

Pacific Power Men Receive Promotions

Pacific Power & Light Company has announced the promotion of Terry Kileen, Willamette-Coos area power superintendent since 1963, to the supervisory staff at the \$200-million Centralia Steam-Electric Project at Centralia, Wash.



Terry Kileen

according to Elwood B. Hedberg, manager of power operations at PP&L.

Succeeding him is Kenneth E. Coleman, KallsPELL-Sandpoint area power superintendent for the past two years and a veteran hydro power plant operator with the utility firm.



Kenneth E. Coleman

Kileen has worked at every major stream-electric generating plant in the PP&L system during his 22-year career with the power company.

Following 12 years as a steam engineer with several West Coast and Far East shipping lines, he joined PP&L as a fuelman and in two years became an operator at the Tillamook steam plant in 1953 and advanced to Astoria power superintendent in 1956.

He was assigned to the staff that started up PP&L's huge Dave Johnston steam plant at Glenrock, Wyo., in 1960, and returned to Coos Bay a year later to become assistant area power superintendent. For the past seven years, he has supervised the operation of the company's high-voltage transmission system in the Willamette Valley and in Coos county, headquartered at Albany.

The Centralia supervisory staff will oversee the start up and operation of the Pacific Northwest's first large-scale generating plant to be fueled by coal. The region will enter the thermal era of electric power production when the first unit of the 1,400,000-kilowatt plant goes "on the line" in September, 1971. Unit No. 2 will follow a year later.

Kileen is married and has a daughter who is a high school teacher and another, a junior at Marylhurst College in Portland. He is a member of the Elks Club and the Knights of Columbus.

Coleman has put in nearly 22 years in PP&L's power department. He spent 13 years in southern Oregon as an operator and dispatcher at several hydro projects, was named system dispatcher at the Utility's Portland operating headquarters in 1961 and was promoted to the KallsPELL-Sandpoint assignment in May 1968. He has a wife and daughter.

Where Are The Steelhead

by Milt Guymon
Where are the steelhead? This has been the hue and cry among a large number of steelhead fishermen all winter, bemoaning one of the poorest fishing seasons in quite a spell. Most are convinced that the

winter runs have been a complete bust. As one angler put it, "There just ain't no steelhead."

But this isn't quite the true picture, at least as far as Oregon streams are concerned, even though steelheaders have had a tougher time than usual catching fish. Steelhead runs fluctuate from year to year and the runs may be down from the bonanza anglers reaped the past few years. But runs in most streams are not the washouts many anglers believe. Furthermore, anglers should shoulder some of the blame for their lack of success simply because they have been unwilling to adapt to the unusual water conditions we've had most of the winter.

There is a group of steelheaders, though, who have altered their angling techniques to take advantage of abnormal water flows, and these anglers have taken steelhead as usual. Also, counts of steelhead reaching Game Commission weirs and counting stations show the runs are normal on these streams.

Up until mid-January with heavy rains and continued high water since, steelhead streams received only one good rise in water levels, with this occurring about mid-December. The one big freshet brought in a surge of steelhead as expected and anglers enjoyed fine success immediately following. Prior to the freshet and up to the January storms, most streams fluctuated little and most were lower than normal and quite clear. To sum it up, from early November through mid-January there were no recurrent freshets which result in the frequent surges of incoming steelhead anglers expect.

Instead of the surges—except for the one in December—steelhead have been dribbling into our coast stream all winter, even during low water periods. The big sea-goers are spooky as a jittery rabbit in the clear water, and anglers

Army Engineers Invite Public To Visit Projects During Engineers' Week

All projects in the Portland U. S. Army Engineer District will hold open house for the public during Engineers' Week, February 22-28, according to Col. Robert L. Bangert, Portland District Engineer.

The Army Corps of Engineers is co-sponsoring National Engineers Week jointly with the National Society of Professional Engineers. The theme of this year's National Engineers Week is "Engineering... Environmental Design for the 1970's."

"Army Engineers have long been concerned with the quality of the Nation's environment," Col. Bangert said. "The Corps of Engineers has been identified more than any other agency with the development of the country's water resources."

"The Corps recognizes its responsibilities in dealing with its environment. It does not seek to destroy nature—only to assist it to serve the public better," Col. Bangert added.

The public is cordially invited to visit Portland Engineer District projects all year around, but the welcome mat is especially out during Engineers' Week, February 22-28.

In the Salem-Albany area, Army Engineers' project open to visitors are Detroit and Big Cliff Dams on the North Santiam River east of Mill City and Green Peter and

who continued to fish with large baits and heavy hardware failed to catch fish. Disgruntled anglers immediately blamed their woes on failure of the runs. The heavy mid-January rains did bring in a good surge of steelhead and anglers had better get at them now or these fish too will pass them by to upstream spawning areas.

Foster Dams on the Middle and South Santiam River, 38 miles southeast of Albany.

Santiam JVs Take North Marion

Santiam JVs extended their season record to 12 wins and 4 losses Friday night by downing the North Marion Huskies 69 to 37. Steve Lewellen led all scorers with 17 points, followed by Jim Story, who netted 12. Santiam completely dominated the boards with Jim Story and Allen Severs pulling down 14 rebounds apiece and John Ruby getting 10. Reserve center Doug James came into the game in the second quarter sparking a Santiam drive by ripping the cords for 8 points.

Nine Santiam players scored in the game making this win a real team effort.

Scoring for Santiam— Steve Lewellen 17, Poole 7, Story 12, Severs 9, Ruby 7, Gabriel 2, James 8, Podrabsky 1, D. Plotts 6.

Santiam Frosh 76—Jefferson 72

February 9 the Santiam Frosh trounced the Jefferson Frosh 76-42. Four Santiam players scored in the double figures led by Darrell Plotts with 20 and Dennis Budlong with 18. This was the eighth win in a row for the Santiam Frosh giving them an over-all record of nine wins and two losses.

The Frosh have only three games left to play, Regis, Gervais and Stayton, all who have lost to Santiam in the first round of play.

Scoring for Santiam— Darrell Plotts 20, Lewellen 12, Podrabsky 14, Gruver 8, Budlong 18, Hince 2, Carpenter 2.

Santiam Defeats North Marion 71-67

The Santiam Wolverines jumped to a 28-13 first quarter lead and held on for a 71-67 win over the North Marion Huskies to even their conference record at four wins and four losses. In this decisive first quarter, Larry Hillesland scored 10 points and Johnson and Berg each hit for eight. North Marion outscored Santiam in each of the last three quarters but were unable to overtake the Wolverines. Game leaders for the Wolverines were Hillesland and Johnson with 17 and 16 points respectively, and Berg with 10 points and 13 rebounds.

The last home game for Santiam is Tuesday, February 17, against Scio and the season comes to a close next Tuesday at Jefferson.

Santiam 71—Hillesland 17, Johnson 16, Berg 10, Grant 0, Raines 2, Pittam 8, Richards 3, Eide 8, Elliott 3, Plotts 4.

Score by Quarters— Santiam ...28 18 17 8—71 N. Marion 13 21 19 14—67

Police Get Letter Of Commendation

The following letter was received by the Mill City Police Department recently, and it is being reprinted herewith to show the type of service our Police Department is giving to people who visit in our area: Chief of Police, Mill City, Oregon.

Dear Sir:
On the evening of Friday, January 2, 1970, sometime after 10 p. m., my family and I were driving through Mill City and found ourselves short of enough gasoline to get to the Metolius River. No service stations were open.
Your police officer on duty

stopped his automobile, took us to a service station, induced the proprietor to come and give us gasoline, and remained on the scene until we had been taken care of. He was courteous, cooperative and concerned about our situation, and was pleasant and accommodat-

ing. We think he should be commended for an exceptionally good job in public relations. Yours very truly,

Harlow F. Lenon
Judge of the Circuit Court of Oregon, Portland



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