

TUESDAY'S SCHOOL ELECTION FOR EXTRA MILL LEVY

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not realized this past year. Ten thousand dollars is in the budget for that purpose, Hartley said. "This \$10,000 when added to the \$35,000 mentioned above makes a total of \$45,000," he went on to explain. Another item of expense which did not appear last year is \$4,500 estimate of tax rebate which has heretofore been absorbed by the county.

This budget lists \$142,530 as estimated receipts other than taxes. In last year's budget, this item amounted to \$185,600 and when the \$4,500 for tax rebate is considered, the amount that must be made up by local tax becomes \$147,500. This is approximately the difference between the amount the patrons are being asked to vote in excess of the six percent limitation this year as

Expenditures Comparable

compared to last year. According to the budget, expenditures this coming year are approximately the same as last year. It would follow then, that the increased tax is due to the failure of the state school support fund to produce the expected revenue. It would also follow that if the local schools are to function as they have in the past, this additional tax is essential, the superintendent commented.

Hartley warned that failure to vote affirmatively on the levy would reduce the operating budget by nearly one third. With the levy the schools will be operating barely within the standards set by the state. He also cautioned that this is of great importance because the state school fund is not available to non-standard schools.

The levy this year, if voters approve the issue Tuesday, will be ap-

proximately 43 mills. This compares with an average millage this past year of 43.78 for all of the first class districts in the state. This includes at least two mills to replace anticipated revenue that did not materialize for the fiscal year just ending.

TWO PIONEERS CELEBRATE BIRTHDAYS

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miner, stockman and farmer, who had come to this country from Canada in 1881. John Ward was among the first of the settlers who started the old Owyhee ditch and who took their pack strings out, actually beginning construction work on the old Owyhee ditch. The Ward farm, located just a mile and a half south and west of Nyssa, on the Adrian highway by the S-curve, was originally part of the Neathery and Ward farms, and was cleared by John Ward. His son, Audrey Ward resides there now.

William Ward, came here in 1886 from Canada and had mining interests besides his stock raising.

The many out-of-town relatives present for the two-day occasion were overnight guests at the homes of Bill Coleman and Frank, Earl and Audrey Ward.

PLANS COMPLETED FOR BIGGER F. F. A. FAIR

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cording to last reports, seven horses are entered and more are expected to enter. Six boys will compete to see which can eat the most pie. There will be a first prize and the rest will win a stomach ache, according to the chairman.

Bauman Equipment Co. is furnishing a tractor for the tractor driving contest. The entrant will drive the machine through an obstacle course, both forward and in reverse.

All the prizes contributed by Nyssa merchants are on display in the Miner Barber Shop window.

All the F. F. A. boys have worked on the fair. Wyckoff said and the public is invited to attend and see what the organization is doing.

POLITICAL CANDIDATES INTENSIFY EFFORTS

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again seeking the Republican nomination and has no opposition. No one has filed for the nomination for either office on the Democratic ticket.

State Offices Sought

On a state level, Giles L. French of Sherman county, Ernest Frederick Hinkle of Wasco county and Sam Coon of Baker county are competing for the Republican nomination for U. S. representative in congress. Ben Musa of Wasco county and John G. Jones, Union county, are contenders for the Democratic nomination. The post is now held by Lowell Stockman whose term expires in January.

Incumbent Earl T. Newberry of Jackson county is seeking the nomination for secretary of state on the Republican ticket while the lone Democratic candidate for nomination will be Edith S. Green of Multnomah county.

For the Republican nomination for state treasurer are Fred E. Robinson, Jackson county, and Sig Under and Jack Lynch, both of Multnomah. On the Democratic ballot will be names of Francis Lambert and L. W. Blakeslee, both of Multnomah. Walter J. Pearson, Salem, the state's only Democratic elected official is now state treasurer.

Four Republicans are seeking the nomination for attorney general: John B. McCourt, Multnomah; E. O. Stadter, Deschutes; Alex G. Barry, Multnomah, and Leonard I. Lindas, Clackamas. Robert Y. Thorton, Tillamook, is the only Democratic candidate. The incumbent attorney general is George Neuner of Salem.

Special Tax Vote
A special issue which Malheur county voters will have to decide at the primary election is that of a special ten mill tax levy for roads. They are being asked to authorize the county court to levy annually for five years, 1953 through 1958, ten mills in addition to all other taxes and outside the six percent limitation. The additional funds are for general roads to construct, repair, improve and maintain servicable county roads throughout the county.

BRIDGE REPAIRS MAY START

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It has been assumed by local individuals that the repairs are strictly temporary to take care of traffic until the high water goes down, after which a new bridge may be constructed. Such reports are purely speculation and are not based on any reports from highway department officials, it has been made clear.

Prospects that the Owyhee river "will behave itself" were brighter than ever Thursday morning in spite of showers this week and some rain in the mountains. Paul House, manager of the North Board of Control, reported that Dick Stockham at the dam had been gaining storage space in the reservoir as the river drops and that all indications are for no more extreme floods.

April figures announced by House show that there was a runoff of 924,000 acre feet of water in April, about 30 percent more than the capacity of the dam. To date there has been a total runoff of 1,400,000 acre feet of water, or more than the entire season for any previous year.

The highest one-month runoff ever before recorded was 810,000 acre feet in 1892.

Recent total river flow records are less than the amount of flow to April 1, this year, House said. This year's 924,000 acre feet flow so far is compared with the total years of: 1947, 398,000; 1948, 419,000; 1949, 619,000; 1950, 546,000.

The 1952 estimate as of March 1, including 80,000 acre feet already received and based on snow surveys from 18 stations for periods of from three to 26 years, was 930,000 acre feet for the entire season.

Roy Bibbey Dies After Long Illness

Funeral services for Roy Nuland Bibbey, 45, who died Sunday following a long illness, were held this afternoon (Thursday) at the First Church of Christ with Rev. Austin J. Hollingsworth delivering the sermon. Interment was at the Nyssa cemetery and the Nyssa Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Mr. Bibbey was born May 13, 1906 in Leon, Iowa and came to Nyssa in 1940 from Wheatland, Wyoming. He spent two and one half years at the Bremerton, Wash. navy yard during World War II and later owned the Signal Service Station here. He was assistant manager of Bracken's Department Store for three and one half years and resigned last December because of illness.

Survivors are his wife, Mrs. Bibbey; three daughters, Mrs. Richard Mason, Mrs. Leroy Barton and Mrs. Tom Chandler; his mother, Mrs. Ida Bibbey of Moore, Okla.; two sisters, Mrs. John Coffey, Moore, Okla. and Mrs. Walter Brewer, Russell, Iowa, and two brothers, Eldon Bibbey, Vale, and Robert Bibbey, Dwyer, Wyo.

Among out-of-town relatives attending the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bibbey of Dwyer, Wyo., and Mr. and Mrs. George Gilbert, Mrs. Ivan Everett, Mrs. Ed Campbell and Floyd Rodabaugh, all of Rawlins, Wyo.

BIOLOGY FIELD TRIP
Charles Steffens, science instructor at the Nyssa high school and a group of his students went on a biology field trip and picnic lunch Sunday along Sucker Creek. They explored the Sucker Creek caves and searched for Indian arrowheads, thunderbolts and other special stones.

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Rev. John Dewey To Speak In Nyssa

Rev. John Dewey from Eugene, Oregon will speak at the First Church of Christ in Nyssa Sunday evening, May 4. Rev. Dewey is studying for the Christian ministry at the North West Christian college located at Eugene. This will be the first time that Reverend Dewey has appeared in a local church of his home community.

Rev. John Dewey is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Dewey, long time residents of the Nyssa community. Mrs. Dewey is the daughter of Rev. and Mrs. John Daly. Mrs. Dewey has also been enrolled part time at the college. Both are Nyssa high school graduates.

Local News

Mrs. Gene Grasty and boys were Sunday afternoon visitors of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Mathews of New Plymouth.

Mrs. William Smiley and Mrs. Earl Farr were guests at a club meeting last Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Marie Holmes in the Oregon Trail vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bowman and daughter Kit of Boise were dinner guests Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Stunz.

Mrs. E. J. Wilson of Homedale visited several days this week in the home of her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Shaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Storm returned last Monday from Gering, Nebraska where they visited with Mrs. Storm's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Squier and Mrs. Jim Wolf of Boise and Mr. and Mrs. John Weeks of McDermitt visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Weeks.

Mrs. R. V. Wilson and Carolyn Jean left today for Seattle where they will spend one week visiting friends and relatives.

Mrs. John Calzavorta and Mrs. Harry Calzavorta and sons of Jordan Valley visited over the week-end at the James Yost home.

Dick Richie of Tupman, California is here in the Malheur Memorial hospital suffering from injuries caused by a farm accident.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack McKee and son Terry of Kennewick, Washington visited over the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George McKee.

Sgt. and Mrs. R. A. Scott and fam-

ily left Monday for Germany to serve with the U. S. army. They have been visiting in Nyssa at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Calvert and in Apple Valley at the home of Mrs. Cecil Scott.

Members of the Assembly of God church have just finished redecorating the inside of the church. Plans are being made to paint the outside in the near future.

Nettie Simpson presented the Nyssa school library with a set of books, "Lives of the U. S. Presidents, from George Washington to Howard Taft."

Mr. and Mrs. James Farmer and Thelma Farmer of Boise were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Farmer. The group attended the dancing display at the school.

Mr. and Mrs. George N. Bear spent Sunday with friends near Sheaville, Oregon.

Coming Events

Friday, May 2—Sunshine club at I.O.O.F. hall, 2 o'clock for covered dish luncheon. Each member is to take a mother.

Saturday, May 3—St. Anne's Alter society baked food sale in the Nyssa Insurance Co. office.

Monday, May 5—Eastern Star meeting, Masonic hall, 8 p. m.

Tuesday, May 6—Eagles auxiliary meets at Eagles hall, 8 p. m.

Friday, May 9—St. Paul's guild progressive card party. For reservations, phone Mrs. Grant Rinehart.

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