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ECHO NEWS ITEMS

By Mrs. W. H. Cravy

Miss Betty Jean Esselstyn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Esselstyn of Echo, and Donald Grossmiller, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Grossmiller of Oregon City are to be married at the Methodist church in Echo Sunday evening, August 8. A reception at the home of the bride's parents will follow the ceremony. Mr. Grossmiller is a U. S. navy man, now stationed at Pasco.

Much of the low land in the Meadows district just west of Echo was

flooded early Monday when an accumulation of mustard weeds formed a dam at a bridge over the Westland ditch and backed the water up until it overflowed the ditch banks. Fortunately the overflow was spread over a considerable distance and the ditch rider and adjoining farmers broke the dam before the ditch bank was washed out. The heavy wind of Sunday night carried great quantities of the dry mustard into the ditch and in places filled cuts in the road so that passage with a car was impossible.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Spike of Echo are the parents of a son, Stephen Holmes, born at The Dalles hospital July 24. The child weighed 6 pounds 4 ounces. Mr. and Mrs. Spike were driving to Portland in anticipation of arrival of the stork, but were obliged to stop at The Dalles and the child was born 35 minutes after they reached the hospital.

Grass fires in this neighborhood have caused considerable damage the past week. Last Monday a fire west of Butter Creek burned several hundred acres of grain on the Vogler, Bartholomew and Struthers ranches. Friday a truck was burned in a stubble fire at the Vogler place and the following day a small acreage of rye was destroyed on the same ranch.

Earl Middleton writes his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Middleton, from Camp Lewis that he has been inducted into the army engineers and hopes to be sent to Alaska soon.

Fred Rauch has enlisted in the army engineers and left Thursday for Spokane for induction into the service.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Middleton and daughter went to Reedsport Wednesday for a visit with Mr. Middleton's sisters. They are expected home the middle of this week.

Sloan Thomson has completed harvesting his barley crop and started cutting the second crop of alfalfa Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. K. Shopshire and son plan to move to Redmond in a few days.

Carl G. Thompson of the Pacific Paint & Chemical company, Portland, is here this week to refinish the blackboards in the school building.

Mrs. Lillian Brown, former Echo resident, died at the Good Samaritan hospital in Portland July 27 after a

long illness. Mrs. Brown and her husband, James Brown, conducted a furniture store and undertaking parlor in the building now occupied by Echo Hotel about 15 years ago. They moved to Vernonia where Mr. Brown died three years ago.

A bridal shower honoring Miss Betty Jean Esselstyn is to be held at the home of Mrs. A. C. Ebert Friday afternoon. Sponsors of the shower are Mrs. Ebert, Mrs. Tony Cunha and Mrs. Sloan Thomson. Miss Esselstyn is to be married to Donald Grossmiller of Oregon City, a U. S. Navy man now stationed at Pasco, in a church wedding at Echo Sunday evening.

Bernice Mudge, who enlisted in the WAVES in June is now attending State Teachers college at Cedar Falls, Iowa, taking a 3-months course in business training. She writes her parents that she likes being in the organization very much. Although the girls work hard they have a lot of fun along with their training. She is now a second class petty officer.

Mrs. Charles Hennig arrived Sunday from Portland for a week's visit with her mother, Mrs. Nona McPaul. Mrs. Hennig is on vacation from her job in the Columbia Aircraft company. Her husband is with the Seabees stationed on an island somewhere west of Dutch Harbor, Alaska.

Mrs. Vina Hoskins of Pendleton is spending a few days of her vacation visiting relatives in Echo.

NOTICE OF HEARING ON FINAL ACCOUNT

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR UMATILLA COUNTY

In the Matter of the Estate of Caroline Lynch, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned has filed his final account and report in the above entitled matter and the Court has fixed Friday, August 13, 1943, at the hour of ten o'clock a. m. of said day as the time, and the County Courtroom in the County Courthouse at Pendleton, Umatilla County, Oregon, as the place for hearing objections and objections to said final account and report. Objections to said final account and report should be filed on or before said date.

Dated at Hermiston, Oregon, this 15th day of July, 1943.

Joseph Lynch, Administrator of the Estate of Caroline Lynch, Deceased.

Homer I. Watts, Attorney for Administrator Postoffice Address: Athena, Oregon. (July 15-Aug. 12)

NOTICE OF FINAL HEARING

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR UMATILLA COUNTY

In the Matter of the Estate of John W. Messner, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned as administrator of the estate of John W. Messner, deceased, has filed his final report in said estate with the Clerk of the County Court of the State of Oregon for Umatilla County and that the Judge of said Court has fixed Monday, the 9th day of August, 1943, at 11:00 o'clock A. M. as the time and the rooms of the above entitled Court in the County Court House in Pendleton, Umatilla County, Oregon, as the place for hearing of objections or exceptions to such final report and the settlement thereof.

W. J. WARNER, Administrator of the Estate of John W. Messner, Deceased. (July 8-Aug. 5)

NOTICE OF FINAL HEARING

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR UMATILLA COUNTY

In the Matter of the Estate of James Eddie, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned as executor of the last will and testament of James Eddie, deceased, has filed his final account and report in said estate with the Clerk of the County Court, State of Oregon for Umatilla County and that the Judge of said Court has fixed Monday the 9th day of August, 1943, at 11:00 o'clock A. M. as the time and the rooms of the above entitled Court in the County Court House in Pendleton, Umatilla County, Oregon, as the place for hearing of objections or exceptions to such final report and the settlement thereof.

F. B. SWAYZE, Executor of the Last Will of James Eddie, Deceased. (July 8-Aug. 5)

LAND SALE NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That the undersigned, Sheriff of Umatilla County, Oregon, by virtue of an order duly made and entered herein by the County Court of Umatilla County, Oregon, on the 2nd day of July, 1943, will, on the 17th day of August, 1943, at the hour of 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, sell to the highest bidder for cash at the front door of the Umatilla County Court House, Pendleton, Oregon, subject to a minimum price of \$50.00 therefor, to be paid in cash, at the time of sale, the following described parcel of land heretofore by Umatilla County, Oregon, acquired for delinquent taxes, to-wit:

East 280 feet of W 1/2 W 1/2 South of Ditch less O.W.R. & N.R. of W SE 1/4 SW 1/4 South of Ditch less O.W.R. & N.R. of W NW 1/4 SE 1/4 South of Ditch less O.W.R. & N.R. of W W 1/2 NE 1/4 SE 1/4 South of Ditch less O.W.R. & N.R. of W All in Section 10 Twp. 5 North Range 28 E.W.M.

R. E. GOAD, Sheriff of Umatilla County. (July 15-Aug. 12)

Fine hair-like silk from the web of a Central American spider is used in American bombsights and optical instruments for crosslines in the foci of the instruments.

NOTICE OF LAND SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That the undersigned, Sheriff of Umatilla County, Oregon, by virtue of an order duly made and entered herein by the County Court of Umatilla County, Oregon, on the 28th day of June, 1943, will, on the 10th day of August, 1943, at the hour of 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, sell to the highest bidder for cash at the front door of the Umatilla County Court House, Pendleton, Oregon, subject to a minimum price of \$60.00 therefor, to be paid in cash, at the time of sale, the following described parcel of land, heretofore by Umatilla County, Oregon, acquired for delinquent taxes, to-wit:

NW 1/4 NE 1/4 NE 1/4 & NE 1/4 NW 1/4 NE 1/4 & S 1/2 NE 1/4 NE 1/4 in Section 9, Township 4, North Range 28 E.W.M.

R. E. GOAD, Sheriff of Umatilla County. (July 8-Aug. 5)

NOTICE OF LAND SALE

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August, 1943, at the hour of 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, sell to the highest bidder for cash at the front door of the Umatilla County Court House, Pendleton, Oregon, subject to a minimum price of \$200.00 therefor, to be paid in cash, at the time of sale, the following described parcel of land, heretofore by Umatilla County, Oregon, acquired for delinquent taxes, to-wit:

SE 1/4 SE 1/4 & SW 1/4 SE 1/4 less West 40 feet of South 450 feet in Section 2 Township 4 North Range 28 E.W.M.

R. E. GOAD, Sheriff of Umatilla County. (July 8-Aug. 5)

NOTICE OF SCHOOL ELECTION UPON QUESTION OF INCREASING TAX LEVY OVER AMOUNT LIMITED BY SECTION 11, ARTICLE XI, STATE CONSTITUTION

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held in School District No. 14, of Umatilla County, State of Oregon, at 3:00 p. m., August 27, at the school house in said school district, for the purpose of submitting to the legal voters of said district the question of increasing the tax levy for the year 1943-44 over the amount limited by section 11, article XI, of the Constitution of Oregon.

The reasons for increasing such levy are: Additional cost in running the school. The amount of tax, in excess of the 6% limitation, proposed to be levied for said year is \$6,126.96. Dated this 2nd day of August, 1943.

Attest: R. A. BROWNSON, District Clerk. F. C. WUGHTER, Chairman Board of Directors.

Notice of School Meeting

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the legal voters of School District No. 14, of Umatilla County, State of Oregon, that a SCHOOL MEETING of the said district will be held at the school house on the 27th day of August, 1943, at 3:00 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of discussing the budget for the fiscal school year, beginning July 1, 1943, and ending June 30, 1944, hereinafter set forth, and to vote on the proposition of levying a district tax.

BUDGET

Estimated Receipts and Available Cash Balances

1. Estimated available Cash Balance or Deficit at beginning of fiscal year for which this budget is made (Add Cash Balance—Deduct Deficit)	\$ -185.41
2. Estimated Receipts from County School Fund	13,457.00
3. Estimated Receipts from Elementary School Fund	7,980.00
4. Estimated Receipts from State Irreducible School Fund	1,499.38
5. Estimated Receipts from Elementary Tuition	1,000.00
6. Estimated Receipts from last year Federal Contribution	2,208.54
7. Estimated Receipts from Federal Contribution	15,315.00
8. ESTIMATED TOTAL RECEIPTS AND AVAILABLE CASH BALANCE OR DEFICIT	\$41,294.51

Estimated Expenditures

Expenditures for the School Year	Expenditures and Budget Allowance for Six Months of Current School Year		Expenditures for Three Fiscal Years Next Preceding the Current School Year		
	Estimated Expenditures	Budget Allowance	Detailed Expenditures for the Last Year of the Three-year Period	Second Yearly Totals	First Yearly Totals
I. GENERAL CONTROL—					
1. Personal service:					
(1) Superintendent	\$ 1,056.37	\$ 529.00	\$ 529.00	\$ 971.37	\$ 155.00
(2) Clerk	155.00	78.00	78.00	155.00	125.00
(3) Stenographers and other office assistants	410.74	206.00	206.00	325.74	
(4) Compulsory education and census	437.40	220.00	220.00	437.40	
2. Supplies	177.79	90.00	90.00	177.79	18.60
3. Election and publicity	67.05	67.05	67.05	67.05	
4. Legal service (clerk's bond, audit, etc.)	50.00	50.00	50.00	50.00	50.00
5. TOTAL EXPENSE OF GENERAL CONTROL	2,354.35	1,240.05	1,240.05	2,184.35	223.60
II. INSTRUCTION—Teaching					
1. Personal service:					
(1) Teachers	32,050.03	16,025.00	16,025.00	25,050.03	10,647.67
(2) Supplies, repairs	973.00	450.00	450.00	897.00	931.23
3. Textbooks	700.00	350.00	350.00	789.33	488.63
4. TOTAL EXPENSE OF TEACHING	33,723.03	16,825.00	16,825.00	26,736.36	12,067.53
III. OPERATION OF PLANT					
1. Personal service:					
(1) Janitors and other employees	2,516.50	1,258.00	1,258.00	2,316.50	1,305.00
2. Janitors' supplies	210.00	150.00	105.00	515.29	107.01
3. Fuel	550.00	275.00	275.00	503.90	316.25
4. Light and power	540.00	270.00	270.00	527.46	322.21
5. Water	100.00	50.00	50.00	96.05	91.50
6. TOTAL EXPENSE OF OPERATION	3,916.50	1,958.00	1,958.00	3,959.20	2,141.97
IV. MAINTENANCE & REPAIRS					
1. Repair and maintenance of furniture and equipment	100.00	50.00	50.00	8.00	33.52
2. Repair and maintenance of buildings and grounds	2,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00	3,297.84	427.92
3. TOTAL EXPENSE OF MAINTENANCE AND REPAIRS	2,100.00	1,050.00	1,050.00	3,305.84	461.44
V. AUXILIARY AGENCIES					
1. Health service:					
(1) Personal service (nurse, etc.)					138.40
2. Transportation of pupils:					
(1) Personal service	7,000.00	3,500.00	3,500.00	5,999.61	3,079.44
3. Other auxiliary agencies:					
(1) Library	250.00	125.00	125.00	267.49	19.40
4. TOTAL EXPENSE OF AUXILIARY AGENCIES	7,250.00	3,625.00	3,625.00	6,257.10	3,237.24
VI. FIXED CHARGES					
1. Insurance	240.00	120.00	120.00	236.67	193.60
2. Rent	1,300.00	650.00	650.00	1,277.50	
3. TOTAL FIXED CHARGES	1,540.00	770.00	770.00	1,514.17	193.60
VII. CAPITAL OUTLAYS					
1. Alteration of buildings (not repairs)	100.00	50.00	50.00	26.90	215.30
2. TOTAL CAPITAL OUTLAYS	100.00	50.00	50.00	26.90	215.30
VIII. DEBT SERVICE					
1. Interest on warrants retiring excess bonds	100.00	50.00	50.00	6,300.00	
2. TOTAL DEBT SERVICE	100.00	50.00	50.00	6,300.00	50.00
IX. EMERGENCY					
1,000.00	1,000.00				1,500.00
GENERAL FUND—Total estimated expenses for the year	52,083.88			50,283.92	
BOND INTEREST AND SINKING FUND					
1. Principal on bonds (include negotiable interest-bearing warrants issued under section 35-1104)				4,700.00	
2. TOTAL				4,700.00	

Summary of Estimates of Expenditures, Receipts and Available Cash Balances, and Tax Levies

Total estimated expenditures	\$52,083.88	\$52,093.88
DEDUCT:		
Total estimated receipts & available cash balances	41,294.51	
Balance to be raised by taxation	10,789.37	
TOTAL ESTIMATED TAX LEVIES FOR EN-SUING YEAR	10,789.37	

INDEBTEDNESS

1. Amount of bonded indebtedness (include all negotiable interest-bearing warrants issued under section 11-1016, O. C. L. A.)	none	none
2. Amount of warrant indebtedness on warrants issued and endorsed "not paid for want of funds"	none	none
3. TOTAL INDEBTEDNESS	none	none

Dated this 7th day of June, 1943.
Signed: R. A. BROWNSON, District Clerk. CLARA R. PIERSOL, Chairman, Board of Directors.
Approved by Budget Committee June 7th, 1943.
Signed: A. W. PRANN, Secretary, Budget Committee. B. HANELINE, Chairman, Budget Committee. (August 1-8)

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