

COURT "PACK" PLAN PLAYED BY JUDGE

Roosevelt's Message Seen
as "Beginning of End"
by Merrill Otis.

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 12.—(AP)—Federal District Judge Merrill E. Otis, in a speech here today, said Feb. 5—the date of President Roosevelt's message to congress asking changes in the judiciary system—"hereafter may be celebrated as the beginning of the end."

Contending there is no serious congestion in the U. S. courts, Judge Otis, in a speech before the Kansas City real estate board, said that the answer was "not in my own words but in the words of a thousand screaming headlines published by a press that is still free—'pack the court!'"

He exhibited a chart showing a speeding of federal court business in recent years and a letter from Attorney General Cummings complimenting the federal judiciary on its rapid handling of cases.

He said there was a "theory" the attorney general discovered his information as to the judiciary's progress was in error, before he wrote the letter on which President Roosevelt based his appeal for court reform.

"The other theory," Judge Otis said, "is that he (the attorney general) made no such discovery but that somebody smugly looked upon him between radio appearances and said: 'Mr. Attorney General, I need a letter. Write the letter.' And he wrote the letter."

"Augustus Caesar—a smiling, affable, kindly and well meaning man—induced the Roman senate in a period of great depression, to yield to him powers for a period of 10 years. The senate never regained them, and Augustus and his successors every ten years celebrated the renewal of the concentration of power in one man with a sardonic ceremonial."

"Yes," he said, "February 5 hereafter may be celebrated as the anniversary of the beginning of the end."

Judge Otis was appointed to the federal bench by President Coolidge in 1925.

BILLS ALLOWED BY COUNTY COURT

Following is a list of the bills audited and ordered paid at the regular February term of county court:

Circuit Court: West Publishing Co. \$5.00; P. T. T. Co. \$4.35; County Court, J. B. Stearns, commissioner \$106.35; H. B. Roadman, commissioner \$89.75; Guy Gordon, trip to Salem, "Fire Patrol Tax" \$21.50; Association of Oregon Counties, dues, etc., \$102.75; P. T. T. Co. \$9.10.

Justice Court: R. W. Marsters, J. P. \$3.00; J. B. Fullerton \$3.00; Geo. Staley \$3.00; J. J. Brown, J. P. \$3.00; May, J. P. \$2.00; Dick Vandever \$2.00, for drawing jury list for 1937; H. C. Eastland, J. D., midnight examination of drunk \$4.00; P. T. T. Co., Jan's \$2.60 and Feb. \$2.85; Roseburg News-Review, supplies \$22.00.

Juvenile Court: P. T. T. Co. \$1.25; Union Oil Co. \$2.05; Associated Oil Co. \$10.06; Shell Oil Supply Co. \$15.00; Office Machinery and Supply Co. \$7.75; Agnes M. Pichon, travel expense and phone \$35.95; Associated Oil Co. \$1.95; Mrs. A. Wade, room and board \$12.50; P. T. T. Co. \$1.40; S I A Comm. \$6.81.

District Attorney: P. T. T. Co. \$9.65; Shepard's Oregon Citations \$10.00; A. E. Simmons, coupons \$11.00; West Coast Printing and Binding Co. \$13.50; P. T. T. Co. \$6.12.

Assessor: Roseburg News-Review \$79.90 and \$20.75; Express \$1.33; Douglas Abstract Co., maps \$7.00; P. T. T. Co. \$3.25.

Clerk: Lester L. Wimberly, P. M., box rent and postage \$32.75; Roseburg Book Store \$8.75; National Cash Register \$1.56; Bushong & Co. \$5.16; The Irwin Hodgson & Co. \$5.16; The Irwin Hodgson & Co. \$5.16; Simmons, ribbons, \$18.41; A. E. Simmons, ribbons, \$21.00; P. T. T. Co. \$3.20.

Coroner: R. L. Whipple, agent, bond, \$15.00; H. C. Stearns, fees and travel exp. \$42.10; Western Union \$2.14.

Sheriff: Lester L. Wimberly, P. M., box rent, postage, jury list register \$18.01; Hansen Motor Co. \$500.00; Crane Service, motor, \$23.00; Union Oil Co. \$14.84; Roseburg Book Store \$1.40; the following service fees, to field deputy sheriffs: F. W. Dillard \$10.45; J. L. Dodson \$14.05; G. M. Dyer \$7.60; H. M. McCabe \$5.00; W. A. Manning \$5.45; Geo. Olmhouse \$11.80; J. C. Parrott \$15.70; Dick Vandever \$8.50; traveling expense G. M. Dyer \$15.15; J. L. Dodson \$11.20; W. A. Manning \$2.00; Geo. Olmhouse \$29.91; Dick Vandever \$3.50; Standard Oil Co. \$33.57; Cliff Thornton, auto repairs, expenses \$94.21; Hansen Motor Co. \$89.87; Union Oil Co. \$6.18; Roseburg News-Review \$6.50; Associated Oil Co. \$5.17; Western Union \$1.50; Standard Oil Co. \$23.56; Postal Telegraph Co. \$1.20; Roseburg Hardware Co. \$1.25; Churchill Hardware Co. \$3.86; P. T. T. Co. \$22.65; S I A Comm. \$34.06.

Tax Dept. Sheriff's Office: Roseburg News-Review, postage \$28.00; A. E. Simmons, carbon \$25.00; Roseburg News-Review \$220.21; Marion Grainer \$43.50; Ethel Catech \$34.50; Violet Houser \$36.00; Olive Hies \$9.00; Tillie Johnson \$36.00; Virginia Gurnee \$37.50; Miriam Ballard \$37.50; Cliff Parrott \$36.00; extra clerk hire for writing tax statements:

Popular Entertainers Continue Programs in Roseburg



Forced by deep snows and stormy weather to cancel theater dates in eastern Washington and Idaho, the Hollywood Hill Billies, well known radio and screen stars, now appearing regularly on KRNR studio programs, decided to spend their brief vacation in Roseburg.

During their vacation here, pending resumption of their tour, they will continue their regular KRNR broadcasts, and will sponsor dances in Roseburg and various communities of the county.

OUT OUR WAY

By Williams



Pacific Stationery and Printing Co. \$165.66; Roseburg Electric \$1.13; P. T. T. Co. \$2.45; S I A Comm. \$1.13.

Del. Personal Tax Collector: Roseburg Book Store \$1.00; H. C. Darby, travel exp. \$4.41; S I A Comm. \$4.69.

School Superintendent: Lester L. Wimberly, P. M., postage \$16.00; Valley Printing Co. \$1.52 and \$22.60; Stella Quinn, travel exp. \$20.00; Mrs. Orpha Collins, extra clerk hire \$9.60; Express \$2.99; Roseburg Book Store \$1.55; Pacific Stationery and Printing Co. \$389.70 and \$2.57; Office Machinery and Supply Co. \$1.00; P. T. T. Co. \$2.90.

Surveyor: Quine & Co., bond \$25.00; Bert Lane, service \$17.50; Lester L. Wimberly, P. M., postage \$5.00; Roseburg Book Store \$3.00; Sun Printing Co. \$15.00; N. E. Richardson \$5.00; Bert Lane \$5.00; P. T. T. Co. \$2.35; S I A Comm. \$2.47.

Treasurer: R. L. Whipple, agent, bond \$150.00; Alfred L. Lee, supplies \$3.50; Douglas Natl. Bank, deposit box \$10.00; Roseburg News-Review, adv. \$2.10; P. T. T. Co. \$2.50.

Health Unit: Coen Lumber Co. \$2.82; Lester L. Wimberly, P. M., postage \$10.00; New Service Laundry \$1.18; Consolidated Freight Lines \$5.00; Roseburg News-Review \$20.00; P. T. T. Co. \$8.88.

Roadmaster: Quine & Co., agent, bond \$5.00; Standard Oil Co. \$1.44; Glendale Garage \$1.54; Reedsport Garage \$2.05; Harry's Kitchen, gas \$1.10; P. T. T. Co. \$7.90; S I A Comm. \$3.51.

County Home: The following supplies: M. L. Squires \$26.10; John Sinclair \$23.20; Pacific Fruit and Produce Co. \$16.71; C. E. Thomas \$1.15; W. H. Bailey \$6.00; McDonald Candy Co. \$10.18; North Side Market \$7.75; Roseburg Creamery Co. \$24.55; Safeway Store \$21.95; Peter Sinclair \$22.56; Rayton Grocery \$23.95; Bradley's \$77.70; Douglas Co. Flour Mills \$27.80; C. J. Grimm's Grocery \$25.35; Roseburg Model Bakery \$38.30; medical supplies; Standard Oil Co. \$4.38; Spicer & Co. \$13.50; Chapman Pharmacy \$5.00; Bertha L. Devore \$2.00; Mercy Hospital \$10.00; E. V. Loe-Lair \$5.75; George A. Brown Co. \$29.40; Haynes Drug Store \$8.00; Lester L. Wimberly, P. M., \$3.00; Roseburg Book Store \$1.25; Taylor Electric \$8.95; Mrs. Leon Martin, laundress \$40.00; Calif. Oregon Power Co. \$81.83; Montgomery Ward & Co. \$18.81; J. C. Penney Co. Inc. \$37.92; Highway Service Station, tube patch \$3.50; Roseburg Undertaking Co., burial \$15.00; Mrs. Pearl Johnson, helper \$2.25; the following nurses and helpers: Ethel Perdue \$23.75; Clara Landreth \$23.75 and \$3.75; Mrs. N. L. Van

YELLOW LIGHT NO HELP IN DRIVING

CORVALLIS, Feb. 11.—(AP)—Yellow headlamp lenses, whether from glass or colored cellophane, give their aid to the driver through his mind rather than through better vision, in the opinion of Dr. W. Weniger, head of the physics department of Oregon State college.

When this practice for fighting fog drew much attention in Oregon recently, Dr. Weniger answered an inquiry to have some scientist tell the facts about the mooted question. He said colored light beams offer no advantage in reducing glare or increasing vision that cannot be obtained by other means.

The gist of his technical explanation of the theory behind the use of colored lenses is that the blue light rays that reflect are supposed to be filtered out while the red rays that penetrate remain. While this is a good theory, he says, the trouble comes from the fact that the human eye is relatively insensitive to the red rays, hence no advantage is gained.

The best thing for fog driving, he said, is to direct the light beams down nearer the road surface and fairly near the car.

\$8.75; Earl Sumner \$2.55; Alex Worthington \$5.25; Unas Lapp \$5.00; Bud Gauke \$2.50; Dick Riggs \$49.50; R. H. Fryer \$2.50; Elmer Breier \$2.25; E. N. Selberg \$2.75; Clyde Rydell \$155.00; Merton Dalley \$31.25; W. H. Dalley \$37.50; Harold Barker \$17.00; C. F. Pyritz \$3.37; Douglas Dalley \$2.50; Wallace Smiley \$25.00; Ray Collings \$16.00; Kenneth Townsend \$11.25; Joe Sasson \$20.00; Pierce Duckett \$10.00; K. M. Keath \$1.25; Earl Dalley \$1.25; Gordon Shepherd \$5.00; Chester Slonecker \$18.75; Chas. Slonecker \$17.50; Keith Shepherd \$25.00; V. L. L. Spaulding \$7.50; R. J. Spaulding \$116.00; Darrell Barker \$65.22; Wm. Coons \$27.50; M. Baldwin \$26.87; E. Harlen \$15.00; W. M. Angel \$32.50; W. H. Haskin \$12.50; Rollie Letson \$6.88; Romie Howard \$30.37; Howard Brink \$8.75; Ray Potter \$3.75; Morgan Phillips \$9.41; D. A. McCord \$31.00; Claud Solbeck \$30.00; Ed Shirley \$22.50; May Myers \$92.00; Bert Matthews \$137.75; N. B. Duncan \$127.00; W. Hutchinson \$78.80; Fred Elliott \$54.38; Matt Doll \$2.50; Dick Riggs \$82.50; Ernest Weber \$69.20; H. H. Harris \$159.50; B. E. Lena \$145.00; E. O. Rand \$31.20; L. C. Sprattin \$6.10; Ed Johnson \$41.00; Alfred Cloake \$4.00; Gene Hendrickson \$30.00.

The following warrants are drawn in payment for supplies: General Tool Co. \$11.75; J. E. Haseltine & Co. \$27.73; same \$24.03; Robertson Heavy Hardware Co. \$34.21; J. J. Meredith \$10.00; E. O. Breier \$32.26; Churchill Hardware Co. \$5.41; Austin Western Road Machine Co. \$44.65; Coen Lumber Co. \$4.30; Hargan Bros. \$2.93; Harris Garage \$1.00; V. L. Holate \$2.16; Jacob Machine and Welding Works \$29.80; Lindsay and Walker \$164.77; Earl Lattrell Supply Co. \$1.20; Mack's Garage \$10.25; E. L. Cooper \$5.00; National Lead Co. \$18.07; Jay F. Oldham \$100.00; Pierce Auto Freight Co. \$7.90; Reedsport Garage \$13.50; Roseburg Lumber Co. \$13.80; F. H. Stokes \$5.00; Taylor's Battery and Electric Sta. \$43.75; The Tonsen Co. \$23.38; Umpqua Dock and Supply Co. \$4.25; Western Auto Supply Co. \$1.77; Wharton Bros. \$2.40; Gent Redfield \$1.08; Vern Shrum \$2.00; Arthur Service Station \$10.48; Coen Lumber Co. \$3.84; Coos Jct. Garage \$5.00; Denn-Gerretsen Co. Inc. \$9.60; the same \$4.20; Electric Steel Foundry Co. \$38.83; Greenleaf Tavern \$3.00; E. E. Henninger, \$9.60; L. Metzger Co. \$15.10; C. H. Milton \$2.50; Myrtle Creek Garage \$2.15; J. S. McDonald \$8.89; The Oak Service Station \$3.00; Pacific Highway Garage \$7.85; Harry Pearce \$17.60; Pine Mt. Lumber Co. \$13.93; Reedsport Garage \$28.51; B. R. Richter & Co. \$2.00; Shell Oil Co. \$31.86; Thiel Bros. \$106.52; Union Oil Co. \$41.11; the same \$102.82; Western Auto Supply Co. \$2.80; the same \$2.07; P. S. Weatherly \$6.08; Fred Aeschbacher \$1.75; Denn-Gerretsen Co. Inc. \$4.20; J. E. Haseltine & Co. \$98.91 and \$8.25; H. F. Hebard \$2.76; Howard Cooper Corp. \$43.60; Nordling Auto Parts \$16.59; Orchard Auto Parts \$191.77; Stearns and Chenoweth \$22.25; Western Auto Supply Co. \$5.88; Austin Western Road Machine Co. \$277.10; Churchill Hardware Co. \$1.08; Davis and Kullberg \$10.22; J. E. Haseltine & Co. \$18.88; Whit Kirtley \$1.00; E. R. Metzger \$92.00; Harry Pearce \$4.00; Roseburg Lumber Co. \$6.34; O. B. Schiemann \$6.72; Shell Oil Co. \$7.88 and \$16.50; Western Auto Supply Co. \$14.29; Consolidated Freight Lines \$13.63; Pierce Auto Freight Lines Inc. \$7.89; Austin Western Road Machine Co. \$18.49 and \$52.28; Churchill Hardware Co. \$4.14; The Chieftain \$6.45; Elton Blacksmith Shop \$7.25; Eugene Foundry and Machine Co. \$6.25; General Petroleum Corp. \$59.06 and \$14.35; A. C. Haas & Co. \$248.73; L. E. Henninger \$1.60 and \$1.50; A. O. Homer \$1.25; Montgomery Ward & Co. \$8.56; Pacific Highway Garage \$44.29; Robertson Heavy Hardware Co. \$9.75; Durward Rose \$20.00; Shell Service Sta. No. 798, \$27.00; C. W. Sinniger \$5.60; Union Oil Co. \$12.29; Freight \$6.65.

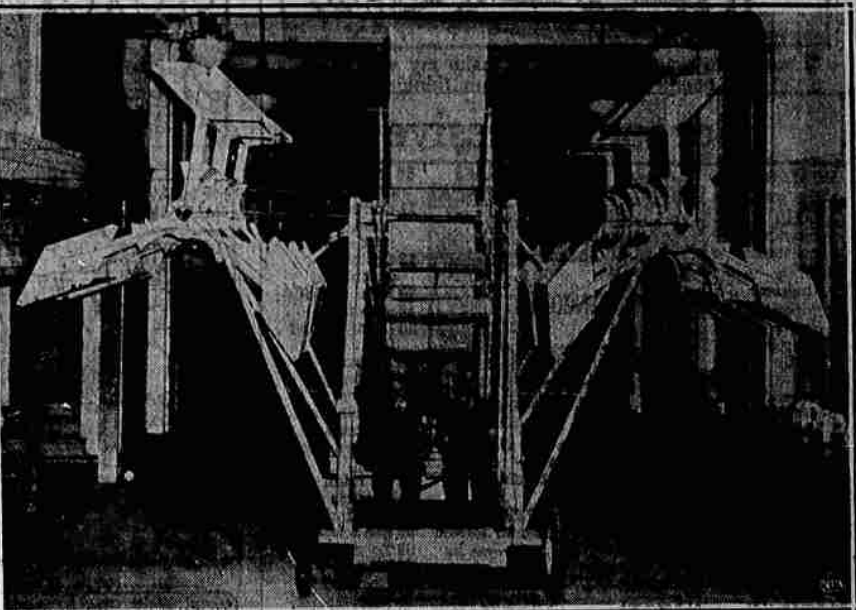
The following warrants are drawn in payment of gravel and miscellaneous accounts: Secretary of State \$3.00; N. B. Duncan, phone \$1.50; P. T. T. Co. \$4.30; Southern Pacific Co. two boxes \$10.00; Calif. Oregon Power Co. \$13.55; Eugene Boise \$3.00; Fred Boyer \$2.60; Milt Tubell \$10.50; F. A. Farnum \$1.28; Oliver Haines \$2.95; T. V. Gurney \$2.60; Annie Melton \$18.25; Mrs. Mary Bushnell \$7.00; Calif. Oregon Power Co. \$18.55; Pacific Telep. and Teleg. Co. \$8.16; M. C. Becker \$25.00; Roseburg News-Review \$2.20; M. A. Dubell \$2.20; Umpqua River Navigation Co. \$612.33; State Industrial Accident Commission \$257.73.

House Leaders Study President's Proposal



Left to right are Hatton W. Summers of Texas, Chairman of the House Judiciary Committee; Speaker William B. Bankhead, and U. S. Geyer, ranking Republican on the Judiciary committee. They are expected to play an important role in the House in formulating legislation to meet the President's suggestion to re-organize the Federal judiciary.

You'd Never Think It Was Supposed to Fly



Even the inventors, Louis Chiquet and Henri van Zandt, call the "Aerial Phantom" revolutionary. Wingless, propellerless, rudderless, they also call it an airship capable of flying. Motive and lifting power, they explained to spectators at New York, are supplied by the revolving drum (center) and the lifting blades at each side.

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