

CARS COLLIDE IN AUTO ACCIDENT, DRIVER BRUISED

An auto accident in which three cars figured occurred on the Pacific highway at Seven Oaks near Central Point between 6 and 6:30 p. m. Tuesday. In which J. E. Mason, superintendent of the Kirtland farm was injured about the head and a Buick car and Ford auto suffered minor damages.

Mr. Mason in the Ford car was en route from Medford to the farm, the Ford being about 25 feet in the rear of another car. The leading car slowed down suddenly, and Mr. Mason, to avoid striking the car turned to go around, when his car skidded square across the road.

W. H. Muirhead, superintendent of the cement plant at Gold Hill was en route to Medford in his Buick car and he was unable to stop when the Ford skidded in front of him, but in trying to avoid striking it squarely, turned and struck it in the rear end. The impact hurled Mr. Mason's head against the bow of his own car, stunning him for a few minutes. The fact that the cars were running slowly prevented a more serious smash up.

Superintendent Mason has had a series of misfortunes in the past few months, including a recent appendicitis operation and being kicked in the forehead by a horse. He was attending to his duties as usual today.

COAL SHORTAGE IN N. W. WILL RESULT FROM WALK-OUT

SEATTLE, March 16.—Between 2,000 and 3,000 soft coal miners, employed in commercial mines of the state were idle today as a result of their refusal to accept wage cuts averaging 23 per cent made effective by operators at midnight. Operators announced that mines would remain closed until settlement of the controversy.

Sixteen companies joined in the shut-down, the list including all but

one of the larger commercial companies operating on the west side of the state and one company operating on the east side. Railroad mines were not affected.

Operators today claimed that 3,000 men were idle. At state headquarters of the United Mine Workers of America, however, it was said that not more than 2,000 men were thrown out of work by the shutdown which union officials terms a lock-out. There are about 4,000 union miners in the state, the officials declared, of whom about half are working in railroad mines.

Fuel dealers said that Seattle, Spokane, and other large cities which depend in part on the product of Washington mines for their fuel supply, would experience a coal shortage within the next two weeks.

Union officials said the men would not return to work pending a national settlement of the dispute.

ARMENIA CLEARED OF BOLSHEVIKI

NEW YORK, Mar. 16.—Armenia is virtually cleared of bolshevist invaders and a new coalition government sitting at Erivan has control of a wide area of the country it was announced today in messages received here at headquarters of the Near East relief from Constantinople.

SAYS STRIKE IS CERTAIN

ring on the question of a simultaneous strike.

The stockyards were quiet today, but 2000 workers descended upon a union hall in the south side last night and their demands to vote became so

insistent that the ballot boxes were opened.

A conference between the twenty-four representatives of Armour and company employees and a like committee from the company met today to outline the preliminaries of the company's proposed industrial plan. Final returns given out by the company showed that 3,897 out of 5,724 packing house workers voted on the plan yesterday.

HAMON TRIAL IS FINISHED

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hospital where Hamon died, was recalled to the witness stand. She said she had not told Ernest Dunlap that she had been surprised to see Clara Hamon come to the hospital as she had thought Clara had gone out of Ardmore the previous night, and that Clara's arrival made her nervous.

Mr. Dunlap was called to the stand and testified that Miss Cannon had

made the statement to him, which the young nurse a minute before had denied.

Dr. Walter Hardy, recalled, identified a plum colored suit as that worn by Mr. Hamon when he went to the hospital. The suit was introduced as evidence.

In her testimony yesterday Clara said Mr. Hamon had not worn that suit, but had worn a blue suit.

SIGN PACT WITH RUSSIA

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losses, not only to our troops but to the insurrectionists in the Kronstadt garrison. Up to the present our losses have been insignificant."

Trotsky charged Russian immigrant centers abroad with fomenting the revolutionary movement in order to break up peace with Poland and the agreement with Great Britain for the resumption of trade relations.

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JURY LIST IS ANNOUNCED

The jury list for the circuit court, which will re-convene next Monday, March 21, is as follows:

R. J. Lule, Talent; C. M. Parker, Medford; J. R. Crowe, Medford; C. H. Vaupel, Ashland; B. J. Trowbridge, Medford; C. S. Lammey, Central Point; Frank Ray, Medford; M. S. Biden, Medford; J. B. Fisher, old Hill; Chas. Hamilton, Rich; J. U. Smith, Gold Hill; Geo. B. Alden, Medford; L. P. Trefren, Medford; M. Corleis, Medford; O. S. Welcher, Central Point; Benton Poole, Applegate; E. J. Runyard, Medford; William Vawter, Medford; and J. C. Harris, Pinehurst.

There remains upon the docket for this term of court four criminal actions and 11 civil suits, and it is expected that the court will be in session ten days or two weeks. The criminal actions include the remainder of the Bank of Jacksonville cases, and a manslaughter indictment against W. P. DeWitt, an Ashland jitney driver.

COPE ENTERTAINS FORUM LUNCHEON

Herbert Cope, a humorist, was the principal speaker at the regular noon forum of the Chamber of Commerce today, and convulsed a large attendance with laughter at his remarks, the burden of which was to smile in business and in meeting. "No matter how nice the scenery is, a tourist will never come back if everybody has a frown," Mr. Cope was enthusiastically applauded at the conclusion of his address.

A resolution introduced by John C. Mann calling on the city to purchase 19 acres of land along the P. & E. for auto camp purposes was endorsed by the forum, and approval voiced by J. W. Dressler, W. W. Borden and others.

Advisory Committee W. Borden acted as chairman of the meeting.

The Copeland Quartet at the Presbyterian church tonight.

MISSOURI FLATS

Mrs. Charley Burkhalter and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Swinden were visitors at the Kubil home Sunday.

Mrs. Sorenson is visiting at Mrs. Jim Cook's.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Bailey motored to Grants Pass Monday.

Mrs. Ike Vincent gave a party at her home Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman McFadden are home visiting his folks.

W. S. Bailey who is recuperating from a prolonged illness is visiting his son Victor Bailey of Grants Pass. Eugene A. Caris made a business trip to Foothills Saturday.

Miss Steinfetz, teacher of Missouri Flat school spent the week end with her folks at Rogue River.

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