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STOPPERS

The stopper is more of a traffic menace than the speeder, says the Astoria Budget.

This may seem paradoxical, but a calm study of traffic, particularly in Astoria, will convince one that the careless stopper exceeds the speeder as a menace, not only in the matter of safety, but in delay in the movement of traffic.

Speeding is totally indefensible at times, and is next to harmless at others. The speed limit law is elastic in the eyes of intelligent and reasonable courts and officers. A motorist traveling 40 miles an hour on a dry, open highway is far less dangerous than one maintaining the legal speed of 30 miles an hour on a slippery pavement or in thick traffic.

Unless speeding is combined with carelessness and the elements of reckless driving, its menace is primarily toward the speeder himself.

The stopper, however, menaces first "the other fellow." Most motorists are familiar with the dangers attending speeding and with the rules of automobile movement, but it would appear that there is a woeful lack of understanding of the regulations and axioms of the stopper.

The danger of the stopper was illustrated forcibly last week. Alvin Weivesiek, Astorian, was following another car on the Roosevelt highway. As they met a road grader the driver of the leading car was urged to visit a moment. He stopped suddenly, without a signal.

Weivesiek had two choices—to go into a rear-end collision with the other car, or to take the ditch. He chose the latter, risking himself rather than injuring the man who had precipitated the accident. As luck would have it, Weivesiek made a bad choice. His car rolled over and he sustained injuries which yet may cause his death.

The stopper was to blame. Lately some motorists have been affecting little enameled signs on the rear of their cars: "If I stop, can you?"

The idea is all right, if it implies a signaled stop, but if the leading car comes to an unsignaled stop, the following motorist is not to blame for the collision.

The development of stop signals which flash a warning the instant a foot brake is applied makes unsignaled stopping inexcusable.

As a menace, next to the stopper who does not signal comes the man who parks on the pavement.

This is a habit of laziness and is totally indefensible. Not finding a convenient place to draw off the pavement, a motorist halts for a moment on the hard surface. A car approaching from the rear can go by on the other side. True; but what if a car from the other direction is also going by?

A wreck; and the stopper is to blame.

The man who parks on the pavement, particularly near a curve or on a slippery asphalt pavement, is a potential murderer.

Silverton Has Fire In Woods One Man Reported Badly Hurt in Flames

SALEM, Ore., July 13.—(P)—A serious forest fire broke out about 30 miles southeast of Silverton at about 6 o'clock last night and was still raging this morning, according to word reaching here. The flames were reported to be under control by 9 o'clock this morning, at which time all communication between Silverton and the immediate vicinity of the fire was cut off. The flames started near Camp 14 of the Silver Falls Timber company. Two bridges on the opposite side of the camp from Silverton were burned out. An unverified report indicates that one man was seriously injured by a falling cable while fighting the flames.

BRISK BUYING BOOSTS WHEAT

CHICAGO, July 13.—(P)—Waves of buying boosted the wheat market in earnest today. Prices went up as much as 6 3/4¢ a bushel, September touching \$1.43 1/2. The principal reason was a Canadian government report that was taken here as definitely exploding theories of large American crops this season.

Siskiyou Trounces Dorris Champions

Sunday afternoon the Siskiyou Lumberjacks of Jerome defeated the Dorris baseball team, champions of the Butte valley league by the score of 5 to 6.

It was the initiatory game for the Jerome team, and by overcoming a four-run lead in the first inning they forged ahead by superior playing and co-operative team work.

The battery for the Siskiyou nine was Andrus, Worthen and Griffin, while the Dorris mixers were King and Yeomans.

Messick, of the winners, poked out a triple and three doubles in six times at bat.

L. J. Barker, manager, is now arranging matches with Klamath Falls, Weed and Yreka.

At the PINE TREE

The mystifying work of Mystic Clayton at the Pine Tree theater this week brings prominently under discussion a new and startling theory of psychologists, namely the possibility of securing information



from the subconscious mind through the projection of the "astral" body (and mind) of the investigator, contacting with the subject to be investigated. That the projection of the "astral" body is one of the latest achievements of psychical science is a fact announced by no less authority than Mr. Hereward Carrington, the able psychologist and author of New York city. Mr. Carrington insists that "it is not the conscious will which performs this miracle (or trance concentration), and he says that this result "can only be reached by psychic and occult methods." He further remarks: "Once reached and strengthened, however, it (the "astral" body-mind) is capable of performing all sorts of marvels, while the subject is asleep or entranced."

A decided foreign tinge has been given by Cecil B. DeMille to "The Road to Yesterday," his first personally directed independent production, which opens at the Pine Tree theater today.

This element is found in the featured players, Joseph Schildkraut, noted Hungarian actor, and Jetta Goujal, exotic French type, who play the leading roles.

COOLIDGE PLANS TO KEEP OUT OF POLITICAL MESS

Says He Will Not Participate in Congressional Campaign in any State

PAUL SMITHS, N. Y., July 13.—(P)—President Coolidge has no plan at present for participation in the congressional campaign this fall and in the absence of any announcement by him any reference to the subject that may appear in print should be regarded as mere suppositions.

The position of the president, in the face of various published reports as to his political plans since he came to the Adirondacks, was made clear at the executive offices today. Mr. Coolidge came to the offices from White Pine camp to attend to a number of government matters and to receive the newspaper correspondents for the second time since his arrival in the mountains.

Whether he will enter the campaign actively or perhaps only to the extent of making a few addresses late in the campaign has been a question upon which no light had been thrown definitely either here or in Washington.

For the present Mr. Coolidge has contented himself with a policy of hands-off, inasmuch as the primary contests are yet to be disposed of, and his apparent view is that the executive should not object himself into purely party fights.

13,128 Bales of Wool Auctioned

LONDON, July 13.—(P)—The wool auctions were well attended at the opening today and offerings amounted to 13,128 bales. There was moderate competition confined mainly at the home trade. Superior Merinos and crossbreds realized priced ruling at the close of the previous auctions. Medium and coarse crossbreds were unchanged to 5 per cent lower, while Cape of Good Hope and Natal wool was in better demand.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J.—There are fifteen unusually hungry chorus girls here. Their show closed, the theatre was locked up, and no salaries were forthcoming. They protested so vigorously at the stage door that the police were summoned.

L. AGRANDE, Ore., July 13.—(P)—La Grande well had under the warmest weather of the year yesterday, when the temperature rose to 103 above.

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE TO BIDDERS
Bids for the erection of a School Gymnasium will be received by the Bonanza High School Board up to 8 o'clock p. m., July 16th, 1926. Plans may be had from C. N. Coseboom, Architect. Board reserves right to reject any and all bids. Certified check for 5% of bid should accompany same. Mail bids to J. T. Bradley, Bonanza, Ore., or leave with County School Superintendent, Bonanza High School Board, July 9, 10, 12, 13.

NOTICE OF BOND SALE
Sealed bids will be received by J. T. Bradley, clerk, at Bonanza, Oregon, until the hour of 8 o'clock p. m., on the 21st day of July, 1926, and immediately thereafter opened by the Board of Directors of the Bonanza High School District, being sub-district No. 2 of County School District, Klamath County, Oregon. For the purchase of Bonds of said District in the sum of \$5,000.00, said bonds bearing interest at a rate not to exceed 6% per annum, dated August 1st, 1926, due and payable Aug. 1st, 1936. Bids must be accompanied by a certified check for 5% of the par value of the Bond issue. The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.
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Japanese Blamed For Motor Crash

GRANTS PASS, July 13.—(P)—Bernice Britton, 20, and Mrs. C. R. Stryker of Bradley, Nebr., were injured yesterday when the car in which they were riding was struck on Wolf Creek hill by a machine driven by Hiram Hiromoto, driver for Henry Koepke. Mrs. Stryker's injuries were said to be serious while Miss Britton was severely bruised and shaken. They were taken to Glendale for medical treatment. Hiromoto will be brought here today to be tried on charges of reckless driving, officers stated.

POLICE CATCH ESCAPED MAN

PORTLAND, July 14.—(P)—Gordon Phillips, 24, who escaped yesterday from a hospital where he was being treated for wounds received in a holdup attempt here, was recaptured last night in an apartment where he was located through a tip to police. He was placed in jail. An attendant at a service station failed to identify him as one of a pair who held him up following Phillips' escape from the hospital.

WOOL PRICES SHOW STRENGTH

BOSTON, Mass., July 13.—(P)—Wool sales show a firmer trend. Both territory and South American cross have been sold at prices one cent above the highest bid on the same wool last week. Business is still quiet with a number of houses, but interest is broadening. In some cases the volume moving shows an improvement over last week. The trade is looking with interest to the opening at London. Activity in New Mexico also is attracting attention.

IDENTIFY FIFTEEN

New York, July 13.—(P)—Revised list of the victims of the explosion of the Lake Deamark, N. J., naval arsenal this afternoon showed fifteen identified and four unidentified from the devastated area.

PURCHASE PROPERTY

Mrs. A. Purdin and son Charles A. Eaton have taken the lots formerly owned by John Barozzo in the Buena Vista addition.
In New York some one stole a silver plate upon which the Ten Commandments were engraved, but perhaps he couldn't read.