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SCHOOL BUDGET MEETING CALLED FOR NOVEMBER 25

Increase in Taxation of More Than Six Per Cent Calls for Approval of Taxpayers—Two Notices are Posted.

At a meeting of the School Board of District No. 48, held at the high school last Friday night a call was issued for a budget meeting to be held November 25. The budget provides for \$10,490 to be raised by special tax and provides for estimated expenditures of \$14,985 for the coming year. Added expenditures enumerated are: Paying for the new furnace just installed in the grade school building; providing for an additional teacher in the high school; increased cost of maintenance in the public schools; and paying off of \$1000 note indebtedness which was authorized at the annual meeting but which must have the approval of the budget meeting.

Another item of growing importance is the increase of teachers' wages. This is not enumerated in the budget but nevertheless has its bearing on the amount of money needed to be raised. According to a survey recently made by the National Educational Association, there are more than 100,000 positions in the schools of America that are either vacant or filled by teachers lacking the necessary qualifications. Positions are thus open at increased salaries but the attendance at institutions preparing teachers have fallen off more than 20 per cent. It is more than probable that the salaries paid to teachers in our schools will be materially increased for another year if the present teachers are to be retained or if other competent teachers are to be secured in their places. Hence, the need for additional funds. Every taxpayer should be present at the meeting and vote his or her opinion at the time the levy is made. The call for meeting follows:

(Run here the legal notice enclosed)

SCHOOL DISTRICT BUDGET

To the Clerk of School District No. 48, Washington County, Oregon:

Following is a statement of the estimated amount of money needed by the district during the fiscal year beginning on June 10th, 1919, and ending on June 30, 1920. This budget is made in compliance with Section 217 of the School Laws of 1917, and includes the estimated 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	
Teachers' salaries	\$ 7900
Apparatus and supplies, such as maps, chalk, erasers, stoves, curtains, etc.	225
Flags	25
Repairs of schoolhouses, out-buildings or fences	1200
Janitor's wages	1035
Janitor's supplies	800
Fuel	650
Light	50
Water	55
Clerk's salary	180
Postage and stationery	25
For the payment of bonded debt and interest thereon, issued under Sections 117, 144 to 148, and 422 of the School Laws of Oregon, 1917	1700
Note indebtedness	1000
Gas	15
Electric power	125
Miscellaneous	500
Total estimated amount of money to be expended for all purposes during the year	\$14,985
ESTIMATED RECEIPTS	
county school fund during the coming school year	1,955
state school fund during the coming school year	750
now in the hands of the district clerk	140
estimated amount to be received from all other sources during the coming school year	1,850
Total estimated receipts, not including the money to be	

HIGHWAY OPEN FROM HERE TO HILLSBORO

Canyon Road Paving Progresses and Beaverton Streets Are Being Improved—Guthrie & Co. Clearing Up.

The new Pacific Highway is now in use between Beaverton and Hillsboro. Early in the week the coating of soil was removed from the concrete through Beaverton and the road is now open to travel from the Oregon Electric crossing east of town to Hillsboro. A. Guthrie & Co., the contractors, who finished the laying of the concrete about ten days ago, are now busy clearing up their equipment and the road will be open to Portland about the first of December or possibly a few days before the end of November.

Progress has been satisfactory on the Canyon Road and the Warren Construction Co. is again at work on Beaverton streets. The widening of the highway from Watson Street to the Oregon Electric Crossing, the putting in of curbing and sidewalks along Front street from Watson street to the S. P. depot and in front of the Grange Hall to Erickson's garage and the paving of Watson street from First to Fourth streets is all under way. All of this work is giving the town a rather unsightly appearance at present but it is a work of progress and when it is completed the results will justify all the inconvenience and disorder attendant upon the work.

R. H. Cummings, of Portland, was a business visitor here Tuesday.

Moved to Hillsboro

J. B. Kamberger moved his family to Hillsboro Tuesday and will henceforth make his home in the county seat. He will continue to have charge of this division for the North Coast Power Co., but will have a wider field than formerly. The opening of the highway makes this possible and friends of Mr. Kamberger will rejoice at his good fortune, however, much they may regret his departure from Beaverton, the loss of his estimable family from our community and the inconvenience necessarily attendant upon having no local electrician in the community when lights go wrong at public gatherings, when homes become dark and other minor troubles which Mr. Kamberger was always ready and willing to attend at all hours.

Band to Re-Organize

Announcement has been made that the Beaverton band will meet on Monday night to affect a re-organization. Since the last time the organization was brought together a number of trained musicians have come to Beaverton and it is expected that the band will be not only larger than previously but that a number of new instruments may be added. As in the past this organization will be one of the foremost in the advancement of Beaverton.

Mrs. W. R. Petch spent Tuesday and Wednesday at her old home in McMinnville. She reports a buyers' week in progress there, the stores well filled with merchandise and throngs of buyers making business good for the merchants.

received from the tax which it is proposed to vote.....4,495

RECAPITULATION

Total estimated expenses for the year	\$14,985
Total estimated receipts, not including the tax to be voted	4,495
Balance, amount to be raised by district tax	10,490

The amount of money to be raised by this special tax is more than the amount raised by special school district tax in the year immediately preceding this, plus six per cent. It is necessary to raise this additional amount by special levy for the following reasons:

Providing for extra teacher in High School for ensuing year, providing for funds to pay for new furnace in Grade School and for increased cost maintenance of public schools.

Dated this 24 day of October, 1919.
S. H. DAVIS
R. W. COOK
Board of Directors School District No. 48.

RED CROSS CAMPAIGN OCTOBER 6 TO 11

Sam Well, of Hillsboro, has been appointed chairman of Eastern Washington County for the third Red Cross roll call November 6th to 11th. Dr. Chas. Hawke, chairman of Forest Grove Post, American Legion, and Judge W. H. Hollis, of Forest Grove, Branch chairman of the Red Cross, will handle the campaign in western Washington County, according to announcement made by H. E. Witham, Portland chapter roll call chairman.

Plans are progressing for a short and snappy campaign for members, beginning November 6 and ending November 11. Headquarters for the drive in the counties of Multnomah, Washington, Clackamas, Columbia and Yamhill are in Portland, as the campaign in these localities is under the supervision of Portland chapter.

This Red Cross drive will differ from campaigns during the war, as it will be for memberships only. It is not an endeavor to raise money by large donations, as all that is asked is one dollar per member. This will be used to carry on the home service work of the Red Cross for the ensuing year.

The American Legion, both nationally and locally, is co-operating heartily with the Red Cross in this drive; the boys who served in the late war, realizing better than any one else the valuable work of this organization, desire to show their appreciation in some concrete form by aiding in this campaign.

The slogan of previous drives "All you need is a heart and a dollar" is being used by the Red Cross workers.

VISITED PORTLAND LODGE

Mr. and Mrs. Doy Gray, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Erickson, Mesdames H. O. Stipe and E. D. McGowan, members of the local O. E. S. Chapter, accompanied the Worthy Patron, W. H. Boyd, and the Worthy Matron, Mrs. H. R. Nelson, when they visited Monday evening when these officials were guests of Martha Washington Chapter at a reception to the Worthy Matrons of the lodges in and around Portland.

COUNTY FRUIT AND NUT GROWERS ORGANIZE

The Washington County fruit and nut growers are fast becoming affiliated with the Oregon Co-operative Growers Association.

A large amount of the prune acreage has already come under the organization and the apple and nut growers are also becoming interested.

The growers of the county believe that through a State organization they can market their produce to a much better advantage and in so doing give better publicity to Oregon grown produce and they also believe that much of the speculation in the fruit markets will be eliminated.

A number of meetings have already been held in the county by the fruit men and another will be held at Forest Grove, October 21st, and it is planned that many other meetings will be held in different parts of the county are particularly parts of the county.

The apple growers of the Eastern interested as the local markets this season are over supplied, while Eastern markets are under supplied, and very gratifying returns are being received by those shipping to the East in car load lots.

The belief has been expressed that this organization will do more for the industry than any thing that has happened in a number of years. It being particularly valuable in establishing a graded product of highest quality, and through their system of marketing the grower will be paid for his additional labor and expense in producing a quality article.

Packing plants will be erected where acreage is large enough to warrant and where they can be made to serve the largest number, here the fruit will be graded by disinterested parties and packed according to grade.

Washington County is represented on the board of directors of the State Organization by Ferd Groner of Scholls and Ernest Rueter of Forest Grove.

COUNTY AGENT.

Is your subscription paid?

E. E. SWENSON TO MANAGE NEW HARDWARE FIRM HERE

W. H. Boyd Sells Property to Beaver Garage and Hardware Co.—Opening is Next Friday.

W. H. Boyd has sold his garage property and stock to the Beaver garage and hardware Co., of which A. O. Sturm, of Lebanon, is president and L. D. Howard, of Portland, is Vice President. Messrs. Sturm and Howard expect to put up a concrete building in the spring. At present they will use the building that is on the property. They will open for business on Nov. 7th with a first class of tires, auto accessories and a full line of hardware and builder's tools.

Mr. E. E. Swenson, a well-known Beaverton business man, now with Honyman Hardware Co., of Portland, will manage the business until Messrs. Sturm and Howard have disposed of their business interests elsewhere. Their ad appears in another column.

FATHER RAUW PASSES AWAY

Monsieur James Rauw, Vicar General to the Archbishop of the Diocese of Oregon and Superintendent of St. Mary's Home, passed away at the well-known institution last Friday morning and was buried at the cemetery in the convent. Funeral services were conducted at St. Mary's Tuesday, the Right Reverend Archbishop Christie officiating and upward of 50 members of the diocese of Oregon being in attendance.

Father Rauw was 65 years of age and had been in this country for 34 years. He was born in Germany and is survived by two brothers and a sister in that country, by a sister in a convent in Kentucky and by numerous other relatives. A cousin, Nicholas Rauw, of Portland, was in attendance at the funeral and two nieces reside at a convent in California.

Father Rauw was one of the oldest members of the priesthood in Oregon both in point of service and in years. He was second highest in Oregon, being ranked only by the archbishop. He had been superintendent at St. Mary's Home for eight years.

WASHINGTON COUNTY SCHOOL NEWS NOTES

The Washington County Teachers' Institute chose E. H. Jonas, of Beaverton, and Mrs. Paul Abraham, of Gaston, as delegates to the Oregon State Teachers' Association which meets in Portland during the holidays.

About 90% of the teachers of Washington County are members of the State Teacher's Association and no doubt most of the others will join. This county is so conveniently located that quite a large number usually avail themselves of this opportunity to get new ideas and inspiration, and thus become more valuable teachers. Incidentally there are quite a number who are short an hour's attendance at Institute who will make up the time by attending the State Meeting.

Miss Anna Grabhorn, who teaches the Purdin school was taken ill during the institute and is not likely to be able to resume her work for several weeks. No one has been secured to substitute during her absence. No one has been engaged to teach the Gales Peak school. The board is considering sending the pupils to the Gales Creek school.

Improvements in school furnishings, buildings, etc., have been considerably neglected during the past two years but the Superintendent in his travels has come upon some notable exceptions. Miss Pfeifer, who teaches at No. 98 three miles north of Buxton in the Bailey neighborhood, has just moved into a brand new up to date building, lighted at the left and rear and heated by a regular heating and ventilating plant. The board has ordered the new reading charts and plan to have everything required to make a "Standard school."

We found everything changed around at the Prickett school northwest of Banks. The windows have been arranged to conform to the latest scientific plan, the interior painted and other improvements made. Mrs. Minnie Conant, one of our experienced teachers, has the classes lined up in good shape and prospects are good for a successful year.

N. A. FROST.

BEAVERTON WILL HOLD RALLY NOVEMBER 11

Celebration of Signing of Armistice to Center at High School—Good Program is Being Prepared.

Centering at the high school on the afternoon of November 11, a plan for a celebration of the signing of the armistice is being worked out for Beaverton people. The program will consist of patriotic numbers, a musical treat is in store and a speaker of more than average interest will be secured.

Beaverton has recently acquired several people of musical ability who have not yet appeared to any extent in public here and several of them will be heard at this celebration.

The public generally is invited to join with the school in making this the most rousing celebration ever held here.

Full particulars will be given in next issue of The Times.

B. H. S. NOTES

Roosevelt Day was celebrated by both the schools. The grade school assembled in the High School Auditorium and Roosevelt's favorite hymn was sung. All the teachers gave interesting talks on Roosevelt's life. The meeting was closed with several patriotic songs.

The boys' and girls' Basketball teams have joined the Oregon State Athletic Association. Some good games are promised in the near future and a schedule is being arranged for a long season. Save your dimes and come out and boost for the High School.

A plan is being adopted to join in the nationwide celebration on Armistice Day, Nov. 11, by giving a program at the High School assembly. Committees have been appointed and a good program is anticipated.

A Halloween party has been planned for this Friday evening and all students are helping to make it a success. The old High School spirit is coming back again.

The Choral Club is planning on giving some good concerts around the holidays, and soon you will hear old B. H. S. ringing with merry songs.

The freshmen aren't so backward any more, as they sometimes say something at the Student Body meetings. Such as "I second the motion." If they keep on they will soon equal the oratory of the upper classmen.

The typewriting class has increased so greatly in the last year that it has been necessary to add two typewriters to accommodate the needs of our future stenographers.

The debating team has been reorganized for this year and with three of the old debating team and some new ones to pick from we look forward to great results.

The boys' basketball team is showing some pep and is going to stir things in a few more days.

B. H. S. Student Body donated their share to the Roosevelt Memorial Fund, and helped this district go over the top.

DANCE AT HUBER

BEST OF YEAR

The dance and masquerade held at Huber last Saturday night by the Huber Commercial Club, was the best ever held by the club, says W. J. Lang, who is one of the liveliest promoters of these club dances, and whose publicity is a great feature in drawing the record crowds that grace their club room.

In fact, the members of the club are so well pleased with the results that they have decided to hold a dance every second Saturday and will give the next one on November 9. An announcement of this dance appears elsewhere in this issue.

Mrs. Matilda R. Summers, who has been ill the past two weeks with a slight stroke of paralysis, is improving but slowly owing to her advanced age. She will be 85 in March. She is still confined to her bed.

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