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THE SCHOOL TAX

While the budget for the local school district for the coming year, which will be voted on at a special meeting of the tax payers on June 30, shows a smaller sum to be levied than in the past year, the difference in totals is more apparent than real because of the allowance made for receipts from the two-mill tax voted at the recent special election. That is, we shall pay, hereafter, a larger part of our school tax through the state and the money will come back from it rather than directly through local tax collections.

In spite of the comparative sameness of the two totals there are real differences, however, that indicate that the district is getting on a better basis and that the errors of past years in levying too little have now been cared for. This is shown in the omission of any sum for emergency loans, which have heretofore been necessary to make up shortages in past tax levies. The increases, chiefly in instruction expense, are the natural result of growth, both in the number of teachers and in the salary schedule.

Unless there are tremendous and unexpected demands on our school system, the district may look to the present budget as setting the standard for future budgets. Ordinary growth should hereafter be taken care of by ordinary increases in assessed valuation, so that our school tax should never again reach the The biggest danger lies in the removal of timber land from the rolls at a faster rate than other property comes in to take its place, and that, it seems to us, is the most important problem confronting the district.

We publish today the first complete list of names of Deschutes county men who gave their lives for their country in the great war. Many of these were not widely known here because their residence had not been long when they were called to service, but their names have gone into the national roll of honor as a part of the contribution this county made to the nation and they should be recorded in some permanent memorial here.

WHITCOMB RILEY'S KIN A "MIRACLE MAN"



Dr. J. S. Riley of Washington, D. C., first cousin of the great American poet, James Whitcomb Riley, is now being called the "Miracle Man" through his healing of the sick. He heals through prayer and faith. It is said his works healed a cousin of former Governor Folk of Missouri of blindness of long duration less than six weeks.

Those who have read the life of the ancients, written in mud, had to be bled well before given circulation. Some of the authors probably had to get stewed before they could do their work effectively.—Nashville Banner.



The Desert.

I crossed the desert in a car that Mr. Pullman made; it rolled without a jolt or jar, in bright green plush arrayed. And when I wished to sleep at night, and rest my drowsy head, there came a porter most polite, who tucked me into bed. And to the dining car I went three times a day, at least; beneath large trays the waiters bent, and brought a gorgeous feast. The train was full of dames and men who grumbled all the time; they'd never come out there again—the desert was a crime. It hurt their eyes to view the sand, and watch the hills of stone; and everything their anger fanned, and they put up a groan. And I recalled the pioneers who blazed the path that way, and sternly whacked their mules and steers through burning sand all day. They only halted in their stride across that waste accursed, to plant some fellow who had died of heartbreak or of thirst. I wished those mighty men of old could board that gorgeous train, and there some moving discourse hold, of tragedy and pain; for that might shame the stalled men, and fat enameled dames, who sighed and swore and sighed again, and called the desert names.

"JUST LIKE THE HINDENBURG LINE, EH DADDY?"



On daddy's knee—a famous knee, too—Warren Pershing, son of General Pershing, watches his daddy's A. E. F. horse, "Jeff," take the hurdles in the horse show at Washington. Many Washington little boys watched Warren sit on the lap of the great soldier—and they could do the same.

FEDERATION OF LABOR
MEETING IN CONVENTION

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little amendment from the delegates who, however, may consume two weeks in considering it before they accord complete approval.

Program Important.

Inspired by the industrial and economic confusion and strife of the past year, the program is regarded by Gompers and other federation officials as the most important ever presented. Reviewing the struggles of the year, it demands repeal of the Esch-Cummins Transportation Act, condemns profiteering, scores Attorney General Palmer on many counts and presents a detailed plan for new legislation to reduce living costs. The plan to reduce living costs is presented in the form of six demands which are:

1. Government purchase of standard commodities direct from producers and resale at fixed prices through regular retail channels.
2. Retirement of the floating debt and part of the funded war debt through a tax on "excessive war profits extorted from the American people during 1916, 1917, 1918, 1919 and 1920."

Price Fixing Asked.

3. Extension of powers of the federal farm loan bank enabling it to advance credit to farmers' cooperative societies which are "no less vital and worthy of support than are the railroads which were given hundreds of millions of dollars."

4. Control of credit capital to be taken from "those whose chief interest is the accumulation of profits," placed in the hands of a public agency and administered by "voluntary and cooperative methods."

5. Labor department to compile and issue monthly statements on the cost and manufacture of staple articles.

6. Establishment of government boards to investigate prices and profits and public inspection of all income and other tax returns.

Palmer is Flayed.

"The cost of living must go no higher," said the executive committee in making these recommendations. "Wages must be advanced in every case to a point at which the American standard of living is secure."

Labor department reports were quoted to show that since 1913, wages generally have advanced but 55 per cent while living costs have advanced 83.1 per cent and in some cities between 90 and 100 per cent. Attorney General Palmer's campaign to reduce living costs was described as a "campaign of stupidity."

seeking "only here and there to pilory some trifling merchant while permitting great aggregations of capital upon which enormous profits have been reaped to escape in the enjoyment of a monumental blunder."

Town Sells for \$10,000.

The entire town of Moneta, Wyo., has been sold for \$10,000. The purchaser, John Goodman, received title from A. Kanson, who founded Moneta twenty years ago, to the following: One townsite of forty lots, one eighteen-room hotel, one five-room cottage, one three-room cottage, two two-room cottages, one large livery barn, one railroad eating house and a miscellaneous assortment of outbuildings. No person other than Goodman owns a single thing in Moneta, but the Chicago and Northwestern owns the right of way on which the town site fronts and a small depot building on this right of way.—Christian Science Monitor.

This Bird Is Friendly.

Ever try to feed a chickadee? He is a sociable fellow, says the American Forestry Magazine of Washington. If you whistle to the chickadee he will invariably respond, which is more than can be said of most other birds.

Isle of Napoleon's Exile.

False conceptions prevail of St. Helena, where Napoleon lived and died after his defeat and humiliation at Waterloo. It is credited with being a most ugly island. Exactly the opposite is the case. Not only is it not a rock, but a very beautiful, well-wooded and well-watered island, and also, on the whole, if one had to choose the most perfect climate existing anywhere in this world, the prize would have to go to St. Helena, and especially that part in which Longwood (Napoleon's residence) is situated.

POUND NOTICE

Notic: is hereby given that the city of Bend has caused to be impounded the following described livestock, pursuant to ordinance No. 173 of the city of Bend: One roan horse, halter on, white stripe in face, three white feet, branded UH (connected) left shoulder and undecipherable brand right shoulder; weight about 1000 pounds, age about 9 years; one gray mare, branded A, left stifle; weight about 900 pounds, age about 10 years, brand undecipherable right stifle; one bay horse, branded SP right shoulder; wire cut right shoulder, white stripe on hind feet, shod four feet; weight about 900 pounds, age about 15 years. Notice is hereby further given that the undersigned will, on the 12th day of June, at the hour of 3 p. m., in said city, sell at public auction the above described livestock to satisfy the charges for impounding the same, together with all accruing costs.
L. A. W. NIXON,
Chief of Police.



For Sale by MAGILL & ERSKINE, O'Kane Building, Bend, Oregon

PREVENT TONSIL INFECTION

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LAWN AND GARDEN SPRINKLING RULES.

Residences on the odd numbered side of the street will sprinkle only on the odd numbered days of the month.

Residences on the even numbered side of the street will sprinkle only on the even numbered days of the month.

To avoid impairing the water service in case of fire, the above rules are now covered by a city ordinance. The state board of fire underwriters required this as one of the considerations for reducing the fire insurance in the city.

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NOTICE OF SCHOOL ELECTION TO INCREASE TAX MORE THAN SIX PER CENT OVER THAT OF THE PREVIOUS YEAR

Notice is hereby given to the legal voters of School District No. 1 of Deschutes County, State of Oregon, that an election will be held in said district at High School Auditorium, on the 30th day of June, 1920, at 2 to 7 o'clock in the afternoon, to vote on the question of increasing the amount of the tax levy in said District for the year 1920 by more than six per cent over the amount of such levy for the year immediately preceding. Considering the amount of increase over 6 per cent, increase for any year cannot be considered in succeeding years.

It is necessary to raise this additional amount by special levy for the following reasons:

The law went into effect when our tax was very small and 6 per cent increase each year does not meet required expenditures.

Dated this 5th day of June, 1920.

ROBERT W. SAWYER,

Chairman Board of

Attest: J. ALTON THOMPSON,

District Clerk. 1-20c

NOTICE OF SCHOOL MEETING

Notice is hereby given to the legal voters of School District No. 1 of Deschutes County, State of Oregon, that a school meeting of said District will be held at High School Auditorium, on the 30th day of June, 1920, from 2 to 7 o'clock in the afternoon to vote on the proposition of levying a special district tax.

The total of money needed by the district during the fiscal year beginning on June 21, 1920, and ending on June 30, 1921, is estimated in the following budget and includes the amounts to be received from the county school fund, state school fund, special district tax, and all other moneys of the district:

Budget—Estimated Expenditures	
1. Instruction expense.....	\$ 78,750.00
2. Operation expense.....	15,490.00
(a) Physical tr.....	1,800.00
3. General control.....	3,000.00
4. Maintenance exp.....	2,000.00
5. Capital acquisition and construction.....	4,500.00
6. Sinking fund.....	4,000.00
7. Bond interest.....	6,100.00
8. Emergency loans.....	None
9. Emergency loans interest.....	None
10. Emergency funds.....	5,000.00
11. Library.....	800.00
Total estimated amount of money to be expended for all purposes during the year.....	\$121,440.00

Estimated Receipts.	
From county school fund during the coming school year.....	\$ 15,500.00
From state school fund during the coming school year.....	2,000.00
Estimated amount to be received from all other sources during the coming school year.....	8,300.00
Total estimated receipts, not including the money to be received from the tax which it is proposed to vote.....	\$ 25,800.00

Recapitulation.	
Total estimated expenses for the year.....	\$121,440.00
Total estimated receipts, not including the tax to be voted.....	25,800.00
Balance, amount to be raised by district tax.....	\$ 95,640.00
Dated this 27th day of May, 1920.	1-20c

ROBERT W. SAWYER,
Chairman Board of
Directors.
Attest: J. ALTON THOMPSON,
District Clerk.

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KEEP IN HEAT
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See T. L. COLLIER, Bend, Oregon