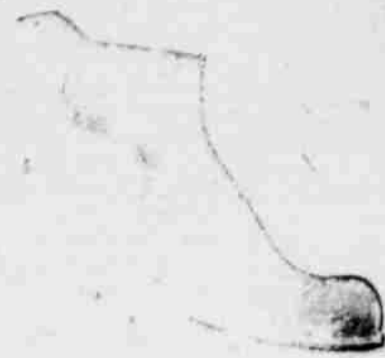


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(By State Supt. Alderman)

Before the first March winds blow the greatest series of tryouts ever held in the schools of Oregon will be under way. The boys and the girls of the state are going to determine "WHO IS WHO" in gardening, farming, carpentry, cooking, sewing, and in raising chickens, ducks, and pigs. Enthusiasm for this statewide series of industrial contests is waxing warmer than it has ever been for contests along athletic lines.

The plan is for every county superintendent to enlist the support of his teachers in explaining the plan to the children and interesting them in the work, and to secure the cooperation of commercial clubs, bankers, and business men in obtaining prizes for their local premium lists may be made out independently of the state list, but in order that children competing at a local or county fair may also be in line for state prizes the local or county list should include the articles on the state list, which are: field corn, pop corn, sweet corn, watermelons, muskmelons, pumpkins, squashes, potatoes, cabbage, grain

selections, bird houses, piece of furniture, mechanical toy, labor saving device for home, bread, canned fruit, jelly, mending, darning, aprons, dresses, asters, sweet peas, chickens, ducks and pigs.

A bulletin of information and instruction, including the state prize list, will soon be sent out to the school children, one for every home. All the boys and the girls now need to do is to go to work. If they want to compete in gardening they should at once secure a plot of ground, which they may have plowed. If boys expect to win prizes in woodwork they should begin practicing with their tools. If girls wish to carry off laurels in cooking and sewing they must begin early either at school or at home. If it is the poultry contest that lures most setting of eggs should be secured from breeders of pure strains of chickens or ducks. Or if hog raising seems most attractive, the competitor should secure a thoroughbred pig and start to feeding and caring for it. There is nothing to prevent a boy or girl from competing in all these lines.

Call For Bids

Sealed bids will be received by the undersigned for all the special road work in Road District No 3, Columbia County, Oregon as ordered by the County Court, up to 12 o'clock noon on Feb. 7, 1912. Plans and specifications together with the location of the work and improvements to be made are on file with the County Clerk in St. Helens and can be examined at his office. All bids to be accompanied by a certified check for 10 per cent of the bid. The Court reserves the right to reject any or all bids for cause.

St. Helens, Ore. Jan 13, 1912.
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