

ROAD OILING PROGRAM WILL START SOON IN RURAL REGION

The road oiling program of the county court for the coming year will get under way within a short time and two rural districts and one orchard have made arrangements for additional oiling.

The Table Rock district has made arrangements for the oiling of an extra mile of road, the Taylor road in the Centra Point district for two miles additional, and the Modoc orchards for six-tenths of a mile. For the extra oiling the county bears half the expense and the district or an individual bears the other half. County Engineer Paul B. Rynning anticipates other sections will also take advantage of the 50-50 expense plan.

The budget calls for \$10,000 for road oiling the coming season, and this sum will be expended over ten different sections of the county, each section getting a mile of oiling. The program will benefit every section of the county, the work being listed for areas of the heaviest population and travel.

The program calls for oiling the county road east and west of Central Point, and in the Rogue River, Willamette, Eagle Point, south of Ashland, Gold Hill, Phoenix, Jacksonville, Sams Valley and Talent areas.

A rock crushing plant is now being erected near Bybee bridge to provide gravel for the oiling.

It is the intention of the county court to have a road oiling program each year until all main rural routes are oiled. Oiling, according to County Engineer Rynning, will aid in the maintenance of the roads by minimizing the wear and tear of travel, besides curbing the base of every housewife's life—dust. County road maintenance has been restricted the past three years in the interest of economy.

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ANOTHER STEP IN MINE LITIGATION

A motion to make more definite and certain portions of the suit filed for an accounting by George M. Roberts, Edwin P. Hughes, Ed Marshall and George Barton, as individual and stockholders of the "Lucky 13" mine against W. E. (Jed) Hittson, was filed in circuit court yesterday.

The plaintiffs seek an accounting of \$18,500 assertedly wronged by Hittson from mining claims in the Siskiyou, and in which they allege an interest.

The motion asks that a decree rendered by a California court, on the property in controversy, and the conflict between the Ruby mine and the Ruby mine extension claims and Lucky 13 No. 1 and Lucky 13 No. 2 be clarified. The defendant further asks that he be released from filing an answer to the suit until these points are set forth.

Legal action in the litigation will be shifted Friday to Siskiyou county, California, when a hearing will be held at Yreka on the continuing of the temporary receivership invoked a month ago.

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DEFER SENTENCING OF WOMAN FOR BATTERY

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Meteorological Report

March 13, 1935
Forecasts
Medford and vicinity: Occasional rain tonight and Thursday; moderate temperature.
Oregon: Occasional rain tonight and Thursday; snow over high mountains; moderate temperature.
Temperature a year ago today: Highest, 78; lowest, 38.
Total monthly precipitation, 0.42 of an inch; deficiency for the month, 0.30 of an inch. Total precipitation since September 1, 1934, 12.89 inches; deficiency for the season, 0.42 of an inch.
Relative humidity at 5 p. m. yesterday, 28 per cent; 5 a. m. today, 92 per cent.
Sunrise tomorrow, 6:24 a. m. Sunset tomorrow, 6:16 p. m.
Observations Taken at 5 A. M., 12th Meridian Time

CITY	High	Low	Wind	Weather
Boise	56	44	SE	Clear
Boston	54	32	SE	Snow
Chicago	52	30	T	Cloudy
Denver	58	50	P. Cty.	Cloudy
Eureka	58	46	—	Cloudy
Helena	46	44	—	Cloudy
Los Angeles	76	58	—	P. Cty.
MEDFORD	54	34	—	Clear
New York	48	28	SE	Cloudy
Omaha	50	36	T	Clear
Phoenix	70	48	—	Clear
Portland	54	32	SE	Cloudy
Reno	68	34	—	Clear
Roseburg	62	36	T	Clear
Salt Lake City	54	40	—	Clear
San Francisco	68	50	—	Clear
Seattle	54	52	SE	Cloudy
Spokane	54	48	T	Cloudy
Walla Walla	60	52	SE	Bain
Washington, D.C.	52	32	SE	P. Cty.

ARRAIGN CARROLL EARLY NEXT WEEK

Arraignment and plea of Roster P. (Red) Carroll, service station worker, indicted by the grand jury on an involuntary manslaughter charge as the result of an auto accident on West Main street, February 9, in which June Rose Hansen sustained fatal injuries, will probably be called early next week, the district attorney said today. Carroll is at liberty on \$2,500 bonds.

The plea of Julian Dailey, indicted on two counts on a charge of burglary not in a dwelling, will be received at the same time.

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DOOF GRAND SCRIBE OF OREGON PASSES

PORTLAND, March 13—(AP)—Edwin E. Sharon, 75, grand scribe of the grand encampment of Oregon Odd Fellows, and past grand secretary of the grand lodge in Oregon, died here last night.

He is survived by his widow, Anna, and by three children, Edward Allan Sharon and Mrs. Bess Kadoerly of Pendleton, and Mrs. Lella McClure of Seattle.

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CAULIFLOWER TOO HIGH PRICED NOW IS GROWERS' FEAR

ROSEBURG, Ore., March 13—(AP)—So effective has been the operation of the state cauliflower marketing agreement that growers are now worried because the price is too high. With cauliflower selling for \$1.15 for No. 1 grade and 90 and 95 cents for No. 2 at the Roseburg warehouse, and with retail prices ranging from \$1.25 to \$1.50 on an undersupplied Portland market, growers fear that the present attractive market will invite too much competition.

The 10 cents per crate stamp tax imposed by the state marketing agreement to meet enforcement and policing cost, plus the cost of transportation from California Cauliflower centers to the Portland market has served effectively to give preference to Oregon cauliflower on the state markets.

The California market has also been higher than usual with warehouse prices ranging around 65 cents. Under such conditions California growers could hardly afford to ship to Oregon at less than \$1.25, but with the present prevailing price, a greater movement from the south is anticipated.

Oregon growers, as a result of the code operation, according to C. E. Osborne, manager, are showing a profit for the first time in four years.

Byrd's Ships Sail For United States

DUNEDIN, N. Z., March 13—(AP)—The Bear of Oakland and the Jacob Ruppert, ships of Admiral Richard E. Byrd's second anti-Arctic expedition, sailed today, homeward bound for the United States.

Admiral Byrd boarded a train at the same time for Wellington, whence he will sail Friday on the S. S. Randgitiki.

BORAH PRESIDENTIAL BACKING IS ANNOUNCED

BOSTON, March 13—(AP)—Robert M. Washburn, president of the (Theodore) Roosevelt club of Massachusetts and recent Republican candidate for the United States senate, today announced he would support Senator William E. Borah for president in 1936.

He made the announcement at a Kiwanis club luncheon.

PHOENIX UNIT MEETING POSTPONED TO MAR. 22

The Phoenix Home Extension unit meeting announced for Friday has been postponed until March 22. This session will be an all-day meeting beginning at 8 a. m. with a lesson on fancy breads and pastry given by local leaders, Ethel Backersmith and Susie Maust. Everyone interested in this phase of homemaking is cordially invited to attend.

WARDS Spring OPENING



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- Porcelain Interior
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- Cooling unit has porcelain enclosure
- 8 Freezing Spaces
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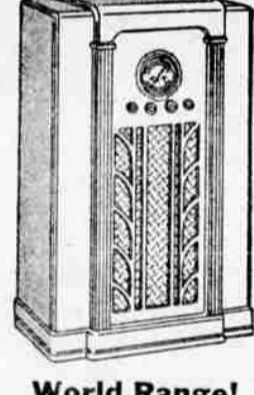
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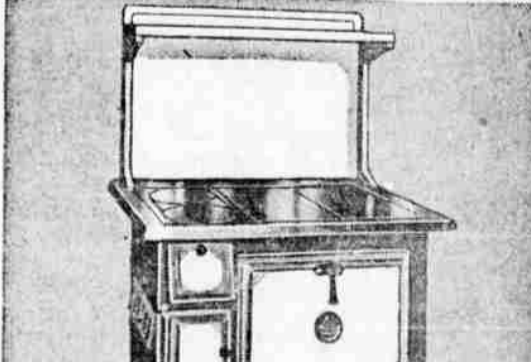
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