

Grass Valley

by Ann Balzer

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Balzer were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gus Hartmann in Wasco. Other guests were their son and daughter in law, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hatmann and daughters of The Dalles.

Mrs. Eben Kee, Mrs. Herman Peters and Mrs. Alfred Kock surprised Mrs. Loy Cochran on her birthday at her home in Moro Thursday afternoon. It also was a surprise on Mrs. Kock for her birthday. They spent the afternoon playing bridge.

Bernard Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Martin and Leroy Martin were business visitors in Madras Wednesday.

Herman Peters Jr. and children of Hood River spent Saturday visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. Herman Peters.

Dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Tatum at Kent Monday evening were Mr. and Mrs. Harley McKay and Mary Ann and Edgar Justesen.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank von Borstel spent the weekend at Mercer Island, Wn., where they visited her brother, Harland Clodfelter and family. While there Mr. and Mrs. John Miller and daughter of Bellevue, Wash., visited them at the Clodfelter home. Also Mr. and Mrs. Duane Wendes and daughters, Desiree and Denise of Lynwood, Wash., were visitors.

BORN: To Mr. and Mrs. George von Borstel Feb. 23 at The Dalles a girl, Nancy Jean, weighing seven and one half pounds. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ted von Borstel of The Dalles and Mrs. William Johnson of Portage, Penn. George von Borstel went to The Dalles Monday to bring Mrs. von Borstel and infant daughter home and to meet her mother, Mrs. William Johnson who arrived on the train from Portage, Pa.

Kenneth and Vernon Gooch left Thursday for their home in Carlisle, Iowa after spending about eight weeks here with their sister, Mrs. Don Earl and family.

Sunday March 5 the Kent Baptist church will be host to seven churches in the area, who will examine the credentials of the Kent Baptist church. Everyone is invited to attend. Dr. L. P. Fosmark of the Conservative Baptists state office and Jim Howard of Prineville Baptist church will be the speakers.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Cox had as guests Sunday her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. John F. Maeder of Sacramento, Calif., and her mother, Mrs. Alan Welch Smith of Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Stark of Cove spent the weekend at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stark.

Mrs. Frank E. Bayer and Mrs. Claude Bayer were business visitors in The Dalles Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Runke left Sunday for their home in Milwaukee after spending ten days visiting at the John Rust and the H. O. Dugger homes.

Mrs. Frances Mathews arrived here February 18 from Seattle to visit her mother, Mrs. T. M. Rolfe till Thursday, March 2.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rust and their house guests the Carl Runkes had dinner Sunday at the new Oyster House at Rufus.

R. E. LeBlau of Bend was an over night guest Sunday at the John Rust home.

Don Clodfelter drove to Hood River Friday where Clair Adams accompanied him to Corvallis to the Dad's weekend activities on the campus. Mr. Clodfelter visited his son, Wendell and Mr. Adams visited his sons, Ronald and Jerry.

Mrs. Arden Peters, Mrs. Herman Peters and Mrs. John Gilman and daughter, Barbara of Moro took a drive Sunday to the John Day dam site.

Howard Garland of The Dalles spent Saturday here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Len Garland.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Olds and Mrs. Art Schilling drove to Portland Monday where they were

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for their lovely farewell dinner and the lovely gifts they gave us. We extend a hearty welcome to all our friends to come and visit us in our new home.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley McKay
Mary Ann McKay

Competence and Equipment come first as the qualifying factors in funeral service.

Spencer & Libby
funeral home
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over night guests of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Perry. Mrs. Olds, Mrs. Schilling, Mrs. Perry and daughter, Donna and Glenda, attended a Theta Rho meeting Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Draga of Portland came Tuesday and took her father Herman Ziegler Sr. to Portland Wednesday where he entered St. Vincent's hospital for surgery Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Perry and daughters, Donna and Glenda, of Portland spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Olds. Mr. and Mrs. John Alley and family and Mr. and Mrs. Dick Rust and daughter, had dinner with them Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Rust and daughter moved into the REA house last week as he has the job with the REA company. Keith Barnett who had been working here was transferred to Maupin with the REA there.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley McKay were presented with a gift at the Baptist church in Kent Sunday morning by Bill Jefferies, Sunday school superintendent. Mrs. McKay taught the junior class in Sunday school and Mr. McKay was the youth leader.

Fred Kurilo and family were up from Portland over the weekend as guests of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Matt Simon and Mr. and Mrs. Lester Barnum.

Soil Loss Big

Movement of top soil off the hills and slopes and into draws, ditches and the Columbia was terrific as all know this year. Soil loss measurements are being taken this week by representatives of your Soil Conservation and Extension service. Publication of this will be made when data is assembled. This type survey gives good guides as to difference in various farm practices and emphasizes the need for soil erosion control.

Wild Turkeys Now

Residents of Wasco County

Oregon gunners may some day be looking over a gun barrel at the "big game" of all upland game birds—the wild turkey—if all goes well with introduction plans of the game commission. Negotiations are now under way with several western states, including Colorado, New Mexico, and Arizona, and the trapping of these great game birds has already begun. Transplants will take place as soon as word is received that enough birds have been captured to make the stocking worthwhile.

Don't get your gunning fever aroused above the boiling point, though, for it will undoubtedly take many years before populations build to where hunting will be allowed. Too, the success of these plants is a big question mark and the entire project may prove a complete fizzle.

The last attempt to introduce the wild turkey was made in the spring of 1957 by interested individuals at Heppner. The Pennsylvania game farm birds, 18 in all, were released on Willow creek in Morrow county. Occasional sightings of a few birds are received each year in this area.

There are four races of wild turkey in the United States. These include the Florida turkey, the Rio Grande turkey which ranges into northern Texas, the eastern turkey which ranges through the eastern and southern states, and the Merriam's turkey which is native to west Texas, New Mexico, Arizona and southern California.

It is the latter race of wild turkey that the game commission feels has the best chance of survival in Oregon since its range seems to be the most comparable with eastern Oregon conditions. Initial release site will be in the White River game management

area west of Wamie. All birds will come from wild stocks.

Experience in other western states indicates that wild trapped

birds retain their wild instinct, remain alert, and have the best chance of adjusting to their new surroundings. No artificial feeding will be conducted by the game commission and residents in the area will be asked not to feed the birds since this may tend to make the birds less wary.

In general appearance, the Merriam's turkey looks much like the domestic bird but is more streamlined with a longer neck and a smaller, greenish-blue head.

Mature gobblers weigh around 16 pounds while the hen will average about 10 pounds. Tail feathers are almost black and tipped with light tan.

The Merriam's turkey prefers open timber country rather than dense underbrush and chooses open branching trees for roosting. Oak and other hardwood supply mast for food and are important to the bird. Grasshoppers and other insects are favorite food during the summer, but plants supply most of the diet at other seasons. Major foods are leaves, grass and weed seeds, and a variety of fruits, nuts and cereal crops.

Sherman Theater

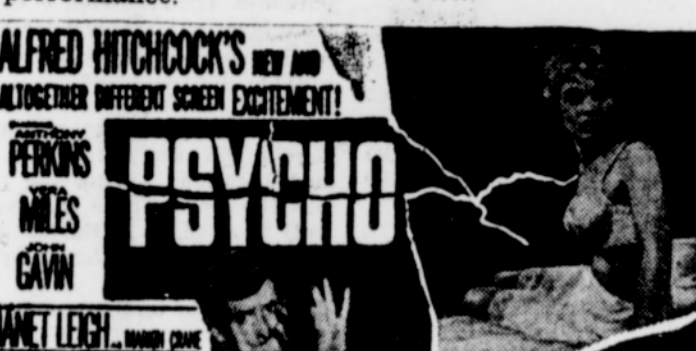
FRIDAY & SATURDAY, MARCH 3-4

Seven who fought like seven hundred!



SUNDAY & MONDAY, MARCH 5-6

No one will be admitted after the start of each performance.



NOTICE OF SCHOOL MEETING

Notice is hereby given to the legal voters of Grass Valley school district No. 23 of Sherman County, State of Oregon, that a SCHOOL MEETING of the said district will be held at the school house on the 13th day of March, 1961, at 8 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of discussing the budget for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1961, and ending June 30, 1962, hereinafter set forth.

Schedule I BUDGET—FISCAL YEAR 1961-1962

Summary of Estimated Expenditures, Receipts, and Available Cash Balances, and Tax Levies	Total All Funds	General Fund	Sch. Lunch Fund	Bus Reserve	Teacher- age Fund
1. a. Total Estimated Expenditures	\$ 66,577.00	\$ 60,882.00	\$ 4,275.00		\$ 1,420.00
b. Total Reserved for Expenditures in Future Years	6,775.00		200.00	\$ 5,545.00	\$ 1,030.00
c. Total Estimated Expenditures and Reserve	73,352.00	60,882.00	4,475.00	5,545.00	2,450.00
2. Total Estimated Receipts and Available Cash Balances	37,740.00	25,270.00	4,475.00	5,545.00	2,450.00
3. Amount Necessary to Balance the Budget	35,612.00	35,612.00			
4. Estimated Amount of Taxes That Will Not Be Collected During the Fiscal Year for Which This Budget Is Made, Including Estimated Rebate on Taxes	1,068.00	1,068.00			
5. Total Estimated Tax Levies for Ensuing Fiscal Year	36,680.00	36,680.00			
6. Analysis of Estimated Tax Levies: (a) Amount Outside 6% limitation	36,680.00	36,680.00			

INDEBTEDNESS	Approved by Budget Committee
1. Amount of bonded indebtedness (include all negotiable interest-bearing warrants issued under ORS 328.205)	Approved: February 13, 1961 Signed: J. E. Alley, Secretary, Budget Comm.
2. Amount of warrant indebtedness on warrants issued and endorsed "not paid for want of funds"	Posted: February 25, 1961 Signed: Eva L. Cantrall, District Clerk
3. Amount of other indebtedness	Adopted by District School Board
4. Total indebtedness (sum of items 1, 2, 3.)	Dated February 8, 1961 Signed: A. W. Schilling, District Sch. Board Chr. Eva L. Cantrall, District Clerk

GENERAL FUND ESTIMATED RECEIPTS AND BEGINNING CASH BALANCE July 1, 1961 to June 30, 1962

Actual Receipts for Two Fiscal Years Next Preceding Current School Year

Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1959	Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1960	Budget Allowance Current Fiscal Year	ITEM	Estimated Receipts Ending Fiscal Year
\$ 8,573.39			10. Revenue from Local Sources	
20.81	\$ 1,556.31		11.1 Dist. Tax received in year levied	559.85
189.47			11.2 District Tax—Prior Years' Levies	498.81
			14.0 Other	
1,352.08	128.49	\$ 1,510.00	20. Revenue from Intermediate Sources	
28,066.80	33,474.82		21.0 County School Fund	1,460.00
			22.1 Apportionment	
1,292.10	1,971.38		22.0 Rural School Levies (Rural)	
			22.2 Prior Years' Levies (Rural)	
12,105.68	13,061.68		30. Revenue from or Through State Sources	
898.70		11,933.54	31.0 Basic School Support Fund	400.35
119.72		128.35	(a) Off-set Against tax Levy	3,041.16
134.29		300.00	(b) Other Basic Sch. Fund Receipts	36.36
			32.0 Common (Irreducible) Sch. Fund	2,093.07
			39.0 Other	\$ 6,204.34
			70. Sale of Property and Insurance Adjustments	948.34
			80.—90. Receipts from Other School Districts	45.00
			(b) Transportation	
			Transfers from other funds	3,500.00
			TOTAL RECEIPTS	\$ 17,270.72
			Beginning net cash balance (or Deficit)	8,000.00
			TOTAL BUDGET RESOURCES	\$ 25,270.72

Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1959	Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1960	Budget Allowance Current Fiscal Year	ITEM	Estimated Receipts Ending Fiscal Year
\$ 5,737.86			110 Salaries	350.00
16,902.37	18,536.01	8,990.11	112 Office of Business Adm. Clerk	375.00
\$ 74,173.23	\$ 72,418.16	\$ 26,422.00	114 Census Enumeration	375.00
			120 Supplies	25.00
			141 Elections and Publicity	140.00
			143 Legal Service	25.00
			144 Audit	300.00
			190 Other Expenses of Administration	25.00
			Total Administration Expenses	\$ 1,263.00

Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1959	Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1960	Budget Allowance Current Fiscal Year	ITEM	Estimated Receipts Ending Fiscal Year
\$ 1,107.49	1,177.28	\$ 1,245.00	210 Salaries	350.00
			211 Principals	1,140.00
			213 Teachers	27,400.00
			214 Others (Sub Teachers)	500.00
			215 Secretarial & Clerical Ass'ts	
			220.1 Physical Supplies	200.00

Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1959	Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1960	Budget Allowance Current Fiscal Year	ITEM	Estimated Receipts Ending Fiscal Year
1,000.00	5,850.00	1,050.00	210 Salaries	350.00
20,427.23	17,975.00	25,180.00	211 Principals	1,140.00
171.00	140.00	500.00	213 Teachers	27,400.00
355.00		150.00	214 Others (Sub Teachers)	500.00
			215 Secretarial & Clerical Ass'ts	
			220.1 Physical Supplies	200.00

243.65	220.86	200.00	220.2 Music Supplies	200.00
1,119.91	849.87	850.00	220.3 Workbooks	300.00
735.93	1,188.24	800.00	220 Teaching Supplies	500.00
20.25		150.00	226 Textbooks	400.00
			227.1 Library books & supplies	200.00
			227.2 Periodicals—pam. & newspapers	150.00
			227.3 Audiovisual materials	100.00
			290 Other Expense of Instruction	50.00
			245 Travel	50.00
			Total Expense of Instruction	\$ 31,190.00
\$ 24,068.97	\$ 25,223.97	\$ 28,880.00		
			ATTENDANCE & HEALTH SERVICES	
110.96	80.00	50.00	400 Health Services	
110.96	84.17	50.00	410 Salaries	
	\$ 116.17	\$ 100.00	420 Supplies	25.00
8,428.46	8,550.00	8,550.00	Total Attendance and Health Services	25.00
2,386.44	2,305.58	2,500.00	PUPIL TRANSPORTATION SERVICES	
5,766.12	5,348.00	2,500.00	510 Salaries	8,550.00
523.70	484.72	450.00	520 Supplies and Repairs	2,800.00
			535 Replacement of Vehicles	1,500.00
\$ 17,104.71	\$ 16,688.30	\$ 14,000.00	552 Transportation Insurance	475.00
3,075.20	3,033.30	3,350.00	590 Physical Examinations	60.00
539.13	646.68	600.00	Total Pupil Transportation Services	\$ 13,385.00
633.50	922.43	1,250.00	OPERATION OF PLANT	
1,577.82	1,524.77	1,800.00	610 Salaries	2,520.00
\$ 5,845.65	\$ 6,127.18	\$ 7,000.00	620 Supplies	400.00
			628 Fuel for Heat	800.00
			630 Utilities except Fuel	1,200.00
			Total Operation of Plant	\$ 4,920.00
			MAINTENANCE OF PLANT	
696.21	691.22	600.00	710 Salaries	1,080.00
504.99	311.15		720 Materials and Supplies	600.00
\$ 1,060.93	\$ 1,002.37	\$ 1,445.00	735 Replacement of Equipment	700.00
2,185.48	2,171.11	2,520.00	736 Contracted Service	
1,345.80	765.41	600.00	Total Maintenance of Plant	\$ 2,380.00
\$ 3,531.28	\$ 3,022.02	\$ 3,620.00	FIXED CHARGES	
2,039.50	2,150.00	2,150.00	851 Retirement & Social Security Exp.	2,520.00
53.57	419.35		852 Insurance	1,102.00
\$ 2,093.07	\$ 2,569.35	\$ 2,150.00	856 Sick Leave—Uncertified	200.00
			Total Fixed Charges	\$ 3,822.00
			FOOD SERVICES AND STUDENT-BODY ACTIVITIES	
			900 Food Services	2,145.00
			922 Supplies	
			Total Food Ser. & Student-body Act.	2,145.00
			COMMUNITY SERVICES	
			1121 Community Recreational Act.	200.00
			1122 Civic Activities	200.00
			Total Community Service	\$ 400.00
			CAPITAL OUTLAY	
			1227 Library books	
			1278 Equipment	250.00
			Non Instructional	100.00
			Total Capital Outlay	\$ 350.00
			EMERGENCY	
			TOTAL GENERAL FUND EXPENDITURES	\$ 60,882.00
			SCHOOL LUNCH FUND	
			ESTIMATED RECEIPTS AND BEGINNING CASH BALANCE	
			36 Federal Money Rec'd thru State	900.00
			77 Sale of Lunches & Transfer from General Fund	3,375.00
			Total Receipts	4,275.00
			Beginning net cash balance (or deficit)	200.00
			Total Expenditures and Reserve	\$ 4,475.00
			ESTIMATED EXPENDITURES AND RESERVE	
			910 Salaries	350.00
			921 Food	3,600.00
			922 Supplies	150.00
			935 Replacement of Equipment	175.00
			Total Estimated Expenditures	4,275.00
			Reserved for Exp. in Future Years	200.00
			TOTAL BUDGET RESOURCES	\$ 4,475.00
			BUS RESERVE FUND	
			ESTIMATED EXPENDITURES AND RESERVE	
			1,545.50	2,500.00
			1,545.50	\$ 2,500.00
			Total Receipts	1,500.00
			Beginning net cash balance (or deficit)	1,045.70
			Total Budget Resources	\$ 3,545.70
			Reserved for Exp. in Future Years	5,545.70
			Total Expenditures and Reserve	\$ 5,545.70
			TEACHERAGE FUND	
			ESTIMATED RECEIPTS AND BEGINNING CASH BALANCES	
			787.50	720.00
			1,360.07	1,700.00
			\$ 2,147.57	\$ 2,420.00
			ESTIMATED EXPENDITURES AND RESERVE	
			504.74	750.00
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			1,642.83	1,670.00
			\$ 2,147.57	\$ 2,420.00
			Total Receipts	720.00
			Beginning net cash balance (or deficit)	1,730.50
			Total Budget Resources	\$ 2,450.50
			Reserved for Exp. in Future Years	1,429.00
			Total Expenditures and Reserve	\$ 2,450.50

4-H CLUB NEWS

The Handy Girls Sewing Club under leadership of Betty Henrichs met Feb. 20 at the school. Cindy Heater was a visitor.

We had our meeting. There were no demonstrations so meeting was adjourned. There were 14 members present. Karen

Thompson and Christen Melzer brought refreshments. After the meeting we worked on our sewing projects.

Next meeting will be March 6. Kathy Heater and Janice DeMoss are to bring refreshments next meeting.