

Alcohol Involved In One Out of Four Highway Accidents

One out of every ten drivers involved in a fatal accident in Oregon during 1947 definitely had been drinking, Secretary of State Earl T. Newberry has revealed. Driver violations and drinking figured in 58 per cent of all traffic deaths.

Accident summaries for the year list 51 of a total of 519 drivers in fatal smash-ups as definitely drinking, with an additional 77 in the "not stated" class, Newberry said. Only 250 were clearly not in violation of traffic regulations at the time of the accident.

The secretary emphasized that

drinking drivers are not only more prone to have trouble, but that likelihood of a fatality is more than doubled. Only one in 200 non-drinking accidents are fatal, but the chance of death becomes one in 70 when alcohol is involved.

Because of the difficulty of proving the presence of alcohol as a contributing factor in fatal accidents, the National Safety Council believes that liquor's part in national traffic deaths has been understated, Newberry said. The Council estimates that alcohol is involved in one fatality out of four.

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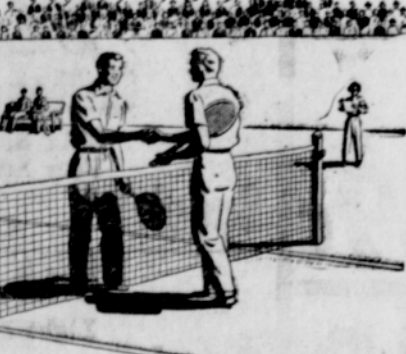


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Government Ups Support Price On 1948 Wool

The government announced Friday increases of from one to four cents a pound in prices it will pay for 1948 clip wool under a price support program.

The new prices go into effect April 1. They will apply to all wool appraised or re-appraised for government purchase on or after that date.

The Agriculture Department said the increases were made largely to carry out terms of a wool price support law and to maintain normal differences between graded wools. That law requires the department to assure producers an average price equal to that received in 1946.

The average price in 1946 was 42.3 cents a pound grease basis, and 42 cents in 1947. Specifically, support prices for all 1948 clip shorn wools, except off-graded wools, will be increased one cent a pound, clean basis, over current prices to offset higher freight rates.

LATHAM

Bobby Carlisle, who was hit by a car last Thursday, is improving at his home.

Tuesday April 6 from 2 to 7 p.m. at the Latham school house are the hours to vote again on the \$35,000 bond issue which was voted down in December. The purpose of the bond is to provide additional class rooms and equipment to meet the requirements of the new law and of a growing population.

Any legal voter whose name is on the tax roll for the current year may vote.

Charlotte Porter of Laurelwood academy, Portland was in the vicinity during Easter vacation to visit relatives and old friends. She is the daughter of Estor Porter a former resident who now resides at Silver Lake.

The Ben Chisons lost a valuable cow last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Trunnell of Wilder, Idaho, spent Easter here visiting the John Trunnells and other relatives and friends. He was a resident here when a boy. They were also guests at a dinner in honor of the birthdays of John Trunnell and his granddaughter, Paula Sue Trunnell on March 28. Others present were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Trunnell and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. Van Trunnell and Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Van Nortwick. The latter are great grandparents of Paula Sue one year old.

Clinton Garoutte was home from Eastern Oregon for the Easter week end.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Yates and sons of Portland spent Monday and Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Yates' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Trunnell.

CURTIN

Mrs. Victor Oleson and Deanna returned home Monday after visiting for a few days on the McKenzie with relatives. Minnie Zeigler is also visiting at the Oleson home.

Eugene business and pleasure callers on Friday were Mrs. Mabel Sowles, Mrs. Maxine Thompson, and Mrs. Bertha Galdabini.

Last Saturday the Girls 4-H Sewing club and their mothers held a "sewing bee" at the home of their leader, Mrs. Helen Suiter.

Mrs. Bob Warren of McMinnville arrived Sunday for a visit at the Oscar Newlin home.

Bernell Goins is the proud owner of a new tractor which he purchased from Emerson Eichler of Cottage Grove. Mr. Eichler's health would not permit his using the tractor so consequently he sold it to Mr. Goins.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Suiter visited Sunday afternoon at the Mackey home at Divide.

Clifford Peronto is sporting a brand new bicycle presented to him by his parents.

Larry Aimes has gone to Sutherlin.

Several friends gathered at the Bob Oatney home Friday evening to help Alvin celebrate his birthday. Those present were Patty and Faye Thompson, Larry and Lavina Oatney, Leona and Leota Arzie, Clifford Peronto, Edward and Daniel Thompson, Joan Dement, Billy Oatney and the honored guest Alvin Oatney. Ice cream and cake were served to the group by Alvin's parents.

An Easter dinner was held at the J. R. Sowles home. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Davis of Eugene, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Newlin and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Thompson and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. George Cavey, Jean Brady, Roy Watkins, and Johnnie Volgamore.

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