

COCC levy election March 31

A \$3.9 million budget levy to provide the local share of the annual operation budget for Central Oregon Community College for 1981-82 will come before voters in the COCC district Tuesday, March 31.

More than \$3.6 million of the amount will be an "A" ballot request; the state will pay up to 30 percent of the amount if voters pass the levy. State relief would cut the local taxpayers' share of that \$3.6 million to about \$2.5 million.

The remaining \$343,254 would be a "B" ballot request and ineligible for state tax relief. According to the COCC President Fred Boyle, the ballot will be used to supplement the "A" ballot operating levy with funds necessary to maintain and replace existing equipment and facilities.

"The College has budgeted carefully each year, cutting maintenance projects rather than educational programs," Boyle explained. "But now, we are to the point where certain federal and state requirements must be met—for example, hooking up to the sewer."

Inflation, at an annual rate of 12 percent, is one of the reasons for the larger budget and levy request, Boyle says.

"We've also had about a 15

percent enrollment increase the past two years and more area residents are using the College each term," Boyle says.

The College Board approved a 12 percent tuition increase to take place this fall. COCC tuition rates rank in the middle of the other 13 community college rates.

The College District, operating in Crook, Deschutes, Jefferson, Klamath and portions of Lake and Wasco Counties, has no tax base.

Each year the College must secure voter approval to fund operation for the following academic year. COCC cannot operate without voter approval.

Nearly 450 Jefferson County residents took one or more classes winter term through COCC Community Education Centers located in Madras and Warm Springs. Each term over 1,900 students take one or more credit classes through the College. Winter term enrollment in both credit and non-credit classes total 3,530 students, according to the Student Records Office.

COCC offers vocational-technical courses, lower-division transfer classes and adult education throughout its 10,000 square-mile district.

Vote — 8 a.m. to 8 p.m.

Like to be this year's Miss Celilo Wy-Am?

Attention all young ladies!

The Celilo queen committee is taking applications for candidates for the new 1981 Miss Celilo Wy-Am Queen.

The name of the 1981 queen will be announced at the annual Salmon Feast in Celilo Village on the weekend of April 11-12. The candidate who sells the most tickets and meets the requirements will be the new

queen.

Tickets are now available, so for information contact Arita Jim, Dave (Celilo house 8), P.O. Box 880, The Dalles, Ore. 97058 (phone 296-4092) or contact Rosita Wesley, 508 Larena Lane, Wapato, Washington.

So far only one local girl, Idelia Hazel Yahtin, has made application.

Indian elders urged to speak out

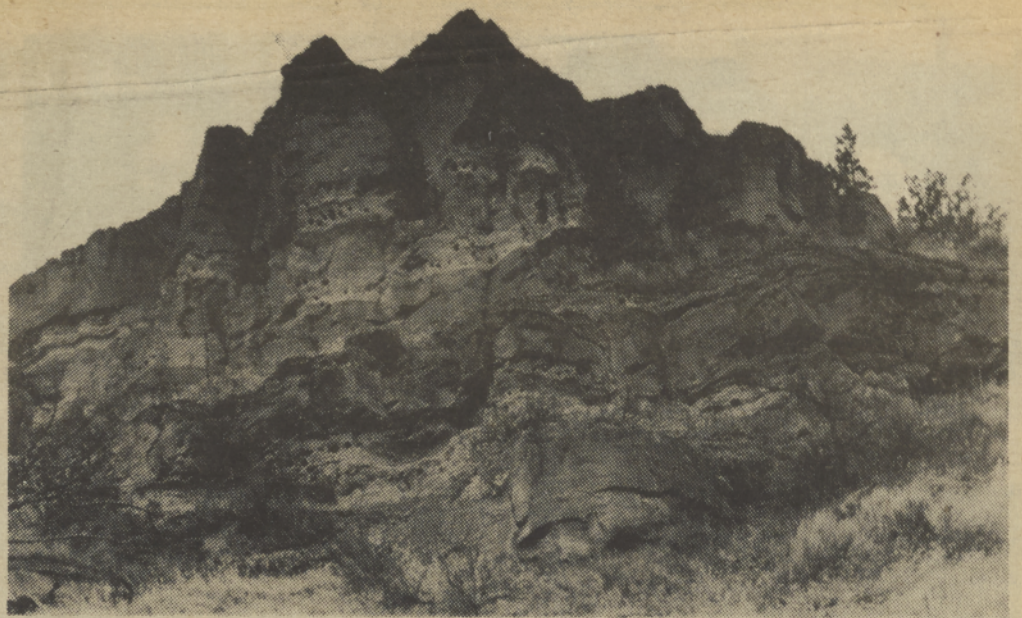
Oregon is listening to American Indian elderly needs. Will there be changes on the horizon for the older American's Act? The question can only be answered if our senior adults unite in a nationwide effort, says Rebecca Howerton, coordinator for the Oregon chapter of the National Indian Council on Aging.

Howerton and Pearl Haymond, Portland Aging Director U.I.C., have been actively scouting for support to pass state legislation affecting the age eligibility criteria for American Indian elders. Hearings will be held March 26 and in late April.

Gray Panthers and United Seniors' spokesman Kenneth Cooper says, "We feel it's time all seniors support each other on all issues. Those who are silent are forgotten."

The Governor's Commission on Aging chairman Rev. McGrettigan notes, "There is a need for Indian elderly to speak out. We need to develop an understanding of the cultural needs of the elderly as well as the social aspects. Each ethnic/racial culture is different and unique and each has different problems. We on the commission need to hear what they are."

What we need are more of our elderly speaking out across



Geo-Quiz

No one has correctly identified the last geo-quiz, so here it is again. This rock formation if located on the reservation and should be familiar to many. Call 553-1644 with the correct location and win a year's subscription to Spilyay Tymoo for yourself or a friend.

Spilyay Tymoo photo by Shewczyk

Vehicles up for the highest bidder

Vehicles For Sale:

- V-137-73 International Garbage truck ..Starting bid \$500.00
- V-206-79 Ford LTD Starting Bid ...\$1200.00
- V-140-75 VW Dasher Starting Bid...\$800.00
- V-203-79 Ford LTD Starting Bid...\$1200.00
- V-202-79 Ford LTD Starting Bid...\$1200.00
- V-117-74 Ford Station Starting bid...\$700.00
- V-142-76 Datsun P.U. Starting bid...\$800.00

These vehicles may be seen at

the Vehicle pool located at the Warm Springs Industrial Park.

Instruction for Placing Bids...

All bids for Vehicles must be in writing stating the following information:

1. Name and Address of bidder, including phone number.
2. Name and V# of Vehicle bidding on.
3. Amount of Bid.

This information is to be placed in a sealed envelope with the name and number of vehicle bid is for... This may either be mailed or brought in to the Purchasing Department

office.

Starting Date for bids is 12, 1981

Final date for bids is noon March 26, 1981. Bidders will be chosen on Friday, March 27th and notified by phone. All bids are for Cash only!!! Arrangements must be made no later than 5 p.m. Friday March 27, 1981.

Bids will be opened by three persons, and the individual placing the highest bid on a vehicle will be selected. No information will be given out as to who got the vehicle or what was bid!!

Satus Longhouse Powwow, April 24-26

The 10th annual Satus Longhouse powwow will be held April 24, 25, 26, 1981 at Satus, Washington. A memorial and dinner will be

held at the longhouse on April 23, 1981.

The powwow will feature 18 contest dances with a total of \$7,075 in prize monies.

For more information contact: Don Sampson (509) 877-6612, Elmer Schuster (509) 865-2991, Richard Thompson (509) 854-1978.

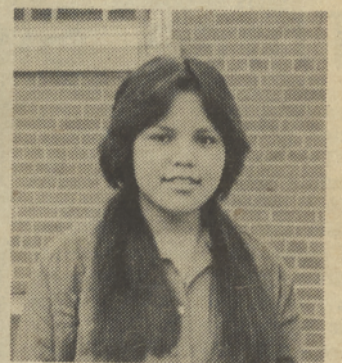
Satus queen candidate

Alison Mitchell, age 15, daughter of Alvin and Pat Schuster, is a contestant for queen of the 10th annual Satus Longhouse Powwow. The powwow will be held this coming April 24, 25, and 26.

Alison lives in Satus, Washington. She is the granddaughter of Fred Johnson, Sr., Laura Crowe, Rose Mitchell, and Caroline Tohet, all of Warm Springs.

Running for queen has given Alison the opportunity to meet new people, an activity she enjoys. She also lists among her interests the Granger Indian Club, basketball, volleyball, softball and disco dancing.

Alison will be in the Warm Springs area on weekends preceding the powwow selling tickets for a raffle. The raffle drawing features 21 prizes and will be held during the powwow.



Alison Mitchell

Alison mentioned that organizers of the powwow are looking for more girls to run for queen. If you are interested contact.

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Toastmaster club membership increasing

The Warm Springs chapter of the Toastmasters Club has experienced ups and down in membership during its five years in existence. A recent upsurge has brought membership to 20.

The twelve members and guests attending the toastmasters meeting at Kah-Nee-Ta on February 26 welcomed area governor Bob Martin. Along with Warm Springs charter members he encouraged everyone to join the organization who wish to go

from meekness in speaking to proficiency.

Besides increasing speaking ability membership in Toastmasters helps to increase listening ability. It also provides an opportunity for lessons in parliamentary procedure, the method in which formal meetings are conducted. With this formality and continuous practice in speaking the "fear of getting up in front of people" is overcome, says Martin. Toastmasters is designed to help overcome that

anxiety.

Toastmasters meets every second Thursday of each month at Kah-Nee-Ta. The membership fee for tribal employees is paid by the Tribe. The Tribe also pays one-half the price of a member's lunch and allows a two hour lunch time to attend meetings at no loss of pay.

For more information on Toastmasters you may contact Andy Lucas at 553-1112, or Carmen Pinkal at 553-1161, ext. 254.

Church Services

St. Williams
WARM SPRINGS
MATTHEW CROTTY, FATHER
CONFESSION PRIOR TO MASS-8:30 a.m.
Sunday Mass-8:30

REORGANIZED CHURCH OF
JESUS CHRIST OF LATTERDAY SAINTS
ELDER, CLINT JACKS
Tel. 553-1670
Worship - 10:00 a.m.
WARM SPRINGS

WARM SPRINGS
UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
STEVEN FRANK, PASTOR
TEL. 553-1237
Worship-11:00 a.m.
Fellowship Time 10:30 a.m.

FULL GOSPEL CHURCH
ORIN JOHNSON, PASTOR
Sunday School-10:00 a.m.
Worship Service-11:00 a.m.
Sunday Evening Service-7:30 p.m.
Bible Study, Wednesday-7:30 p.m.
Young People's Service-Friday-7:30 p.m.

WARM SPRINGS BAPTIST CHURCH
ALLEN ELSTON, PASTOR
Tel. 553-1267
Sunday School-10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship-11:00 a.m.
Bible Study-Sunday &
Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.