

School Board Candidates, District Budgets

Voters throughout Douglas County will go to the polls Monday to ballot on filling of school board openings, most of them for 5-year terms, and approve or reject proposed budgets for the 1959-60 school year. All voting will be from 2 to 8 p.m.

In addition, voters in all of the county's school districts will decide on passage of a proposed \$2,000,000 total rural budget. The figure outside the 8 per cent limitation, and on the ballot, will be \$634,478.98.

Five candidates are trying for three openings on the rural school board. They are Fred H. Nutt, Drain; Fred Booth, Scotts Valley; and Harry Young, Glendale, for the at-large berth; John L. Meier Jr., Myrtle Creek, for the Myrtle Creek-Dillard-Camas Valley District and James R. Finlay for the Roseburg District.

Young is the incumbent in the at-large position and Gilbert Weaver in the southern county berth. The Roseburg district was created upon the discontinuance of Zone A, where Booth is the incumbent.

One director, to represent the Tiller District, also will be elected to the county's Non-High School Board. No candidates filed for the post, so balloting will be on a write-in basis. Also represented on the board are the Days Creek, Ash Valley (Lone Lake) and Roberts Creek Districts.

Roseburg and Roberts Creek voters also will decide a consolidation proposal which is being offered them under terms of the old state law regarding school consolidation.

The Douglas County School Reorganization Board has recommended the two districts be united in its reorganization plan. Roberts Creek high school students currently attend Roseburg High School.

Proposed budget figures, board candidates and other details of the election:

Myrtle Creek — Total budget \$704,820.74. Amount to be voted on, \$415,676.74. On special ballot is \$4,000 for student driver training course. Five-year director, Vincent Knox, incumbent, and Frank Mazil, Voting place, Tri-City School and Myrtle Creek primary building.

Glendale — Total budget \$375,254.31. Amount to be voted on, \$130,027.31. Five-year director, Albert Vaughn, incumbent, unopposed. Voting place, high school library.

Riddle — Total budget, \$343,892.50. Amount to be voted on, \$208,495.90. Five-year director, Fred Vedder Jr. to replace R. E. Paetz. Voting place, elementary school.

Glide — Total budget \$529,341. Amount to be voted on, \$414,265.

Five-year director, Howard Hatfield, incumbent, unopposed. Voting places, Toketee and Deer Creek schools and Glide multipurpose rooms.

Drain High — Total budget \$182,735.11. Amount to be voted on, \$93,585.76. Candidate for 5-year director, John Rentz, incumbent. Voting place, high school.

Drain Elementary — Total budget \$212,047. Amount to be voted on, \$89,132. Five-year director, Harry Cool Jr. to succeed Thomas Myers. Voting place, school.

Reedsport Elementary — Budget election already held. Five-year director, Dr. Frank Mackenzie, incumbent, unopposed. Voting place, Pioneer School.

Reedsport High — Budget election already held. Five-year director, Archie Mustoe, Walter Murphey, Leroy Chenoweth, Mrs. Milo Laharty to succeed Ora Ferguson.

Oakland — Budget election already held. Five-year director candidate, E. R. Sanderson to succeed Ed Clark. Voting place, Washington School gymnasium.

Sutherlin — Total budget \$614,728.75. Amount to be voted on, \$374,485. Candidates for 5-year director, Kenneth Knechtel, Max E. Post, Lloyd M. Whitford, to succeed Delos Atterbury. Voting places, Noparis, East Elementary and West Elementary schools.

Yoncalla Elementary — Total budget \$139,753. Amount to be voted on, \$75,091. On separate ballot is \$1,000 special levy for institution of a summer recreation program. Candidates for 5-year director, Wayne Phillips, Everett Currier and Thomas Ellis, to succeed Quentin Rychard. Voting place, grade school gym.

Yoncalla High — Total budget

\$106,888. Amount to be voted on, \$61,718. Candidates for five-year director, Paul Reeves, incumbent, Darrell Payne and Nellie Phillips. Candidates for one-year director, Bob Smith and Paul Allen to succeed Wayne Rice. Voting place, high school.

Canyonville — Total budget \$232,493. Amount to be voted on, \$149,267.46. Candidate for five-year director, Darrel Brown to succeed Robert Held. Voting place, Canyonville Junior High School annex, Anchor School, Galesville School.

Days Creek — Total budget \$132,111. Amount to be voted on, \$74,961. Five-year director candidate, Oral Jones, incumbent. Voting place, Days Creek School.

Tiller — Total budget, \$54,560. Amount to be voted on, \$29,520. Candidate for five-year director, Wayne Peterman, incumbent. Voting place, school.

Camas Valley — Total budget \$98,497. Amount to be voted on, \$42,211.50. Five-year director, Jerry Dancer, to replace John Standley. Voting place, school.

Scotts Valley — Total budget \$57,516. Amount to be voted on, \$27,890. Candidate for 5-year director, Fred Booth, incumbent. Voting place, school.

Umpqua — Total budget, \$48,730. Amount to be voted on, \$20,790. Candidates for 5-year director, Kenneth Manning, Mervin Lee and

Laverne Murphy, incumbent. Voting place, school.

Roberts Creek — Total budget, \$8,012. Amount to be voted on, \$5,839.99. Candidate for 5-year director, Mrs. Jean Foss, replacement for resigned director. Special vote on consolidation with Roseburg School District. Voting place, school.

Gunter — Total budget, \$27,659. Amount to be voted on, \$21,209. Candidate for the 5-year director, Samuel Gravelle, incumbent. Voting place, school.

Currier — Candidates for 5-year director, Merle Clark, incumbent, and Alvin Allen.

Gardiner — Total budget, \$177,705. Amount to be voted on, \$99,904. Candidate for 5-year director, Don Morris, to succeed Wayne West. Voting place, W. F. Jewett School.

Eikton — Total budget, \$192,157.50. Amount to be voted on, \$96,345. Candidate for 5-year director, Sidney Gates, incumbent. Voting place, high school gymnasium.

Ash Valley — Total budget, \$11,259. Amount to be voted on, \$8,673. Voting place, school.

Dillard — Total budget, \$763,156.37. Amount to be voted on, \$345,965.11. Candidate for 5-year director, Jim Ritchey, incumbent. Voting places, Winston Fire Hall, Dillard School, Lookingglass School, Ten Mile School.

Roseburg — Total budget, \$1,950,390.23. Amount to be voted on, \$1,473,364. Candidates for 5-year director, Ross Myers, Dr. H. Nels Lindell.

SALEM (AP)—The Senate passed 22-8 and sent to the governor Thursday a \$5-million-dollar biennial budget for higher education. It is 17 per cent larger than the appropriations for the current biennium.

The Senate earlier had rejected 20-10 a move to send the bill back to the State and Federal Affairs Committee with instructions to lop one million dollars off the appropriation.

Sen. Boyd R. Overhulse (D-Madras), chairman of the State and Federal Affairs Committee, made the motion to re-refer. He said that the Joint Ways and Means Committee, which drafted the appropriation measure, is "a group of long high exactioners who didn't execute enough."

Overhulse said the taxpayers have given the Legislature a mandate to reduce state expenses.

Sen. Alfred H. Corbett (D-Portland), chairman of the Senate Ways and Means Committee, said that if the budget were cut, Oregon's college salaries would fall behind those of other states, and it would be hard to get faculty members.

Then Sen. Carl Francis (R-Dayton) argued that to send the bill to the committee would be "butchery." The State and Federal Affairs Committee could not possibly do the research that it took the Ways and Means committee months to do, he said.

Wrong Figure Listed
A typographical error in Thursday's News-Review resulted in the alternate bid for 1959-60 school bus service for the Roseburg School District being reported at \$31,000 instead of the correct figure, \$131,000. The bid was submitted by Ellison Transportation Co. and, along with the Roseburg firm's basic bid, was refused by the Roseburg School Board.

Budget Hearing Delayed
Winston - Dillard's city budget public hearing has been rescheduled for May 8 at 8 p.m. in the Winston Community Hall.

The hearing had been planned for tonight, reports Mrs. Ted Peterson, News-Review correspondent.

Survivors include his widow, Elsie Sutherland; one son, Gilson R. Mardin of Sutherlin; two granddaughters, Mrs. Vern (Patsy) Teel of Roseburg and Mrs. Richard (Donna) Hensley of Sutherlin; two brothers, Bert of San Jose, Calif., and Lou of Spokane, Wash.; two sisters, Jennie Mardin and Crissie Christensen of Spicer, Minn.; and three great grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held on Sunday at 2 p.m. at the Episcopal Church of the Holy Spirit in Sutherlin, with the Rev. A. H. Renter and the Rev. Alfred Tyson officiating.

Masonic ritualistic services will be held, with interment at Fair Oak cemetery. The casket will not be opened during the services, but the body will lie in state at the Stearns and Little Mortuary until 12 noon Sunday.

William A. Mardin
William A. Mardin, 74, prominent Sutherlin resident, died in a Roseburg hospital Thursday after a lingering illness.

Born in Harris, Minn., on April 5, 1888, he spent his early years there. He married Florence Ridgeway at the age of 22, and she died on April 1, 1922.

Coming to Sutherlin in 1911, he worked for the Luce Land and Development Co. for a time, and later served as city marshal in Sutherlin. He was also employed by the Southern Pacific railroad for 12 years, partly in Roseburg and later in Portland. In 1923 he moved to Portland and there was wed to Elsie Thomas in June, 1923.

He was a realtor and worked for the state of Oregon during his years in Portland. Returning to Sutherlin in 1949, he purchased and operated the Town Cafe for several years, and was the building inspector in Sutherlin until January. He was a member of Laurel Lodge No. 13, A.F. and A.M., Roseburg, a Scottish Rite Mason, and a member of Al Kader Shrine Temple of Portland.

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Pay Hike Approved For Elected Officers
SALEM (AP)—Salaries of the state's elected officials would be increased in a measure approved here this week by the joint Ways and Means Committee.

The bill, which provides most of the \$3,250,000 appropriated for salary adjustments of state employees under civil service, increases the governor's annual salary from \$17,500 to \$19,000 and raises his monthly expenses allowance from \$400 to \$500.

It also increases the secretary of state, attorney general and state treasurer from \$12,500 to \$14,000; superintendent of public instruction and labor commissioner from \$11,500 to \$14,000; Supreme Court justices from \$16,000 to \$17,500; and circuit court judges from \$13,000 to \$14,000.

The legislation also would permit the Board of Control to set the salaries for superintendents of state institutions. They now are set by law.

Building Money Voted By House
SALEM (AP)—The House approved and sent to the Senate Thursday a bill appropriating \$2,781,564 for construction of state institution building projects.

The projects include: planning for buildings for 215 beds at Fairview Home, \$756,000; new kitchen and dining room and boiler plant expansion at MacLaren School, \$555,000; vocational building at reformatory, \$991,014; heating plant expansion at deaf school, \$199,000; planning for proposed women's prison, \$70,000; planning for second phase of Dammasch Hospital, \$45,000.

Power Leaders Set Dam Review
SPOKANE (AP)—Pacific Northwest Power Co. directors have scheduled a meeting here May 5 to review matters pertaining to the firm's license application to build a high mountain sheep hydroelectric project on the Snake River.

The application is now pending before the Federal Power Commission. Kinsey Robinson, board chairman, said the dam would cost an estimated \$287,000,000.

Displaced Family Study Directed
SALEM (AP)—The Senate passed and sent to the House Thursday a bill that would compel the Highway Commission to make studies of families displaced by urban highway construction projects.

These studies would be made available to relief agencies. The bill also requires that the commission should match any future federal allotments for relief of such displaced persons.

LAST MEETING SET
Umpqua School Assn. will meet tonight at 8 for a special program by the first and second grades, under the direction of Mrs. Alice Gillespie. Election of officers is slated.

Floods Recede In Puget Area

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
Western Washington rivers receded Friday with cooler weather in the mountains and the end of heavy rains.

Threat of further flooding is "definitely over," the Weather Bureau said, with a cool and not too wet weekend ahead.

Huge lakes of water still covered some low-lying areas and some county roads in Snohomish, Skagit and Whatcom counties but all major highways were open. Only one state highway, 1-2, linking Highway 99 with the Ferndale refinery, remained closed.

A 122-foot dredge, the Coos, owned by the Willamette Tug and Barge Co., Portland, and valued at \$300,000, capsized on the Skagit River south of Sedro Woolley when hit by a log jam dislodged by flood waters. It carried dredging pipe and pumping equipment valued at \$200,000 and was in use on a state highway project.

The Skagit crested at 24.2 feet at Mount Vernon Thursday night, well below the 26-foot flood stage, but the low-lying Nookachamps basin east of Mount Vernon was flooded. Farmers got livestock out to safety in time.

The worst flooding Thursday was along the Snohomish River where a dike broke and swirling water destroyed the home of Louis J. Bailey, Rt. 2, Snohomish. Mrs. Bailey and her three children were rescued by boat shortly before the building was wrecked. Bailey was at work elsewhere.

The Snohomish was still at flood stage of 26.9 feet Friday forenoon but was expected to start dropping shortly.

The five-day weather outlook for Western Washington was for below normal temperatures and light to moderate rainfall.

Explosion Closes Idaho Lead Smelter

KELLOGG, Idaho (AP) — Repairs were being made Friday to the Bunker Hill Co.'s lead smelter which was rocked by an explosion Thursday.

The explosion occurred when blast furnaces ignited gases. No one was injured but 25 feet of 48-inch air line pipe was ripped out. There was no immediate estimate of damage.

Some 500 employees at the smelter were told not to report back to work until Friday afternoon while an investigation was being completed.

Company officials said the explosion was caused when gases backed up into the air lines after a brief power interruption during which three large blowers were not operating.

When power was restored the gases ignited causing an explosion that was heard more than a mile away in the city.

Selby Outlines Civil Defense

Arthur Selby, Douglas County Civil Defense administrator, outlined the CD program for the western portion of the county to representatives of various industries and public agencies at a meeting in Reedsport this week.

Selby told law enforcement, Coast Guard, fire department, school, forestry, civic and industrial officials and other interested parties that a quota of 2,000 evacuees has been assigned to Western Douglas County communities.

Women's club and civic groups will undertake house-to-house canvassing to inventory accommodations, he noted.

Some 40 persons attended the session, presided over by Reedsport Mayor Jack Unger and Reedsport Police Chief H. M. (Mac) McCabe. CD coordinator for the western part of the county.

Selby noted that the Reedsport meeting marked another step toward complete organization of the county's CD machinery.

Police Report Youths Take Wine From Market

Two Roseburg youths, ages 14 and 15, were caught in the act of taking a bottle of wine from the South Stephens Market early Thursday night, Roseburg police reported.

They were noticed by the manager, Oscar L. Hunnecutt, who notified city police who returned the boys to the custody of their parents. Juvenile authorities also were notified. They were cited for petty larceny.

Hunnecutt stopped the youths outside the store and found them carrying the wine bottle under a coat about 6:35 p.m., police said. He told officers the boys had been browsing through the store for a long time.

Oakland Man Acquited In Local Burglary Case

A Circuit Court jury Thursday night acquitted 21-year-old Edward Douglas Fennell of Oakland of an indictment charging burglary.

Fennell, along with two others, was cited for allegedly breaking into the utility room of Trailer Haven Trailer Court at 499 SE Sterling St., Roseburg, the night of Feb. 14.

The state alleged the trio was after coins deposited in the utility room washing and drier machines. Attorney Harrison Winston represented Fennell who had entered an innocent plea at his arraignment.

Bids Received On Tribal Land

KLAMATH FALLS (AP)—Bids totaling \$692,912 on 19 parcels of Klamath Indian lands were received Tuesday at the bid opening in the Indian Land Sales office here.

The bids were received on 17 offerings from 11 different individuals or groups. All were preempted by tribal members who indicated desires to meet high bids.

This has been the pattern in past sales, according to Earle Wilcox, sales officer. Where more than one individual desires to meet the high bid, the members hold a later auction to determine who wins the land.

To date, Wilcox said, only a few relatively inexpensive units have escaped the eye and bid of tribal members.

The Loveness Lumber Company of Malin was high bidder at the Tuesday session, submitting bids on five different units, all above the quoted realization value of the units. The firm's top bid was \$195,121 on about 4,532 acres of timbered land quoted at \$194,820 realization value.

Bids from this firm came to a total of more than \$400,000, but the company was unable to make a single purchase.

Modoc Lumber Company of Klamath Falls, the only other bidding lumber company, submitted a bid of \$134,800 for some 2,267 acres of timbered land.

Alva Arthur Bellows

Funeral services will be held Monday for Alva Arthur Bellows, 85, lifelong Roseburg resident, who died Wednesday in his home.

Services will be conducted in the chapel of Long and Orr Mortuary at 2 p.m., with the Rev. John Adams of the Roseburg First Presbyterian Church officiating. Concluding services and vault interment will follow at Roseburg Memorial Gardens.

Bellows is survived by his widow, Mrs. Polly Nancy Bellows, and two sons, Harold C. Bellows, Roseburg, and George Frederick Bellows, Gary, Ind.; a daughter, Mrs. Garland (Lita) Stampe, Dayton, Ohio; a sister, Mrs. George M. Brown, Roseburg, and six grandchildren, including Alvin (Jim) Bellows and Judy Bellows, both of Roseburg.

Legislators Caged In Salem Round-up

SALEM (AP)—Two legislators got trapped Thursday in an unusual occurrence when each house had a "call" to round up their absent members.

Sen. Ben Musa (D-The Dalles) was in the House when the House had its call. And Rep. Wickes Shaw (D-Eugene) was in the Senate when the same thing happened.

When there is a call, the doors are locked and nobody can get in or out.

So Musa couldn't get out of the House and Mrs. Shaw couldn't leave the Senate. Both houses were stymied for several minutes.

Finally, winking at the rules, a deal was made whereby a trade was made.

Musa was escorted back to the Senate by the House sergeant at arms. But he couldn't enter until Mrs. Shaw walked out of the Senate, escorted by the Senate sergeant at arms.

NW Congressmen Divided Over Veto

WASHINGTON (AP)—Pacific Northwest and Alaska congressmen were about evenly divided Thursday in voting in which the House upheld President Eisenhower's veto of a rural electrification bill.

Voting to override the veto were: Democrats—Green, Porter and Ullman of Oregon; Magnuson (Wash.); Pfost (Idaho); Rivers (Alaska).

Republicans—Horan (Wash.). Voting against overriding were: Republicans—Mack, May, Pell, and Tolleson of Washington; Norblad (Ore). Rep. Westland (Wash.) was announced as paired against overriding.

The vote was 286-146 in favor of passing the bill over the veto but was four short of the needed two-thirds figure.

Forgery Charge Made

Bernice Lethcoe, 31, Rochester, Wash., was booked at Douglas County jail Thursday on a charge of forgery of endorsement. She was arraigned before Drain Justice of the Peace Warren T. DeLaVergne, who set bail at \$1,000.

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