

Motoring Difficult In England Now

British motorists not only have to get along on slim rations of gasoline, but also must find their way without the help of directional signs Lt. Col. Lacey V. Murrow, who has just returned from England where he acted as an official observer for this Government on transportation problems, informed the Oregon State Motor Association.

Every car owner in Great Britain is rationed enough gasoline to run his car 150 miles per month. The limit of 150 miles per month has been established regardless of the mileage the car drives on a gallon of gasoline.

Col. Murrow further reported that no longer is gasoline sold by brands. The war situation has made it necessary to combine the import, storage, and distribution facilities of all the oil companies; hence, the gasoline is "uniformly of medium quality, and is known as 'pool.'"

"Driving in Britain is quite difficult under wartime conditions," he said. "All directional signs have been removed, even the names of railroad stations, post offices, and banks have been obliterated or removed; and the home-defense regulations prohibit the giving of directional information to strangers. It is quite often necessary to go to the local police authorities and submit proper identification papers before any information can be had as to the name of the community in which you may be at the time and to secure information concerning the direction in which you desire to travel."

Col. Murrow pointed out that English road marking and directional signs, even during peace time, are far below the standard in this country.

"There has never been any attempt to create a marked system similar to our own numbered system, and there was a serious lack of uniform directional signing. Directional signs were erected either by the Royal Automobile Club or the Automobile Association, and all directional signs were manufactured, erected, and maintained by the clubs without cost to the public. These organizations were willing and qualified to do proper signing, but it was necessary for them to secure permission from the local highway agencies before signs could be erected on roads under that local jurisdiction. The result was that at intervals there would be almost a total lack of any type of directional signing."

PUBLIC WARNED AGAINST IRRIGATED LAND SHARKS

"Write the bureau before you buy" any land in a federal reclamation project and particularly in the huge Columbia basin project to be watered from the Grand Coulee dam.

This advice from the bureau of reclamation is being broadcast far and wide in view of persistent attempts of certain land speculators to unload practically worthless land on investors and home seekers by misrepresenting it as good land soon to be irrigated, says J. C. Moore, representative of the bureau of agricultural economics, stationed at Oregon State college.

A recent specific case cited is that of a young Montana couple who were induced to agree to pay \$500 for land in the Columbia basin project which proved to be so-called Class 6, or poor land for which no irrigation water will ever be provided under present plans. The land is roughly estimated to be worth about \$3 an acre instead of the \$23.50 per acre they agreed to pay.

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\$5.00 Tax on Autos and Boats Is Voted

The Senate finance committee last night eliminated the controversial radio and outdoor advertising taxes from the \$3,500,000,000 defense revenue bill, and approved a \$5 annual use tax on the nation's 30,000,000 automobile and motor boat owners.

Swiftly revising the house measure, the committee dropped proposals estimated to yield \$79,500,000, after having discovered that it had overshot the original goal of \$3,500,000,000 by \$108,000,000.

Mosby Creek

Mr. and Mrs. John Davis and grandson Ronnie of Beaverton were week end guests at the Harry Castle home. Mr. and Mrs. Davis have sold their ranch here to R. E. Hutcheson of eastern Oregon.

Maxine Leaton of Eugene spent several days last week at the Roy Kennedy home.

Mr. and Mrs. Dorrie Morris and daughter Patty of Lake Grove and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Russell of Portland visited last week at the George Hastings home. Mr. Russell is employed on the Portland police force.

Mr. and Mrs. Schlinger and family of four children have moved into the log cabin on the George Hastings ranch.

Mrs. Mac Tonoli, Mrs. Fannie Patton and Mrs. Tillie Dugan attended a card party Friday night at the Loyal Leabo home at Divide honoring Mr. and Mrs. Harold Dugan who are leaving for their home in California.

George Alleman of Divide is building a house for Lynn Eastburn at Walden.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Martin and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Mason of Cottage Grove were callers Sunday at the Roy Kennedy home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cline and children of Westfir spent the week end at the Arnold Duerst home.

WINNING IN THE AIR

The struggle to oust German-Italian airline control over strategic South American routes is showing the beginnings of an interesting victory for American-controlled airlines. Recent figures reported by C. V. Whitney, board chairman of Pan American Airways, show that since the outbreak of the European war, airlines operated or sponsored by Americans in South America have gained two route miles for every one lost by Axis operated lines. The net loss sustained by the Axis from September 3, 1939, to August 6, last, totals 8,173 miles, while U. S. operated or influenced airlines gained 15,056 miles, according to the Pan American report. Whitney described Axis airline operations in South America as a "time bomb" aimed against the Americas.

NICHOLS TO ATTEND

O. A. Nichols, State Farm Insurance Companies' representative in this district, will leave for Portland this weekend to attend the annual state convention of that organization which will be held there Monday and Tuesday, Sept. 1 and 2. Close to 200 State Farm Insurance people will participate in the two-day program.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our appreciation for the kindness and sympathy of our many friends during our recent bereavement. Mrs. Evelyn Schmitt and Carol. Mr. and Mrs. Adam Schmitt and family. Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Rose and family. 3-1tp

Corona Portables, The Sentinel.

Senate Confirms Biddle Nomination

President Roosevelt on Tuesday sent to the Senate at Washington the name of Solicitor General Francis Biddle, scion of an old Philadelphia family and ardent "New Dealer," to be Attorney General of the United States.

Shortly after receiving Biddle's nomination to succeed Robert H. Jackson, who has been elevated to the Supreme Court bench, the Senate, by the surprisingly low vote of 11 to 9, confirmed the president's nomination of Rexford Guy Tugwell to be Governor of Puerto Rico, after an attack on him by Senator Taft (R) Ohio.

The vote on Tugwell was a rising one. The result showed only 20 of the Senate's 96 members present, 29 less than a quorum. No effort was made, however, to record officially that a quorum was not present, in view of the Senate's gentleman's agreement

not to force return of Senators from vacations.

COMMANDER GENE TUNNEY TO BE IN NORTHWEST

Lieutenant Commander Gene Tunney, U.S.N.R., physical director for the U. S. Navy, will visit the Pacific Northwest in October, according to officials of the 13th Naval District. Purpose of his trip will be to inspect physical training activities at various naval stations, and to interview applicants for appointment as physical directors for the rating of Chief Boatswain's mates.

The former heavyweight champion will be in Seattle on October 22 and 23, and in Portland on the 24th and 25th. He may visit other centers in the northwest, it is reported.

FIELD REPRESENTATIVE ASSIGNED TO THIS AREA

Leo D. Sem, of Eugene, new field representative for the State unemployment compensation com-

mission, has been assigned to Linn and Lane counties, making head- quarters at the Eugene office of the employment service. Mr. Sem will work with W. F. Toomey, field auditor, in contact- ing Lane county employers for the men to securing all wage reports and contributions for the first half of 1941 and previous periods.

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