

Three Log Truck Drivers Found Innocent in City

Three log truck drivers, all cited for violation of basic rule in downtown Medford, have been found innocent in municipal court on the grounds that the city failed to prove the vehicles were not under control.

The drivers, Brian Richard Schauble, Shady Cove; Monte Ray Axtell, Eagle Point; and Lloyd Joseph Mynatt, also of Eagle Point, were tried in municipal court Aug. 28. Municipal Judge Alan B. Holmes handed down his ruling last week.

All three log trucks were clocked by a city police radar car at speeds of up to 35 miles per hour in a 20 mile per hour zone. All three citations were issued within an hour of each other July 28. The first driver was cited at 4:50 a.m., and the last at 5:43 a.m.

At Intersections

Schauble and Axtell were cited at the intersection of Ninth and Front sts., and Mynatt was cited at the intersection of Eighth and Front sts.

Judge Holmes said in handing down his ruling that the sole evidence of guilt was the speed of the vehicles. The police officer himself testified that there was almost no other traffic at the time the citations were issued and that there were no other hazards present that he was aware of.

Holmes said "it is not indicated on the citations that the vehicles were not under control at the time and place of the citation. This court cannot assume hazards which were not presented at the trial."

Citing several state supreme court rulings regarding basic rule violations, Holmes then found the defendants innocent.

All three drivers were represented by Attorney Ervin B. Hogan.



FLAMES CROSS RIDGE — Flames creep as close as 10 feet to some homes, before over a ridge overlooking expensive homes in this residential area of Encino, Calif. Over 400 acres were burned, with flames coming burned and there were no injuries. (UPI Telephoto)

Auto Industry Sets Stage for Buyers' Market

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New York — UPI — The auto industry's 1960-model cleanup has set the stage for a buyers' market.

If you don't mind settling for a year-old car whose market value will drop sharply the moment you get it, this is the time to buy a 1960 auto.

This is the time of the year when stocks of current models have to be sold to make room for next year's models. The auto companies already are showing off their 1961 models to dealers and the press round the country.

Price concessions are nearly always available at cleanup time, but this year unusually liberal discounts are being offered, according to Alan G. Rude, president of Universal C.I.T. Credit Corp.

Real Challenge

Behind this is the record high number of 1960 cars in dealers hands that must be disposed of before the introduction of the new 1961 really gets underway next month.

The new car inventory of more than 800,000 units presents a real challenge to the retailing segment of the industry, but Rude believes this challenge will be met.

He added, however, that it will be met in a way that offers unusual advantages to the buyer. This buyers' market presents "exceptional" money-saving opportunities, Rude stated, adding that outstanding buys also are available in the used car market.

TO VISIT U.S.

Tokyo — UPI — U.S. Ambassador Douglas MacArthur II left for Washington Thursday night to help in plans for the visit of Crown Prince Akihito and Princess Michiko. The royal couple will visit the United States later this month as guests of President and Mrs. Eisenhower.

Adlai, Goldwater Devotees Bring Out Political Phenomena

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Washington — One of the most curious political phenomena of the post-convention period has been the contrasting attitudes of the devotees of two very different men who didn't make out very well in either party's convention.

These two idols of millions are Adlai Stevenson and Sen. Barry Goldwater.

Republican Goldwater has already been in Oregon and drawn a handsome crowd of conservative enthusiasts. Democrat Stevenson is scheduled to appear in Oregon later in the campaign and will doubtless pull admirably from his liberal admirers.

The contrasting behavior of their followers is that the Goldwater faithful are not having much difficulty supporting Vice President Richard M. Nixon. But the Stevenson worshippers are still inclined to pout a bit about the rejection their man got in favor of Sen. John F. Kennedy.

Conservatives Troublesome

In years gone by, it was the conservatives who were most troublesome — notably the admirers of the late Sen. Bob Taft of Ohio when that New Yorker, Tom Dewey, walked away with the presidential nomination.

It isn't that Goldwater has not been rough on his own party leaders in the Eisenhower administration, which would include both the President and the vice president. In a memorable Senate speech earlier this year, he blasted the Administration's tendency to go along with welfare programs if they were scaled down from the level the liberal Democrats were promoting.

The Administration, charged Goldwater, was following nothing more than a "Dime store New Deal." It ought to reject these welfare schemes out of hand instead of compromising with the "spenders."

Now, of course, all are united for the campaign. Adlai Kennedy, on the other hand, is having trouble satisfying either the liberals or the conservatives in his party. The Southern conservatives aren't satisfied, simply because they were given Sen. Lyndon B. Johnson as a running mate, and so Sen. Harry F. Byrd of

Virginia (a man of the Goldwater school of thought on welfare programs) is refusing to endorse Kennedy in Virginia where the Byrd machine is still powerful.

The Stevenson forces got their noses out of joint at the convention and acted very much like the Taft devotees of years gone — that is, they would rather lose the election with Adlai than win with somebody else.

As one Stevensonian put it, "I was told the only way to stop Johnson was to be for Kennedy. So we got Johnson anyway."

Adlai Subs for Nixon

At the annual banquet of the American Bar Association here last week, Stevenson was a substitute for Nixon, who was hospitalized. He was in rare, relaxed, eloquent form telling jokes and speaking on foreign affairs. He said his position on the platform reminded him of the Anglican rector who telegraphed his bishop one Friday as follows: "My wife has just died. Please send a substitute for the week end."

Stevenson went over well with the barristers, many of whom were British visitors who pounded the tables and muttered, "Here, Here." Probably only Adlai himself can bring his supporters actively into the campaign behind Kennedy and Johnson if and when he takes a vigorous role in the fall campaign.

Hardware Store in Ashland Purchased

Ashland — Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Lindstrom, formerly of Forest Grove and Roseburg, recently purchased Bauder's Hardware and Appliance store, 286 East Main st., here.

Arnold Bauder, who has lived in Ashland for the past 10 years, plans to move to Portland.

Sale of the store became effective last week, and Lindstrom said he planned no immediate changes in operation of the store. No name change is anticipated.

The Lindstroms, the parents of four grown children, will reside at 710 Roca st.

Convention Chairmen Named by Legion

Chairmen for committees making arrangements for the state American Legion convention, which will be held in Medford next July, have been announced by Jennings Pierce, convention chairman.

Eugene Orr will serve as co-chairman of the convention. Chairmen of other committees include Pat Kilby, finance; Robert Dames, arrangements division; Les Wilson, convention division; and Granvil Brittan and Jay Pierce, public affairs division.

PIECK FUNERAL

Berlin — UPI — Funeral services will be held Saturday for East German President Wilhelm Pieck, a veteran Communist who died Wednesday at the age of 84.

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The boss sez "happy, they're sure giving a lot of gold medals at the Olympics. Do you 'spose we should give some?" So I sez to him, "No, boss, let's have a sale... the folks would rather have big price reductions than gold medals anytime!"

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