

MRS. NED A SPEEDER.

Former Dallas Lady Wins Fame in Oregonian.

A skillful feminine motorist who pleads guilty to a speed limit of not more than 45 miles an hour and to being a confirmed "automaniac" is Mrs. Edward E. Gerlinger, of 749 Raleigh street, whose big 1910, 40-horsepower Buick is frequently seen flying over the top of the long trail of billowing dust on the smooth stretches of road leading into the country. Mrs. Gerlinger formerly owned a little Buick whose limitations were its only crime, and for whom she has a lingering love because it was the first she learned to operate. This little car, however, being of the kind known in the vernacular as a "one lunker" could not long content an owner in whose soul the real motorist's germ was at work, so it had to go. More power and more speed was what Mrs. Gerlinger wanted, and she realized her ambition and terrified all her friends when she took the wheel of her new six-cylinder, 40-horsepower Buick few months ago, but she has never yet met with an accident.

Despite her love of spending Mrs. Gerlinger is not a reckless driver, and says that only when she is on a clear stretch of road with beams and other cars out of the way that she ever turns on full speed and thoroughly enjoys herself. She has always been fond of machinery and especially of machines that move fast; as a little girl in the Sunny South. She says dolls were abandoned at an early age and the small boys of the neighborhood (if they would not accept a doll in trade) were apt to have their miniature steam engines, "school" cars, and mechanical toys confiscated without further ceremony. "I never cared a great deal for animals—cats, dogs, horses, canary birds, or anything of that sort," said Mrs. Gerlinger, "I always wanted something with wheels."—Sunday Oregonian.

WHISKY MEETS HOLD UP.

Citizens of Independence Excited Over Ruling.

A couple of years ago an Independence man ordered a barrel of whisky from Seattle. In a few weeks a barrel of whisky arrived in town from some place in Kentucky, and with it came a night draft to the bank. When it was presented to the man he refused to receive the goods. Nothing was done about the matter for the next few days until the attention of the Seattle people that their Kentucky house was unable to collect on a barrel of whisky billed direct. The consignee had been dealing with the Seattle firm for years and it was the first time that company had shipped goods direct from Kentucky distillers.

As he carried a regular account with that firm, the night draft would naturally put him on his mettle. The matter was finally adjusted and he was informed that he did not have to accept the goods if he did not wish to. The whisky was never accepted and it sat there until about the time the repairs were being made on the depot this Spring. The statement is made that the carpenters were the ones who tapped the barrel first, and from that time on there were several visitors to the depot, which had been moved from the depot to the warehouse. It became noised around among the men about the depot and the number of visitors increased daily.

It is presumed the Seattle dealers decided to have the goods returned to them, and when the order came to the officials at the depot the barrel was not in evidence. It was so reported. The consequences were that the Southern Pacific Company sent out one of its best detectives, who searched the barrel located and the offenders on his hip. Up to the present time there have been no arrests, but it is rumored that sensational developments will follow within a fortnight.—Oregonian.

NORMAL SCHOOL WANTED.

Mr. Butler Seek to Make Monmouth State Institution.

J. B. V. Butler, principal of the Monmouth high school, is in the city. Mr. Butler is actively interested in the movement to make Monmouth again a state normal school under the pending initiative act. In an interview he said: "The interest in the normal school question so far as Monmouth is concerned is steadily increasing. Reports coming from every quarter of the state indicate that the people recognize the value of the work done by this school in the past. The fact is also recognized that Oregon will have a school for the training of teachers and this institution—the pioneer school in this work in the state rich in the work and traditions of its large alumni, and being centrally located appeals to them. There is a marked shortage in the supply of teachers for the public schools who have had training for their work and this will be felt more and more unless provision is made by the state to afford the opportunity for the teachers to get this training in their own state."

Family Reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Davis, of Goose-neck, celebrated their 37th wedding anniversary last week, their children all being at home for a family reunion the first time for 11 years. The son, Frank Davis and family came from Mexico, their daughters, Mrs. Elizabeth Fortier, from Roseburg, Mrs. Ella White from Portland, and Mrs. Jennie Conner, from San Jose, Cal. They have eleven grand children and four great grand children, some of whom were present as follows: Miss Bessie Davis, Miss Rita Conner, Lela White, Guy and Frankie White, Mrs. Annie Ridgeway and daughter, Annie. The old people were as happy as little children and many were the stories told around the table of their happy days of youth and the pretty compliments the old people gave each other of their younger days were greatly enjoyed by those present and made the dinner one long to be remembered for its mirth and happiness. A photographer came to the house and took several pictures of the family group. Mr. Davis is now 80 and his wife 76 years old. They were married in Indiana and lived in Iowa several years, then came over the plains by ox team to Oregon in '64, settling where they now live 44 years ago.

AGAIN WHISKEY

Causes Another Murder Among Indians at Siletz.

For the second time in a little more than a month, whiskey supposed to have been sold illegally to the red men by white bootleggers, was the cause of a tragedy among the Indians on the reservation at Siletz last Sunday night, when Noble Felix, riding horse intoxicated from the little town of Toledo, recklessly fired his revolver at a tent by the roadside, one of the bullets fatally wounding Odell Lane, who was asleep within. Lane, who was educated at the "Clemens Indian school, is still alive, but the physicians hold out no hope for recovery. The bullet struck him in the abdomen. He is the son of Scott Lane, one of the most influential men on the reservation. Sheriff J. H. Ross went to Siletz as soon as he heard of the shooting and arrested Felix. The Indian is now in jail at Toledo. On July 30th in a drunken brawl Bob Felix, a Siletz Indian, shot and killed John Spencer and Martha Metcalf, also members of the tribe, and then turned the weapon on himself. Investigations by the Indian agent and a government special agent brought to light startling evidence of a thriving liquor traffic with the Indians by white men. Felix, the youth held for shooting young Lane, is a relative of Bob Felix, who committed the Siletz murders on July 30th. With Young Lane in the tent when he was shot was another Indian named Jim Watts, against whom Felix is said to have a grudge. Watts and Lane were grading on the Toledo-Siletz wagon road.—Oregonian.

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Rev. Deck Leaves Portland. Rev. H. E. Deck, pastor of the First United Evangelical church in the Ladd addition, has resigned and will leave Portland for Tombstone, Arizona, October 1st, where he will supply the Congregational church. He goes to Arizona in the hope that a change of climate may benefit the health of his son, who is an invalid. Rev. Mr. Deck has been prominent in connection with the Evangelical churches of the state for a number of years.—Oregonian.

Claud Nagle, who came to Cottage Grove several months ago and leased the Graham Hotel for a term of years, has surrendered his lease to the owner, Mrs. Kornich, and returned to his former home near Sheridan. The hotel has been refurbished by Mrs. Kornich, and will be offered for rent.—Cottage Grove Sentinel.

Krebs special, composed of nine coaches and two baggage cars drawn by two engines, arrived at Independence Saturday, bringing five or six hundred people to assist in picking hops. The opinion of prominent growers indicates that the crop will exceed the former estimate of 65,000 bales in the Willamette valley. A later estimate is the crop will be about 85,000 bales.

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