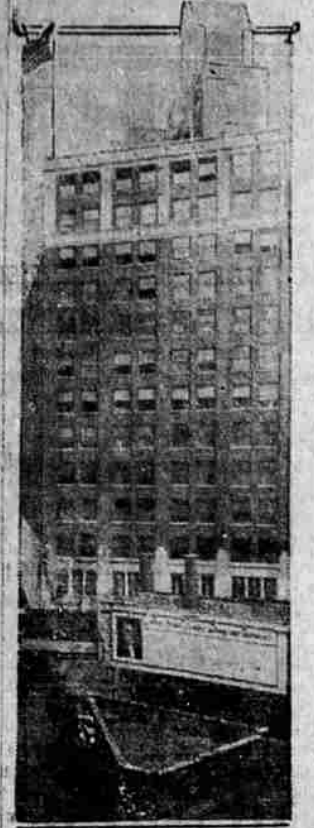


The New Church



At a cost of \$3,000,000, Rochester N. Y. Baptists have built this church of 14 stories. It contains 19 retail stores, 250 offices, and four rooms for church purposes. Rev. Clinton Wunder says churches in cities must build such structures if they wish to stay in the business district.

STALE: "You had no business to kiss me, Señor Don Juan." "But it was not a business, Marqueta. It was a pleasure." "AND DON'T TRUCK" On the sand by the sea I saw you Dorothy, And the heavens were never so blue. As that day when we met and I'll not soon forget Your promise to always be true. But that as you know, was a long time ago. And though I've been acting the clown, I must hand it to you, for I know you are true. I know, 'cause you just true me down.

NINETEEN FIRES REPORTED FROM OCTOBER 10 - 20

Fire Hazard is Still High; Total of this Season Now 1665

PORTLAND, Ore., Oct. 28. (AP)—Nineteen forest fires, 13 in Oregon and six in Washington, were reported to the forest service between October 10 and 20, bringing the total fires for the season up to 1665. This is the first time in a number of years that rangers have been forced to make regular fire reports this late in the year.

Two of the October fires, one in the Siuslaw national forest and the other in northern Washington, were serious. The county is still dry except in high altitudes and fire danger is great.

Of the total fires for the season in the national forests of the two states, 1027 were lightning caused and 182 by smokers. More fires than usual resulted from hunters' operations. Twenty fires were incendiary. The forest service has obtained 147 convictions in connection with the setting of fires and has a number of cases pending.

THE OLD CHEAP SKIN

Rodney Blair was being graduated from Makanoise U. It admitted it on the program. It was the proudest moment of his life and all that. And in the audience sat a little old lady. Her eyes were bright with pride, too. The exercise sped on with all the efficiency of a college ceremony. Four hours later the main address was over and the diplomas had been granted.

The little old lady rose and hastened through the crowd to where Rodney was standing. A look of amazement spread over his face, like a Sennett pie.

"You here?" he queried in the approved fashion. "Yes! You young skinflint! I'm here. I've been laying for the board bill for three years and I figured I'd catch ye here!" — Notre Dame Juggler.

"Adam! Quick! The baby just swallowed a safety pin!" And Adam laughed and laughed, for he knew safety pins hadn't been invented yet.

DECLINE NOTED IN NEW ENGLAND LUMBER MARKET

Unsold Shipments Meet low Prices; Oversupply is Indicated

BUILDING VERY ACTIVE

White Pine Demand not so Brisk, But Fair Volume of Business Booked

BOSTON, Mass., Oct. 28.—There has been a slump during the past few days in the eastern market for west coast lumber. Some very low prices have been accepted for fir and hemlock, which arrived here temporarily oversupplied, or, at least, that situation is suggested by the eagerness of sellers who are anxious to dispose of shipments they ordered forward without having first found buyers for the schedules.

An accurate record of transactions in west coast lumber during the last fortnight in eastern territory would make interesting reading. Some of the stories about extremely unprofitable sales are probably exaggerated, but it is certainly true that very low prices have been accepted for some of the large quantity of fir and hemlock which has arrived here unsold since the latter part of September. It is said that as little as \$50 ship's tackle Boston has been taken for some desirable schedules of dressed fir which had to be moved quickly to avoid demerage charges.

Naturally, not many orders for direct mill shipment are being secured under these conditions, since wholesalers say they cannot put through such contracts for less than \$34 ship's tackle Boston. If the schedule calls for an average assortment of dressed fir. The general tone of advices from the west coast shippers is confident and those from Vancouver speak of the market there as particularly firm. Japan is declared to have made financial arrangements in New York which promise some big lumber orders in the near future, and the west coast shipping trade is said to be keyed up accordingly.

The present situation is especially unfortunate in view of the fact that building is continued at a high pitch and lumber dealers are making new records in volume of business. New England's construction volume in the nine months to October first has already exceeded the total volume for the year 1924. September brought the total amount of building contracts for the first three-quarters of 1925 to \$497,221,100. This is to be compared with \$352,195,100 for the entire year of 1924, a 4 per cent increase, and with \$267,915,600 for the first nine months of last year, 37 per cent increase. The September building contract total in New England was \$47,635,800, a 3 per cent decrease from August, but a 57 per cent increase over September of last year.

Another big cargo of west coast lumber has just arrived on the Japanese steamer Etna-Maru, which unloaded large shipments at Philadelphia and New York and then tied up at Tidewater Terminal, South Boston, to discharge the remaining 1,250,000 feet, all from British Columbia ports. Shortly before this the American steamer Greylock from New Westminster, B. C., Anacortes, Tacoma and Portland, Ore., unloaded on the Boston market 2,291,454 feet of Douglas fir and 218,000 red cedar shingles, and the British steamer City of Victoria discharged the largest cargo of west coast lumber ever received at a New England port.

The steamers Lewis Luckenbach and Eastern Knight recently unloaded at Poughkeepsie docks of the A. C. Dutton Lumber corporation on the Hudson river more than 9,500,000 feet of west coast lumber for New England and New York distribution. Demand for Idaho white pine is not so brisk this month as it was at times in September and August, but a fair volume of orders are being booked and prices are well maintained. It is significant that dealers are insisting upon very prompt shipment of yard items and buyers of shop lumber are quite anxious for very quick delivery, thus confirming reports that local stocks have been reduced by the heavy requirements for building and that buyers have been making replacements conservatively. Recent sales of common grades have been made within the following range of quotations:

1x4, \$45.50 @ \$67.50; \$61.50 @ \$62.50; \$36.50.
1x6 \$66.50 @ \$83.50; \$62.50 @

In the Diplomatic News



After "careful consideration," no action was taken by U. S. immigration authorities on charges that beautiful Gloria Faure traveled from El Paso, New York as "maid" in the private car of Senator Alberto J. Isaacs, Mexico's minister of finance. Seniors Faure and Paul are shown above. The girl vanished from New York when the charges became public. She is an actress, a former Mexican revolutionist and a grand-daughter of Francois Faure, one-time president of France.

\$63.50; \$40.00.
1x8 \$66.50 @ \$67.50; \$59.00 @ \$60.00; \$41.50.
1x10 \$68.50 @ \$71.50; \$59.00 @ \$60.00; \$41.50.
1x12 \$61.50 @ \$62.50; \$42.50.
Inquiries for Ponderosa pine have fallen off this month and customers are harder to find and not so easily satisfied with prices as they were in the late summer and early fall. No. 2 common is receiving a fair amount of attention, however, and sales are reported at the following range: 1x4, \$49.25 & \$51.25; 1x6, \$49.50 & \$52.25; 1x8, \$47.25 & \$48.25; 1x10 \$46.75 & \$48.25; 1x12 \$47.75 & \$49.25.

Slight interest is being shown in shingles by dealers. Most retail yards have light stocks which they regard as ample to take care of the moderate calls from the builders. Red cedar shingles remain firm, however. The best makes of British Columbia XXXXX red cedar shingles are not offered at less than \$5.25 for rail delivery.

4L Delegates to Meet at Westport

WESTPORT, Ore. — Representatives from the Willamette valley, Tillamook, Portland and Columbia river districts will arrive in Westport Monday for the combined semi-annual district board meeting and convention of districts 1, 2, and 3 of the 4L organization. President Ruegnitz from Portland headquarters will call the meeting to order at 11 a. m.

Companies and 4L locals will be represented here Monday are Booth-Kelly Lumber company, Springfield and Wendling; Silver Falls Timber Co., Silverton; Brighton Mills Co., Brighton; Jones Lumber Co., Inez; Poulson Lumber Co., Eastern and Western Lumber Co., Peninsula Lumber Co., West Oregon Lumber Co., Portland; St. Helens Lumber Co., St. Helens and Westport Lumber Co., Westport.

The business of the 4L district board meeting and convention is to consider affairs of interest to the various districts and to act on resolutions from locals. The semi-annual board of directors meeting of the 4L will be held in Portland November 16.

"Is she really married?" "Well, is she's not, I'm in a hell of a fix." "How's that?" "I'm her husband!" —Jack o' Lantern

Old Aunt (lovingly) — I understand that heaven has just sent you a sister. Co-ed — For Gawd's sake, aunt, come around to the sex hygiene class tomorrow.

Making the Best of It "Can you help me get my car out of a mud hole?" asked the tourist. "You're stuck?" queried the farmer. "Oh no doubt. But there isn't any other way out, so I'll pay you what you demand."

CONSERVATION BODY MEETS IN VICTORIA, B. C.

Place and date of the 1925 annual Forest Management Conference of the Western Forestry and Conservation Association have been announced by the trustees as Victoria, B. C., December 9 and 10, as a return courtesy to the provincial government, which cooperated with British Columbia lumbermen in promoting the success of the association's 1924 meeting in Vancouver.

Besides the usual reports on the past fire season and its lessons, fire weather studies and insect depredations, the program will cover such topics as: Logical division of forest land ownership and responsibility; state and federal acquisition of out-wood land; substitution of local and individual responsibility for blanket forestry and protection rules and legislation; status of tax reform efforts; forestry investigation by private owners; new discoveries affecting reforestation theories; slash disposal methods; developments in spark arresters and other protective equipment; timber diseases as they affect leaving inferior species and seed trees and salvage of fire killed timber; timber insurance; correlating Pacific Coast forestry effort. On December 7 and 8, preceding the general conference, will be meetings of the publicity and protection committees, representing all Pacific Coast private and public forest agencies, to deal with details of educational work, manuals, air patrol, fire weather work, slash disposal, spark arresters, pumps and equipment, anti-smoking laws, cut-over land protection, highway patrol, camp grounds, McNary law co-operation, etc.

MILLING AROUND Eventually, But Not Now She — You impostor! You told me that this car would make sixty miles. He — Well, give it time, woman, give it time.

What is Anatomy? A little negro school girl down in Florida, in answer to this question, wrote the following: "Anatomy is a human body. It is divided into three parts, the head, the chest and the stummick. The head holds the skull and the brains, if any, the chest holds the liver and the lites, and the stummick holds the entrails and the vowels which are a, e, i, o, u, and sometimes w any y."

RENO. — Resignations of two guards at the Nevada state prison figured in the developments of the search for Claude B. Sweeney, Jr., who escaped from the prison Sunday after tapping the prison's cash register and confiscating a prison gun.

Greater And Better Logger's Association Decorates Miss Joynes; McBride Commended

At a meeting of the Greater and Better Logger's association, held last night for the especial purpose of felicitating Miss Jellieose Juniper Joynes, Moralissimo of the Lumberlogue, and State Prohibition officer McBride upon their efforts in behalf of the association, honors were about equally divided. Miss Joynes was decorated with the logger's highest distinction, the Order of the Pink and Purple Garter, while McBride was given a standing vote of thanks.

MANUFACTURERS FINED BY COURT

Eleven Companies said to Control Country's Red Cedar Pole Market

SPOKANE, Wash. — Pleas of guilty to a federal indictment charging violation of the Sherman anti-trust law were entered in United States district court here today by eleven red cedar pole manufacturers of the United States and fines aggregating \$37,300 were assessed by Judge J. Stanley Webster. The defendants and the amount of their fines were: Lindale Brothers, Spokane; National Pole Company, Escanabo, Mich.; A. T. Naugle Pole and Tie Company, Chicago; Page & Hill Company, Minneapolis and Spokane; Valentine Clarke Company, St. Paul and Spokane; B. J. Carney Company, Grinnel, Iowa and Spokane; McGillis-Gibbs Company, Milwaukee, \$5000 each, the maximum provided by law; San Point Lumber and Pole Company, Troy, Mont., \$2,000; Lost Creek Cedar Company, Ione, Wash.; E. T. Chapin Company, Spokane; Metropolitan Cedar Company, Spokane, \$100 each.

The indictment, returned here December 29, 1924, charged that the defendants, since March 1915 had sold 70 per cent of the red cedar poles marketed in the United States and had controlled 80 per cent of the stocks of such poles. Maintenance of prices and exchanges of market information, it was charged, had been effected through operation of the Western Lumber and Pole company, the Western Red Cedar association and the Western Red Cedar men's information bureau, all located here.

Give the Ladies Their Due "My, what a pretty thermos bottle. Where did you get it?" "Cigarette coupons." "Gee—you must have pretty near smoked yourself to death." "Not a bit of it—it represents the combined efforts of my wife, the girls and my mother-in-law."

CLOSED FOR SEASON CUSHICK, Wash.—The mill of the Diamond Match company here has closed for the season. About thirty men have lost their employment, it is reported. Shipping will continue during the colder weather.

WANTED The experienced motorist was crawling carefully through a well-known "trap" in Kent, when he saw the village constable making imperative signs to stop. "Look here," said the annoyed motorist, "I wasn't exceeding the speed limit." "I know that, sir," said the policeman with a diffident cough, "but you see I've got three chaps in the jail for reckless driving and they sent me out to look for a fourth for a game of bridge."

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