

Two Traffic Violators Handed Jail Terms

Lawrence R. Martin, Sutherland, has been committed to the Douglas County jail for 121 days in lieu of a \$25 fine on a charge of driving without an operator's license, Justice of Peace A. J. Geddes reports.

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News Views

By Sherman Plimpton

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Our nomination for "Promoter Of The Week" is the local boy who cornered the market on tire chains and anti-freeze. Some say his name is Billy Mohr but we think that is just a malicious rumor.

A couple of thieves in Hoboken stole a watch then hailed a police car in mistake for a taxi. For the next few months they won't need a watch. Naturally there are better ways to save time, and one of them is by letting us keep your car in good running order at CORKRUM MOTORS, 114 N. Rose St.

William A. Roach, 58, superintendent of the Western Battery Separator Co. in Roseburg, died at his home at 100 S. Flint St. Tuesday after a brief illness. A resident of Roseburg six years, he formerly lived at Coos Bay.

William A. Roach, Battery Plant's Executive, Dies

DRUNK DRIVING CHARGED

William Thomas Warden, Myrtle Creek, was committed to the county jail on a charge of drunk driving, following his arrest by State Police on south Stephens Street, Tuesday, Sgt. Lyle Harrell reported.

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Surviving are the widow, Hannah, a son, Earl Roach, and a daughter, Mrs. Noreen Stone, all of Roseburg; five brothers, Jack, Eugene, Lloyd, Alberta, Canada; Gerry, Saskatchewan, Canada; Ernie and Fredie, both of LeRoy, Canada; two sisters, Mrs. Eva Segessenmen, Trail, Ore. and Mrs. Bella Vassen, Eugene.

Snow Still Chills Western Regions

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ern Nebraska yesterday but the little town still was in danger. A critical shortage of fuel oil grew worse.

At Joplin, Mo., a city of 45,000, residents started a run on stores for candles and lanterns. Joplin lost its electricity Monday night.

The Southwestern Bell Telephone Company estimated damage to its lines at more than \$500,000 in the three states.

In contrast, shirt sleeves and spring clothes were in season in the south. A broad area from the Carolinas across the southeastern states to New Orleans basked in

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The Weather

U. S. Weather Bureau Office Roseburg, Oregon Forecast for Roseburg and vicinity: Clear to partly cloudy today, tonight and Thursday. Slightly warmer today. Low tonight 13 to 18 degrees, with 10 to 15 degrees in outlying valleys.

temperatures up in the high 70s and low 80s. The famed azaleas of Mobile, Ala., came into bloom.

SPOKANE, Jan. 12—(AP)—Electricity users everywhere in the Pacific Northwest turned off "that extra light" last night and averted another threatened collapse of the power transmission system.

Power company officials said the northwest power pool "rode through" the critical period—4:30 to 6:30 p. m.—on a slender margin of safety. They credited cooperation of home owners, industry, and business in conserving power during the peak load with saving a possible disruption of the entire system.

The severe cold gripping the region has cut the flow of many ice-filled streams to a trickle, and greatly decreased the supply of water needed to turn power generators.

Power company officials have warned since mid-December that electricity must be conserved during the "peak load hours."

Scott Hits Back at Hall On Oregon's Finances

error because he was speaker. He was not elected by the people.

"In state business, such as that of the land board and the board of control, Mr. Hall didn't seem to realize that he should work for the state against the grasping gentlemen who wanted lands and oil prospect lands and other things that seemed to them good."

COUGAR BAGGED

A seven-foot cougar was shot Monday on the Cold Spring side of Camas Mountain by Thurman T. Combs of Roseburg. Mr. Cook, who lives near the place where the cougar was caught, notified Combs Sunday evening that there was a cougar in the area.

MOOSE WILL MEET

A meeting of the Loyal Order of Moose will be held in Roseburg at the L.O.O.F. hall banquet room Friday at 8 p. m., announced Secretary Bill Livermore.

Dr. E. W. Carter

Chiroprapist—Foot Specialist 129 N. Jackson Phone 1170 Over Rexall Drug Store

Proposed Building Code Purpose is Explained

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forms with the code. Sketches of the plans, but not necessarily an architect's design will be required with applications for permits.

Money from fees and permits will go into the fund to maintain the office of building inspector. The program is in no way designed to make money, but is purely regulatory, Slankard emphasized.

In discussing his work as city inspector, Moen stated that he has been in a position since he came to Roseburg a year and a half ago to see the need for a building ordinance here. He said his particular training has made it possible for him to understand construction from the standpoint of both the contractor and owner.

He described the Uniform Building Code as the work of many people, including manufacturers, contractors and city councilmen throughout the nation. He discussed different phases to point out that the code does not command that work be done a certain way or that certain materials be used, but that the type of structure, the strength of materials used and general construction plans are based upon the strength needed for structural support.

Roseburg, having no professional architects, has a particular need for a code, he said. As for the administration of the ordinance, the city will take the responsibility of seeing that building, plumbing and electrical work is done by qualified persons.

Progress at Session Of Legislature Rapid

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the governor.

Any person denied employment because of his race, color or creed could bring an action before the Commission. The Commission would investigate, and could levy penalties up to \$1,000 fine or one year in prison, or both.

For Highway Funds

A trio of bills were introduced in the House to provide the State Highway Commission with more funds.

Rep. Earl Hill, Cushman, introduced the measures giving the Commission the right to issue bonds, and to pay off these bonds with an additional gas tax of a cent a gallon.

The third bill limits the extra gas tax funds to pay off the bonds.

The American Federation of Labor and CIO united today for the first time in submitting a labor program.

The leaders of both organizations said they would ask the Legislature to do these things:

Increase unemployment compensation payments to a maximum of \$25 a week for 26 weeks in any one year. The top now is \$20 a week for 20 weeks.

Boost industrial accident benefits 25 or 30 per cent.

Repeat the 1947 legislative acts which ban secondary boycotts, hot cargo actions, jurisdictional disputes, and to provide for secret elections to determine which union shall be bargaining agent.

Make industrial accident benefits apply to all employment. It now applies only to hazardous occupations.

Make it impossible for an employer to reject the industrial accident coverage without consent of his employees.

Governor Douglas McKay recommended an increase in industrial accident benefits, and he suggested the Legislature study the unemployment benefits. He didn't mention the other issues.

The labor proposals paved the way for a hard struggle, because employer groups are expected to oppose each labor proposal.

A bill to give state employees their \$20 monthly cost of living increase for the next six months was introduced in the House today.

The bill appropriates \$1,916,699.

The cost of living increase ex-

pired January 1. And the bill would keep it in effect for the rest of the current two-year fiscal period. The Legislature will consider making it \$30 for the next biennium.

Crash Leads to Charge Of Having no License

Kenneth Roy Ames, 22, Myrtle Point, was cited for no operator's license, following an accident north of Oakland in which his car was involved with one driven by Clinton B. Riddell, Pacific Palisades, Calif., Tuesday evening.

Riddell suffered a broken hand and was taken to Mercy Hospital for treatment. He was later released.

According to the investigating officer's report, Riddell's car traveling south, skidded on ice on a curve and crashed into Ames' car, traveling north.

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Prisoners Drill Hole In Jail Wall—For Heat Pipe

Prisoners at the Roseburg city jail drilled a hole through the 10-inch jail wall yesterday.

They helped install a hot air pipe to warm the bastille's interior.

The city reportedly had a hand in furnishing the prisoners with tools.

CIRCUIT COURT SUITS

Bob L. Russum has filed suit in Circuit Court against Maurice Langlett to collect \$686.07 alleged due for hauling logs between Oct. 28, and Nov. 13, 1948.

Suit to quiet title to Lot 8 and the south one-half of Lot 9, Block 5, Hamilton Addition, Roseburg, has been filed in Circuit Court by Ray Wittrock and Armelia Wittrock against Charles L. Hamilton and others who may claim right or title to the property.



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