

Gravdal Placed On Probation For Theft Of Saw

A 32-year-old naturalized citizen, Asmund Gravdal, received a suspended sentence and one year of probation from Barnett H. Goldstein, acting circuit court judge, when he was arraigned Monday afternoon.

Gravdal pleaded guilty to a district attorney's information charging him with larceny of personal property of more than \$75 value.

He was accused by Ray Glover of taking a power saw and selling it. The two men formerly worked together.

Gravdal said only a few words in court, but it was apparent he has a heavy Norwegian accent. His attorney, Randolph Slocum, spoke for the accused man, telling of his background and the crime.

Gravdal admitted, Slocum said, that he sold the power saw after he had been drinking. The saw has since been returned to Glover, and Gravdal said he would repay the man who bought it.

Slocum pointed out that Gravdal came to this country in 1920 and served in the U. S. Army for 3½ years. In OSS, Gravdal spent five months inside his native Norway before the Germans were forced to withdraw their occupation of the country.

Dept. Dist. Atty. Warren A. Woodruff, who read the charge against the man, also asked the judge that Gravdal be granted probation. He pointed out that Gravdal had never been in trouble before.

Before granting probation, Judge Goldstein said Gravdal had committed a serious offense which "usually deserves drastic punishment." He told the defendant, "It is up to you to demonstrate you are deserving" of the trust this court is placing in him. He warned Gravdal that if the probation is violated a sentence commensurate with the crime will be imposed.

The judge also complimented Slocum for his "conscientious interest" in Gravdal's welfare. Slocum was appointed by the court after Gravdal said he had no money with which to engage the services of an attorney.

Miss Harriet Compton Dies Monday In Portland

Miss Harriet Compton, well known in nursing circles in Roseburg, died in Portland May 24 after a lingering illness. She was born in Council Bluffs, Iowa, and later came with her parents to Medford, where she was graduated from high school. She was also a graduate nurse of Good Samaritan Hospital. She was for a time at Duerbencher Memorial Hospital for Children in Portland and thereafter with the Veterans' Bureau Hospitals in Tucson, Ariz.; The Bronx, New York, and Portland.

Surviving are her mother, Mrs. P. M. Compton, and a sister, Mrs. Raymond Leonard, both of Portland; two brothers, Glen Compton of San Antonio, Tex., and Ray B. Compton of Roseburg.

Burial will be from A. J. Rose & Sons in Portland.

CHARGED WITH FIGHTING

Three Camas Valley youths were arraigned in district court at Roseburg Monday on disorderly conduct charges, according to acting Judge Elmer G. Baldwin.

Luther Martin Burwell, 21, and two 16-year-olds were arrested by a state policeman and a deputy sheriff Saturday night after the youths allegedly were fighting near the Melody Mountain Barn, near Myrtle Creek. Burwell received a \$75 fine, with \$50 suspended, the judge said. The younger boys received \$50 suspended sentences.

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Pre-School Orientation Meeting Set For Glide

A pre-school orientation meeting will be held for mothers of children entering the first grade at Glide in the fall at the Glide Elementary School Thursday at 2 p.m.

Principal Wayne Schermerhorn states the purpose of the meeting is to acquaint the parents with procedure to be followed regarding the enrollment of children, and papers necessary to their enrollment. Schermerhorn and the first grade teachers will address the group.

Supl. Byron Evans emphasizes that children are not to attend this meeting. All first grade entrants will be given a physical examination prior to entering school, on September 1.

Drain Man Dies In The Hospital

Arch Alford, 85, resident of Oregon for the past 34 years, died Monday at a local hospital.

He was born March 14, 1869, in Kansas and had made his home in Drain since 1920. He was engaged in the farming industry most of his life. He was a member of the Church of Christ, of Drain, and was past master of AF&M, Sunset Lodge No. 144. He and his wife would have celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary in July of this year.

Surviving are his wife, Edith Maude, Drain; two sons, Jay, Oregon City, and Hubert, Roseburg; two daughters, Mrs. Emily Anderson, Brookings, and Mrs. Crystal Swearingen, Albuquerque, N.M.; six grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

The body has been removed to The Chapel of the Roses, Roseburg Funeral Home, and will lie in state until Wednesday morning. The funeral services will be held in the Church of Christ, Drain, Wednesday, at 2 p.m. The Rev. Chester Stewart will officiate, and ritualistic services will be under the auspices of Sunset Lodge No. 144, Drain. Interment will be in the Yoncalia Cemetery. The Chapel of the Roses, Roseburg Funeral Home, is in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. Crane, 32, Of Sutherlin Dies

Mrs. Creed (Thelma Lorraine) Crane, 32, resident of Sutherlin and formerly of Roseburg, died at a Roseburg hospital Monday following a prolonged period of illness.

She was born at Days Creek Feb. 27, 1922, and was married at Roseburg on Oct. 18, 1948, to Creed Crane. For the past four years, she had made her home at Sutherlin.

Besides her husband, Mrs. Crane is survived by two children, Wallace Creed and Claude Ernest; her mother and stepfather, Mr. and Mrs. William Wilkins, Sutherlin; two brothers, William Wilkins of California and Larry Wilkins, Sutherlin; her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. George Rigby, Bridge, and Mrs. Margaret Snyder, Roseburg; and two aunts and uncles, Mr. and Mrs. James Bartley, Roseburg, and Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Whitaker, Winchester.

Funeral services will be held in the chapel of the Long and Orr Mortuary Thursday at 2 p.m. with the Rev. Lloyd Whitford of Sutherlin officiating. Concluding services and vault interment will follow in Roseburg Memorial Gardens.

Myrtle Creek Service Set For Mrs. Ramsower

Funeral services for Mrs. Mary Delaney Ramsower of Riddle, who died Sunday, will be held at 2 p.m. Wednesday in the chapel of Ganz Mortuary, Myrtle Creek, with the Rev. Conrad Rhoades of the Riddle Baptist Church officiating.

Interment will follow at Hillcrest Memorial Park at Grants Pass.

TO MEET TONIGHT

Thalia Community players will meet tonight at 7:30 p.m. at the Social Arts building, room 8. Any interested person is invited to attend.



THE JUDGE—Richard Spaulding, representative of Sylvania Corp., was the judge of the Douglas Camera Club's color slide contest the winners of which were announced Monday. He selected Jim Holland and Harry Collison, first; Alvin Anderson and Jim Holland, second; and Van Dermolen, third. Spaulding is shown above making the featured speech at the club meeting. (Clark's Studio Picture).

Dulles Says Guatemala Trouble Communist Move

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munist shipment of arms, the United States is flying rifles, machine guns and other light combat gear to friendly nations in Central America.

Dulles, in his statement, said that the Red shipment to Guatemala had arrived at Puerto Barrios under conditions of extraordinary secrecy and he wondered why that should be so if the operation was "above board and honorable."

He said the important question now is whether Guatemala is "subject to Communist colonialism," which has already subjected 800 million people to its despotic rule.

"The extension of Communist colonialism to this hemisphere would, in the words of the (inter-American) Caracas resolution, endanger the peace of America."

Dulles was asked several questions about American intervention in the situation. He said the United States is speeding arms shipments of \$60,000 each to Nicaragua and Honduras under assistance pacts which this country has with them.

But in general he said that if hostilities should break out in that area the United States would expect to act under an inter-American treaty which provides for what Dulles called a sincere effort at collective action—rather than an individual action.

With respect to Communist purposes in supplying the arms, Dulles said one possible objective would be to build up a Communist stronghold or bastion under Communist domination near the Panama Canal.

Gen. Ryan Testifies About Schine's Passes

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when the McCarthy camp contends Stevens did make such a request.

2. There was no "preferential treatment" given Schine at Ft. Dix unless passes to leave camp for McCarthy subcommittee work was to be called preferential treatment.

3. He made available at Ft. Dix a conference room to be used by Schine and the McCarthy staff but the room was used only once.

4. Schine made 250 long distance telephone calls during the eight weeks at Ft. Dix, Ryan said so far as he knew no other private "ever approached this record." But he said there was nothing wrong about a private making telephone calls if he had the time and the money to pay for them.

5. Schine, despite his leaves, completed his training course with a "superior" rating but was rated only "fair" on character—a rating Ryan called "very low."

6. Members of the McCarthy staff called Ryan's headquarters 29 times about Schine during the eight weeks training period.



ELECTED—J. Clifford Hess, Roseburg poultryman, is the president of the Oregon Egg Producers. He was named last week at the organization's annual convention in Junction City. He has been a director since 1949.

Special Awards At Myrtle Creek

Scholarship awards made at the Myrtle Creek High School commencement Monday night were reported today by Correspondent Ruth M. Evans.

Beverly Babb was awarded the state PTA scholarship to the Oregon College of Education (\$120 for the first year and can be renewed if grades are adequate in ensuing years). She also received the Myrtle Creek PTA scholarship (\$80).

Susan Froehlich received a full tuition and fee scholarship to Oregon State College.

Gail Moan received a scholarship from the University of Oregon Mothers (\$165).

Joann Williams received a grant-in-aid scholarship to Linfield College in McMinnville.

Sandra Hevlin received a full tuition and fee scholarship to Oregon College of Education.

ROAD BIDS INVITED

PORTLAND — The Bureau of Public Roads has invited bids on grading of 1.3 miles and oiling of 8½ miles of U. S. Highway 101 in Coos and Douglas counties.

The section to be improved is about 10 miles north of North Bend. Bids will be opened here June 8.

COOLER WEATHER

Very cool for May, the weatherman says in his prediction for the next five days. Temperatures will remain below normal, with a rising trend Thursday. Maximums will hover in the 60s, rising to the 70s by Friday. Minimum temperatures will range in the 40s, with a few showers through Wednesday, and again over the weekend.

Woman's Club's Next Rose Show May 28 And 29

The Roseburg Woman's Club will sponsor another in its series of annual rose shows May 28 and 29 at the Woman's Clubhouse. A sweepstakes award of a sterling silver tray will be awarded the exhibitor who displays the prize winning entry.

Mrs. Kenneth W. Ford is general chairman, assisted by Mrs. J. M. Boyles, who is staging the flower show. Other chairmen are Schedule, Mrs. Harold Beauchamp and Mrs. Horace Berg; publicity, Mrs. E. L. Tauscher; classification of horticulture entries, Mrs. Hershel Scott; monitor-chairman, Mrs. Hafer; chairman of arrangement entries, Mrs. Earl Plummer; junior division, Mrs. Dale Zeller; hostess chairman, Mrs. Marshall Haugh; clean up chairman, Mrs. E. M. Belle; plant sale chairman, Mrs. Otto Gossell.

The trophy for the sweepstakes winner, donated by the Garden Valley Nursery and Landscaping Co., was awarded for the first time in 1952. The winner at that time was C. H. Friday, with his entry, the Peace Rose. Mrs. Kenneth Ford was the 1953 winner with her entry, Jo Anna Hill Rose.

Most Formidable Experience, Says Nurse Genevieve

HANOI, Indochina — Genevieve de Galarde Terrance declared that tending French wounded in forty terror-filled nights and days in the fortress of Dien Bien Phu was the "most formidable experience of my life."

"It opened new horizons to me of courage and devotion to duty while French soldiers and officers were so bravely fighting and dying."

Facing a battery of 50 newsmen from nine countries, photographers and American television representatives, the heroic nurse in her first mass interview calmly and simply said:

"I only did my duty."

She asserted the most "dangerous and dramatic moment" of the long, savage battle for the French Ullin fortress in northwestern Indochina's jungles came on the night of March 30-31.

"It was then that the Vietnamese hurled over thousands of mortars and heavy artillery projectiles and there were hundreds of French wounded and so many dying."

"To me it was so dramatic and tragic, for so many of the wounded had to wait for so many hours in line in the underground bunkers in terrible pain before I could help them."

Mrs. George Kohlhaugen Memorial Plan Begun

Friends of the late Mrs. George Kohlhaugen are honoring her memory by contributing to a permanent memorial. If anyone wishes to join the number, they may leave any contribution at the First Presbyterian Church office or mail to Mrs. Ivan Pickens, treasurer of the Memorial Committee.

LUTHERAN SERVICE

Evening services will be held tonight at the Faith Lutheran Church, 320 W. 3rd Ave. N., in connection with the Portland Mission meeting being held by the church today. The public is invited to the evening program, which will begin at 7:30 p.m. The topic will be "Advance with Christ," with the Rev. Everett Jensen of Corvallis as speaker.

Circuit Court

Suits Dismissed

James E. Seitz vs. Adelbert E. Small and Sumner Iron Works. Case settled out of court.

William E. Evans vs. Earl W. Campbell. Settled out of court.

Max L. Seitz and Holden R. McTaggart, doing business as Seitz & McTaggart, vs. Bauer Construction Co. Dismissed on motion of plaintiffs.

Default Judgment

C. E. Dickie vs. Robert Decker. State Unemployment Compensation Commission vs. John and Kenneth Luark, doing business as Luack Logging Co. Plaintiff awarded judgment of \$925.80, plus interest.

Suits Filed

Arthur Lee Fowler vs. State Industrial Accident Commission. Plaintiff seeks award of compensation for permanent partial disability equal to 85 per cent loss of function of left leg and 90 per cent loss of function of right leg. Commission previously awarded 35 and 65 per cent. Plaintiff injured July 14, 1952, at Sunshine Lumber Co. near Yoncalia.

Kenneth O. Wignes vs. State Industrial Accident Commission. Plaintiff seeks award of compensation for permanent partial disability equal to 100 per cent loss of use of arm for injury to back while working at South Coast Lumber Co. on May 14, 1953.

Order

State of Oregon vs. William Frank Cory. Order restoring defendant to original custody issued by Circuit Judge William G. East. Cory will return to Douglas County jail from state prison during appeal to supreme court.

National Forest Recreation Is Up

A regional all-time record was set in 1953 of more than four million recreation visits to 19 national forests in Oregon and Washington. Regional Forester J. Herbert Stone reports. The 19 forests comprise the Forest Service's Pacific Northwest region.

The four-million-plus figure exceeds by more than 5 percent the previous year's total of 3,800,000. Totals are based on sample counts.

Gains were registered in all types of recreation activities including picnicking, camping, fishing, hunting, resort use, and winter sports. The greatest increase, both percentage-wise and in actual number, was recorded for winter sports visits. Picnicking, which accounted for the greatest number of visits, was listed by 981,600 recreationists as their primary purpose.

Leading forest in Washington in number of recreation visits last year was the Snoqualmie which registered 835,700. The Mt. Hood forest in Oregon led the region as well as the Beaver State with a total of 1,428,200.

The continuous annual increase since World War II in recreation use of the national forests has caused severe overcrowding in many of the 900 developed camp and picnic areas in the region. Stone said. With increased use these areas have to be cleaned up more often. Improvements such as tables, benches, and fireplaces are overtaxed. Campers and picnickers overflow designated area and use land on which no facilities are provided.

To help with this problem, the Forest Service urges national forest visitors to leave the forest clean and neat for the next visitor. This will permit use of funds for repair and upkeep of improvements rather than for picking up papers, cans, and other trash.

SOCE Will Graduate Twenty-Four Students From Douglas County

Twenty-four students from Douglas County will be among the 215 receiving diplomas and certificates in commencement exercises at Southern Oregon College. Eleven will receive bachelor of science degrees in education; 12 three-year certificates in teacher education; and one an associate in science certificate.

Exercises will be held at 3 p.m. in Latta Park, with Dr. William A. Jones, Eugene, to speak. He is executive director of the Western Intercollegiate Commission for Higher Education.

Baccalaureate is planned for next Sunday at the Ashland First Methodist Church.

Degrees and certificates will be conferred by Dr. Elmo N. Stevenson, college president, on the following:

Bachelor of science in education: Helen Burkhardt, Harlan Carter Jr. and Jo Ann Voorhes, all of Roseburg; Betty Parrett, Richmond, and Bernice West, all of Myrtle Creek; Susay Bromley, Dillard; John Carter, Riddle; Dorothy Rathkey, Tenmile; Janice Whipple, Drain; and Rose Whitbeck, Canyonville.

Three-year diploma in teacher education: Leona Dickson, Merle Doering, Ardis Edie, Margaret Kimmel, Josephine Parkhurst and Esther Parr, all of Roseburg; Ardith Myers and Annette Rice, both of Canyonville; Florence Cook, Wilbur; Sallie Farley, Drain; Nancy Holloway, Sutherlin; and Wilma Smith, Myrtle Creek.

Associate in science certificate: James Ylivisaker, Roseburg.

3 More Persons Fined For Illegal Angling

Three more anglers have been fined in district court records show.

Archie Leroy Jennie, Lookingglass, was fined \$30 with \$15 suspended when he pleaded guilty to angling without a license, Judge Elmer G. Baldwin said.

Edwin Leslie Hansen, Rt. 3, Box 1170, was fined \$50 for having 19 undersized trout in his possession, the judge said. At arraignment Monday, \$35 of the fine was suspended.

Wayne Rietman was handed a \$50 fine Monday when arraigned on a charge of angling with more than one rod and line at one time. He was cited at Leatwood Rapids on the Umpqua River.

The arrests were made by state police officers.

Revival Services Held Each Night At Winston

Revival meetings continue at the Foursquare Gospel Church in Winston every night except Monday. Meetings start at 7:45 p.m.

Evangelist Tex McKean from California is conducting the revival. McKean doubles as a preacher, guitar player, singer and bass viol player.

The public is invited to attend the meetings.

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