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\$1.50 A YEAR

P.G.E. TO REDUCE RATES EFFECTIVE AFTER MARCH 25

Commercial Users to Save \$485,000 Each Year, Company Reports

Commercial users of electricity in territory of Portland General Electric company will save approximately \$485,000 annually, based on their 1940 use of current, as the result of the new Bonneville-type rate schedule filed by the company with the state utilities commissioner late last week. The new schedule will become effective with all meter reading taken after March 25.

Company officials explained that the new schedule is in effect the Bonneville standard rate for commercial establishments as recommended by the Bonneville administrator for public utility districts and municipalities distributing power from the federal project, with an added, temporary surcharge similar to those found in the rate schedules of McMinnville, Monmouth, Cascade Locks, Skamania PUD and other public bodies which are purchasing their power requirements from Bonneville.

PGE, it was announced, has adopted the Bonneville standard rate as its objective and intends to adjust the present temporary surcharge, which is roughly equivalent to the company's taxes, in the light of any future increases in consumption of electricity or other circumstances which result in operation economies that can be passed on to the public.

An important feature of the new rate is elimination of demand charges for commercial users of electricity whose demand is 10 kilowatts or less, a classification in which 91 per cent of PGE's commercial customers fall. Demand measurement will be made by suitable meters, and in any one month will be the customer's greatest average demand over a period of 30 minutes.

The new commercial schedule follows:

First 150 kilowatt-hours, 3.5c a kilowatt-hour; next 350 kilowatt-hours, 2.4c a kilowatt-hour; next 1000 kilowatt-hours, 1.2c a kilowatt-hour; next 13,500 kilowatt-hours, .96c a kilowatt-hour; next 25,000 kilowatt-hours, .72c a kilowatt-hour; next 60,000 kilowatt-hours, .48c a kilowatt-hour; excess above 100,000 kilowatt-hours, .36c a kilowatt-hour.

No demand charge for first 10 kilowatts of demand per month; demand charge of \$1.14 per kilowatt of demand in excess of 10 kilowatts of demand per month. The energy charge for use in excess of 360 times the demand shall be subject to a reduction of 0.6 mills per kilowatt-hour from the otherwise applicable rate.

COUNTY MEETING IS HELD MONDAY

The Yamhill County Men Teachers association held its regular meeting at the local high school Monday evening. There were 20 teachers present. Earl Cooley, state vocational education director of Salem, was guest speaker. A short musical program, consisting of solos by Mrs. Laurice Fox and Mrs. Floyd Edmiston and several selections by the girls glee club under the direction of Miss Weber, was given.

After the meeting a delicious banquet was served by the home making department of the high school.

After the banquet the men were taken on a tour of the Pacific Plywood plant.

PNG CLUB PLANS TURKEY DINNER

The PNG club of the local Rebekah lodge will serve a turkey dinner Saturday evening, Feb. 22, at the lodge hall here. Cards after dinner may be enjoyed by those who wish to play. Tickets will be on sale for 50 cents. Children between the ages of four and ten will be charged 25 cents.

REVIVALS HERE NOW UNDER WAY

Rev. Lee H. Ensey, youth evangelist of South Bend, Ind., is now conducting an evangelistic campaign at the Free Methodist church in Willamina. Rev. P. J. Griffiths, pastor of the local church, invites everyone to hear "this big man who preaches a big Gospel." Services are held each evening at the church at 7:30 p.m.

3 LOCAL BOYS TO BE INDUCTED IN ARMY ON FEB. 21

The following named men have been selected for induction by this county's draft board. They shall report at McMinnville at 9 a.m. on February 21 whereupon they shall be sent to an induction station at Portland.

Order No.	Name
V-13	Floyd Adrian Lyman
V-102	Edward Paul Lee
V-125	Ralph Paul Janeway
V-126	Douglas Ivan Covey
V-324	Myrl William Shoemaker
V-403	Lilburn Aaron
V-467	Stacy Emmett Smith
5	Lewis Miller Hackworth
6	Philip DeForest Newell
11	Rudy Herbert Leander
18	Gerald Winston Loban
26	Lester Erving French
38	Paul Edgar Gustafson
42	John Albert Luebeck
54	Robert Clay Brown
83	Floyd Lester Hardy
94	John Ecord Holland
100	Keloarn Roy Dobbs
111	Earl Chapin Plumeau
120	Jack Clark
137	Harld Chester Huntley
147	Philip Claude Brown

AGATE SHOW TO BE HERE FEB. 25

Plans are being completed for an agate show to be held in the Willamina Rebekah hall on Tuesday evening, Feb. 25. According to reports, some very fine specimens will be on display. The show is sponsored by the Mineral & Agate Society of North Lincoln County Beaches. There will be no admission charge. Mr. and Mrs. Chas. McNeill of Willamina are members of the society and will have their rare collections on display also.

HOME GUARD TO REGISTER FEB. 22

Appointment of a special committee to handle the voluntary registration of all local Legionnaires and World War veterans generally for possible future national defense service as part of the nationwide American Legion preparedness for any emergency was announced by Commander R. L. Norris of the Sheridan Legion Post No. 75. Commander Norris has named the Shetterly & Bryant hardware store as the distributing point of the special national defense registration blanks. These blanks are now available at Shetterly & Bryant's. All officers of the local post will serve as ex-officio members.

The national commander has fixed Saturday, Feb. 22, as national defense registration day for all members of the American Legion and such unaffiliated World War veterans as may desire to participate. There is nothing compulsory about the registration. Filling out the national defense questionnaire and rendering any service that may be called for later, both will be entirely voluntary on the part of the individual. Registration does not involve any military liability.

Donates Building Site

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Latimer have presented a building site to the Full Gospel church. The property is located near the C. W. Haviland home. It is reported that construction of a building will begin in the near future.

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BIRTHDAY DANCE HERE NETS \$250 REPORT SHOWS

Willamina Is Second High In Net Returns From Yamhill County

Eighteen members and guests were present at the regular meeting of the Willamina Commercial club held last Monday in the basement of the Methodist church. Mrs. Bessie Lamson and Mrs. Pete Madison were introduced as guests.

R. H. Yates announced that the reception for past and present members of the city council would be held Wednesday evening instead of Monday evening in the union high school auditorium.

Dr. H. C. Tomlinson, chairman of the committee to make arrangements for a benefit program for the city library, reported that plans were now being outlined and that a definite announcement could be made in the near future.

H. A. Parrett, chairman of the Willamina infantile paralysis committee, expressed his thanks and appreciation for the cooperation he and his committee received in making the splendid record for the local fund. The report showed 643 tickets sold. Over \$7 was cleared from the coin boxes placed about town. Over \$20 was cleared from the sale of label badges which was under the direction of Mrs. Frank Fawk, local postmistress. Expenses totaled about \$95 which left a net balance of over \$250.

Mr. Parrett reported that Willamina was second to McMinnville in net proceeds turned over to the national foundation. Reports showed that McMinnville turned over \$315. Newberg \$98, Sheridan \$25, and other county towns contributed amounts of less than \$20.

It was announced that Dr. H. C. Tomlinson had been appointed the city's new health officer. Mayor K. E. Shetterly also reminded club members of the new law in effect now regarding the payment of city water fees.

The next regular meeting of the club will be in the form of an evening dinner meeting to be held Monday evening, Feb. 24, in the basement of the Methodist church. Each member is to bring a guest from some adjacent community to Willamina.

Dance at Bellevue

The next dance at the Bellevue community hall will be held Saturday evening, Feb. 15. Folks will be assured of good music, a good floor and a good time.

DAY NURSERY IS NOW OPEN HERE

On another page of this issue will be found an advertisement announcing the opening of the Day Nursery in Willamina. The nursery will be under the direction of Mrs. Chas. Coryell and Mrs. Floyd Edmiston at the Coryell house, across from Dr. Flannery's dental office. The new nursery will maintain 24 hour service at extremely moderate rates.

BULLDOGS NOW IN FIRST PLACE IN BALL LEAGUE

By BRUCE BROWN

Willamina won its sixth game in the Polk-Yamhill league by trouncing Independence here Friday in a free-scoring contest by the score of 43-30. Brown of Willamina and Byers of Independence shared scoring honors with 12 points each.

Willamina's "B" squad won their game 28-12.

Willamina	Independence
Brown 12.....F.....	12 Byers
Lawson 6.....F.....	1 Graham
Stinson 4.....C.....	2 Mareth
Davis 10.....G.....	4 Primus
Sims 8.....G.....	2 Barnhart
Cone 7.....S.....	
	S.....2 Smith
	S.....7 Peoples

Defeats Dallas

Willamina wrestled first place in the Polk-Yamhill league from a fighting Dallas team 34-31 there Tuesday in a hard fought battle. Willamina led all the way and had a 19-7 margin at half-time. Willamina's "B" team lost their game 21-18.

Willamina	Dallas
Brown 9.....F.....	10 Boydston
Lawson 6.....F.....	7 McMorris
Stinson 4.....C.....	4 Krockner
Davis 11.....G.....	10 Richardson
Sims 2.....G.....	Woods
Cone 2.....S.....	

WATER FEES ARE NOW PAYABLE AT W. BECK'S OFFICE

New regulations regarding the payment of water fees which became effective the first of February relieved City Marshal George Linton of one of his duties he has held for over eight years. Water fees are now payable at the office of the city treasurer W. Beck. Previously it was the custom for Marshal Linton to contact each water user and collect the fee.

COOKING SCHOOL TO BENEFIT CITY LIBRARY FUNDS

Willamina Electric and Civic Club to Sponsor Electric Demonstration

Next Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 19, at 2 p.m. an electric cooking demonstration will be held in the Willamina Rebekah hall. The demonstration is being sponsored by the Willamina Civic club with the cooperation of the Willamina Electric company. H. O. Stains, proprietor of the Willamina Electric company, states that new 1941 Hotpoint electric appliances will be used in the demonstration.

Beth McWhannell, home economist of the Portland General Electric company, will conduct the demonstration. All ladies in this community are cordially invited to attend and see the many new innovations made possible by electric cooking.

Immediately following the demonstration, a silver tea will be held, proceeds of which will go to the Willamina public library.

APPLICATIONS TO BE ACCEPTED FOR RECORDER'S JOB

At the last regular meeting of the city council, City Recorder Paul Fundman tendered his resignation to become effective at once. Although his resignation has not yet been formally accepted by the council, Mr. Fundman expressed his desire to resign inasmuch as his personal business affairs and other positions occupied his entire time.

Mayor K. E. Shetterly states that anyone who can qualify and wishing to have the office of city recorder should make application to him immediately. The office pays \$12.50 per month plus city court costs.

Mr. Fundman has been closely connected with city affairs since 1903 when the city was incorporated. He was elected the first mayor and served in that capacity until 1908 when he moved to the Butler district where he operated a store. He returned to Willamina in 1911 and was again elected mayor and served until 1913. He was then elected as city treasurer in which office he served for the ensuing 18 years. Five years ago he was elected to the office of city recorder and has served that office until February 1, 1941, when he tendered his resignation.

Mr. Fundman conducts a real estate and insurance business here, as well as being a notary public, justice of the peace and clerk of the union high school district here.

ALL DOGS MUST BE KEPT AT HOME WARNS MARSHAL

Chief of Police G. W. Linton has been instructed by the city council to inform local citizens to keep their dogs at home and off the streets. Many complaints have been made that dogs are disrupting traffic on various streets, and also gardens are being damaged by dogs.

In the future dogs found running at large on Willamina streets or found to be damaging property will be impounded by the city marshal and properly disposed of.

50-YEAR MASONIC EMBLEM IS GIVEN

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Beard went to Oregon City Monday evening where Mr. Beard had the honor of presenting the 50-year Masonic emblem to his father, Wm. Beard, at the meeting of Masonic lodge No. 1, of which both Mr. Beard and his father are past masters.

THE LIGHTNING STRIKES

