COMMISSION WINS POINT

STATE TO MOVE DISMISSAL OF PHONE RATE CASE

Denial from Attorney General by Public Service Body for Direct Action Satisfied

SALEM, Ore., Aug. 17.—The attorney-general's office tomorrow will file in the circuit court for Multnomah county a motion asking permission to withdraw the state's answer to the complaint in the suit filed by Robert Duncan and others of Portland, seeking to a reduction of rates of the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph company.

The Duncan suit was directed against the former public service commission and asked that an order issued by that body of February 28, 1921, authorizing an increase in the telephone rates, be set aside.

Decision to take immediate action in the telephone case was announced by Willis S. Moore, assistant attorney-general, in a letter to the commission today. Mr. Moore indicated in this letter that the commission had established a precedent in not consulting the attorney general with relation to the legal procedure that shall be followed, and as a result the commission will have to assume all responsibility in the case. Mr. Moore's letter follows:

"I have your letter of August 15 in which you ignore request in my letter to you of August 12 for information which, I explained, would be of advantage to me in representing you in the proposed withdrawal of the answer of the commission, on file in the appeal of Robert Duncan and others from an order of the commission fixing the telephone rates, and renew your request that I withdraw said answer.

"As your legal representative in said appeal, I have felt some responsibility as to the course to be pursued in withdrawing the answer, but I assure you I have no desire to inquire into your purpose in the matter and, much less, to retard you in any action you may contemplate taking in connection with revision of rates, or any other matter involving the exercise of your discretion.

"It has heretofore been customary for state officers, commissions, etc., to consult this office in matters pertaining to legal procedure in actions in which they were represented by it. Since, however, in this case you have elected to assume all responsibility for the course proposed to be pursued, please be advised that I have no disposition to insist upon compliance with my request of recent date, but I will proceed in due course to file a motion for an order to withdraw said answer as requested by you."

Recent exchange of letters between the commission and the attorney-general's department was inspired by a resolution prepared by T. M. Kerrigan, one of the so-called recall members of the body, demanding that the attorney general withdraw the answer to the complaint in the Duncan suit.

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APPLE GROWERS TO MEET

ORCHARD MEN WILL CONFER AT SALEM AUGUST 25

Lane county apple growers have been invited to attend a meeting of Willamette valley orchard men to be held at Salem August 25, to be held under the direction of the Oregon Growers' association, for a discussion of various problems that confront the apple men of this section of the state. All apple growers of the county are urged to attend, whether members of the association or not, according to the word sent out by the officials in charge of the meeting.

The pooling of apples for market purposes and matters concerning packing, storage and shipping will all be taken up by the growers, according to the schedule prepared by the association.

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BOOSTERS HERE TONIGHT

DISCIPLES OF 1925 FAIR WILL ADDRESS EUGENE PEOPLE

Cottage Grove to Serve Mayor Baker and Followers Dinner There This Evening

Eugene and Lane county this evening will be the hosts of a distinguished group of visitors from Portland who carry with them a message concerning the world's exposition of 1925. The Eugene chamber of commerce has extended an invitation to all interested to gather in the rooms of the chamber at 8 o'clock this evening. The caravan, headed by George L. Baker, mayor of Portland, has been accorded great ovations at every stop on its swing through the state, and it is said that not only have its members a message concerning the fair, but they are also good entertainers.

The caravan comes here today from the south, and this evening Cottage Grove will serve the travelers a dinner. Yesterday the Cottage Grove people invited the group that intended to go out from here to meet the caravan to take part in this dinner and help entertain the disciples of the 1925 fair. The Eugene Realty board at its meeting yesterday confined its entire business to the discussion of plans for entertaining the caravan members, and it was decided to send representatives to meet the visitors. The realty men will go out with the chamber committee.

It is understood that the meeting in the chamber this evening will not last longer than an hour, and during this time Mayor Baker and his galaxy of speakers will outline reasons for believing that the exposition will go through as planned.

NEW BASE NEAR YREKA

TWO PLANES WILL GUARD GIANT CALIFORNIA REDWOODS

Captain Smith Flies Over Eastern Lane But Spots No Fires; Cascades Are Fog Capped

A patrol base for the further protection of the forests of the Pacific Coast has been established by the 91st aero squadron at Montague, Cal., a place east of Eureka and about 10 miles south of the Jackson county line of Southern Oregon. Lieutenant Morgan left for the new patrol base yesterday morning from the Eugene field and he will later be joined by Lieutenant E. C. Kiel, who was stationed here last year. It is not thought likely that the patrols will operate from this base more than 10 days. The northwestern part of California, the land of the famous giant redwoods, is the district assigned to the new patrol base.

Captain Lowell H. Smith yesterday made a flight over Eastern Lane and intended to swing his ship over the Three Sisters country, but found that the summit of the Cascades was capped with a dense bank of fog. No new fires were spotted, and the miasmic haze of the summer fires has practically disappeared, enabling the aviators to obtain a clear view over an extensive territory.

Lieutenant Goldsborough, who was forced to land at Reddings, Cal., recently, when the bearing of his motor burned out, is expected to arrive here this afternoon from Crissey field with a new plane. The plane with the damaged engine was taken to San Francisco, but it was found that it would take considerable time to make repairs, so a new plane was assigned to the 91st aero squadron.

LODGE TO GIVE CONCERT

WODERN WOODMEN TO ENTERTAIN AT PARK

Picnic and Music Is Planned for Auto Camp the Evening of August 25 and Public Is Invited

Eugene camp of Woodmen of America is to hold an evening picnic at the Eugene auto camp back of the butte on August 25. The camp is furnishing coffee, cream and sugar and the members will bring their own basket lunch. The Eugene Concert band has been engaged for a fine program that is to be furnished the campers who happen to be camped on the grounds for the night. The concert is to start at 8 p. m. and the public is invited to be present and there is no charge, the entire expense to be met by the Woodmen.

A short address on the principles of the Modern Woodmen of America will be made by Attorney Howard Brownell, who is present consul of the local camp. The entertainment and picnic is in charge of Clarence Zumwalt and J. A. McKevitt. It is hoped that the citizens will attend in large numbers and enjoy the elegant program which will be under the direction of Professor Albert Perfect.

The Eugene camp of the Modern Woodmen now has a membership of 400 and it is expected that a large number and their families will be present for the picnic and concert, according to officials in charge of the event.

AMUSEMENTS

AT THE THEATRES TODAY

Rex—Lila Lee with Star Cast in "Is Matrimony a Failure?" Rex Comic, "Short Weight;" Charles W. Hawley playing Rimsky-Korsakow's "Song of India;" Atmospheric Prelude.

Coming offerings—Henry B. Walthall and Star Cast in "One Clear Call;" Charles W. Hawley in organ concert; Jack London's "The Son of the Wolf;" Round Three of H. C. Witwer's "Leather Pushers;" Richard Richard Barthelmess in "Sonny."

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A popular play that was a complete success, with a humdinger of a title, adapted as a paramount special comedy by Walter Woods and directed by James Cruze with a superlative cast. It is "Is Matrimony a Failure?" which opened at the Rex last evening and it met with a rousing reception. The comedy is highly diverting one dealing with an average little Main street town, half of the inhabitants of which suddenly discover that owing to a legal technicality they are not married after all. Just how the situation is righted and how the amusing dilemmas in which all the folks concerned find themselves in before this is done, is hilariously told in the picture. T. Roy Barnes, Lila Lee, Lois Wilson and Walter Hiers head a really excellent cast.

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John Mitchell, introducer of "One Clear Call," the offering which the Rex will present beginning Monday, is not only a firm believer in the value of great casts on the screen but is also a conscientious follower of the theory. His list of celebrities in this picture reads like a roll call of the most popular players in filmdom. Milton Sills, Claire Windsor, Irene Rich and Henry B. Walthall head the aggregation, and in the balance of the cast are Joseph Dowling, remembered as "The Miracle Man," Doris Pawn, Shannon Day, Donald MacDonald, Edith Yorke, Nick Cogley, Fred Kelsey, William Marion, Albert MacQuarrie, Annette DeFoe and Stanley Goethals. Eight of this assemblage rank either as individual stars or featured players of the ordinary release, and none of the rest, with the exception of Master Goethals, have had less than two years' experience before the camera.

AERO RADIO ENTERTAINS

GROUP GATHERS IN FRONT OF SHOP TO LISTEN

Despite the fact that considerable static was present in the atmosphere last night resulting in rasping sounds coming from the amplifier occasionally, the radio concert broadcasted from the 91 aero squadron station was enjoyed by a large group which gathered in front of the Myers station near the city park. Twelve phonographic selections were sent out, and the forest talk was eliminated from the program.

The radio men of the aero squadron have announced that the set is in fairly good working order now. Another concert will be broadcasted in a few days.

Lane County News

SPRINGFIELD NEWS NOTES

(Register Lane County Special)

SPRINGFIELD, Ore., Aug 18.—Mr. and Mrs. Claude Archart are making preparations to leave Saturday for Portland where Mr. Archart is principal of Lincoln high school. School will begin September 5.

Mrs. Ed Kester returned yesterday after a two weeks' visit with relatives at Astoria.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bressler left Wednesday for Siltcoos lake where they will remain for a two weeks' outing.

Frank Bailey of Prineville took his class of Sunday school boys from the Methodist church here to Cottage Grove last Sunday to attend the camp meeting. They returned Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Vallier returned to their home yesterday after a visit at the home of G. D. Vallier. They were accompanied home by their little niece Maxine.

Mr. McKellar, who is employed with the Mohawk Lumber company, spent the first part of the week here with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Johnson and J. D. Brown, of Echo, Oregon, are guests at the S. E. McIlee home.

Quinton Leathers, who feeds the trimmer at the Booth-Kelly mill, caught his glove in the trim saw, catching his hand and cutting the middle finger on his right hand, splitting it lengthwise. The bone was not cut. He was taken to the Eugene hospital.

A Mrs. Williams of Pleasant Hill spent the afternoon at the H. F. Crusberg home.

Miss Gretchen Herrick of Portland is visiting friends here for a short time.

J. R. Fisk and wife attended an auction sale Monday at Harmony.

Mrs. Gladys Compton and daughter, Wavel Kinsley of Los Angeles, California, have been visiting Z. T. Kinsley. They are leaving today for California.

Mrs. C. C. Gruning of Oakridge left for her home today after visiting with her mother, Mrs. T. A. Rathbun, for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. James Wheeler and family of Marcola and his brother, Joe Wheeler and family of this city, left today for Leona on a little camping trip.

Lawrence May is able to be back to his work at the mill again.

Lee Craft and Mike Leathers left last night on the former's motorcycle to attend the races in Portland. They will return Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence McClinic are spending their vacation at Pacific City.

MEETNG SITE IS PURCHASED

METHODISTS WILL DEDICATE CAMP GROUNDS AT GROVE

(Register Lane County Special)

COTTAGE GROVE, Ore., Aug. 18.—The camp meeting grounds purchased recently in this city by the Oregon conference of the Methodist church as a permanent site for the annual state-wide camp meetings of the church will be dedicated Sunday afternoon, according to present plans. Bishop W. O. Shepard, of Portland, will have charge of the dedication services, as well as preaching both the morning and evening services on Sunday, the final days of the camp meeting.

Five and one-half acres of land and a 12-room dwelling house have just been acquired by the Methodists for their annual gathering. Merchants of Cottage Grove subscribed heavily for the fund raised with which to purchase the property.

The attendance at the meetings this year has been far larger than last year, and fully twice as many are camping on the grounds.

CRESWELL NEWS NOTES

(Register Lane County Special)

CRESWELL, Ore., Aug. 17.—Nedra Clark and Eldred Clark of Glendale came Thursday afternoon to visit Esther McDaniel for a week.

Miss Ethel Baker left Thursday afternon for Fresno, Cal., where she will attend school and live with her friend, Mrs. Pansy Smith, formerly Pansy Wilkerson.

Carlisle Scarbrough made a trip to Crater lake the first of the week returning Thursday evening.

The Epworth League social announced for Saturday evening in the park will be held in the school house instead.

Mrs. Cora Olson returned Friday from a trip to Portland going to that city with her father, R. E. Stripp, last Sunday as he was started on his journey home to Chicago. She has visited friends in the city.

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YOU HAVE LIVED BEFORE, VIEW OF THEOSOPHISTS

L. W. Rogers, Exponent of Reincarnation to Speak Here

Reincarnation is an example of life that is attracting much attention among thoughtful people. Not long since it was a subject of ridicule, as nearly every scientific discovery and every philosophical conception has been in its time. It has been said that every great truth passes through three stages. It is at first ridiculed, then tolerated and finally accepted. It would seem that the hypothesis of reincarnation holds a prominent place in the United States and is attracting much attention. Many serious articles on the subject are appearing in the public prints, while both stage and screen are lending themselves to its presentation. But while some people accept it, many appear to regard it merely as an interesting theory explaining the origin and destiny of the race. In the theosophical philosophy, which is soon to be expounded here by Mr. L. W. Rogers, national president of the American Theosophical society, those who are interested will have a chance to hear a lecturer on the subject who has been referred to by the press as one of the foremost platform speakers in our country. Mr. Rogers is booked for two lectures on August 20 and 21 at 8 P. M. in the parlors of the Hotel Osburn. Those interested in the subject are cordially invited to attend.

American Press Comment:

"It is the eminently practical side of Mr. Rogers' teachings that has made his lectures so popular."—San Diego Daily Union.

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"Mr. Rogers speaks with the art which conceals art. His diction is faultless, his arguments marshaled in convincing order."—Armidale Chronicle.

Reincarnation

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Mr. L. W. Rogers, president of the American Theosophical society, will present above subject in a lecture on Sunday evening, August 20, at 8 o'clock, in the parlors of the Hotel Osburn. Free to everyone.

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