

Lumbermen Slate Meet

The second in a series of meetings for independent lumber producers covering a seven-county area will be held in Portland Friday, April 24.

Lumber producers from Coos, Curry, Douglas, Josephine, Jackson, Klamath and Lake counties are being invited to attend the session at the Umpqua Hotel at 6:30 p.m.

"We are convinced the small independent lumber producer does not have effective representation," said Elmer L. Larkins, president of the recently formed Independent Lumber Producers, Inc., in explaining the reasons for the scheduled state-wide meetings.

"The goal of AILP is obtaining relief from problems pressing the independent producer. Availability of timber, access roads, equitable taxation, maximum allowable cuts and smaller timber parcels for bidding also are included on our association agenda."

"Our board of directors feels our programs cannot represent the individual independent producer, nor can the AILP gain its objectives, unless we meet directly with producers throughout the state, discuss individual problems and inform everyone of the reason for AILP's existence," Larkins explained.

"The AILP is organized so that no one segment of the industry or membership can ever dominate our programs. We are designed on a democratic basis with 'grass roots' approach to everyone's problems," Larkins concluded.

The first meeting of the series was held in Eugene April 23 and included the lumbermen of an eight-county area surrounding Eugene.

Festival Set May 7 To 9

Top teen-age musicians from Klamath Union High School will participate in Pacific University "Music in May" festival to be held on the Forest Grove campus May 7, 8 and 9.

Among students planning to attend are band members Roger Eastman, Bert Albritton, Larry Chitwood, Cheryl Willey and Dale Turner; chorists Barbara Bennett, Mona Chenoweth, Kay Detroit and Judith Lynn, and orchestra member Carolyn Bullard.

About 550 musicians from 91 Oregon and Washington high schools are expected to take part in the festival. The show will feature a 220-piece band, a 100-piece orchestra and a 230-voice chorus. They will perform in a grand concert beginning at 8 p.m. Saturday, May 9, in the Forest Grove High School gym.

Bandleader will be LaMar K. Jensen, director of bands in the Klamath Falls public schools. Leonard Moore, founder-director of the Seattle Choral and the Leonard Moore Choral, will lead the vocal group. Robert B. Anderson, Bremerton Symphony Orchestra conductor will lead the orchestra.



CLEAN-UP, PAINT-UP WEEKEND at Klamath Yacht Club has been set for next Saturday and Sunday. Looking over the work to be done was this trio, from left, Keith Coddington, who is assisting in the paint program planning; Ray Byrnes, Yacht Club commodore, and Art Stites, harbor master. Men and women volunteers are needed and there will be a potluck dinner Saturday evening at the close of the day's work.

Yacht Club Sets Cleanup

All Klamath Yacht Club members are invited to don their work clothes and report for duty at the club on Saturday and Sunday, April 25 and 26, according to Commodore Ray Byrnes.

The exterior of the club building will be cleaned up and repainted during those two days, weather permitting.

Volunteers are asked to bring paint brushes, shovels, hammers and saws.

"We hope to take advantage of the unusually fine weather we have been having in April and get the job done quickly," Byrnes said. "There are numerous events scheduled for the spring season and we want the place ship-shape for Commissioning Day on June 21, also."

Byrnes indicated that the job of painting need not be confined to the men. Women are welcome at the clean-up, paint-up weekend, too.

There will be a potluck dinner on Sunday following the afternoon's work.

"Nobody is expected to go home and clean up," Byrnes said.

"We're planning to have first aid attention available for sunburn, bruised thumbs, sore backs and blisters," he added.

There will be sandwiches available on Saturday.

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Funerals

PEPPERDINE

ALTURAS—Funeral services for Howard Shadrick Pepperdine, 33, who died in a Reno, Nevada, hospital on Sunday, April 19, will be held from Kerr Mortuary on April 22 at 10 a.m. Burial will be in the Alturas Cemetery. The Rev. Karl Olson will officiate. Mr. Pepperdine was born near Alturas on October 22, 1906, and he had been ranching for the last five years. He had been ill for some time and had undergone surgery recently in Reno, but was to have been released from the hospital on the day he died. He is survived by his wife, Ruby; three sons, Nolan and Milan of Alturas and another son near Sacramento.

BURGOYNE

ALTURAS—American Legion funeral services will be held for John Wesley (Wes) Burgoyne, 69, who died unexpectedly in Alturas on Saturday, April 18, from the Kerr Mortuary on April 22 at 2 p.m. The Rev. Karl Olson will officiate. Burial will be in Alturas Cemetery. Mr. Burgoyne and his wife were preparing to leave on a vacation when he died from a heart seizure. He was a veteran of World War I. He is survived by his wife, Esther, of Alturas and several sons and daughters.

Lad To Lead Basin Ranch

FORT KLAMATH — Stephen Pope, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred L. Pope, has temporarily halted his college education in order to assume management of his parents' Fort Klamath ranch.

A 1958 graduate of Chiloquin High School, Stephen was in his first year at the University of Oregon at Eugene, when his father, well known Fort Klamath rancher and former county commissioner, accepted a position as chief of the agriculture department of the state of Oregon. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Pope now make their home in Portland.

Stephen plans to resume his college studies this coming fall, and in the meantime will be employed by Joe C. McAuliffe, cattleman of Fort Klamath, Klamath Marsh and Cottonwood, California, to do necessary irrigation on the Pope ranch. McAuliffe has leased the ranch pasture for the season from the Popes.

Stephen's maternal grandmother, Mrs. Ott of Portland, plans to stay at the ranch to keep house for her grandson.

State Work Hike Noted

Employment in Oregon took an 11,100 worker jump in March over February's 608,900 employment figure, the State Unemployment Compensation Commission announced. Figures were based on mid-month estimates.

Major gain was in wage and salary jobs. Agricultural workers accounted for only 1,200 of the new jobs.

The commission estimates 21,500 more workers were employed during March of this year as compared to the same month a year ago.

High employment outside of agriculture is an indication of an economic comeback, commission members say.

By the same token, unemployment has dropped in an inverse proportion to the employment rise. The commission estimated 49,000 people were jobless in the state in mid-March—21,500 fewer than during March, 1958.

Unemployment during March, 1958, was 8.5 per cent lower than during February of the same year. The difference between the two months this year is 19 per cent.

Demand for lumber accounts for much of the employment rise. Many small mill operators, once thought to have been squeezed out of competition, are sawing lumber again.

Some industries are lagging slightly behind last year's production rate. Canning and preserving, apparel manufacture and mining and smelting of primary and rare metals are slow. But most other industries are showing some gains.

The construction industry has added 2,600 men to its labor force. Trade businesses picked up 3,300 workers. Government swelled by 2,500 workers.

Totals Reported By Basin Court

CHILOQUIN—Municipal and justice courts in Chiloquin handled 66 arrests during the month of March, according to Police Chief Donald L. Campagna.

Records in the municipal court show a total of 29 arrests. A breakdown of the action in the court shows intoxication, 21; traffic violations, 4; escape, 2; disorderly conduct, 1; and driving while intoxicated, 1. There were no arrests made in violation of probation or breaking and entering.

The justice court had a total of 37 cases; intoxication, 25; disorderly conduct, 5; breaking and entering, 2; escape, 2; violation of probation, 1; driving while intoxicated, 1; and traffic violations, 1.

Plate Renewal Reminder Given

Car owners whose registrations expire in April are reminded by the Department of Motor Vehicles to renew their plates by the end of the month. Failure to renew in time may result in fines.

Application for renewal may be made by sending a properly filled-out current registration certificate with a \$10 check or money order to the department's Salem office.

Nearly 89,000 license plates are due to be renewed by the April 30 deadline, and an estimated 4,200 new registrations are expected during the month.

COMBAT TRAINING FINISHED

Marine Private Roland J. Crume of Sprague River finished four weeks of individual combat training April 16 at the Marines Camp Pendleton near San Diego. The course included infantry tactics, first aid, demolition, field fortification and weapons schooling. Private Crume is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Crume of Sprague River.

INTERVIEWS CONDUCTED

A team of interviewers from a Portland electronics firm, Tektronix, Incorporated, administered tests to 31 Oregon Technical Institute students at the campus April 16. Tests were aimed at selecting company personnel. Twenty-two of those tested were interviewed—an indication that they are under consideration for employment. Included were 15 electronics students, three machine shop students and four gunsmithing students.

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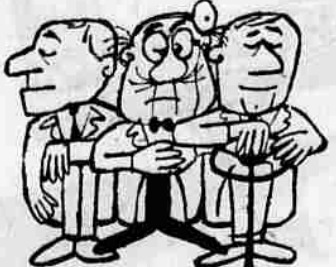
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