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Former inkeeper cited for contempt

The former owners of the Barlow Trail Inn at Zig Zag were recently held in contempt of court for failure to file income tax returns.

According to Carol Wisner, Oregon Department of Revenue information officer, Authur "Bud" C. and Maria England, now living in Seaside, were ruled in contempt of court by Oregon Tax Court Judge Carlisle Roberts in Salem on Sept. 5. The Englands were to have filed personal income tax returns for the years 1978, 1979 and 1980.

Wisner would not say whether the Englands' returns concerned their roles as proprietors of the Barlow Trail as they were self-employed.

Prior to owning the Barlow Trail Inn, the Englands had operated service stations in various parts of the state. They took over operation of the historic Barlow Trail Inn in the summer of 1981 and sold it in June this year.

The day of their trial, the Englands filed returns for the 1978 tax year.

Roberts has delayed enforcing his order and gave the Englands until today, Oct. 7, to file the remaining returns. If they fail to comply by the deadline, a warrant for their arrest will be issued to the Clatsop County sheriff. They could be faced with a fine, imprisonment or both.

"The free workshop will give unemployed workers a chance to learn about career opportunities, job training and retraining, strategies for coping with unemployment, and planning today for the future," said Dr. Stephen Nicholson, MHCC president.

"The college intends to be a part of the solution to Oregon's unemployment and economic problems. This workshop is just one of the things the college can do to offer direction, support, and assistance to unemployed workers in the college district," Nicholson added.

The workshop will include keynote speakers from industry, labor, and the college. They will discuss the economic outlook for the Oregon area, factors involving employment in today's labor market, and job training for the future.

The free, one-day workshop will also include representatives and information from several agencies and social services located in the Portland area.

For more information about, or to register for, the Moving Ahead workshop for unemployed workers, call MHCC at 667-7343.

Brewster visits confab

Ginny Brewster, a financial planner with Bruce Cook & Associates, in Sandy, was one of the participants in the 1982 IAFP Expanding Horizons Convention and Exposition held recently in New Orleans.

Sponsored by the International Association for Financial Planning, this annual event is attended by financial planners from all parts of the country.

By attending IAFP Expanding Horizons 82, Brewster took part in the world's largest gathering of financial planning professionals. She is a member of the Portland Chapter of the IAFP.

Cable TV rate boost eyed

by DAN DILLON

The cost of home movies and 24-hour sports is going up if Sandy City Council gives its OK to rate hikes proposed by Warner Amex Cable.

Council will consider the price increases at its Oct. 18 meeting after a study by city staff.

In a letter requesting the rate hike, general manager Michael Rector said, "Today's economic conditions, most notably inflation, have made it necessary for all businesses to remain flexible in their day to day pricing decisions."

"We recognize widely escalating prices for all goods and services. . . As in many other businesses, our costs have increased substantially over the last three years."

"Consumer Price Index for 1980 and 1981 were 12.4 percent and 8.9 percent respectively. Through

June, the CPI has risen at a projected annual rate of 13.3 percent," Rector noted.

As a result, Warner Amex is asking the council for permission to raise installation prices from \$15 to \$29.95 for the first television set in a home. Monthly charges would

jump 95 cents to \$9.95. Rate increases would be effective Nov. 1, if approved by the local council which reviews price

jumps for all licensees holding franchises in the city.

Warner Amex was granted exclusive cable television franchise

rights in 1980. The system has been operational for about the past two and a half years.

According to information compiled by City Engineer Greg DiLoreto, adjoining cable franchises offer similar installation rates, but lower monthly charges.

Following is the rate schedule changes proposed area customers.

	CURRENT	PROPOSED
I. Installation Charges		
A. First Set	\$15	\$29.95
B. Each Additional Set		
Same Trip	\$10	No Change
Separate Trip	\$10	\$24.95
II. Monthly Charges		
A. First Set	\$9	\$9.95
B. Each Additional Set	\$2	\$3
C. FM Service	\$2	\$3
III. Miscellaneous Charges		
A. Reconnect	\$10	\$24.95
B. Move to Location with Existing Outlets	\$10	\$24.95
C. Move Outlet within Home	\$10	\$24.95

Local man promoted

Rick Carey, assistant vice president, has been promoted to manager of U.S. National Bank of Oregon's Cash Management Department in Portland.



Rick Carey

Carey most recently was a commercial sales officer with U.S. Bank's Commercial Sales Division. He joined the bank in 1968 and has served in several positions at Portland area branches and downtown headquarters.

Active in community organizations, Carey is on the Board of Directors for Sandy Fire District 72.

He and his family live in Sandy.

Sandy Chamber plans business workshops

The Sandy Chamber of Commerce plans to sponsor low-cost workshops for area small-business persons who wish to sharpen their business skills.

Clackamas Community College has offered to conduct an educational series here for \$5 per person per workshop.

The local Chamber hopes to gather a minimum of 15 persons for morning workshops here, tentatively 6-8 a.m.

The workshops could be scheduled weekdays or weekends and would not be limited to Chamber members.

Possible topics could include computers, leadership, listening, record-keeping, financing, taxes, inventory control, advertising, selling, collection, incorporation, marketing, customer relations, leasing, pricing and more.

Interested persons could call the Chamber office at 668-4006 for more information and registration.

Tips for job-seekers scheduled at MHCC

Registration is now open at Mt. Hood Community College for a free, one-day workshop for unemployed workers.

The workshop, Moving Ahead... Options for Unemployed Workers, is set for Saturday, Oct. 16, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. in the MHCC gymnasium on the Gresham campus. Workshop space is limited to the first 1,000 unemployed workers to sign up by calling the college at 667-7343.

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