

## PLANNED ECONOMY

By PAULSON



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Sergeant	100.00	65.00	112.50
Corporal	90.00	58.50	101.25
Private First Class	80.00	52.00	90.00
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## Second Growth Study Started

Second growth Douglas fir, a highly important item in the timber crop of the Pacific Northwest, is the subject of a study just being started by the U.S. forest service, according to Dr. J. A. Hall, director of the Pacific Northwest forest and range experiment station, Portland, Oregon. Arthur Koehler chief, division of silvicultural relations, and Benson H. Paul, silviculturist, from the Madison, Wisconsin, forest products laboratory, arrived in Portland last Friday to supervise the selection of locations and trees for the project.

"The plan contemplates a comprehensive study of the properties of second growth Douglas fir," said Dr. Hall. "The relation of quality of wood to growth conditions will be analyzed. Relations between quality of wood and various growing conditions together with means of improving growing conditions, are to be considered. The results of this study undoubtedly will contribute greatly to our knowledge of proper management of these stands."

Trees to be cut from typical sites will be selected by Koehler and Paul, in cooperation with members of the local experiment station staff. Logs from these trees will be shipped to the Madison laboratory for analysis and testing. The tests and studies will be in the fields of silvicultural relations, timber mechanics, wood preservation, timber physics, industrial investigations, material containers, pathology, pulp and paper, and derived products.

Machining characteristics, gluing properties, pulping tests, veneer cutting and preservative treatment, are some of the studies of most interest to the Pacific Northwest timber industry. A number of other technical studies will be made with a view to getting better knowledge of the growth, management, and cropping of this important future timber source, according to Dr. Hall.

## Two Enroll in Alaska College

RIVERVIEW — Mr. and Mrs. Bert Bassett received word this week that their trio of young folks, Mr. and Mrs. Billie Bassett and Beverly Turner had reached the end of the trail at Fairbanks, Alaska, where Billie and Beverly will attend the University of Alaska. The housing problem had them doubting, but the president of the college was able to secure a neat cabin for them on the campus. Much of their journey was over unpaved roads, but compared with other travelers' difficulty the Bassett party felt themselves fortunate with only minor tire troubles and a broken spring. Six hours were required to cover one 35 mile detour. Mrs. Turner attended the university last year and wrote back, "I feel so good to be here and it seems so right to have come."

Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Hillyer were busy entertainers this week. The first of the week they had Mr. and Mrs. George Carstanoff of San Diego; on Wednesday Mr. Hillyer's nephew, John Shull and his friend, Bill Mast, both of Myrtle Point who were on their way to Alaska to secure employment visited them and their son, Delmer Combs of Portland was

with them most of the week assisting with the erection and painting of a picket fence, the background for a proposed landscaped lawn.

Following two months of strenuous carpenter work on their new home here, Mr. and Mrs. H. Bledsoe took Sunday off to visit relatives in Astoria. Mr. Bledsoe has suffered a lot the past week with an infected hand.

Mrs. Ward Plummer is battling the flu this week.

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## Vacation to Sweden Ends

RIVERVIEW—A long vacation trip was ended Sunday at 6 a.m. when Mr. and Mrs. Otto Carlson arrived at their Riverview home. They left Sweden September 7, on the Drottningholm and enjoyed on uneventful voyage until one day out of New York when they ran into the edge of a hurricane which tossed them about for several hours although their ship was off its course in an effort to avoid it. A Norwegian tanker was torn in two by the storm. The Drottningholm dropped anchor in New York harbor Monday night, September 16 but the Carlsons were unable to get their car out of storage until Tuesday noon. The rest of the week was spent driving toward Oregon most of the way on Highway 30 and Otto and Lura can tell one how far it is from coast to coast. They report a very enjoyable time with relatives in Sweden.

Our neighbors come and go: Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Biggs are now nicely located in their new home on Shady Lane in Vernonia and their friends wish them much happiness there; and in exchange we welcomed Murvel Frank and his Oklahoma bride who are getting domiciled in the home Mr. Frank purchased a few months ago at Mrs. Ida Condit on First street.

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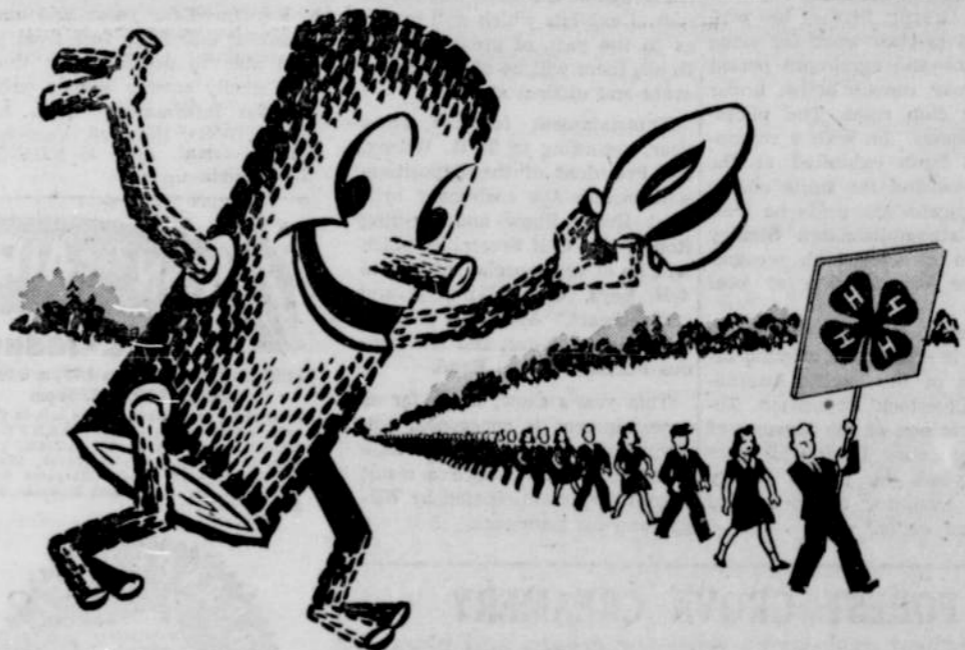
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