

OREGON TRAFFIC TOLL IS SLASHED FOR 1935

Number of Traffic Deaths Is
Reduced 22 Per Cent
During 6 Months.

Oregon slashed its 1934 traffic toll nearly 22 per cent during the first half of this year, saving 31 lives under the terrific holocaust which swept over streets and highways a year ago, according to Dr. E. B. McDaniel, president of Oregon State Motor association. Deaths in the first six months of 1935 reached 111, against 142 in the same period last year.

While June's fatality record of 27 lives was only 3.5 per cent lower than for June, 1934, the reduction in May was more than 53 per cent. In fact, the motor club president pointed out, Oregon at the end of May recorded the lowest number of traffic killings in the past five years.

Based on reports issued by Earl Snell, secretary of state, accidents throughout the state numbered 187 in June, bringing the total for the first half of 1935 up to 10,227. In these accidents 2,531 persons were injured, or 115 more than were injured during the first half of 1934.

Of the 27 who lost their lives in June, six were pedestrians. Seven died as the result of collisions with other motor vehicles, two were struck while riding bicycles, nine were killed in non-collision accidents and three died in other mishaps.

"While Oregon lost its good record held at the end of May, the outlook for a less bloody year than last is highly encouraging," Dr.

McDaniel said. "Aside from a 22 per cent decrease in fatalities so far this year, enactment of the safety responsibility bill and an apparent 'safety-consciousness' on the part of many more drivers are indications that the state has reached a turning point in its traffic record."

THORNTON CORNERS.

July 22.—Mrs. A. W. Rice of C.G. was a caller Mon. afternoon at the L. E. Baldwin home.

The Rev. Earl Crook family of Eugene were visitors one morning last week at the C. R. Trent home on their way to Ashland.

Mrs. John William and children spent Fri. in C.G. with Mrs. Dick Bailey.

The Otto Smith family of Springfield were guests over the week end of Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Smith.

Mrs. George Alleman of Culp Creek and Jennings Hastings of the U. S. S. Mississippi, stationed at Bremerton, were visitors one day last week at the George Foster home.

Miss Marion Johnson of Mount View was a guest Thurs. of Mrs. J. W. Fisher.

Mrs. R. B. Dixon and daughter visited Fri. with Mrs. H. C. Rose in C.G.

Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Shortridge accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Shortridge to McKenzie bridge Thurs. and visited a daughter, Mrs. Delbert Brown.

The G. B. Arnest family spent the week end at Scottsburg and Winchester bay.

Word has been received by Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Boslaugh that their son Wallace, stationed at Bremerton, fell downstairs from a stumble over his own shoes and broke his left arm at the wrist. The same arm was broken in the same place when Wallace was a child.

The Joe Premazzi family spent Sun. at the Frank LaBlue home at Hebron at a birthday dinner for Miss Shirley.

Mr. and Mrs. Matt Maddess of Gowdville visited Fri. afternoon at the J. W. Fisher home.

Mrs. Earl and Phyllis Baldwin of Gowdville visited Fri. with Mrs. L. E. Baldwin.

Mrs. Homer Robinette of Salem was a guest two days of last week of Mrs. George Foster.

Mrs. John Wright and two children of Phoenix visited two days of last week with Mrs. Wright's sister, Mrs. J. W. Fisher.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Smith attended the funeral Tues. of last week of a cousin of Mr. Smith's in Springfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lake and son Philip attended the fifth annual reunion of the Lake families at the Eugene-Springfield auto park Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Smith, who visited last week with a daughter, Mrs. Frank LaBlue of Hebron, returned Sun. to the home of another daughter, Mrs. Joe Premazzi.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Trent and daughter visited Thurs. evening at the General Johnson home in C.G.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Baldwin and family, accompanied by J. H. Dickenson of C.G. visited Sun. afternoon at the Nathan Crowe home at Yoncalla.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Chandler of Springfield, enroute to their home from a trip to Arizona, were overnight guests Sun. of Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Shortridge, who had visited two weeks here with Mr. Shortridge's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Shortridge, left Sat. for Klamath Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Keene and

family of Creswell and the Howard Keene family of Delight valley visited over the week end at the W. A. Keene home.

Mrs. Ellena Boss of Mount View visited Mon. with a son Gene.

The Harry Castle family of Blue Mountain visited Sun. at the W. J. Chapman home.

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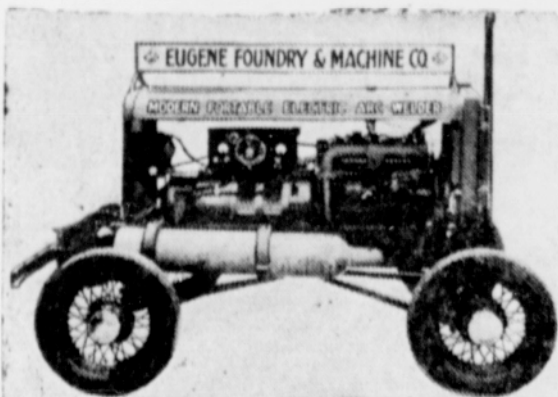
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