

FINANCIAL CHAOS

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Budget Resources

Estimated budgeted resources for the same fiscal year, except property taxes to be levied amounted to \$1,809,237. Included in the estimated resources were State Building Funds of \$238,000 and Federal Building Funds of \$944,000. The budget showed estimated cash on hand at the beginning of the year to be \$722.51, indicating the college did not anticipate the \$64,000 deficit which actually developed on July 1, 1966.

Since the General Fund of the college was depleted on July 1, 1966, the beginning of the current fiscal year, the college had to resort to short term borrowing to tide it over until the first property tax receipts were received.

There is nothing unusual in short term borrowing since many taxing districts resort to borrowing to carry them through the so-called "dry period" from July to December when the first property tax receipts are turned over to the district. ORS 328.565 which applies specifically to school districts and ORS 287.402 which applies to all taxing districts, including school districts, permit short term borrowing.

Beginning on July 5, 1966, the First National Bank made a loan of \$120,000, followed by a loan on July 19 for \$120,000, a loan on August 18 for \$60,000. These and the remaining loans were made on promissory notes signed by Mr. Grant Rinehart, then Chairman of the Board of the Treasure Valley Community College and Mr. Bill Anders who at that time served as clerk to the Board. The money received from these loans went to pay the contractor for construction costs on the "Weese Building," being constructed on the campus.

Because there was insufficient money in the General Fund to pay operating costs, additional loans were executed on August 17 for \$60,000; August 23, \$70,000; and September 16, \$45,000. The combined total of the loans made by the First National Bank amounted to \$475,000. The notes all had a common due date of February 28, 1967. A careful reading of the minutes of the Board of Treasure Valley Community College does not reveal that the Board at any time formally authorized the borrowing of the money as required by law. Ironically, Treasure Valley had just transferred their account to the First National Bank July 1, 1966.

But the question which really begs to be answered is "how" either the First National Bank or Treasure Valley Community College anticipated the money would be repaid? The statutes, authorizing short term debt, permit any school district board to borrow on short-term promissory notes for expenditures authorized in the budget. But the borrowing is further limited to 80% of the budgeted and unpledged revenues which the Board estimates will be received during such taxing year. Revenues of the magnitude required to repay both the construction loans and the current operating expenses of the college were not in prospect.

Unrealistic Estimate of Federal Funds

One single budgeted line item, "Federal Building Funds \$944,000," made up approximately 50% of the anticipated budgeted resources. The slightest inquiry

would have revealed that, not only was it improbable that the college would receive Federal funds anywhere nearly approaching this amount, but it was impossible. In fact, Treasure Valley Community College did not submit an application for Federal Funds under the Higher Education Facilities Act for the fiscal year covering the period from July 1, 1966 to June 30, 1967. The \$124,061 in Federal Funds received in the current fiscal year for the "Weese Building" resulted from a grant agreement dated December 14, 1965. The date the college received the \$124,061 is not known to OTR but this amount was the only money that could have been anticipated from the Federal Government.

State Funds Released

A second item listed as a budget resource was "State Building Funds," \$238,000. This amount represented an accurate estimate of the state funds available to Treasure Valley Community College, provided they had buildings under construction on which the eligibility could be claimed. The only building under construction on which state funds could be claimed was the "Weese Building." According to a report of the Community College Division of the State Department of Education, the bid for the "Weese Building" was approved on March 23, 1966 in the amount of \$410,733. Contract modification increased the basic construction cost to \$475,580, plus architect fees of \$26,550 bringing the total cost of the structure to \$502,130.

Funding for the project was to come from the following sources:

State Funds	\$ 63,872
Federal Funds	124,061
Student Fees	17,430
Local Funds	229,874
	\$435,237

It would appear that no plans were made as to how the \$64,807 contract modification orders would be funded.

The application for \$63,872 in state funds was approved on September 23, 1966, of which \$51,736.19 has been received by the college. At the time Treasure Valley officials requested the \$63,872 state funds, the college had an institutional eligibility for state funds of \$239,561.

After the state grant of \$63,872 had been made to Treasure Valley Community College, \$175,689 state eligibility remained and the amount of money remaining in the state fund, at that time, was sufficient to satisfy their full eligibility. However, there seems to be a misunderstanding as to the extent the "Weese Building" would have qualified for additional state funds had application been made. One official of the college, at the time the state grant was made, indicated the \$63,872 was the maximum eligibility of state funds for the "Weese Building." Officials in the Community College Division of the State Department of Education state Treasure Valley could have claimed eligibility for state funds up to 65% of the approved costs of the "Weese Building" after deducting Federal funds.

November 2, 1966, the Community College Division received a letter from the Business Manager at Treasure (Continued on page 5)

Recent Events

Fete Newlyweds

BUENA VISTA — Miss Sylvia Cleaver and Bob Clark were married June 3, 1967 and a reception was held in their honor at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Cleaver.

The newlyweds are now residing in Idaho Falls where he is stationed with the Armed Services and she is employed. They plan to leave July 10 for New London, Conn., where Clark will attend submarine school.

Married June 2, 1967 were Jeanine Drown and Roscoe Tanner.

Members of Out Our Way club gave a shower for the newlywed Tanner couple on June 21 in the home of Mrs. Esther Stephen.

Serving as hostesses were Mmes. Glenn Hoffman and Lloyd Cleaver.

Water Report

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RESERVOIR STORAGE

Water stored in Lake Owyhee increased by more than 20,000 acre feet during May bringing the total to 480,200 acre feet which will be adequate.

Antelope reservoir on Jordan Creek watershed is full at the 55,000 acre foot level and Jordan Creek continues to furnish a good water supply. It should be a very good year.

Total storage in the Malheur reservoirs, Warm Springs, Agency Valley and Bully Creek is 214,300 acre feet compared with 192,000 a. f. last year. This is a good supply.

STREAMFLOW

INFLOW TO LAKE OWYHEE for May through July is forecast at 152,000 acre feet or 90 per cent of the 15-year average (1948-62). JORDAN CREEK is expected to flow 100,000 acre feet from April through July or 102 per cent average.

NORTH FORK OF MALHEUR AT BEULAH is forecast to flow 36,000 acre feet May through July or 109 per cent average. For the same period the MALHEUR NEAR DREWSEY is forecast to flow 40,000 acre feet or 118 per cent average.

Bumper Hay Crop In Nu Acres Area

Via telephone late last week, this Journal reporter learned that a retired couple, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Jones of the Nu Acres area, had just harvested a bumper hay crop.

On six acres of land, they harvested 848 bales of hay amounting to over 141 bales per acre.

Upon asking several questions, this reporter also learned that the Jones' do their own irrigating, fertilizing, etc., but did have some help for the hay harvest. Mrs. Jones said that they raise all of their own hay for their purebred Herefords.

This is considered a very good crop on land east of the Snake river, and as Mrs. Jones stated, the results show what can be done on poorer land with proper fertilization and cultivation.

Kids' Baseball Weekly Schedule

LITTLE LEAGUE MINORS Games Start at 6:30 P.M.

Today, June 29, Nyssa 2 at Ontario 1, Carlo at Cow Hollow, New Plymouth at Vale 1, Vale 2 at Payette 1, Adrian at Fruitland.

Thursday, July 6, Ontario 1 at Cow Hollow, New Plymouth at Carlo, Vale 1 at Payette 1, Nyssa 1 at Vale 2, Payette 2 at Nyssa 2, Fruitland at Adrian.

LITTLE LEAGUE MAJORS Games Start at 6:30 P.M.

Friday, June 30, Payette at Ontario 2, Ontario 1 at Adrian, Vale at Nyssa, New Plymouth at Fruitland.

Wednesday, July 5, Ontario 2 at Vale, New Plymouth at Ontario 1, Nyssa at Payette, Fruitland at Adrian.

BABE RUTH LEAGUE Game Time 7 P.M.

Friday, June 30, Vale at Nyssa.

Wednesday, July 5, Nyssa at Payette.

Fellowship Group

Installs Officers

Members of the Christian Women's Fellowship group of area Christian churches met June 20 for their general meeting to install new officers. The installing officer was past president, Mrs. Mildred Liming of Boise.

New officers are Ruth Pruyn, president; Merle Johnson, vice president; Emily Myers, secretary; Hazel Smith, treasurer; Frances Focht, worship chairman; Mary Curry, study chairman; Juanita Eden, service chairman; Violet Drydale, group leader.

During the session a skit was presented by Emily Myers, Donna Hutchinson, Arlene Hendricks and Ruth Pruyn, with Roberta Prowell in charge of the program.

After the business meeting refreshments were served by Emily Myers and Roberta Prowell. Dorothy Bibbey was a visiting secretary from Boise.



MR. AND MRS. DANIEL KLINKENBERG

Miss Audrey Muriel Beaudoin became the bride of Daniel Lee Klinkenberg in a ceremony performed Saturday, May 27, 1967 at the Waterford Methodist church in Waterford, N. Y.

Parents of the newlyweds are Mr. and Mrs. Edward F. Beaudoin of Waterford, N. Y., Mrs. Gilbert Klinkenberg and the late Gilbert Klinkenberg of Nyssa.

The rites were performed by the Rev. W. Harold Robinson. Given in marriage by her father, the bride was attired in a white gown with an empire waist, A-line skirt, floor-length chantilly lace mantilla and a ruby drop pendant heirloom of the groom's family. She carried a colonial bouquet of white roses, pom poms and yellow carnations.

Attending as matron of honor was Mrs. John LaValle of Norfolk, Va. She was attired in a yellow taffeta dress and carried a yellow colonial bouquet.

Charles Klinkenberg, brother of the groom, served as best man, while ushers were Allen Beaudoin, brother of the bride, and Charles Hancox, cousin of the bride.

For her daughter's wedding, Mrs. Beaudoin wore a blue suit with beige and green accessories and the bridegroom's mother was attired in a rose colored suit with black and white accessories. Each wore a corsage of white orchids.

The reception was held in the fellowship hall of the church.

Out of town guests were Mrs. Gilbert Klinkenberg, Charles Klinkenberg, Mrs. Delvis Freeman, Timothy Klinkenberg, Miss Eva Mae Klinkenberg and Philip Klinkenberg.

The new Mrs. Klinkenberg was a 1964 graduate at the State University of New York College in Plattsburgh. She is now a registered nurse.

Her husband is a 1965 graduate of the College of Idaho in Caldwell. He is now an IBM system programmer in Yorktown Heights, N. Y.

For their wedding trip to Expo 67 the new bride wore a beige suit with brown accessories. The newlyweds new address is RD 2 Lakeshore Drive, Carmel, N. Y.



AIRMAN 3/C GILBERT J. GALLEGOS JR., was named winner of a recent "name-cover" contest, sponsored by the newspaper of the Third Mobile Comm. group, at Tinker AFB, Okla. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Gallegos of Nyssa. The airman received a \$25 U. S. savings bond and a three-day pass, as a reward for his design.



CECIL T. GARRISON JR., son of Mrs. Muriel Garrison of Nyssa, returned home June 20 after completing four months of National Guard training at Ft. Lewis, Wash. He is a member of the Ontario National Guard and is employed at the Ontario Auto Parts store. He is a 1966 graduate of Nyssa high school.

Coming Events

July 1, 8 p.m. — Pinochle party at IOOF hall.
July 6 — Oregon Trail Grange meeting.
July 7 — TV Rock and Gem club meeting at basement of First Christian church.

Bank Employees Hold Annual Picnic

Employees of Nyssa Branch of The First National Bank of Oregon held a picnic June 24 at Black Canyon, Ida.

Those attending the event were Mr. and Mrs. Monte Burbank, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Peery and family, Mr. and Mrs. David Krause, Karla Kriehg, Jimmy Ann Hatch and the Bob Kennedy family.

Others attending were Mr. and Mrs. Tom Stenkamp, Mr. and Mrs. Rod George and family and the Dick Pounds family.

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SUSAN HOLMES
... To Wed Duane Munn

The engagement and forth coming marriage of Susan Holmes to Duane Munn, is announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Holmes of Nyssa. Parents of the future bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. Lorin Munn, also of Nyssa.

The bride-elect is a 1965 graduate of Nyssa high school and is presently working at

NHS Girl Attends CASSI Sessions

Betsy Stunz is attending summer school at Willamette university in Salem, Ore.

She is attending CASSI (Communications, Art and Science Summer Institute), a program available to sophomore, junior and senior students who possess potential for success in college.

Betsy, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Stunz, will return home Sunday.

Hosts Card Club

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Eldredge recently hosted the Mr. and Mrs. bridge club. Prize winners were Tom Eldredge and Harry Miner.

the local branch of The First National Bank of Oregon.

Her fiancé was graduated in 1966 from Adrian high school and is now a student at Treasure Valley Community college in Ontario.

An early September wedding is being planned by the engaged couple.

JAN RINEHART
... Engagement Told

The engagement of Miss Jan Rinehart to Louis Gasca is announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grant H. Rinehart of Nyssa. The future bridegroom is a son of Mrs. Joe L. Gasca and the late Mr. Gasca of Alamosa, Colo.

The bride-elect was graduated from Nyssa high school and in 1966 from Southern Oregon college in Ashland. She taught first-grade last school term in Gold Beach, Ore.

Her fiancé attended Adams State college in Alamosa where in 1965 he received his Masters degree in Psychology. He is presently serving as guidance counselor and science instructor at Treasure Valley Community college in Ontario.

An August 5 wedding is being planned by the betrothed couple.



Members of the Ontario Women's Golf association met June 20 with a regular day of golf. Lunch was served by Bodell Patterson, June Ward and Caroline Craig.

Eighteen women attended the June 13 golf meet at the Plantation Golf club.

The team also played in the June 16 meet at Nampa. They came in second for both low gross and low net, with Jackie Attebury being medalist for the day.

Plans are being made for a guest day which will be held July 18, with a coffee hour from 8:30 to 9:30, followed by golf and a no-host luncheon at the club house.

Club members met June 27 with summer league play. The women went to Baker June 28 for an invitational day of golf.

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