

Cloud Explains Tardiness; Denies Any 'Irregularity'

By JIM PHILLIPS
 Clyde R. Cloud, 51, has vehemently denied there was anything "irregular" in his being 30 minutes late to testify in the John Wilson trial last Wednesday.

"I was ready and willing to testify then as I have always been ready and willing," he told the Herald and News in an interview at the County Nursing Home where he is presently residing.

Cloud said he resented anyone thinking that he deliberately was late in order to escape testifying. Neither did anyone induce him or try to induce him not to take the stand, he declared.

"If they had, I certainly would have had no part of it," the state's would-be star witness added.

Cloud was found in contempt of court by Circuit Judge David R. Vandenberg for his tardiness in

showing up at 2:30 p.m., when court was called for 2 p.m. He was later released on his own recognizance.

At the time, he told the judge his lateness was due to the clock being wrong in a Main Street bar and grill where he had been "having coffee with a couple of fellows."

Elaborating on this when asked to in the newspaper interview, Cloud said he had eaten a bowl of soup, a sandwich and had drunk a cup of coffee in the grill portion of the establishment.

Then, he continued, he "dozed off" to sleep.

When he awoke, he said, he remarked immediately to two casual acquaintances sitting with him that "I'm going to be late for court."

Cloud said the two men, whose names he didn't know but with whom he had briefly picked potatoes last year, told him not to worry, that the clock in the grill was 20 minutes fast.

This is the excuse Cloud gave in the courtroom. A check of the bar and grill clocks, however, showed they were the same as that in the court.

When asked why he became sleepy in mid-day, Cloud replied he had been receiving medicine for his nerves and held that at least partly responsible. Courtroom spectators noticed Cloud frequently dozing, or appearing to doze, during previous days of the trial.

Employees in the grill Cloud referred to confirmed his presence there Wednesday afternoon.

Cloud, who has an arrest record for drinking, said he had had nothing to drink at all on Wednesday, that as a matter of fact, he has had "hardly anything" to drink since he was hospitalized last November 4.

The man said he feels "pretty good" now but that his right leg is still "pretty sore." He was treated for a broken leg, broken wrist and other injuries last November in a local hospital.

The state, represented by District Attorney Arthur Beddoe, asked for a dismissal of charges that ex-policeman John Wilson caused some of the injuries on the night of November 3 with a black-jack.

Beddoe's motion, which was granted, came immediately after Cloud, his main witness, was held in contempt. However, Cloud would have been available to testify, if Beddoe had called him. The jury was in the jury room and out of the courtroom when Cloud was found in contempt by the judge.

Wilson resigned from the police force effective Friday "in the interests of the department."

Style Show Draws Crowd

YREKA — Sixty members and guests attended the style show put on by Siskiyou County Cow Belles at Yreka Inn on June 12. Mrs. Alice Hessig of Montague was program chairman and accompanied Mrs. Alice See, vocalist. Mrs. See and Mrs. Maxine Foote, both of Montague, presented tap dance routines, and Jerry Dittner of Yreka entertained with Western numbers.

The style show carried a Western theme, opening with Shirley Hessig dressed in a riding habit of the 1890s. Other girls modeling squaw dresses and modern riding clothes were Elma Selby, Barbara Betts, Janice Birdwell, Donna Mays, Jackie Charles, Melanie Dudley, Dorothy Hessig and Mrs. Foote. Small fry styles were also featured in the outfits loaned by Ruby Lee of Red Bluff, Handley's and Barklow's of Yreka.

National Guard Training Starts

PORTLAND (AP)—Annual two-week summer training programs were started Saturday by Oregon National Guard units.

Some 5,000 members of the 41st Infantry Division left in motor convoys and by train for Fort Lewis, Wash., where they will join Washington troops in exercises.

The program will be climaxed by the annual Governors' Day Review June 21st, when the chief executives of the two states will review troops.

Some 1,000 members of the Oregon National Guard's 237th Anti-Aircraft Group left for Camp Clatsop, near Astoria, their Governor's Day Review, is scheduled for June 25.

Also starting training Saturday were two units of the Oregon Air National Guard. The 133rd Weather Flight is at McChord, Wash., Air Force Base. At Hamilton Air Force Base in California is the 244th Airways and Air Communications Service Engineers and Installations Squadron.

Court Ends Grant Lands Litigation

WASHINGTON (AP)—U.S. Dist. Judge Matthew F. McGuire has signed an order ending a series of legal actions involving Oregon and California grant lands in 17 Western Oregon counties.

It terminated a case brought by the counties in 1955 against Interior Secretary Seaton. They had asked distribution of timber revenues involved in a controversy between the Fort Service and the Bureau of Land Management.

A. W. Lafferty, a former Oregon congressman, said in court the case was the last in a series which have been through district court, the Court of Appeals and the U.S. Supreme Court during the last six years.

The government moved for dismissal on the ground that the action had become moot when the money was distributed to the counties.

Lafferty, as intervenor, successfully resisted inclusion of the words "as moot" in the dismissal, on the ground that the case had never been brought to trial.

Employers Charge Union Take-Over

PORTLAND (AP)—Employer representatives contend that Portland union locals are attempting to take over control of the Oregon State Apprenticeship Council.

One employer representative, Henry Heuer of Portland, said the four employer representatives may resign unless the situation improves.

Heuer said the employers were "disgusted at the Portland locals' control of the apprentice training throughout the state."

State Labor Commissioner Norman O. Nilsen, who is chairman of the council, said the dispute stems in part from dissatisfaction with administration of the training program by A. C. Hoggan, state apprenticeship director. Hoggan has been ill in recent months.

Klamath Basin Roundup Assoc.

Requesting bids for ground concessions. Bids submitted to Hank Ring, 2104 1/2 So. 6th St., not later than June 22. Concession fee 50% on acceptance of contract and 50% on July 24. The association reserves the right to reject any bid.

ROUNDUP - July 25, 26, 27 - Klamath Falls



ONE WAY TO HELP keep tourist trade booming in the Klamath area is to give travelers all the information possible on what to do, what to see, where to stay, etc. That's why the chamber of commerce hung out the big sign above, advising tourists its office will be open on Saturday and Sunday during the coming season. This area's gas station attendants have also been briefed on answering tourists' questions.

Funerals

BEARHEART
 Funeral services for Luke Manuel Bearheart will take place from the chapel of Ward's Klamath Funeral Home on Monday at 10 a.m. with the Rev. Vincent Bodner officiating. Interment in Piute Cemetery.

HOLLANDER
 Debbie Hollander, 6-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hollander of Tulelake, died Friday morning at Stanford Lane Hospital in San Francisco where she had been undergoing treatment for a heart ailment since January. She had undergone additional heart surgery on Thursday of last week from which she did not recover. Other survivors include grandparents, Mrs. Mabel Hollander of Tulelake and Mr. and Mrs. Everett McCollum of Adams, Oregon. The family requests that friends who desire to do so, send contributions to the Crippled Children's Fund and the memorial donations may be left at the California Oregon Power Company office in Tulelake.

Court Records

KLAMATH COUNTY DISTRICT COURT
 Donnell Edwin Keenig, no PUC license, \$20 bail forfeited.
 Gayle Kenneth Pixler, violation base rule, \$7.50.
 Lee Livas, no operator's license, five days county jail, committed.
 Lee Livas, no operator's license, 10 days county jail, committed.
 Homer Samuel Simmons, combination overload, \$104 bail forfeited.
 Donald Harry Barker, axle overload, \$30 bail forfeited.
 Robert Marion Wampler, combination overload, \$30 bail forfeited.
 Robert Marion Wampler, excessive width, \$7.50 bail forfeited.
 James Ray Merrill, no operator's license, \$5.
 Dorothy Phyllis Davis, violation base rule, \$7.50.
 Jean Lucy Donovah, fail yield right of way, \$5.
 Delbert Charles Shellito, tandem axle overload, \$37.
 Raymond Dryer Munson, driving while intoxicated, 30 days and \$200 fine and costs paid; committed for 30 days.
 Lee Arlett Hixson, improper muffler, \$5.
 Lee Livas, drunk on public highway, 30 days county jail, committed; consecutive with above; committed for 30 days.
 Roy Lee Ropp, improper muffler, \$7.50.

KLAMATH FALLS MUNICIPAL COURT
 Silvano Garces, drunk, \$25 or 12 1/2 days.
 John W. Casey, vagrancy, \$100 and 30 days suspended, least town.
 William M. Cowan, drunk, \$30 or 25 days.

Obituaries

BULLARD
 Helen Bullard 51, a native of Iowa and a resident of this city since 1941 died here June 13. She is survived by the widower Lawrence Bullard, Klamath Falls; a daughter, Irene Hockman of The Dalles; three brothers, Art Reed of Klamath Falls; Kenneth Reed of North Borrow, Iowa; Morris Reed of Red Oak, Iowa; a sister, Ruth Boorman of Ashland and her mother Irene Reed of Klamath Falls. Funeral services will be held in O'Hair's Memorial Chapel Monday, June 16, at 10 a.m. Interment will be made in Klamath Memorial Park.

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Police Seek Suspect In Gun Scrape

Authorities today had an all points bulletin out for an employee of the Southern Pacific Railroad wanted in connection with the shooting of Elieazar G. Gutierrez, 24, at Algoma late Friday night.

State Police report that they were notified by Klamath Valley Hospital authorities at 11:50 p.m. Friday that a gunshot victim had been entered for treatment.

Investigation revealed that Gutierrez had been shot in the abdomen with a .22 caliber pistol.

Police are looking for Gregorio Montellano who is reported to have fired the shot. Reports indicate that Gutierrez walked into the line of fire.

Montellano is reported to have fled the scene of the shooting in a yellow 1954 Ford bearing Oregon license number 7M-7308.

Hospital attendants listed Gutierrez's condition as "very good" Saturday.

On The Record

KLAMATH FALLS BIRTHS
HUNTER — Born to Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Hunter June 12 in Klamath Valley Hospital a girl, weighing 8 lbs., 12 1/2 ozs.
BRISTOL — Born to Mr. and Mrs. Russell Bristol June 12 in Klamath Valley Hospital a girl, weighing 8 lbs., 13 1/2 ozs.
ALBISON — Born to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Allison June 12 in Klamath Valley Hospital twin girls, weighing 5 lbs., 8 ozs. and 4 lbs., 11 ozs.
1958 ROUNDUP
KLAMATH FALLS MARRIAGE LICENSES
 Norman LeRoy Givens, 20, Malin, and Kathryn Jane Micka, 19, Merrill.
 Harold D. Baumgardner, 30, Klamath Falls, and Janice Marie Frampton, 21, Garibaldi.
KLAMATH COUNTY DIVORCES
 Janice Arlene Givens vs. Albert James Givens, seeks divorce.
 Alice C. Woolliams vs. Marion A. Woolliams, seeks divorce.

Drews Here For Visit

Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Drews arrived Friday for a few weeks' visit with their four sons, Greer, Lloyd, Frank and Cecil Drew and their families.

About six months ago, the senior Drews left Klamath Falls to make their home near Las Vegas.

"There is in the neighborhood of 23 million dollars worth of construction going on in the Las Vegas area," Drews commented. "That country is certainly growing."

The Drews' home is Glenheather Estates, he reported, adding, "They name everything on a grand scale out there."

Lakeviewers Stake Cinnabar Claims

LAKEVIEW — Three Lakeview men, Fred E. Mewhinney, Lewis A. York and Arthur Johnson, have revealed a discovery of cinnabar in Harney County, about 10 miles southeast of Wagonire, where they have 10 claims.

An assay of 17.9 pounds per ton was told from a recent analysis, the fourth made by the State Department of Geology and Mineral Industries at Portland. This was taken from a depth of about 10 feet. The men are continuing exploration work.

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CITY BRIEFS

Stewardess — Judith Pieser, daughter of Mrs. Violet E. Pieser, 1410 California Avenue, will leave Sunday to train as an airline stewardess with West Coast Airlines. She was graduated in 1956 from Klamath Union High School and since has attended Maryhurst College Portland and Southern Oregon in Ashland.

OSEA Meeting — Regular meeting of the Oregon State Employees Association OTI Chapter 36 will be at the Student Union Lounge, Orestech on Tuesday, June 17, at 7:30 p.m. Installation of officers for the coming year. Refreshments will be served.

Bethel No. 61 — The regular meeting of International Order of Job's Daughters Bethel No. 61 will be Monday, June 16, in the Scottish Rite Temple. This is the final meeting of the year.

Reunion — Mrs. John Fiddes, Jackson, Minnesota, and Mrs. Carl Schneider, La Jolla, California, spent a few days with Mrs. Della Schroeder, 135 North First Street, last week. The three are former classmates, from school days in Lakefield, Minnesota. The visitors left for California Thursday. Mrs. Fiddes was accompanied by her daughter, Dorothy.

A Letter — from Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt to Gust P. Vourchis acknowledged a basket that he had sent to her. She wrote a thank you note from New York.

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Wocus Home Guttled In Owner's Absence

Fire of undetermined origin destroyed the home of Matt Thomas, Route 3, Box 354, in the Wocus area, Friday night. Thomas was away from home when the fire broke out, and neighbors summoned the county and Oregon Technical Institute fire departments shortly before midnight.

By the time firemen arrived, the blaze was well advanced, and only the walls of the house were saved. Thomas learned of his misfortune when he returned to what had been his home at about 1:30 a.m. The firemen were just rolling up their hoses to go back to the station.

will be entertainment during the dinner.

Klamath Falls — Business and Professional Women will hold their annual potluck picnic at the Veterans' Memorial Park, 6:30 p.m. Monday, June 16. All members are urged to attend. Take own table service. If it rains, no picnic.

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