

Budget For Schools Vote Due Monday

Monday afternoon the taxpayers of the Klamath county school district will have a chance to vote to approve or turn down a proposed 1947-48 county high and elementary school budget, which anticipates an expenditure of \$963,674.66 on county schools next year.

Of that amount \$485,051.73 is to be raised by direct property taxation. The remainder will come in from various funds and indirect sources, including the state's basic school fund, instituted this year for the first time.

Klamath's county schools are due to get an estimated \$244,022 from the basic school support fund.

Under the state's 6 per cent limitation law, which forbids raising taxes over 6 per cent without a vote, the county schools could raise \$225,484 by taxation, but the school board has drawn up a budget which asks the taxpayers to approve a levy which will raise \$222,350 over and above the voluntary assessment. Those two figures, plus an estimated \$37,317 to come in from bond interest, make up the \$485,051 the school board has decided should be raised locally to run the county schools.

Tax Boost
An affirmative vote on the proposed budget will also be a vote to boost the property tax levy for schools, while a negative vote will be against raising the tax levy.

A simple majority is necessary for passage of the budget and the tax levy increase.

The various elementary school buildings in the county will serve as polling places, with few exceptions. Some of the lumber camp schools will not be used for voting, and residents of the Altamont-Summers school area in Altamont elementary. Voting from 2 p. m. to 7 p. m.

The big increase in the estimated cost of running the schools for another year comes in teachers' salaries, where increases for all teachers are proposed.

The salary item on the budget for teachers, supervisors, principals and librarians amounts to \$541,849. The 1946-47 budget allowance for salaries was \$401,330.

Most other items in the budget are up also. For instance, there is a \$10,000 increase marked for operation of the physical school plants, a \$4000 cost hike for maintenance, a \$4500 increase in the amount wanted to run the school board and office of the superintendent.

Bly

Friday, May 2, the Girls Athletic association under the direction of Mrs. Frank Obenchain held its annual Mother's tea in the gymnasium. Each mother was presented with a corsage. A program was presented during the afternoon in the cleverly decorated hall. At the table during tea hour were Gwen Ash-bough, Yvonna Stonebrocker and Myrtle Kester.

Herbert Hadley, Kenneth Carlson and Bill Maxwell of Bly spent the 5th and 6th at Dog lake attending a forest service training school for road and track maintenance crews.

The 4-H forestry boys went camping at Dog lake over the week-end. There were 23 boys with 4-H club leader, Spike Armstrong. Each boy planted 50 ponderosa pine seedlings to complete his 4-H course.

The remainder of the time was spent swimming, fishing, boating and cooking over campfires. David Stocker of Forestry 2, conducted church services Sunday. Every boy reported a grand time for the week-end.

Clark Abbott, Duane Cassidy, Stanley Lower, Burt Butler were business visitors in Tulake, Calif., on Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernie O'Neil of Myrtle Creek visited relatives here last week.

Myrtle O'Neil, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack O'Neil, is receiving medical treatment at the Hillside hospital in Klamath Falls.

Gordon Sikes, son of Mrs. Willis Parkey, underwent an appendix operation at the Hillside hospital on Wednesday. He is reported doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Ross and children have moved to Weyerhaeuser camp 6.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bicandi and small son left last week to make their home in Marsing, Ida.

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County Council PTA Heads For Klamath District



PTA Convention Report Advancement Of Education, Tolerance Urged At Confab

The recent Oregon Congress of Parent-Teachers association convention, held in Portland, was fully reported by Mrs. Harold Shaffer for the assembled members of the county PTA here at Fremont school auditorium on May 5.

At the outset, she explained that aims of the congress are: to advance world education and health, in parent and family life, and to advance world-wide tolerance and understanding.

At the convention were 785 registered delegates representing 216 state units, with a membership of 55,369 and a national membership of almost 4 1/2 million.

The importance of UNESCO, the United Nations Education, Science and Cultural Organization, was explained.

"If we of the United States understood other countries and peoples of the world there would be no war. Peace is not the duty of a few, but of every one of us. Begin with the school children by not glorifying war and war heroes," Mrs. Shaffer quoted from the convention.

Of our national income we spend only 1 1/2 per cent for education compared to Russia's 13 per cent. The U. S. ranks lower than many other nations.

Mrs. J. K. Sayre, Oregon congress study group chairman, told of the presentation from the state units of PTA to Mrs. H. H. George, retiring congress president, of a silver tea service and a set of silverware in token of appreciation for the long, untiring service Mrs. George has given the PTA in Oregon.

A potluck luncheon followed four members on the occasion by Dale Peyton. Luncheon speaker was Sam Smith, city recreation officer, who spoke of his hopes and plans for a recreation program for this summer and for the future. He asked for volunteers to assist in running five play centers to be open six days a week from 9 to 6 o'clock, June 16 to August 22.

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New Pine Creek

There will be an election of members of the Modoc County high school board on May 16. Of local interest among those who are running for reelection is Corda Perry. She has served well for the past four years and deserves to have someone to represent this end of the district.

At the same election there will be a new member of the State Line school board to be voted upon. The outgoing member is W. E. Butler who has served for a good many terms and has served the district dutifully.

There will also be a school election of the Kelly Creek district on June 16 and a new board member will be voted on at that time. The outgoing member whose term has expired is Irwin L. Paris.

The new budget which was worked out at a special meeting of the Kelly Creek board with Mrs. Anne Sprague last Thursday evening presents a favorable picture for the taxpayers. It is a budget which will be a shade lower than last year. Last year's budget provided a total operational expense of \$3632.50 while this year's budget is \$3404.80 or \$227.70 less. The installation of an oil furnace last year necessitated an expenditure of around \$1000 while the same amount this year and perhaps a little more will be needed to meet the increase in salary for the teaching staff. Both of the present teachers, Mrs. Ganey and Mrs. Kathryn Dick have indicated their acceptance of the teaching jobs for the coming year.

The Happy Hour club met with Mrs. Mary Millap on Tuesday afternoon. There were 15 members and 10 children present. Mrs. Al Carter of Fairport and Mrs. Mary Snider of New Pine Creek were guests. The hosts read a list of statements in regard to the features of a party, and the members were to decide whether the statements were true or false. Prizes for this game were won by Ethel Thompson and Louise Miller. Louise Miller received her anniversary gift from her secret pay and Fanny Fisher received a birthday gift from her secret pay. Cora Vincent received a large bouquet of lilacs and tulips for Mother's Day as a gift from her secret pay. Delicious refreshments of fresh strawberry sundae, chocolate chip cookies and coffee were served. The next hostess will be Gladys Porter.

Mrs. Frankie Williams has been visiting her son Rex Williams in Phoenix, Ariz., and is expected to return home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. "Babe" Blurton left for San Francisco on Tuesday for a few days in the city.

Miss Bernice Keller arrived home last weekend for a couple of weeks vacation.

At the regular grange meeting held last Saturday night it was decided that all grange members who could possibly do so were to attend Mother's Day services at the New

Pine Creek Baptist church on Sunday. Following the services, potluck dinner will be served at the Grange hall, and all those attending church are invited to participate.

Billing Millap was honored by a fishing party celebrating his ninth birthday last Sunday. He and his guests were taken out to Willow creek where they fished, played baseball and other games and the group enjoyed a big picnic dinner with cake and ice cream for dessert. The party was a success in every way except that nobody caught any fish. Guests were Philip Gooch, Lee McLain, Don and Bobby Carter, Howard Wells, Dwayne Melvin and Earl Porter.

The Home Economics club met at the Grange hall last Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Alpha Smith as hostess. There were seven members and three children present. Ice cream and light and dark cake was served for refreshments. Mrs. Louise Miller is the next hostess.

Grange members met and out the finishing touches on the Modern Woodman hall last Wednesday. Former members of the Modern Woodman lodge will not know the old place now.

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Rebel Army Said Forming

TEHRAN, May 10 (AP) — An Iranian source who has returned from a three-month tour of the north said today that remnants of the Azerbaijan province partisan army, estimated unofficially at 15,000 men, were organizing in the mountains for a summer campaign against the central government.

The informant said he was told that the rebel groups were directed from across the Russian frontier by Azerbaijan officers who fled from Iran after the fall last December of the self-declared autonomous government which had been set up by Jafar Pishevari in Azerbaijan.

The Azerbaijan movement began at a time when the province still was occupied by Soviet troops and collapsed after the Soviet withdrawal.

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Wednesday—What I Saw in the Notre Dame, Paris. (Prophetic).
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Friday—A Runaway Wedding! (Millions soon leaving this earth).

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