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SEPTEMBER MEETING

The September meeting will be on Friday, Sept. 22, at 8 pm in room 208 of the Union Station. Jack Norton will show 16 mm colored movies taken on a trip over the Pacific Great Eastern Ry, Canadian Pacific Ry and Canadian National Ry in Canada this summer. He will also show some of his 16 mm movies taken in previous years. Our October meeting is tentatively scheduled for Oct. 20th and we will have as our speaker Mr. George Leslie, who is a retired SP car distributor.

Our thanks go to Harry Harvey for permitting our group to use his facilities at Shady Dell and to ride on his trains. Everyone who was there enjoyed the day very much. Ed Culp brought Ben Maxwell with him and Ben wrote articles on Harry Harvey's railroad that appeared in both Salem and Portland papers.

Our club has received a donation of quote a few back issues of Railway Age, SP Bulletins, and some old UP blueprints from Don Roberts. We want to thank Don very much for his donation.

Georgia Pacific Corp. #10, a 2-8-2 tank type locomotive, has arrived in Portland from Coos Bay where it will be auctioned off on Sept 30 as part of the annual ZOOMSI AUCTION for the benefit of the Oregon Museum of Science and Industry and the Portland Zoo. The locomotive is presently located near NW Park and Hoyt Streets, near the main Post Office. The locomotive has been newly painted. Georgia Pacific secured the locomotive when they purchased the Coos Bay Lumber Co. It is the seventh locomotive to be donated by Georgia Pacific Corp.

THIS AND THAT: UP has been scrapping some of their Fairbanks Morse diesels in Portland. They have been printing out all identifying marks and moving them to Zidell's on the Jeff Street branch of SP...Raynonier has started track work on the new line that bypasses Railroad Camp. The grade has been in for several years. It is expected that Raynonier will start using diesels as soon as this line is finished...Milwaukee E-1 was seen in the UP Argo Yard in Seattle in August. It was later seen at the back of Luria Bros. (ex Dulien Steel Prods) on East Marginal Way. No reports as to whether it has been scrapped yet...There is a new SP Portland Division paper being published. It is called "The Grapevine" and is edited by Howard Bailey..An interesting article on the Oregonian Ry appeared in the Sept. 17 issue of the Oregonian, written by Tom Madden, with the help of George Abdill...The Daily Astorian of Aug. 15th was a special sesqui-centennial edition and included a few articles on early railroading in the Astoria area...LA Chapter of R&LHS is hoping to get SP 5021 in operation...Bob Chamberlain was planning to attend the NRHS Convention in Chicago over Labor Day...