

AUTO PLUNGE CLAIMS LIFE OF RIDDLE GIRL

Death Cars' Tour Will Stress Urge For Safe Driving

Douglas County's study in tragedy will be officially unveiled Saturday morning at 9 o'clock.

That's the official opening time of "Death Row" on Southeast Jackson Street between Oak and Cass avenues in Roseburg.

Tours among the remains of probably seven death cars will be conducted by radio station announcers and uniformed officers from the state police, sheriff's office and Roseburg Police Department.

Lining the blocked off section of street, picture displays of the grisly results of traffic accidents to the human occupants of the vehicles will be set up.

The final arrangements for this second edition of "Death Row" were ironed out Wednesday afternoon at a meeting of police officers, members of the press and other leading figures campaigning for highway safety.

The idea of "Death Row" to shock drivers into safety consciousness was spearheaded by Robert G. Davis, chairman of the Douglas County chapter of Oregon Highway Safety, with the assistance of Jack Wilton, county chairman of the President's Traffic Safety Program, "Back the Affect."

Davis explained it as an effort to convert highway accident statistics into flesh and blood, tin and steel.

These statistics show 25 dead already. During the first nine months of this year, the county had 1,106 traffic accidents in which 47 people were hurt. Last year 27 died and 658 were injured.

Nationally, 38,300 people have already died in 11,700,000 accidents. Property damage by year's end is expected to reach 7 1/2 billion dollars, which if shared by every man, woman and child in the United States would amount to \$43.20 each.

Chrysler said that if the strike continues, it eventually could idle 38,000 in Plymouth assembly and related plants across the country.

The engine plant's 2,000 hourly rated LAW members walked out Nov. 18 in a strike which they blamed to a company speedup. The company denied the allegation, and said the stoppage resulted from the firing of an employee who refused to do assigned work.

COOS BAY, Ore. — The Coast Guard cutter Avoyel took the crippled freighter Olympic Pioneer under tow today and headed for Eureka, Calif.

The freighter with a crew of 37 lost its propeller yesterday and was drifting helplessly 12 miles off the southern Oregon coastline.

The 422-foot Liberty ship, skippered by Capt. Leif Hansen of Grays Harbor, Wash., was sailing in ballast to Redwood City in the San Francisco Bay area when it lost its propeller off Cape Blanco some 30 miles south of here.

Senator Lyndon Johnson of Texas—who, along with other jobs, is chairman of the senate preparedness subcommittee that is investigating the U.S. missile and satellite program—says the U.S. and 14 other States needs a highly trained corps of engineers and scientists if we are to win the nuclear race with Russia.

"We must match Russian missile progress. But that alone is not enough. Our technological skill must be raised to where we can beat the Russians in ANY scientific race."

True enough. That fact stares us in the face. The problem is HOW TO DO IT.

It can't be done with money alone. We must develop among our

The Weather
Fair with morning fog today, partly cloudy tonight and increasing cloudiness Saturday. Continued cool nights.
Highest temp. last 24 hours — 50
Lowest temp. last 24 hours — 30
Highest temp. any November — 73
Lowest temp. any November — 15
Precip. last 24 hours — 0
Precip. from Nov. 1 to 14 — 2.75
Precip. from Sept. 1 — 8.9
Deficiency from Sept. 1 — 0.3
Sunset tonight, 4:29 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow, 7:24 a.m.

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Ike Moves To His Pennsylvania Farm

Recovery Speed Seen In Journey

WASHINGTON — President Eisenhower traveled by automobile to his Pennsylvania farm Friday in a striking new demonstration of speedy recovery from his mild stroke. He planned to spend a weekend or more at the farm.

County Jail Trusty Leaves Work Detail

One of the county jail prisoners missed turkey dinner Thanksgiving—but it was by his own choosing. He escaped.

Shotgun Accident In Auto Kills Youth

BEND — An accidental shotgun firing in an automobile killed William Mickelson, 17, Estacada, at Hampton, east of here Thursday. It was the seventh gunshot death of the fall hunting season in Oregon.

Holt's Orphanage Sends 87 More Korean Tots To U.S.; Four Ill With Tuberculosis

PORTLAND — Eighty-seven little Korean orphans, four of them ill with tuberculosis, were getting acquainted with their new parents Friday.

Mother, Four Children Drown In Auto Plunge

LIVINGSTON, Mont. — Mrs. Charles Woods, 28, and her four children apparently drowned yesterday when their car went out of control and plunged into the Yellowstone River.

Texts From Bible Started Today

Throughout the world, Bible reading will receive major attention from Thanksgiving until Christmas as people unite in daily Bible readings from suggested texts.

Blansett Sentenced To 7 1/2 Years In Pen

Jackie Blansett, 21-year-old Myrtle Creek check writer, got a stiff jolt Wednesday when he pleaded guilty to five charges of obtaining money by false pretenses.

Fiancee Stabs Man Who Changes His Mind

CAGLIARI, Sardinia, — Antonio Motzo, 35-year-old landowner, is in a hospital Friday because he changed his mind.

Sputnik Fall To Earth Expected Sunday Morn

CAMBRIDGE, Mass. — History's first rocket-satellite may tumble to its doom Sunday morning.

Fire Damages Truck Thanksgiving Morning

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Juvenile Issue Draws New Action

A committee of 12 men and two women has been selected to serve as the executive committee of the Douglas County Juvenile Advisory Council.

2nd Marine Convicted In Navy Man's Death

OKINAWA — A Marine court-martial today found Pfc. Wilbur L. Jones, Raleigh, N.C., guilty of murder, conspiracy to murder, two charges of assault with intent to inflict great bodily harm, and conspiracy to assault.

Conviction Of Leathers Upheld In Appeals Court

The conviction of R. H. W. Leathers, 39, Reedsport accountant, on an income tax evasion charge has been upheld in the U.S. Court of Appeals at San Francisco.

Minimum Age Still 16 For Driver's License

SALEM — There is no truth to the rumor that the minimum age for obtaining driver's licenses has been increased from 16 to 18.

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County Loses \$2.40 Suit

A judgment of \$2.40 plus costs of \$1 was awarded to Mrs. Emma Leah Handy, circuit court reporter. She had filed suit against her employers when the county court refused to approve a bill for preparing a transcript for use in a criminal prosecution.

21 SHOPPING DAYS TILL CHRISTMAS READ THE ADS

Circuit Court Reporter Wins Judgment On Job Of Preparing Transcript

Douglas County lost a round in small claims court Wednesday. A judgment of \$2.40 plus costs of \$1 was awarded to Mrs. Emma Leah Handy, circuit court reporter.

U. S. Natl. Bank's Sherwood Branch Robbed 2nd Time

SHERWOOD, Ore. — Two men held up the Sherwood branch of the U.S. National Bank at about 1 p.m. Wednesday, and got away with an undetermined amount of cash.

Two Witnesses Called

Besides taking the witness stand herself, Mrs. Handy called two witnesses to testify. No testimony was offered by the county which was represented by Thompson.

Detectors, In Clever Poses, Nab Four Thieves

NEW YORK — Only a couple of lovers spooning on a nearby stoop. And by couple of drunks asleep on the sidewalk.

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County Death Toll For '57 Upped To 26

Sharon Mary Hedberg, Age 14, Tragedy Victim; Other Accidents Occur

A 14-year-old Riddle girl was killed Thursday night in a car wreck to bring the death toll for Douglas County to 26 thus far in 1957.

Coroner L. L. Powers said she died of internal injuries. Deputy Coroner Robert Ganz, who investigated, said she also received a compound skull fracture.

Car Rolls Over

In trying to negotiate an "S" shaped curve, Colter went over onto the left shoulder where the car traveled for about 200 feet. It then came back onto the pavement where it rolled over and skidded to a halt on its top. The car was a total wreck.

Oregon's Traffic Deaths For 1957 Increased To 419

Oregon's traffic toll during November climbed to 53 as two more fatalities occurred Thanksgiving Day.

Cuban Rebels Burning Sugar To Smash Govt.

HAVANA, Cuba — Fires were reported sweeping over a wide area of sugar cane fields last night in southeast Cuba — set by rebels trying to bring down the government by ruining the sugar crop and causing economic hardship.

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