

ORDER UTILITIES SHOW CAUSE FOR PROTESTED FEES

\$7800 Salary to Guy Talbot, Donations to Chambers Commerce, Holding Company Levies Questioned

SALEM, Sept. 27.—(AP)—The electric bond and share group of utilities of Portland, headed by the Northwestern Electric Company, was ordered to appear before Public Commissioner Frank McCulloch on October 10 to show cause why it should not deny payment of about \$110,000 listed on its budgets and against which the commissioner has entered protest.

The items questioned by the commissioner include the salary of \$7,800 payable to Guy W. Talbot, former president of the company; certain donations to chambers of commerce and associations of electric, gas and steamship industries, and also questioning fees paid to the Electric Bond and Share company under "holding company" contracts.

McCulloch said the group has consistently denied the validity of the legislative act of 1933 giving the utilities commissioner jurisdiction over the budgets of public utilities and the right to reject and remove from operating expenses items which in the opinion of the commissioner were improper as a charge to operating expense. The companies have filed their budgets each year but solely as

a matter of information to the commissioner.

Holding company fees constitute the largest items to be paid by the Northwestern Electric company, Pacific Power and Light company, Portland Gas and Coke company, and the Inland Power and Light company to the Electric Bond and Share company.

The order stated the "matter of fees paid to holding companies has been for five years the subject of serious controversy." The commissioner has made a thorough investigation and his order to refuse payment and if not to show cause why such money should be charged against the operation rather than against profits were issued.

MISSIONARIES TALK ON INDIA TONIGHT

The Rev. and Mrs. F. A. Poffer of Yeotmal, India, will give a portrayal of life in the far east at the Free Methodist church at 7:45 tonight. Their talks will be illustrated with slides and exhibits from India will be on display.

The Rev. and Mrs. Poffer went to India as missionaries in 1918. While there he initiated several organizations to finance Christian enterprises and the education of Indian children. In his mission workshop he developed improved tools for home industry and agriculture, using these to translate Christianity in terms of things the natives were accustomed to.

Aiding her husband in his missionary work, Mrs. Poffer specialized in bible study with children.

For those that wear buy NOLDE & HORST Ethelwyn B. Hoffmann. Use Mail Tribune want ads.

SKINNER TO SHOW 1936 BUICK CARS IN CITY TOMORROW

FLINT, Mich., Sept. 26.—Four new lines of automobiles, the result of two years of preparation involving complete re-design of the product and sweeping changes in manufacturing facilities, are announced today by the Buick Motor company.

Styled and engineered to meet every requirement of the modern motorist, the new Buicks have exceptional speed, maneuverability and economy; unusually attractive treatment, and rugged construction that provides characteristic dependability in a group of cars that will be noted for their finishing performance.

Buick for 1936 offers a standard production car in the \$1,000 field, having the qualifications of a specially built racing automobile. At the same time, the company offers three other lines ranging from the low medium through the medium price brackets.

Two straight eight valve-in-head engines of Buick design, developing 98 and 120 horsepower, are the power plants for the four lines of cars. Among other features are new streamlined styling with a speed motif throughout, solid steel "turret top" Fisher bodies, slanting Vee-type windshields, anodized alloy pistons of light weight and the harness of cast-iron, sealed chassis, improved independent front wheel suspension and hydraulic brakes.

Prices are lower for all models. The four series of cars, ranging upward in wheelbase, weight and price class are the Buick Special, the Buick Century, the Roadmaster and the Limited. Numerical designations of the four groups are the Series 40, Series 60, Series 80 and Series 90, respectively.

The Buick Series 40 Special is a 18-inch wheelbase car powered by a 93-horsepower straight eight engine of valve-in-head design. Somewhat heavier than last year's lowest priced Buick, it duplicates the exceptional performance of that car. Top speed is 85 miles an hour.

The Buick Century is powered by a 120-horsepower, valve-in-head straight eight engine mounted on a 122-inch wheelbase chassis. Average top speed of the Century under proving ground tests is 95 miles an hour.

The Roadmaster series includes two six-passenger body types mounted on a 131-inch chassis. Likewise powered by a 120-horsepower engine, it has a top speed of 90 miles an hour, with equivalent performance throughout the driving ranges.

Buick Limited models are built on a 138-inch wheelbase chassis, and are designed to accommodate six or eight passengers. Top speed of the Limited is 87 miles an hour.

A total of 14 body types are listed for the four lines of cars.

Speed is the motif followed throughout in the new Buick styling. Radiators are high and wedge-shaped, with die-cast chromium grilles. Fenders, entirely new in design, are speedlined and attached to flat runningboard. The long hoods are carried forward to meet the grille at which point is mounted an attractive modernistic radiator ornament.

New bodies by Fisher are streamlined from cowl to tail, featuring sharply slanted Vee-type windshields with double windshield wipers mounted at the bottom. Outstanding 1936 Buick body feature is Fisher all-steel "turret top" with which all cars are equipped. Besides being an important structural and safety factor, the "turret top" is regarded as one of the major appearance features of the cars.

Interiors of the 1936 Buicks match their attractive exteriors. Here also the speed-line motif prevails in the design of door and ventilator handles, instrument panel, trim and all interior fittings. A new style of upholstery, emphasizing the same theme, has been accomplished, using fabrics of exceptional quality.

Buick makes its bow for 1936 with an entirely new and modern emblem, a figure "B" superimposed upon an attractive Buick shield. This is carried just above the right center of the radiator grill and is to be found as an identifying mark on the instrument panel and on the rear of the built-in trunks in all sedan models.

Built-in trunk design is a feature of all Buick sedan models for 1936.

Opening of the fall and winter classes of the Medford Study club of the American Savings, Building and Loan Institute is announced by A. P. Butler of the Jackson County Building and Loan association. Purpose of the recently formed club is to study fundamentals of building and loan practices.

This is an entirely new activity in this part of the state, although the Portland chapter is well-established and consists of the majority of the savings and loan associations in that city. Activities of the institute nationally are under direction of A. D. Theobald, director of education and research, with headquarters in Chicago.

Organization meeting of the local unit was held at the offices of the Jackson County Building and Loan association, September 11, and the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: A. P. Butler, president; H. P. Eiden, secretary-treasurer; and J. H. Fletcher, instructor. The subject to be studied will be "Fundamentals of Building and Loan Practice." Classes will meet each week for discussion.

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COUNTY BRIEFS

Oak Grove

OAK GROVE, Sept. 27.—(Sp.)—The baseball game between Jacksonville and Oak Grove schools was called off on account of an epidemic of measles in Jacksonville. Miss Runels is giving a half a day a week as a community nurse at the Oak Grove school, she is at the school Wednesday morning. Any one wishing advice should leave a message at Shore Service station across from the school.

Robert Taylor has been home from school several days with the "flu." Weston Wordon entered school Monday. He has been attending in Medford. His parents have purchased the Carpenter place.

Miss Alberta Knips of Oakland, Cal., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Knips on Oak Grove road. Miss Knips is a nurse in East Oakland hospital. She made the trip to Portland by boat, where she visited her sister, Mrs. Tille Hall, for two weeks before coming to Oak Grove.

A. E. Brunson left for Coeur D'Alene, Idaho, last week, where he will make his home with his sister. Mr. Brunson has been ill for some time and all hope his health will improve.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Roberts spent Saturday and Sunday at Traska, Cal. Mrs. W. Cleave, who has been confined to her bed the last week with "flu," is improved and able to be around again.

The Moore family of Steward avenue are moving into the house on the Campbell ranch this week. John Brewold started to Normal school at Ashland Monday.

Antelope

ANTELOPE, Sept. 27.—(Sp.)—Fred Dutton is quite ill at his home near Antelope. All hope for a speedy recovery.

Donald Arens, Raleigh Allen, Earl Millard and Barnie Riggs have gone deer hunting.

Bob Lindsay was transferred from Anderson Butte lookout to Buck Peak lookout for the rest of the season.

Roland Allen had his arm badly torn and mangled Sept. 17, while working on an engine. He is under the care of a Medford doctor.

Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Allen entertained with a shower Sept. 17 in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Roland Allen, who were recently married. A large number of lovely gifts were received.

Charlie Cinkode has been threshing clover seed for Tom Hattlett.

Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Allen left Sept. 26 for Salem on business.

Mr. and Mrs. John Grebb spent Sunday at Butte Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Erickson, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Arens and son Bob, Mrs. B. K. Riggs and children, Mrs. Bob Lindsay and daughters, attended the show of Will Rogers Sept. 21.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bigham and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bigham and children and Mr. and Mrs. Luther Day attended the rodeo in Medford Saturday.

Mrs. Dottie Dutton and Mrs. Sarah Riley were in Medford shopping Sept. 16.

Lake Creek

LAKE CREEK, Sept. 27.—(Sp.)—Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Moore were guests Thursday at the L. J. Grissom home.

Mrs. and Mrs. Herb Grissom were callers Tuesday at the Tonn and Bush homes.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Meyer and Tom Stanley spent last week at Rancheris, where they were building a cabin to be used while riding.

W. H. Nussbaum was taken suddenly ill Monday and was taken to the Sacred Heart hospital, where he was under observation of doctors, according to last report.

Mrs. Ted Hoffi and daughter June, have moved to Griffin Creek, where Lyle and June will attend the Rogue River academy.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Tonn of Central Point, are visiting at the Tonn home while Harry is hunting.

Six children of the J. B. Short family are scarlet fever patients, although four of them are able to be up an about the house, Jimmie, who was the second to be taken ill, is still very sick.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Meyers spent a few days last week with their daughter, Mrs. Frank Pettigrew and family, at Trail.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Ragadale, H. G. Meyer, and E. E. Meyer attended the rodeo in Medford.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Tonn spent Tuesday evening at the Ragadale home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Wilhite are enjoying a visit from their daughter Elsie and husband of San Mateo, Cal. Lost Creek club met Thursday at Mrs. C. R. Morris' with Alice Klinglie and Myrtle Charley as leaders. The lesson for the day was Buymanship.

Willow Springs

WILLOW SPRINGS, Sept. 27.—(Sp.)—The first fall meeting of the Willow Springs Thursday club will be on October 3 at the home of Mrs. J. W. Elden on the Pacific highway.

Mrs. Elden has planned a Will Rogers program and requests all members to bring items of interest by or about him.

M. P. Carney, who formerly lived on Blackwell Hill, is moving to Oakland, Cal., to be near his daughters.

Miss Rose Jones celebrated her birthday anniversary last Saturday with an afternoon party. Miss Rose received many useful gifts.

W. H. Gardner and Cell Clements returned Wednesday from a successful hunting trip.

Mrs. Clyde Richmond is suffering from a severe case of poison oak.

A. V. Carlson and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Anderson and son, Oscar, motored to Crater Lake last Saturday. Oscar is here from Corvallis visiting his parents.

The pear harvest in this district is about over but the tomato crop is at its height. The tomatoes are very fine this year and ripening faster than the factories can care for them.

Mr. and Mrs. Staruk of Hillsboro are week-end guests at the H. Ramstrom home. While in southern Oregon, the Staruks will visit their son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Stark, of Prospect.



Follow this wise little pig to our big, Month End Sale, all the rest of September. See for yourselves. We Reserve the Right to Limit Quantities

SUGAR 10 lbs. 51c Pure Cane in Cloth Bags

DEL MONTE FRUIT COCKTAIL, No. 1 tall can 16c BISQUICK, large package 31c GRAPE-NUT FLAKES, large package 10c MAXWELL HOUSE COFFEE, pound can 27c

MILK TEA CUP Tall Cans 5c Small cans 3 for 10c

WALDORF TISSUE 6 rolls 25c B. and M. LIMA BEANS, No. 1 tall can 10c CHATKA FANCY CRAB MEAT, No. 1/2 size can 29c SCOTT TISSUE, 1000 sheet roll 3 for 25c

Softasilk CAKE FLOUR 31c LGE. PKG.

SHORTENING, pure vegetable 3 pounds 37c EAGLE BRAND MILK, Borden's, can 21c UNDERWOOD CLAM CHOWDER, can 10c HOMINY, Van Camps, No. 2 1/2 can 10c

BEVERAGES DINNER WINES RIVIERA sweet fortified Port, Sherry, Muscatel, Tokay and Angelica. FIFTHS 43c BEER—Casino 11c Case 12 oz. bottle 2.63 30c refund on case of bottles

FRUIT JARS 75c While they last, Quart size, dozen

OVALTINE, food drink, large size 59c SHREDDED WHEAT 2 pkgs. 21c DOG FOOD, Trixie, pure beef ration, can 5c GRAPEFRUIT, Reliable, for health, can 10c

TROCO FIG BARS (Ladies Handkerchief FREE) 2 lbs. 35c Fresh, white or wholewheat 2 lbs. 25c

FLOUR 49 lb. \$1.59 Buy Now Hardwheat. Every sack guaranteed

CAMAY TOILET SOAP 3 bars 14c SHRIMP, GULF BEST 2 cans 25c CRUSHED PINEAPPLE, Del Monte buff 2 for 15c

Chase & Sanborn, dated COFFEE lb. 23c

PEAS, Del Monte Early Garden, No. 1 2 for 29c

YOUR CHOICE—GIBBS PORK and BEANS, BEST SOUP or SPAGHETTI, QUALITY 4 cans 25c

VEGETABLES They're Really Fresh Here

Fresh Fruits & Vegetables Watermelons, local, ripe 1/3c pound Carrots 2 bunches 5c Egg Plant each 4c Grapes, seedless Tokays 5c lb. Spuds, U. S. No. 1 25 lbs. 33c Huckleberries, gallon \$1.00

We Congratulate Mr. and Mrs. Carpenter on Their Remodeled Store— THE Band Box Wm. Hammett, Heating & Plumbing Oil Burning Equipment 225 West Main. Phone 659

"No more 'by-guess-and-by-golly' baking!" SAYS MRS. OWEN H. FLEMING, 1235 JUDSON AVE., EVANSTON, ILL. Calumet Baking Powder is selling at New Low Prices! MRS. FLEMING, of Evanston, Ill., was one of the first to hear the grand news: All Calumet prices are lower! "No need for any woman to take chances with her baking now," says Mrs. Fleming. Why does Calumet give such astonishing "baking luck"? Why is Calumet different from other baking powders on the market? It's because of the way Calumet combines two distinct leavening actions. A quick action for the mixing bowl—set free by liquid. A slower action for the oven—set free by heat. Calumet's double action is so perfectly balanced and controlled that it produces perfect leavening. And it's perfection that you can always count on. Now! Big New 10c Can.. Calumet, the Double-Acting Baking Powder, comes in two convenient sizes. The new-size can is yours for a dime... the regular price of the Full-Pound Can is now only 25c!

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