

Gross Earnings City Tax Proposed for Utilities

By STEPHEN A. STONE

If the city council passes an ordinance bill which probably will be introduced Monday night all public utilities in the city will be on a gross earnings city tax basis instead of a flat fee, with the exception of the Railway Express Agency.

Miss Arizona Out in Front

Atlantic City, N. J., Sept. 10 (AP)—Who is Miss America of 1949?

That's the \$25,000 question tonight for 52 of the nation's most beautiful girls.

U. S. Production Rose in August

Washington, Sept. 10 (AP)—Industrial production rose during August for the first time since October, 1948, the president's Council of Economic Advisers said today.

The council said preliminary estimates place the federal reserve board's index of industrial production during August at 169.7, seven points above the estimated index for July and level with that for June.

Hopyard Worker Fined \$50 for Gun

Rosalio (Charlie) Salinas, the hopyard worker who fired a gun in the air accidentally wounding a companion, was fined \$50 and costs Saturday morning in district court.

It's FUN to keep fit!
Sun Valley Bread
LOW IN CALORIES HIGH IN ENERGY
AT YOUR FAVORITE FOOD STORE

Business Off To Good Start

New York, Sept. 10 (AP)—The early fall business season got off to a favorable start this week despite highly unsettled labor conditions.

Medford Gets First Rain in 100 Days

Medford, Sept. 10 (AP)—Watering restrictions in Medford ended today following the first rains of the season.

Reorganization of Police Due Monday

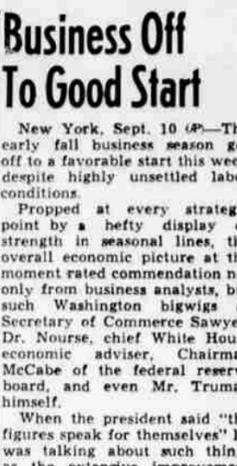
A reorganization of the Salem police department aimed at placing the new patrolmen on full duty status effective Monday was announced Saturday by Police Chief Clyde A. Warren.

Wedded Beauties to Be Crowned Sunday

Asbury Park, N. J., Sept. 10 (AP)—Break out your best recipe and primp up a little, you married gals, and maybe you'll be Mrs. America.

Tomorrow, the nation's top wedded beauty will be crowned. But good looks and a pleasing way of filling a bathing suit are not enough to win the \$6000 in prizes that go with the title.

Nothing Like It!
THE NEW Bin-bottle!
WITH THE MAGIC PANEL LETS YOU IMPROVE
Mr. Boston Fine Wines AT HOME!
80¢
MR. BOSTON WINES OF CALIFORNIA



No Remorse — Character study of Howard Unruh, who suddenly went berserk in Camden, N. J., killing 13 persons and injuring three others. He expressed no regret for his 20-minute shooting spree that turned a quiet residential section into a scene of blood and terror. (Acme Telephoto)

Dr. Leslie Carson Opening Offices Here

Dr. Leslie J. Carson, optometrist, opens his professional offices Monday, September 12, at 1991 Fairgrounds Road.

U. S. to Buy 48 Cars of Bartlett Pears

Medford, Sept. 10 (AP)—Another 48 cars of Bartlett pears will be bought by the government in this area next week.

SALEM Fairgrounds Parking Lot, 18th Street Entrance FREE PARKING

Thursday **SEPT. 15**
THE GREATEST SHOW ON EARTH

Ringling Bros AND BARNUM BAILEY CIRCUS
Fabulous NEW 1949 Edition
Presenting The MOST STUNNING SPECTACLES, DYNAMIC DISPLAYS AND STARTLING SENSATIONS EVER DEvised BEFORE THE EYES OF MAN!
TWO PERFORMANCES DAILY—2:15 and 8:15 P. M. — Doors Open 1 & 7
Seat Sale Opens Sept. 10 at Fred Meyer, 148 N. Liberty
MAIL ORDERS NOW



Dean LaPorte Welch filed an action in circuit court here Saturday against Douglas Greater Shows, now operating at the Oregon State Fair here, asking \$2,000 general and \$250 special damages for injuries he alleges he sustained while attending a place of amusement at the fair called Perry's Motorrome where motorcycle riders display their speed to the public inside of a flaring wall.

Carnival Company Sued for Injuries

Welch says he purchased a ticket to the show at the invitation of the defendant and ascended to a staging he claims was improperly built, that a section of the staging gave way and precipitated him to the ground. He says he sustained bruises, sprains and internal injuries which have incapacitated him from work since September 5, when he says the accident occurred, and will for a period of 60 days. He says he is capable of earning \$15 a day and was employed at full time gainful employment at that wage.

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Oil Slick Clue To Lost Plane

Port Angeles, Wash., Sept. 10 (AP)—An oil slick on the Strait of Juan de Fuca may be the first clue to the disappearance of a navy F4U fighter plane missing on a training flight since Thursday night.

The slick was spotted by a navy PBY near Cape Flattery, Wash., at the entrance of the strait last night.

The Corsair was piloted by Lt. Cmdr. William E. Flateboe, 30, Everett, Wash. Flateboe, a naval reserve squadron commander, is an assistant superintendent of the Sumner Iron Works in Everett.

Ironically, Flateboe reported the crash of a navy fighter plane Tuesday which killed Lt. (jg) Raymond Edward Vieth, 26, when it plunged into the same waters.

Flateboe's fighter was last seen flying in formation with two other planes at 8,000 feet. He radioed the others, "I'll see you in a few minutes." The Corsair left the formation and was not seen again.

In one of the most extensive searches in recent years, surface boats and search planes patrolled the area Thursday night until heavy fog rolled in from the Pacific ocean and forced them to quit. The widespread search was resumed yesterday morning and will continue today.

Additional Sports

NATIONAL
Chicago 012 002 302—9 13 0
Pittsburgh 010 090 040—3 10 1
Leonard, Rush (8) and Owen; Wele, Walsh (7), Gumbert (9) and Mast.

AMERICAN
Boston 000 010 200—9 11 0
Philadelphia 001 000 000—1 3 4
Parnelle and Tebbets; Fowler, Harris (8) and Guerra.

10 Year Girl Tells of Slaying

New York, Sept. 10 (AP)—In a small, trembling voice, 10-year-old Nancy Falletta spoke from the witness chair.

"I put my baby sister to bed and went to the window. I saw my father coming up the block. I saw Charlie coming up the block."

"I heard my father say, 'please, Charlie, don't shoot.' Then Charlie shot my father. After he shot my father he went up the block. Then he came back and he shot my father two more times. Then he went up the block again."

Nancy stood up. She pointed at Carmine (Charlie) Pettillo, 47, accused of killing her father, Frank Falletta, 35, in an argument about \$20.

"That's him," said Nancy. That was all of Nancy's story. Before Kings County Judge Samuel S. Leibowitz had permitted the little girl to tell it in court yesterday, he had asked her if she knew what would happen if she did not tell the truth.

"I'd have a sin on my soul," Nancy replied.

Worker bees are females in which sex functions have not developed.

OREGON'S GREAT STATE FAIR
Sunday is Bargain Day!
Last Big Fair Day!
Bring the Family!
Picnic... Play
Stop Here Regularly... See Horse Shows & Races... All-around Horse Races...
Admission 50c
Children under 12 Admitted Free
STARTS LABOR DAY
Sept. 5 thru 11
SALEM, OREGON

MILL CITY THEATRE
SUNDAY-MONDAY
Matinee Sunday 2:15
BING CROSBY
Rhonda FLEMING
Sir Cedric HARDWICKE
"CONNECTICUT YANKEE"
TONIGHT—ROY ROGERS
"UNDER CALIFORNIA STARS"
Plus "Special Agent"

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Bud Abbott
Lou Costello
"KEEP 'EM FLYING"
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Cartoon - News

GRAND
PREVUE TONITE! (ONE FEATURE)
• Ph. 3-3467 • Matinee Daily From 1 p.m. •
... AND STARTS TOMORROW!
There's a little of Anna in the best of women... and more of her in the worst...
Paulette GODDARD
Anna Lucasta
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"THE JUNGLE JIM"
"THE LOST TRIBE"
CARTOON AIRMAIL MOVIE TONIGHT!
NEWS!

Formal Guard Mount Staged

Men from the Air Force and the Army were honored at formal guard mount held Friday morning at 11 a.m. at the State Fair grounds as a part of the armed forces exhibit.

Air Force man honored was Lt. Col. Raymond M. Hay, formerly in charge of the Salem Army and Air Force recruiting station and now in charge of the Portland area station. The colonel, a veteran of both wars, is slated to retire from active duty this month.

Army men honored are Lt. Col. Henry Russell, Northern Military district, Sixth Army, who has been coordinator for the military exhibit at the fair, and two retired army officers, Col. Philip Allison and Lt. Col. Mark Hillary, both of whom have worked on the exhibit as members of the Military Manpower Committee.

Planning for the guard mount was the Marine Corps band from the Department of the Pacific. The band, which flew into Salem from San Francisco Thursday, made its final appearance here at the guard mount ceremonies and left for San Francisco later in the day.

At guard mount ceremonies Sunday a Coast Guardsman will

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School Bus Stop Law Being Enforced

State Police Superintendent H. G. Malson said today that Oregon's law requiring motorists to stop when school buses do is being strictly enforced.

Malson said mere warnings would not be issued to offending motorists. "Any educational period is past, and our officers will enforce this law the same as any other law," he said.

He recommended that pupils still use caution in getting on and off buses, however.

HOLLYWOOD
ENDS TODAY!
"RED CANYON"
With Ann Blyth, Howard Duff
"ESCAPE"
SECOND FEATURE
"ACT OF MURDER"
Fredric March, Geraldine Brooks

CAPITOL
LAST DAY!
"Stratton Story"
"Leather Gloves"
TOMORROW!
Another Big Super Bargain Program!

GABLE... A GUN and a girl!
M-G-M's virile romantic drama!

CLARK GABLE ALEXIS SMITH
in ANY NUMBER CAN PLAY
WENDELL COREY AUDREY TOTTER
A METRO-GOLDWYN-MAYER PICTURE
FRANK MORGAN • MARY ASTOR • LEWIS STOR

NIGHT UNTO NIGHT
A Dark Secret Threatened Their Love!
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