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## Estacada Grade School Budget Voting Set for Wed. May 1. Public Please Vote

The Estacada Grade School budget for the next school year will be slightly higher than this year due to increased enrollment and the necessity of adding one or two additional teachers.

However, the millage rate will be approximately the same as this year due to higher receipts from the state basic school support fund and estimated cash balances. Total estimated expenditures is \$245,145 this year. The estimated receipts next year are \$141,785.29 compared to this year's receipts of \$120,953.71. The amount to be voted upon outside the 6 percent limitation law is \$93,040.18 compared to \$89,437.88 this year or \$3,602.30 more than last year. It is estimated that the assessed valuation of the school district will be raised more than this amount so that the millage probably will not be raised at all next year. This year's millage is 34 mills.

All persons over 21 years of age, who have been a resident of this district at least 6 months and have registered at least 30 days, are eligible to vote. Voting will be from 2 to 8 P.M. in the main hallway of the grade school building, Wednesday, May 1st.

## U. H. S. Honor Roll Given

The honor roll for the last 6 weeks at the Estacada Union High School follows:

**SENIORS**—Homer Anders, LaDonna Anderson, Neil Edwards.

**JUNIORS**—Ann Harbert, Mary Paine, Terry Holliday.

**SOPHOMORES**—Duane Anders, Georgia Williams.

**FRESHMEN**—Gene Bomotti, Helen Cox, Bob Eaden, Lynn Faulk, Larry Fiske, Geo. Fourier, Frank Proctor, Geo. Suter and Karen Triplett.

## Street Lights Now P.G.E.'s Baby

The P. G. E. Company now has assumed all maintenance of the entire city street lighting system. When reporting lights out follow this procedure:

Call the City Recorders office or the Police Dept.

Give the correct intersection corner by the new street corner designation (do not use the name of any individual).

The P. G. E. Co. has a maintenance crew in the area two to three times a week so the delay in making repairs should not be long.

## TERRY REHBEIN TO FIGHT THIS FRIDAY NIGHT



Terry Rehbein will try to continue on his winning way Friday night when he climbs in ring with Dave White, Knott Street Community Conference Ace fighter.

This will be Rehbein's 11th fight of which he has won 7 and lost 3, all by split decisions; two of them to Clyde William who is the Washington and Oregon golden gloves champ. Rehbein won the state 119 AAU championship in Jan. and hopes to add the golden glove tilt to his list next season.

Anyone who would like to see the fight may contact Fred McNally at Miller Chev. Service.

## TAMALE & FOOD SALE THIS SATURDAY, APR. 27

There will be a Tamale and Cooked Food sale at the Clackamas County News office Saturday, April 27, given by the Christian Ladies Circle.

## Estacada Police Car in Mishap

Last Saturday night at about 11:30 P.M. while chasing a speeder Officer Harold Norton with City Supt. Tom Akins as a passenger slipped off highway 211 on the turn just south of the Dubois Creek bridge. The car plowed along the side of the bank and the right side front fender, door and body sustained considerable damage. This part of the ditch at this point has long been known for its sharp edge, several cars in the past have been wrecked by dropping off that shoulder in the road.

Officer Norton and Tom Akins were shaken up somewhat; Tom says he was a good cushion for Harold to fall on.

## THANK YOU, FOLKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks to the people of Estacada for their friendship and patronage during the 11 years we have operated the Wittmayer Plumbing Supplies. Your business has been truly appreciated. Mr. and Mrs. Emil Wittmayer.

## Legion and Aux.

## Install New Group

The local American Legion and Auxiliary held a joint initiation of new members in their hall April 19.

Guests present were Parkrose and Rose City Post and Unit.

Orlie Davis, commander of District No. 9, was presiding officer for the Legion and Mrs. Mary Bukowsky, president of District No. 9, was initiation officer for the Unit. Both were assisted by local officers.

New member initiated in the Auxiliary were: Bessie Honsinger, Marie Fontana, Phyllis Fitch, Rachel Folden, Bertha Wallaert and junior members: Linda Jean Fitch, Ann Snowley, Linda and Karen Snowley, and Cheryl Leonard, she being the youngest—only 2 1/2 years.

New Legion members initiated were: Morris Wallaert, Floyd Fitch, Charles Snowley, Ed Honsinger and Don Showerman.

The Auxiliary presented honor guards for years as member to Florence Lamb and Mae Leonard for 5 years; Grace Still and junior member, Susan Kiggins, 10 years; and Helen Christenson 15 years. Quite a number eligible to receive guards were not present.

Past Commander Si Lawrence presented the Legion with a plack of the Legion emblem for their hall.

At the close of the meeting Mrs. Lois Erickson was winner of the pretty quilt. She presented it to Grace Still.

Assorted pies and coffee was served to about 75 people.

## The Foundation of the North Fork Dam Is Started!



The first step in the actual construction of Portland General Electric Company's North Fork Dam at Estacada, was made last week. This picture shows the actual base of the dam on the north bank along the Clackamas River Road. The construction progress will be stepped up from here on. It is hoped more local people will find employment on the project.

## Local Plumbing Shop Sold to Salem Man Monday

A deal was consummated last Monday whereby Walter Huss of Eugene became the owner of the Wittmayer Plumbing Supply business including the building and supplies on hand.

Mr. Huss is a licensed plumber formerly of Salem, who was in business for a five year period in Eugene. He will operate his business under the name of the A B C Plumbing & Irrigation Co. and offers a complete plumbing service. In addition to having a complete stock of plumbing supplies, he will stock pump and irrigation pipe. He will also offer installation service on all types of plumbing and irrigation equipment.

Mr. Huss states he will hold open house in the near future to get acquainted with local people. Besides his wife, Rosalie, Mr. Huss has a family of 5 children, Catherine 14, Sandra 12, John 7, Lalassa 2 and Chris 4 months.

## Springwater

(By Myrtle Dmytryk)

The Lawrence Wahlstroms were hosts for a family gathering on Easter. Present were Grandpa and Grandma Thurston Wahlstrom of the George district; Bessie and Larry Meade; Carol and Jim Douglass and baby daughter of Portland; Agnes and John Fugle and Edward and Frieda Fugle with their daughter.

Judy Fredrickson took the long journey to Portland last Saturday with two friends,

## Portland General Electric Co. Outlines Their Fish Conservation Policy

Pacific Northwest Power company will contribute up to \$48,000 to help finance a long-range experiment on artificial spawning grounds for salmon to be sponsored at McNary dam by the U. S. Army Corps of Engineers.

Kinsey M. Robinson, PNP board chairman who announced the fisheries research grant today, said that the funds to be advanced by the company would represent about one-fourth of the total cost of the project, and bring about \$150,000 the amount already allocated by PNP for area fish studies. This in addition to expenditures made by the individual companies.

The artificial spawning area are to be constructed at McNary will duplicate what is considered by fish biologists to be the best stream conditions for spawning salmon.

"Such a study is of interest to both fish and power people because it will help determine whether salmon will accept or reject an artificial environment in following their normal reproduction cycle.

"The final results of this project will not be known for a considerable number of years, but is an important part of the continuing research program being carried on by fish agencies and power producers to reach an eventual solution to the problems involved in utilizing Pacific Northwest water resources.

The \$200,000 project is being financed partly from the Corps of Engineers experimental allocation for study of the salmon runs at McNary, and from voluntary contributions by private power companies, other non-federal power suppliers and state fishery agencies.

Jeanine Hale and LaDonna Anderson of Estacada to look for job. That's the terrible penalty one has to pay for just growing up and graduating from High School.

How would you like to feed a family of 51? That was the count of the relatives who turned out for a family gathering at the Roy Beck home in Portland Easter Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Beck are the parents of Kathleen Akins and Margaret Shibley. Most of this big family live in the Portland and Milwaukie areas, except the Oliver Becks of Pendleton and the Leslie Wells of Vernonia. Those who attended from Springwater were the Everett Shibleys and Jack Akins and Bob Akins and family. Oh Wilma, see what you missed. The Easter services at the

PNP now seeking a federal license to build a 1,500,000 kilowatt, \$234,000,000 hydroelectric project at Mountain Sheep and Pleasant Valley on the Snake River, is also carrying a joint study of fish and wildlife in connection with that proposed project.

Robinson disclosed that to date the company has advanced over \$100,000 to Oregon, Washington and Idaho fish and game agencies and the U. S. Fish and Wildlife service for various phases of the study.

PNP was organized in 1954 by Pacific Power and Light, Portland General Electric, Washington Water Power and Montana Power companies.

Robinson said the Washington Department of Fisheries will operate the new project at McNary under contract with the Corps of Engineers and furnish operating costs. The Department conducted studies for the Corps during the 1953-54 salmon spawning seasons to determine the ideal physical criteria of spawning areas.

Although on a smaller scale, similar over-all studies have been conducted by the International Pacific Salmon Fisheries Commission and the Department of Fisheries of Canada with remarkable results, Robinson said.

Corps of Engineers officials said the artificial spawning area at McNary would be located on the Oregon shore directly downstream from the dam. The study plan calls for the trapping of approximately 1000 female fall Chinook salmon this year and an appropriate number of male salmon. The fish elevator system on the Washington shore will be used to trap the Chinooks.

Springwater church featured a program by the Sunday School children.

The Springwater Grange initiated four new members in the 1st and 2nd degrees on Wednesday eve, April 24. David and Anita Horner, owners of Horners Market in Estacada and Anita's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Whitrock who live on Route 2, are the new Grangers. We are very happy to have them with us.

Eddie and Myrtle Dmytryk attended a crab dinner served by the Moose Lodge of Hillsboro last Saturday night with Bud and Ann Bartholomew of Estacada.

Congratulations to Winifred Shibley who has been chosen to be valedictorian for the graduating class of the Estacada High School on May 24th.

## Portland General Electric Company Lists Fishing Outlook and Hazards

Opening week preliminary fishing report with conditions prevailing as of April 24th, at various areas in Portland General Electric Co.'s system of hydroelectric developments. CLACKAMAS RIVER AREA.

Estacada Lake—Some fish planted in the upper Clackamas, Eagle Creek and Deep Creek. Some results reported by steelhead and chinook anglers below River Mill dam. Outlook not so good for opening day in Eagle Creek. Best bet is boat fishing, rather than from bank. Water is good, if the weather holds.

Austin Hot Springs—The river is a little high, but general conditions are clear. The opening outlook is good with bait fishing tagged "best in prospect."

Lake Harriet—The Oak Grove fork is higher than usual for this time of the year. Opening outlook is about average. Lake Harriet is reasonably clear.

Timothy Lake—Not open until May 25.

## Springwater Grange to Hold Open House

The Social Night at the Springwater Grange will be held on Friday evening, April 26th, with pot luck dinner to be served at 6:30, and the Lecturers program to follow. If nothing drastic happens (and if Fred Horner O. Ks it) our new quartet will be presented in their first performance.

The speaker of the evening will be Sergeant Colbert of the Ground Observer Corps. It seems that the Estacada area has fallen down a great deal in their job of keeping the Skywatch tower open, and Sergeant Colbert is going to talk about the importance of the Sky Watch, and why it should be manned at all times.

An invitation is extended to all who are interested in this project to come and join us. Remember the pot luck supper at 6:30 and the program at 8 P. M.

## \$250 in Electrical Gear Stolen

While fishing near Carver last Friday afternoon, Paul Richard Justice, who lives on route two out of Estacada had the misfortune to have his locked car broken into and \$250 worth of electrical tools and fishing gear taken.

Mrs. Mollie Bates is visiting in Seattle this week end.

## Government Spending Has Got to Stop! Observations of a N. C. Doctor

Albemarle, North Carolina April 15, 1957 Dear Editor

Since the first of the year I have been trying to get the people of the United States to write to their Congressmen and Senators, and also the President, demanding economy and a cut in taxes.

President Eisenhower is setting up several new bureaus which will call for more and more money each year. All of these should be cut out of the budget.

The Hoover committee showed where four billion dollars could be saved in the budgeting and accounting departments and two million more saved by putting the military on a business basis. These items should go toward tax reduction.

## CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express my sincere thanks to friends and neighbors for their sympathy and assistance at the death of my beloved wife; also for the beautiful floral offerings.

Raymond D. Turner.

## New Phone Co. Building (by Days) New Street Light

To Floyd and Neva Day, President and Secretary of the Estacada Tel. & Tel. Company, our hats off to you for the outright gift to the City of the Mercury-Vaper type street lamp installed last week at the corner of S. W. Third Avenue and Zobrist, in front of and across the street from the new telephone building. Maybe it is none of our business, but we got curious and called the Recorders office and asked how much. We were informed that this one cost Mr. and Mrs. Day approximately \$203.00.

For the information of the citizens the Recorder explained that the incandescent lamps cost approximately \$125 installed. The cost of either lamp varies slightly due to the material necessary for the installation at a given point. Again our thanks to Floyd and Neva Day for a bright street corner.

## Local People Set For Jury Duty

The following from this section of Clackamas County have been summoned for jury service May 7: Thelma B. Ekersley, Estacada; Donald E. Fowler, Estacada; Elda K. Grohn, Boring; Beatrice R. Hale, Estacada; Mildred A. Martinson, Boring and Claribel V. Oswald, Estacada. Those on the reserve list are Helen Eberlee, Boring, Elizabeth Mace, Eagle Creek, Atton C. McAllister, Estacada and Merle W. Tomkins, Estacada.

Jerry Hale has resumed his duties at Horners Store after a three weeks encounter with flu.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Carlson have moved into the Hoffmeister house at First and Pierce streets. Carlson works up the river on the dam project.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Jansen, who were married a few week ago, spent the week end at the Garfield home of his parents.

The total budget for the federal government is 71 billion, 500 million dollars. The government has at this time, unspent money totaling about 70 billion dollars that has already been appropriated but not spent. Fellow Americans, do you realize that the budget for federal, state and county governments amounts to 140 billion dollars for this fiscal year? This means that we are paying for government one-third of all we make or collect. If you want to continue this way that is your business, but unless you and I force a reduction in government expenditures it can mean only that the dollar will be stretched until it is eventually worth practically nothing, and then we will have a depression far worse than ever occurred before in the history of the world.

Please write to the President, and to your Congressmen and Senators today, demanding a cut in the budget and a cut in taxes. This is no time to be weak or careless. We must all demand economy in government.

Yours very sincerely,  
BAILEY T. TALLY, M. D.

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