, B. C.

He was accompanied as far as Longview, Wash., by Edwin Miller. Dr. R. D. Russell of Yreka, supervisor over Rural school districts, was a camp visitor Tuesday and Wednesday.

Dr. Russell praised our school, and said we have one of the very best in the county, most efficient teachers and the nicest pupils. We

are of course very proud to hear this.

Mrs. W. D. Vance is enjoying a visit this week from her mother, Mrs. W. E. Cook, and her friend Mrs. Victor Short, both of San Francisco, Cal. These ladies arrived in camp Wednesday evening.

Mrs. O. O. Wingfield entertained the members of the Tillamook club at a luncheon Friday. This club took a vacation during July and August, but now that everyone is back from their vacations, and the hot weather over, the club will resume its regular meetings.

John Oya, time-keeper out at camp one, has been quite ill with flu for two weeks, and is still confined to the hospital at this camp. C. W. Murphy, Carl Kurstin, Chas. King, Jim Morton, Merle Brainard, Al Morton, Clay Parker and Ray Hawkins all went to Yreka California Saturday to attend Masonic lodge. Messrs. Brainard, Parker and Hawkins will take their final degree in the chapter soon.

The dance Friday night under the management of W. D. Vance was well attended and everyone enjoyed a delightful evening. Johnson's orchestra furnished the music with the addition of a drummer from McDoel.

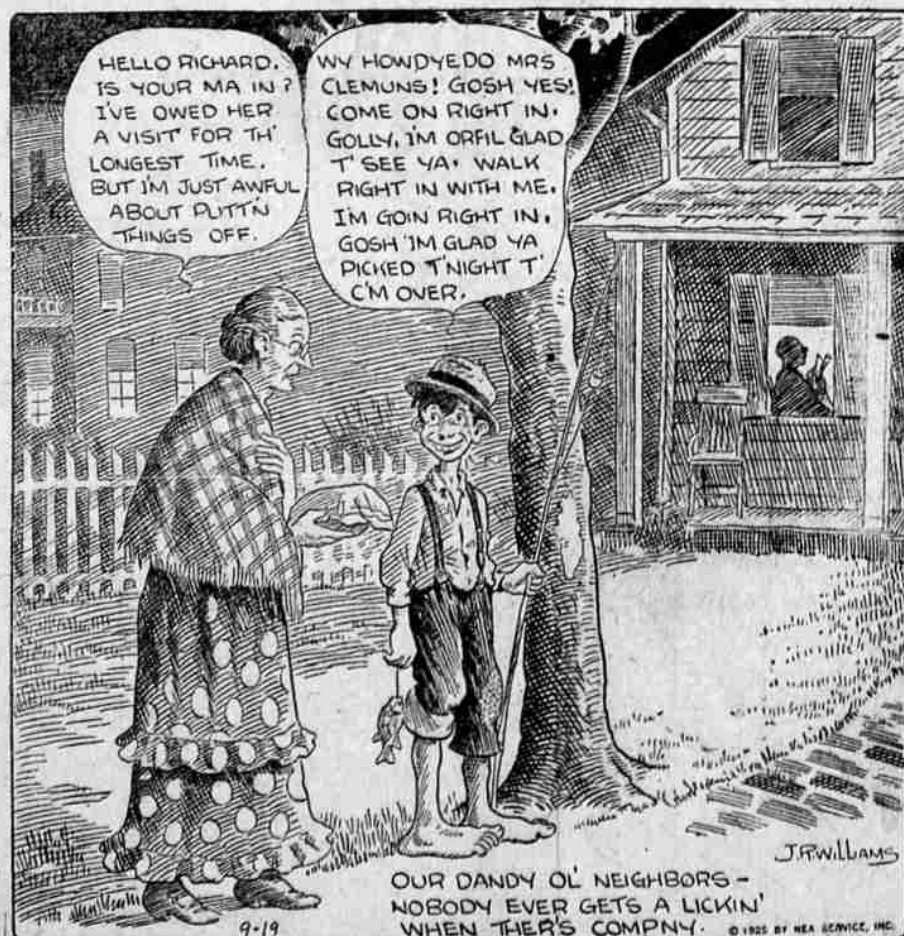
The prizes for the best modern waltz were captured by Billy Walwyn of this camp and Mrs. Rice of McDoel.

A nice lunch was served at mid-night. Mr. Vance is putting forth every effort to make the dances have the hearty cooperation of all the people.

SPOKANE, Wash.—Sawmills and planers of the Inland Empire are all running at a normal basis. Lumber handlers and yardmen are in demand, according to George W. Young, 4L employment service. All employment offices, he stated, are doing a brisk business and many jobs remain untaken.

Maybe the game wardens could limit the campers to starting one small forest fire per day.

The Old Home Town



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Contract Let For Two Miles Of Lamm Road

Road Constructed In Preparation For Camp Move

Contract for building two more miles of the Lamm Lumber company new main logging road has been let to the Charles Nelson crew, according to announcement made by Claude Houghton, logging superintendent of the company.

The line is being built preparatory to removal of the entire camp to a new site sometime next summer, when timber near the present location is exhausted.

The move will necessitate the building of about 12 miles of new road. Nearly ten miles is now complete. Grading has begun on the unfinished two miles.

New Device May Make Saving in Kiln Operation

A new device that may do much to cut down expenses in connection with the piling of lumber on kiln cars is being built by the Klamath Iron and Steel Works for the Lamm Lumber company. Inasmuch as flat piled lumber is placed on the kilns with a hollow center, coming together at the top in the shape of a pyramid, exactitude must be observed in piling in order to insure good circulation.

The device now being made for Lamm resembles the letter "A." One is placed at each end of the kiln car, in the center, and the lumber piled against it. When the piling is completed to the top, a lever is pulled, the device collapses and can then be used on the next car to be loaded. Its use is expected to prevent any chance for improper piling and at the same time allow greater speed.

New Mill Owners Report Success

SALEM.—The Cobbs & Mitchell company, which took over the Falls City-Salem Lumber company property in Salem a year ago has been doing a very satisfactory and encouragingly increasing business. The total up to the present time for this year is greater than for the whole of 1924.

This company owns its own property, on the Southern Pacific track at Twelfth and Trade streets, and it is a large taxpayer. The sawmill of the company is at Valsets, in one of the finest timber belts on the coast, and the equipment of the mill is right down to date to the last particular, which guarantees a splendid output, and therefore a first class supply for the local selling arm of its business. The company owns and operates the Valley & Siletta railroad running through from the mill to Independence, bringing its own material to the Salem market.

Grant & Girt, Rainier, have disposed of their sawmill to Portland interests. They will continue operation of their shingle mill at Astoria.

LOGGERS---

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