

PGE Replies to Effort To Block Substation

Portland General Electric company Thursday filed its answer in circuit court here to proceedings of John K. and Mamie B. Holt seeking to stop construction of what is known as "McClain substation" of the electric company on block 35 North Salem and alleges that neither the Salem zoning commission or city council had lawfully before it duly authorized and legal remonstrances signed by more than 50 per cent of the owners of real property in the affected area.

Long Hikes by Boys at Camp

Hiking reigned supreme at the YMCA Silver Creek camp this week as 70 campers and counselors took off for three hikes ranging in duration from one to three days.

The three day hikers, under the supervision of Roth Holtz, camp director, left Wednesday for a trip to Pamela lake at the foot of Mt. Jefferson where they expected to establish camp and engage in fishing and take a side trip to Hunt's Cove. Merlin Schulze, son of Dr. and Mrs. Daniel Schulze of Salem, and a veteran camper, is assisting in the supervision of this hike. Plans for the trip were outlined by Wayne Doughton of Salem.

The two day hike was led by Jack Forristal, unit leader at the camp, and Dick Reay, counselor. The two leaders and 11 boys struck out for the headwaters of the Little North fork of Silver creek, planning to return to camp late Thursday.

Another group of 17 boys with Greg Wanbert, unit leader of Evanston, Ill., and several counselors, made the tour of the waterfalls of the state park.

Under the supervision of Dan Eastman, another Evanston unit leader, a group of counselors and campers hiked cross country to the North Falls, thence around the group of cascades and back to headquarters.

Dr. R. Clarke Dies at Home

Ill for several years, Dr. Robert Clarke, 61, retired osteopathic physician, died Wednesday at his residence at 460 Morrison avenue.

Clarke, who came to Salem because of his health and had not practiced here, moved to Salem in 1944 from Chicago, where for a number of years he was a member of the faculty of the Chicago College of Osteopathy, holding the chair of respiratory diseases.

Born in Hamilton, Ont., May 20, 1889, Dr. Clarke completed his formal education at the Chicago College of Osteopathy from where he was graduated in 1924. Prior to this he had attended the American College of Physical Education in Chicago for a year and spent two years at Loyola University medical school in Chicago. He also spent a year at the University of Chicago on special academic and scientific studies.

Active in furthering the cause of osteopathy during his professional career Dr. Clarke was also instrumental in securing favorable legislation for that profession in the state of Illinois. He was formerly a staff member of the Chicago Osteopathic hospital and during 1932-33 was president of the Illinois State Osteopathic society.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Esther Clarke of Salem; a daughter, Mrs. William Nickels of Greensboro, N.C.; a sister, Mrs. Valery Fidler and two brothers, Jack and Joseph Clarke, all of Vancouver, B.C. Announcement of services will be made later by the Clough-Barrick chapel.

Cost \$5 to Order Dimming of Lights

Ronald George Patton apparently has found a method of getting other drivers to dim their lights at night, but it cost him \$5 in municipal court Thursday.

Two police cars were on hand to hear an amplified voice demand.

"Hey you, dim your lights." The police, seeing that Patton's car was the only other car moving in their vicinity at the time, halted it. They found a loudspeaker hidden behind the grill. The amplifier and microphone were inside the auto.

Patton was charged with the unlawful use of a public address system.

3 Days Meet of Credit Bureau

A three-day session of credit bureau representatives from throughout Oregon and southern Idaho, aimed at discussing the change in business from a cash to a credit economy, opened Thursday in Salem.

The sales phase of the change in the nation's economy was up for discussion Thursday with adjustment department problems slated for discussion Friday. The conference of the credit representatives is expected to close Saturday following medical division studies.

The present trend of business from cash sales to time payment systems has posed important problems in the credit field which business faced prior to the boom period of the war.

The president and general manager of the organization is Francis W. Smith of Salem. Directors are Lena M. Blum, Floyd Emmons, of Salem; Judd W. Davis, Boise, Ida.; Jim Phelps, and Paul Schmidt, Medford, and Stan Stuffer, Eugene.

Attendance at the session in addition to the directors are: Robert Zumwalt, Vern Clough, and D. G. Howell of Salem; Bernard Grough, Boise; Charles E. Williams, Nampa; Nellie Thompson, Caldwell, representing Idaho cities; Lloyd Berry, Ontario; B. Gallagher, Tillamook; Joseph E. Benjamin, Lebanon; Wayne Hardman, Newport; L. Toothman Albany, R. V. MacDowell, Corvallis; Kingsley Stoddard, Hillsboro; C. Wells, Coos Bay; Don Grilley and George Hartman, Pendleton; and George Pearson and Tom Williams, Grants Pass.

Start Courses On Polio Care

Starting next Monday, a course in care of polio cases will begin at Salem Memorial hospital, conducted by Mrs. Adam Lefor, superintendent of nurses at the hospital. The course will meet Monday, Wednesday and Friday evenings of the first week, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday evenings of the second week. The class will be in the hospital chapel, starting at 7 p.m.

All nurses, nurses' aides, and all other persons and volunteers interested in learning the techniques for care of polio patients are invited to attend the course. The second week will be a repetition of the first week course as an aid for those who might be unable to take in the first session.

At a noon meeting of an advisory committee Thursday other problems, should there be an outbreak of polio here or threat of one, were discussed. Dr. Robert F. Anderson said a group had checked on facilities and that enough equipment was on tap to take care of all types of polio cases and that respirators could

Chinese Reds Brand Chennault Air Pirate

San Francisco, July 21 (AP)—The Chinese communists today called former Maj. Gen. Claire Chennault an "air pirate," subject to punishment as a "war criminal."

The bitter attack, broadcast by the communist radio in Peiping, quoted an article in today's Peiping people's daily by the Chinese jurist Ho Se-Ching.

HOLLYWOOD

Now Showing - Open 6:45

I wonder who's kissing her now
June Haver - Mark Stevens
Co-Feature "SEALED VERDICT" with Ray Milland

WEST COAST SHOWS

Mile Long Midway All New This Year

Follow The Twin Searchlights To The Big Show!

Handbill on Cities Merger

Handbills calling attention to a meeting at the West Salem City hall Friday night at 7:30 o'clock and the election Tuesday, July 26, when the merger of West Salem with Salem will be placed before the voters across the river, are being distributed. The polls Tuesday will be open for 12 hours starting at 9 o'clock Tuesday morning, daylight time.

Urging the merger are the full membership of the West Salem city council, Mayor Walter Musgrave, Earl Burk, Al Copenhagen, Chester Douglas, Clay Helse, Collett Rust and Lawrence Sheridan. The group is also sponsoring radio programs over KSLM Thursday night at 8:15 o'clock and over KOCO Monday night at 7:30 o'clock.

Merger, the handbills point out, will gain protection by an organized and trained police force; adequate, and safe gravity water supply and a drop of 15.2 mills, equalling 17 per cent reduction in taxes. Current debts of \$75,000 for street paving and \$10,000 for the Salem water line will be absorbed by Salem if the merger is approved. Insurance rates will also drop 20 per cent, it is maintained, while the sewage disposal cost will be reduced from \$1.25 to 65 cents a month. The present inter-city PUC tax equalling \$25 a month now paid by the West Salem Bus company will also be eliminated.

The ancient Greeks used both iron and steel.

BASEBALL

Tonight 8:00 P. M.
SALEM SENATORS vs. TACOMA TIGERS
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BOB ABBOTT and LOU COSTELLO "Africa Screams"

• Thrill Co-Hit! • "KINGS OF THE OLYMPICS"

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PHANTOM OF THE OPERA IN FLASHING TECHNICOLOR

• THRILL CO-HIT! • Maria Montez Jon Hall - Turhan Bey "ALI BABA AND 40 THIEVES"

LIBERTY Now! Opens 6:45 P. M. Randolph Scott "GUNG HO" Robert Stack "Eagle Squadron"

BASEBALL

AMERICAN
New York 003 100 010-5 10 0
Cleveland 021 000 000-3 8 2
Raschi and Berra; Wynn, Bear-den (8), Paige (8) and Hegan.

NATIONAL
Pittsburgh 100 130 001-6 9 0
Brooklyn 009 010 042-7 9 2
Chestes, Werle (9), Casey (9) and Fitzgerald, McCullough (6), Erskine, Minner (6), Banta (9), Palica (9) and Campanella.
St. Louis 010 100 100-3 10 2
Boston 100 000 000-1 5 2
Breechen and D. Rice; Antonelli, G. Elliott (8) and Livingston.

Cap. John Nielson Air Officer for ONG

Maj. Gen. Thomas E. Rilea, Oregon's adjutant general, Thursday afternoon announced the appointment of Capt. John Nielson as the air officer with the adjutant general's office.

The captain, who joined the 41st division (Oregon National Guard) in 1935, entered federal service in 1940 with the division as a member of the 186th infantry regiment and saw service in the Pacific with the division until 1944.

Returned to the United States in 1944, Nielson transferred to the air force and after completing his training was sent to Europe where he saw service as a bombardier. He comes to Salem from Medford where he has been with the headquarters of the first battalion of the 186th infantry regiment of the Oregon National Guard.

Capt. Nielson, his wife and their small son have already taken up their residence at 1515 Mill street in Salem.

Dr. Driggs Talks Oregon History

Dr. Howard R. Driggs, educator and author and since 1928 president of the Old Oregon Trail memorial association, currently engaged in an evangelistic mission in the interest of the preservation of historic spots throughout the west declared that "you have history so rich and beautiful that you cannot afford to lose it" as he addressed the Salem Lions club and guests Thursday noon.

"You would feel sorry if Mt. Vernon, Independence Hall, the Alamo and similar shrines had

not been saved," Dr. Driggs said as he entered a plea for the establishment and maintenance of at least one building or block in each community where history could be kept alive.

Dr. Driggs said he did not expect the present generation to face the future while living in the past but declared that "what made America will keep America." "History provides us with the soil on which we produce our fruits," he added.

Dr. Driggs is being accompanied on his present tour by a number of educators out of New York and while in Oregon by Walter Meacham, also affiliated with the Old Oregon Trail commission.

ELSNORE

LAST DAY!
"Suddenly It's Spring" "Trouble Preferred"

MY FRIDAY!

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