

SAFE AND SANE DRIVING URGED ON JULY 4TH

Care Materially Will Reduce
Holiday Accidents, U. S.
Motorists Told.

WASHINGTON, July 1.—An appeal to motorists of the country to lend efforts toward the Fourth of July a day of national safety was broadcast today by the American Automobile Association.

"While automobile accidents are not the major factor in the appalling death toll which usually marks the observance of Independence day," says the national motoring body, "nevertheless, careful driving on the part of every individual car owner greatly will reduce the total number of fatalities on this national holiday."

A survey in 1928 revealed that a total of 265 lives were the nation's sacrifice on July 4. Of this number 106 were attributed to drownings at the shore and lake resorts of the country, while motor car fatalities ranked second with 54.

General Rush for Outdoors

Coming near the peak of the summer season, Independence day is marked by a general rush for the outdoors and especially resorts. This makes for congestion on the highways and on the railroads.

Excursion trains are run on schedules unfamiliar to those using the roads.

At the same time it must also be noted that similar carelessness at crossings.

Way in which the car owner is advised to select a safe car for travel and take to the less crowded highways and byways.

Thousands of drivers are on the road on this holiday who are completely new to driving, while by-ways are crowded with picnic parties.

List of Holiday Don'ts

The following list of "don'ts" is for the car owner contemplating a holiday trip.

Don't try to pass another car on a crowded highway until you are in the road is clear.

Don't ignore special regulations by police authorities to handle holiday traffic.

Don't cross a railroad without positively being assured that there is no train approaching.

Don't move too close to the car in congested traffic, but leave ample space to bring your car to a stop in case of emergency.

Don't carry fireworks in the car, a nature that is liable to cause damage and injury by explosion.

Don't select a holiday outing spot in an area where there is certain to be unusually heavy traffic.

Don't start on your outing until brakes have been inspected and every feature of the car is in good shape.

AGREE ON 5-DAY WEEK

Pittsburgh Building Trades Slice Half-Day Off of Work.

PITTSBURGH, July 1.—An agreement has been reached by officials of the Pittsburgh building trades council and the Building Trades Employers' Association whereby virtually all building trades in the Pittsburgh district will observe a five-day week. The agreement effective next week will involve more than 18,000 men. Heretofore the men have had a five-and-a-half day week, but the weekly salary rates will remain unchanged.

Former Sheriff Gives Bond

ANGOLA, Ind., July 1.—Charles Zimmerman, former Steuben county sheriff is at liberty under \$7,000 bond today after surrendering to a United States marshal on federal indictments charging conspiracy to violate the prohibition laws. Russell Eckhart, who served Zimmerman as a deputy also was indicted. He posted a \$2,000 bond.

Mother Jailed



Because she needed money to provide an education for her children, she sold whisky. So Mrs. Katherine Post, above, 56 and mother of sixteen children, explained to a Ft. Smith, Ark., judge when she pleaded guilty to selling two quarts of home-made whisky. She was sentenced to serve eighteen months. She lives at Altus, Ark.

MEAT TRUCK STOLEN

Disappears While Driver Is at Breakfast.

A light delivery truck belonging to the Meier Packing Company, 527 West Ray street, containing 30 worth of meats, was stolen early today from West Washington street, while the driver was eating breakfast in a restaurant, police were informed. The truck minus the meat was recovered later.

Two bags, with clothing valued at more than \$100, disappeared from the home of D. L. Hope, 430 North Meridian street, Sunday. Clothing valued at more than \$170 was stolen from the Mendell Tailor shop, 139 East Market street, Sunday, and Victor J. Stiltz, 3343 North Capitol avenue, reported to police the theft of an \$185 ring from his home. Bandits who forced Ed Duncan, 14, of 2823 Kenwood avenue, delivery boy for the Wells drug store, Twenty-Eighth street and Capitol avenue, into an automobile near the store Sunday night, robbed him of a box of candy, a quantity of cigarettes and \$1.15 in cash.

BIG 4 VETERANS FROM NINE STATES AT PICNIC

Railroad Association Holds Frolic at Broad Ripple.

Nine states were represented at the picnic of the Big Four Veterans' Association Saturday at Broad Ripple park. More than 1,500 attended.

The day's program was preceded by a luncheon of railroad officials and officers of the association at the Columbia Club. President R. R. Harris of the association was in charge.

A basket dinner was served at the park and races and contests staged. Music was provided by the Big Four band.

J. G. Van Winkle was given the prize for the longest service, having been with the road for sixty-eight years. W. T. Streibling, 86, was the oldest veteran present. W. J. Smith, Long Beach, Cal., came the farthest.

Missing Children Found

LAFAYETTE, Ind., July 1.—Sonny McDonald, 8, and a sister Louise, 4, are back at their home today after being missing almost a week. The children were found asleep in a crude camp in the company of John Eads, 35, who claims to be an Indian. The children said they had not been mistreated. Eads contended the children's parents had given him permission to take them on a camping tour.

WABASH FILES TO FORM FIFTH RAIL SYSTEM

Merger Petition Asks O. K. on New Trunk Line Proposal.

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WASHINGTON, July 1.—Division of eastern railroads into five major trunk line systems serving the territory between midwestern cities and the eastern seaboard was proposed today in a merger petition filed with the interstate commerce commission by the Wabash railway.

The Wabash asked the commission to approve formation of a fifth trunk line comprising its own lines and those of nine other railroads, with one-sixth control of four additional carriers and trackage rights over existing roads to give it access to many important terminals.

Approval of the Wabash petition by the commission would create a new trunk line railroad with eastern termini at the Atlantic seaboard ports of New York, Philadelphia and Baltimore and with western termini at Chicago, St. Louis, Kansas City, Omaha and Des Moines.

It also would serve such intervening cities as Detroit, Pittsburgh, Buffalo, Toledo, Cleveland, Akron, Ft. Wayne and Decatur. Gateways to New England are a part of the Wabash plan.

Lines which the Wabash sought permission to acquire outright either under lease, by purchase of stock or in any other manner approved by the commission, were: Lehigh Valley, Wheeling & Lake Erie, Pittsburgh & West Virginia, Western Maryland, Lehigh & New England, Akron, Canton & Youngstown, Elgin, Joliet & Eastern, To-

Heads Kiwanis



Horace W. McDavid, above, of Decatur, Ill., is the new president of Kiwanis International. A lawyer by profession, and a former state legislator, he was chosen at the thirtieth annual Kiwanis convention at Milwaukee, Wis.

ledo, Peoria & Western and Chicago & Illinois Midland.

In addition to these nine carriers, all serving industrial districts in eastern trunk line territory, the Wabash asked authority to acquire a one-sixth interest in the Montour, Monongahela connecting railroad; Union Railroad of Pittsburgh and the Newburgh & South Shore railway.

The Wabash petition is in direct conflict with two earlier merger proposals dividing eastern railroads into four great systems filed by the Chesapeake & Ohio, a Van Sweringen property, and the Baltimore & Ohio.

In its petition the Wabash attacked the four-system plan of its two powerful rivals as "uneconomic" and liable to disrupt trade adjustments.

STORM CAUSES CRASH; 3 HURT

Women Injured as Drivers Are Blinded by Rain.

Three women were recovering at their homes today from injuries received in an automobile accident that occurred when two drivers were blinded by the storm at Center church and Bottom roads, west of the city, at 6:30 p. m. Sunday.

They are: Mrs. Clara Sutton, 43, Franklin, Ind., with back injuries; Mrs. David Clark, 72, Edinburgh, Ind., scalp wound and bruises, and Miss Fern Clark, 16, Edinburgh, bruises. All were passengers in a car driven by Roy Sutton, 45, Franklin, Cornelius Pindexter, 504½ West Washington street, driver of the other machine, and his wife and two children escaped injury.

Mrs. Ruth Curtis, 23, of 559 North Pershing avenue, was cut badly by flying grass when an auto driven by Mrs. Sophia Snook, 27, of 216 North East street, in which she and five children were riding, was forced into a ditch off the Rockville road west of Indianapolis Sunday night.

Fred Snoddy, 18, Bloomington, Ind., was cut severely on the left arm when a machine driven by Verdie McMillan, 19, also of Bloomington, collided with an auto operated by James A. Hash, Rural Route 4, Box 501, on Bluff road Sunday.

Others injured in traffic mishaps over the week-end were: James Sykes, 18, of 421 East New York street, head injuries; Gwendoline St. John, 8, Apartment 3, at 126 East Pratt street, head injuries and bruises; Mrs. Robert Beaver, 62, of 1139 North Beville avenue, head injuries.

The Well-Dressed Man of Future (Very Future)

LONDON, July 1.—See the man. Is he not a strange looking person?

He doesn't think so, though. He thinks he is very well dressed, and is proud to look like this.

What's that? — the absent minded professor who forgot to put on his trousers? Go to the foot of the class!

This man is supposed to be perfectly rational. In fact, he calls himself a pioneer in a movement for "rational dress for men."

Just to prove it, he appeared like this at the Ascot Races in England, which are very exclusive socially; in fact, downright snooty.

Everybody stared at the poor fellow, whom they thought must have lost something besides his shirt on the ponies.

Little did they guess that the well-dressed man of the future will look like this—at least, according to some of the free-thinking designers.

Milad's afternoon costume, they say, will consist of a ducky little dark coat, much like a dinner jacket, an open-necked shirt, chic little white "shorts," no hat, golf stockings, knobby oxford—and knees. Ye—ah?

CHURCH GETS FLAGS

Christian and American flags, presented to the Edwin Ray M. E. church by the Joseph R. Gordon Relief Corps and church members, were on display in the church auditorium today.

The Rev. W. R. Jones accepted the American flag from Mrs. Rosa B. Pense, patriotic instructor of the relief corps, while the Christian flag was presented by church members. The close union between the two flags was discussed by the Rev. Mr. Jones in his sermon.

U. S. DEBT CUT TO 17 BILLION

Country Starts Year With \$185,000,000 Surplus.

WASHINGTON, July 1.—The treasury started the fiscal year 1932 today, with a surplus of \$185,000,000, a public debt of less than \$17,000,000,000 for the first time since the war, and with government finances generally in a "highly satisfactory state," Secretary Andrew J. Mellon announced today.

Closing the treasury's books for the present fiscal year Sunday night, Mellon announced the surplus, which exceeded the treasury's first estimate by \$148,000,000. His statement said:

"Our national debt shows a reduction over the twelve-month period just closed, of approximately \$673,000,000 as compared with one of \$907,000,000 in 1928."

A "remarkable increase" of about \$220,000,000 in receipts from the current individual income tax was attributed by the treasury chiefly to widespread prosperity and profits made on the bull stock market of the past year.

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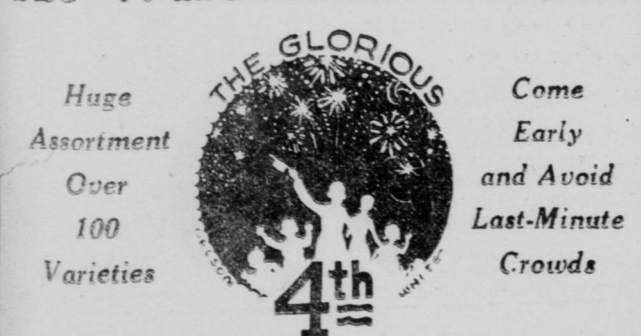
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