

Hearing on Capitol Zone Issue Expected

The city council is expected to set the date for a public hearing on the Pacific Telephone company's application to construct a new building near the state capitol in a meeting at the Chamber of Commerce Monday night.

Whether the council will call the zoning hearing depends on action taken by a joint meeting of the city planning and zoning commission, Salem long range planning commission and the Oregon chapter of the American Institute of Architects, to be held in the same place prior to the special council meeting.

If these groups report favorably on the company's application, the council will decide whether to call a public hearing. The company seeks to build a \$150,000, one-story office building at Court and Win streets. The city council will have to approve rezoning of the site if the project is to be started.

Con 'Accused' Of Committing 'Future' Crime

An Oregon state prison inmate was granted a writ of habeas corpus Saturday on his contention that he cannot be sentenced for an alleged crime he "committed" next November.

Marion County Circuit Judge E. M. Page granted the writ on a petition filed by Rosemary Lee Mosher in behalf of her husband, William Leo Mosher.

The order directs George Alexander, prison warden, to produce Mosher in circuit court here on June 26 at 9:30 a. m. for a hearing. Mrs. Mosher charges her husband is unlawfully restrained.

Mosher is serving a two-year sentence imposed in Linn county circuit court last March on a charge of grand larceny.

It is charged that the writ of information filed against him by Linn County District Attorney Melvin Goode alleges he committed the crime on Nov. 16, 1948.

What is apparently a typing error crept into the writ when filed at the time of sentencing by Circuit Judge Victor Oliver according to the writ Mosher pleaded guilty to the charge.

Lueddemann to Address C of C

Hillman Lueddemann of Portland, president of the Oregon Centennial commission, will address the Salem Chamber of Commerce Monday noon at the forum luncheon.

Lueddemann, president of the Portland chamber, will talk on "1948 Pioneering." The local group will observe the 100th anniversary of Oregon's admission to territorial status in 1848.

Now vice-president and general manager of Pope and Talbot, Inc., a lumber producing concern, Lueddemann is active in Portland maritime development and civic programs.

Christian Leader Will Speak Here In Behalf of Jews

Karl Bennet Justus of San Francisco, associate director of the National Conference of Christians and Jews, is to arrive in Salem Wednesday in behalf of the local Jewish welfare drive.

Justus, a Christian minister and former naval chaplain, is the author of "What Is Wrong With Religion," stressing the need for understanding, cooperation and unity.

At present he is religious news reporter for station KYA, San Francisco, and recently was appointed on the speakers' bureau research committee of the United Nations.

Airport Work Contingent on City's Share

The \$167,328 Salem airport improvement program envisioned by civil aeronautics administration in its budget recommendation to congress in the past week provide Salem with \$90,000 in federal funds provided the city put up \$77,328.

Chances that the entire program will be realized, even if approved by congress, remained distant because the city administration does not expect to have sufficient funds for the entire airport development which eventually is to include an administration building.

City Manager J. L. Franzen has been working for several months with CAA officials in preparing plans for an \$80,000 airport runways, paving of access road, small hangars and other work. For this project the city plans to spend about \$35,000 to match already approved federal funds of \$45,000.

In Washington, D.C., the CAA explained to Associated Press that the \$167,328 program would constitute first stage of the administration building, acquisition of new land, taxiways, aprons, access road change, parking areas, fencing, marking, drainage, landscaping, landing strip and utilities.

CAA estimated \$119,328 as cost of general site improvements, \$36,000 for buildings (apparently only the planned small hangars) and \$12,000 for land.

VA Office to Reduce Staff

Reduction in the local staff of the veterans administration and plans to move the Salem office to new quarters were announced Saturday by James Harris, contact representative in charge.

The four-person training section headed by Wayne Smith, training officer, will be transferred out May 15, with Smith going to Corvallis and the others to the Portland office. Harris said this is due to new VA policy under which supervision is given to training only under public law 16 and not that under public law 346.

The local office will move on June 1 from 167 S. High st. to 164 1/2 S. Commercial st.

Valley Obituaries

Hugo Haaland, May 1 — Hugo Haaland, Silverton resident for the past 38 years, died at his home, 115 Rock st., Saturday night after a two-months illness.

Haaland was born in Norway, Jan. 26, 1877, and came to the United States in 1908. After living two years in Portland he moved to Silverton and operated a shoe repair business from that time until illness forced him to retire two months ago.

He was married to Marie Hamre in Silverton in 1910. Surviving besides the widow is a son, Harold Haaland of Portland and three sisters and one brother, all in Norway and the east.

Announcement of funeral services will be made later by the Ekman Funeral home in Silverton.

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PFC Brown's Body Returned For Final Rites

Funeral services for Pfc. Stanley W. Brown, former resident of West Salem killed fighting with the army in France in 1944, will be held from the Howell-Edwards chapel Saturday at 10 a. m.

The Rev. Orville Jenkins will officiate and interment will be in Belcrest Memorial park.

Brown, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence R. Brown of 1043 Ruge st., West Salem, was born in Dallas, Ore., Nov. 11, 1920, and moved with his parents to West Salem in 1925.

He entered the army Aug. 7, 1940, and received his artillery training at Ft. Bliss, Tex. From there he was sent to Alaska where he spent 2 1/2 years, receiving a staff sergeant's rating. Returning to the states, Brown was placed in the infantry and given six months training at Camp House, Tex.

A squad leader at the time of his death, Brown was with the 49th infantry regiment when killed near Fort De Motagne, France, Nov. 17, 1944. Brown's body was sent to New York recently aboard a U.S. army transport and arrived in Salem Saturday night.

Surviving besides the parents are a brother, Keith A. Brown of Salem and a niece and nephew, also in Salem.

Former Salem Resident Dies

Ralph R. Ryal, 62, former Salem resident, died Saturday at the home of his sister, Mrs. Irene Cove, at Rainier, Wash.

He was born at Pennington, Calif., July 4, 1885, and came to Salem in 1905. A conductor and brakeman for the Southern Pacific company, Ryal worked for many years out of Salem and moved to Portland several years ago.

Surviving besides Mrs. Cove is another sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Taylor of Marysville, Calif.; two nieces, Mrs. C. A. Lewis of Salem and Mrs. John Harriger of Marysville, Calif.; two nieces, Mrs. C. A. Lewis of Salem and Mrs. John Harriger of Marysville, and a nephew, John C. Taylor of Portland.

Funeral services will be conducted by the Masonic lodge from Lincoln Memorial park chapel in Portland Tuesday at 1:30 p. m.

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Public Records

CIRCUIT COURT
Rosemary Lee Mosher on behalf of William Leo Mosher vs George Alexander, state prison warden: Writ of habeas corpus directs defendant to produce Mosher on June 26 at 9:30 a. m.

PROBATE COURT
June M. Nyberg vs Richard L. Nyberg: Order of default issued.

MUNICIPAL COURT
Lorne R. LeRud, Salem route 8, violation of basic rule, fined \$5.

Edward J. Hawes, Portland, violation of basic rule and driving without operator's license, fined total of \$15 on both charges.

Edwin C. Wittenberg, 1300 Shady lane, violation of noise ordinance, posted \$5 bail.

Cyril J. Walker, Mt. Angel, violation of basic rule, posted \$10 bail.

Herbert J. Bauer, 1865 N. 5th st., violation of basic rule, fined \$7.50.

Robert W. Bishop, 590 N. 17th st., excessive speed through intersection, fined \$15.

Melvin J. Lien, 2075 University st., violation of basic rule, posted \$10 bail.

Delbert W. Tripp, 1547 Market st., failure to display vehicle registration, driving with no horn and violation of red light, posted \$2.50 bail on each charge.

Beryl K. Kelso, Portland, violation of basic rule, posted \$10 bail.

Arthur Bower Succumbs to Long Illness

Arthur Hugh Bower, Salem resident since 1933, died Saturday night in his home at 290 S. 14th st., at the age of 55 years following an illness of 10 years.

Born in Colby, Kan., Bower lived in Idaho, Eugene and Portland before moving to Salem. Before becoming ill, he had been associated in the stock and bond business.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Marguerite Bower of Salem; a daughter, Janet Bower of Salem; a son, Donald L. Bower of Salem, and a brother, Loren Bower of Sacramento, Calif.

Clough-Barrick company is in charge of funeral arrangements.

Haag Named to Marion County Budget Board

A. C. Haag, Salem route 3, box 630, was appointed a member of the Marion county budget committee by Marion county court Saturday.

Haag will serve a three-year term beginning July 1 of this year. He is to replace Leo N. Childs, whose term expires. Haag is president of the A. C. Haag company, a farm and industrial implement firm at 2795 Silverton rd.

Meanwhile the budget committee was notified Saturday by mail that it will meet May 25 to consider the county's 1948-49 budget. In addition to Childs the current committee consists of the county court members, and John Ramage of Woodburn and D. B. Hill of Mill City.

All of the county's major departments have filed their 1948-49 budget requests. Exceptions are the county health department and the county assessor's office.

Expansion of the county's Bang's disease program would increase by about one-fifth the appropriations for the herd inspectors' fund and boost slightly indemnity for slaughtered cattle, the court said.

The herd fund now operates on \$16,000 per year and the slaughter fund on \$1,400. They would be increased if the county decided to include beef as well as dairy cattle in its Bang's disease program.

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Annual Scout Circus Set for Next Saturday

The annual Boy Scout circus that puts hundreds of Cascade area council scouts into action at the state fairgrounds here will take place Saturday, following this week's intensive preparations by troops throughout the Salem area.

Features of the scout circus day will be a parade in downtown Salem, starting at 10:30 a. m., and the 8 p. m. show at the fairgrounds arena where scouts will demonstrate their skills. Eagle Scout presentation ceremonies will climax the show.

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the scout circus, has virtually every member at work on committees preparing for the parade and show. Floyd K. Bowers is general chairman, assisted by Floyd Seamster and committees on campground, cleanup, feeding, parade, judging, traffic, tickets, programs and other phases. Monday

roes S. Cheek, assisted by Roger Cochran, is events chairman in direct charge of the night show. Circus events will include a grand entry parade, cub act, romance of communications, chariot races, senior scout act, pioneering exhibition and the Eagle presentations.

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