

Alaskan Homesteads Opposed

WASHINGTON, June 9 (AP)—An Alaska lumberman today opposed veterans homesteads in Alaska as a threat to the timber industry.

F. V. Wagner, representing the Alaska Asiatic Lumber company, Wrangell, added in testimony before a house subcommittee considering homestead legislation, that the proposal would turn over 85,000,000,000 board feet of timber to a veterans' monopoly.

He based his statement upon arguments that because of the Alaskan terrain and need for smooth water on which to float lumber rafts, homesteaders in quiet coves could control timber shipments.

"Fifty or 100 veterans under the terms of this legislation," Wagner said, "can control all the timber along the shores and force owners of timber away from the shores to pay them to cross their land."

More Opposition

Charles F. Brannon, assistant secretary of agriculture, and Robert K. Coop, of the interior department's land management bureau, also opposed legislation.

Brannon said that if the timber area of Southeast Alaska are turned over to veterans companies proposing to build paper and pulp mills there will drop their plans because they would lack assurance of a continuous supply of timber under individual ownership.

He said the companies negotiating for timber rights for mills would furnish jobs for thousands of persons.

Coop said the interior department opposes the measure because of the acreage proposed—from 250 to 1920 acres—and urged that the present limit of 160 acres for each homestead be retained.

The testimony by Brannon and Coop concluded the hearing on the homestead bill.

Union Pacific Cars Derailed

DUNCAN, Ore., June 9 (AP)—Three Union Pacific freight cars derailed near here caused traffic tie-up over the railroad's mainline for six hours yesterday.

Officials said no one was injured and that cause of the derailment was not immediately determined.

BAKERS MEET

GEARHART, June 9 (AP)—The 42nd annual convention of the Oregon Bakers association opened its two-day meeting today with more than 300 delegates and guests registered.

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Claims Against Realtor Mount

PORTLAND, June 9 (AP)—Deputy District Attorney John B. Logan reported today claims for return of down payments on property against Charles Delfel, Portland real estate agent, now were over \$25,000.

More complaints come in as authorities of both Oregon and Wash-

ington investigated the Delfel agency. Delfel was indicted on a charge of embezzlement, but disappeared before he could be arrested.

John E. Slater, Washington real estate inspector, reported his probe has revealed Delfel withdrew all funds from the Clark County National bank, Vancouver, Wash.

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Colmen Quits State Post

SALEM, June 9 (AP)—Announcement of the resignation of State Civil Service Director William G. Colmen, Salem, was made Saturday by the civil service commission.

Colmen's resignation was prompted by a desire to enter administrative work in the federal service, the commission said.

A promotional examination within the civil service department will be made to fill the vacancy.

The state-wide examination program to establish eligible lists for all state departments as provided by the civil service act will commence early in July, the commission revealed. Until now tests have been conducted only for state social security and public health agencies.

Demos List \$30,000 Party Budget Goal

PORTLAND, June 9 (AP)—The Oregon state democratic executive committee listed a \$30,000 party budget goal and announced members of organization committees after a meeting here Saturday.

Named as first members of new organization units were: finance—Guy Johnson, Pendleton; veterans—Floyd K. Dover, Grants Pass; chairman, Arthur Dow, Salem; inborn—Clarence Hyde, Eugene; and Ralph Peoples, Silverton; farm—Wendell Barnett, Gervais; women—Verda Cobb Crow, Eugene.

Madison School Damaged By Fire

ALBANY, June 9 (AP)—The Madison grade school here was damaged by fire late Saturday and Fire Chief Hayne reported a broken gas line fed the flames which firemen prevented from spreading beyond one corner of the building.

Investigation into cause of the fire was centered on a broken gas meter found in the building.

Summer Skies Ordinarily Set With Glittering Stars

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Our early summer skies are ordinarily set with glittering celestial jewels. If it is clear this week, let us view the brighter objects around 9 p. m. There is no moon at this time to dim the starlight.

If we have an unobstructed view of the entire heavens we are attracted at once by the most brilliant object of all, the yellow planet Jupiter, rather low and somewhat east of south. To the southeast of Jupiter and considerably lower, the red star Antares twinkles merrily as the heart of the constellation the Scorpion.

Only a little south of directly overhead, orange Arcturus is bright at the lower point of the Kite, a figure made up mostly of small stars and standing upright when in this location. Practically due east and very near the horizon Altair in the Eagle, flanked by a dimmer star on each side of it, is quite prominent. Very high in the east, a little farther

north than Altair and of greater brilliance, Vega in the Lyra twinkles brilliantly.

Below Vega, the large figure of the Northern Cross is located. The cross is lying horizontally with the foot almost under Vega and the remainder extending out to the left. The head of the cross (the star farthest to the left) is bright Deneb. The entire asterism lies in the Milky Way, the sky band which will show far better by late summer.

A little west of due south we find Spica, a bright object well up in the sky. High in the heavens and nearly in the west, Regulus is shining at the end of the handle of the Sickle. This figure, looking like a reversed question mark, has its open side downward. Low in the sky, considerably north of northwest bright Capella is twinkling. It is now moving eastward and by midnight will be due north and just about on the horizon—a little above or a little below, depending upon the observer's latitude.

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