

Roseburg Needs Told By Manager Gilchrist

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for further development of existing parks and creation of new ones.

The next question that arises, he said, is how are these things to be paid for? The money must come from direct taxation or possibly other sources of revenue, he pointed out. He suggested that a sewer tax might be considered to establish a sinking fund for health problems.

The city manager discussed other phases of the city's problems and finance.

For next Tuesday's Kiwanis meeting, Len Casanova, University of Oregon's new football coach, will be guest speaker. He will visit here on a tour of this part of the state. In the evening of the same day the Kiwanians and their wives will hold a picnic, starting at 6:30 p. m. at the Country club.

Traffic Benefit Seen In Right Turn Law

Police Chief Lloyd J. Larsen said Tuesday he thought the authorization of right turns after stopping on a red light would "alleviate traffic congestion" in Roseburg considerably.

The city council Monday authorized the turns in accordance with the new state law, but it is on a 90-day trial here. Individual cities have the right to prohibit it with in municipalities if desired.

Chief Larsen pointed out, however, that cooperation of motorists is important if the new regulation is to aid congestion.

Meeting Of Directors Dated By Lions Club

An important directors' meeting is scheduled following this Thursday's Lions club meeting in the Hotel Umpqua, announced President Allen Clute.

He urged all members to attend the regular meeting and all committee chairman to remain for the directors' meeting. They should have their committee members chosen by that time. Clute emphasized that the meeting was important in order to get organized for the coming year's work.

A stag party at the home of Thomas Hartley the night of Aug. 16 will replace the regular meeting for that night.

Methodists To Complete Vacation Bible School

The First Methodist church of Roseburg is closing its daily vacation Bible school Friday, Aug. 10. This will be the end of a two-week session for boys and girls from first through six grades.

Mrs. A. S. Peller, superintendent of the school, and Mrs. W. L. Cobb and Mrs. F. P. Powell, class superintendents, announced that there would be a concluding program Friday morning from 9 to 11:30 a. m. Parents and friends of the children enrolled are invited to observe a display of the work accomplished by the students. Visitors will also be allowed to attend classes and the worship service.

Family Deserters Face Prosecution, Dist. Atty. Warns

Possible criminal prosecution faces men who abandon or desert their families and make public welfare aid to dependent children necessary, District Attorney Robert Davis declared Tuesday.

With the consent of the mothers involved, the Douglas county welfare office anticipates turning over its non-support cases to Davis.

This will be done as soon as authorization comes from the state welfare office, according to Mrs. Lois Baker, Douglas county welfare administrator.

In the past the welfare office has suggested that the mothers involved in non-support cases initiate prosecution themselves. However, many have been unwilling to do so, Mrs. Baker said.

"In non-support cases, Davis said, "we'll do our utmost to see that they support their families or that they are criminally prosecuted."

Maximum sentence for non-support is one year.

Davis said many of the cases before the grand jury last November were non-support.

Mrs. Baker declared that in a number of instances, the fathers have failed to pay support money to their families after a divorce. In others the fathers have simply left for parts unknown.

Mrs. Baker did not specify how many aid to dependent children cases fall into the abandonment or desertion categories, but there are "several" she said.

Embezzlement Verdict Hits Ex-Tax Collector

ANCHORAGE, Alaska — (AP) — Archie L. Brown, former deputy Alaska tax collector here, was convicted by a federal court jury on a charge of embezzling \$4,350 in territorial funds.

Judge George Folta delayed sentencing of Brown, who remained in jail in lieu of \$5,000 bond.

The former collector was accused of keeping money given him by the Northern Music Co., in payment of slot machine taxes.

TWO SENT TO JAIL

Andrew Jackson Gillis, 40, Wednesday was committed to the city jail for 10 days in lieu of a \$20 fine on a vagrancy charge, Municipal Judge Ir B. Riddle reports. Irving Hughes, 39, was committed to the city jail for 10 days in lieu of a \$20 fine on a drunk charge.

Guy B. Hockett, Native Of Douglas County, Dies

Word has been received of the death of Guy B. Hockett, Aug. 7, at Pinedale, Wyo.

He had been district attorney of Sublette county for many years and had recently resigned because of ill health, but his death came unexpectedly.

Hockett was born in Douglas county in 1880, his parents being Douglas county pioneers, and was well known in Roseburg.

Surviving are his widow, Rosalie, of Pinedale; two daughters, Aurel and Lynette, of Seattle, Wash.; two sons, Clyde of Pinedale and Gale of Klamath Falls; three sisters, Bess Skogg and Merle Davenport of Portland, and Mrs. Jay Bowerman of Enterprise; two brothers, Claude G. of Grants Pass and Harold K. of Roseburg.

Burial will be at Pinedale, Aug. 10.

Garden Valley

By MRS. CARL SCHMIDT

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Caplette and daughter, Gloria, of San Gabriel, Calif., visited a week with their niece, Mrs. Charles Dunn, of Garden Valley. Gloria will stay for the rest of August as a guest at Dunn's.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Britton of Eugene visited Mr. and Mrs. Charles Healy, Mr. Britton was formerly the 4-H leader in Douglas county.

Mrs. Tressie Claypool, who recently underwent a major operation at Mercy Hospital, is convalescing at the home of her sister, Mrs. Ivan Lander.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Schmidt went to Crescent City, Calif., by way of the redwood highway and the Oregon coast.

Mr. and Mrs. John Denton of Memphis, Tenn., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Denton for about a month.

Mrs. S. L. DeLapp and Mrs. W. D. Love motored to Bandon Tuesday where they rented a cottage. They expect to visit Mr. and Mrs. James Redburn and family of Coos Bay before returning home.

Mrs. Charles Healy entertained Wednesday with a bridge party in her home. Mrs. Elmer Metzger, Mrs. C. W. Dishman, Mrs. W. C. Meyers, Mrs. Fred Miller, Mrs. Ona Williams, Mrs. Mayme Pickens, Mrs. Al Kent and hostess, Mrs. Charles Healy, attended.

F. L. Patterson Taken By Death

Frank Lester "Pat" Patterson, 57, resident of Fair St., died suddenly Tuesday afternoon, Aug. 7, of a heart attack while working at one of the local lumber mills. He was born June 14, 1894, in Johnson county, Texas, and came to Oregon ten years ago. He lived in Astoria for two years before moving to Roseburg to make his home. He was married to Mabel Charles in Carnegie, Okla., on Aug. 13, 1915. He was a member of the Lumber and Sawmill Workers union, Local No. 2671.

Surviving are his widow, Mabel, Roseburg; two sons, Claude L. Patterson, Drain; Cloy L. Patterson, Roseburg and Ashland; three daughters, Mrs. R. A. (Alice) Thompson, Oklahoma City; Mrs. L. B. (Virginia) Hicks, Roseburg; Mrs. William (Nelda) Guy, Roseburg; five brothers, J. M. Patterson, Hastings, Okla.; Robert Patterson, Cleburne, Texas; Ollie Patterson, Carnegie, Okla.; Arthur Patterson, Blanchard, Okla.; Floyd Patterson, Odessa, Texas; nine grandchildren and one great-granddaughter.

Funeral services will be held in The Chapel of The Roses, Roseburg Funeral home, Saturday, Aug. 11, at 2 p. m. with the Rev. Vernon Kelmins officiating. Interment will follow in the Masonic cemetery.

Autos Damaged From Logging Truck Blow

Two cars received "considerable rear-end damage" Tuesday as the result of an accident on South Stephens street, involving a logging truck, police report.

All three vehicles were traveling north on Stephens when a logging truck operated by Frank Warren Jordan, Roseburg, was alleged to have struck the rear of the second car in line, forcing it into the leading car, police said.

The other two drivers, both operating automobiles, were identified as Betty Grace Malden, Santa Monica, Calif., and John William Crawford, Roseburg.

The right rear fender of an automobile operated by George H. Bitter, Fresno, Calif., was damaged Monday when it was involved in an accident at Oak and Stephens streets, police said.

The driver of the other vehicle was identified as Harry D. Kinnear, Roseburg.

Commission's Mistake Makes Birmingham Dry

BIRMINGHAM — (AP) — The city commission inadvertently voted a law making Birmingham bone dry. The commissioners were trying to adopt a resolution which would stop the drinking of denatured alcohol, paint remover and bay rum. Instead they passed a statute, effective Aug. 31, which the red-faced legal department too late discovered would also stop legal sales of beer and whisky.

The law enacted banned buying, selling or drinking of any intoxicating liquid used "for the purpose of drinking or for the purpose of substituting it for a beverage that will produce intoxication."

"There'll have to be an amendment," said Mayor Cooper Green.

WOMAN ACCUSED

Patricia Shambin, 37-year-old woman who had been arrested by local state police on a grand larceny warrant, is being returned to Auburn, Cal., by Placer county Sheriff William Elam, who arrived here Tuesday, state police report. She will be prosecuted by Placer county authorities, Police said.

Gambler Noble Killed In Thirteenth Attempt

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stepped on the starter of the automobile he and his wife normally drove. A bomb exploded.

The gambler then survived a series of shootings—one he lay in a hospital room recuperating from another gunshot wound.

Pale and shaken after his wife's death, Noble bitterly said he hadn't "done anything" to deserve the attacks. He hinted he knew who was behind them and threatened to "take the law into his own hands."

Noble freely admitted he had been a gambler, but said that he had quit. He moved from Dallas to the ranch—made it almost a fortress, guarded by giant dogs. Floodlights were turned on the house at night.

Two previous attempts at his life were made there. Once a bomb exploded in his private airplane. Again, explosives were found in a spare airplane motor. A flyer, Noble had built a landing strip on his ranch.

Lately there had been no attempts.

"They'll never quit," he told a friend. "They're laying low now. They'll make one big effort one of these days."

The big effort apparently came Tuesday.

Walter H. Beddell Dies Suddenly In Sutherlin

Walter H. Beddell, 66, died at his home suddenly in Sutherlin Monday evening. He was born Dec. 22, 1884, at Moberly, Mo. Beddell had been a resident of Sutherlin for 20 years. During World War I he served in the army from June 1917 until May 1919, and he was a member of the Sutherlin American Legion.

Survivors are a son, Jack Beddell, California, and a nephew in the east.

Funeral services will be held Thursday, August 9, at 2 p. m. in Sutherlin Methodist church. Interment will follow in Valley View cemetery. The American Legion post of Sutherlin will have charge of graveside services. Arrangements are in care of Stearns mortuary, Oakland.

TOOL SHED BURNS

A one-story tool shed belonging to Steve Kiss on the North Umpqua road and Sunshine road was a total loss after fire ravaged it Tuesday afternoon, according to Tony Shukie, assistant fire chief. Value was estimated at \$500. Firemen managed to confine the flames to the shed, protecting an adjacent mill. Pumps were used for 20 minutes.

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