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BRANNAN PLAN

The master of the Oregon state granage has openly advocated another look at the Brannan plan and even the administration is flirting with a similar idea in some new legislation.

The general idea is that retail prices are too high for the largest consumption and farm prices are too low. Therefore the government will buy farm products at a stated price and sell them at a lower price. Thus the farmer and the customer will both be subsidized at the same operation. The old killing two birds with one stone idea.

Farmers who fall for the idea—and there have been but few—will be neither students of history nor of economics. Farmers under the plan would soon lose their status as independent citizens and become wage earners for the government, subject to political whims and pressures from the ever growing majorities that live in cities.

Consumers might like the idea for they would get food at less than cost. Retailers, food processors and transportation agencies would be politically stronger than farmers and one might wonder whether they would make any reductions in cost or not. Actually they get the larger share of the consumer's dollar, not the farmer.

In a world where everything else is organized the farmer cannot much longer remain an individual, going ahead each year producing and producing more than is needed and getting less and less of the dollar paid for food. Neither can he depend on government to protect him. He will have to learn that himself or become a peon or serf as the Brannan plan would make him.

WHAT ARE EWES SELLING FOR?

The June first crop report is at hand giving estimates of production of wheat in the United States. It is very illuminating.

Fourteen states will produce more wheat this year than their ten year (1943-52) average. They are New York, New Jersey, Indiana, Illinois, Michigan, Missouri, South Dakota, South Carolina, Georgia, Kentucky, Alabama, Mississippi, Arkansas, Montana, California. Four states will produce more than they did in 1953. They are Kansas, Texas, Montana and California.

Oregon's expected production is 21,706,000 bushels. Indiana will produce 34,263,000, Illinois 40,455,000, Michigan 28,840,000, Missouri, 31,056,000. In the far south Arkansas will raise about three times its ten year average and many of the southern states will produce more, even South Carolina, Georgia, Kentucky, Alabama. Much of this is already in the warehouse.

The total production estimate is for 999,561,000 bushels a mere 157,975,000 bushels less than in 1953. The twenty percent cut (32.8 for us) brought a reduction of a little over ten percent. Texas and

Kansas will raise more than in 1953 because that was not a good year for them.

The high and rigid support program is moving production of wheat onto the little farms where the restrictions do not apply and away from the big wheat farms and efficient producers. It is even doubtful if the tendency can be changed quickly if a different farm bill were passed.

WASCO METHODIST CHURCH
Sunday school 10:00, Services 11:00, Sermon: "The Temptations of Jesus".

The boy or girl who brings in the most boys and girls to Sunday school in the next six weeks will give a picnic in his or her honor. We will have a softball game between boys and girls.
F. H. Wahlquist, pastor

WANT ADS

WANTED: Man or woman to call on farmers in Sherman county. Many making \$20 to \$40 a day. Reference required. Write Mr. Inman, P. O. Box 14, Bayshore Station, Oakland 23, Calif. 33-4p

WANTED: Man for maintenance of four school buses and driver for one. Can be full time job for right man. Please apply to Dist 17 Clerk, Clara Houston, Moro. 33c

FOR SALE: Baled Wheat Hay, cut green. J. R. Yocum, Phone 756 Wasco. 33-36c

FOR SALE: 1 John Deere tractor disc harrow, 1 Wessex 4000 watt, electric wall heater, each \$50; 1 15-gal. drum Swan-Finch upper lube \$25; 1 Sun-beam automatic mixer \$18. Grover Young, Grass Valley.

FOR SALE: 6 room house, bath, lot and three-quarters, two car garage. Mr. or Mrs. L. O. Kirby, Phone 404, Moro. 32fn

FOR SALE: Model 21, draper-type, Massey-Harris, self-propeller combine. Phone 141, Grass Valley Equipment & Repair, Grass Valley. 32-5c

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FOR SALE: New and used parts for two wood-frame 30-38 Harris combines, including 11:25 x 36 rubber tires like new and a reconditioned and guaranteed Hercules JXC engine. These items are priced to sell. Van Reitmann, Condon, Ore. 32-4c

FOR SALE: Stucco (inside and outside) 2 bedroom house in Grass Valley, large living room, fireplace, hardwood floors, full basement with extra bedroom, 3 lots, \$10,000 cash; \$12,000.

Lupine Rebekah Lodge No. 116
Meets 2nd and 4th Tuesdays of each month. Visiting members welcome. Althea Burnet N.G., 56ten Martin, Sec.

Moro Lodge No. 113 I.O.O.F.
Meets 1st and 3rd Tuesdays in I.O.O.F. hall. Transient and visiting brothers are cordially invited.
C. O. Burnet, N.G.
Leo Watkins, Secretary

Wesley E. Nichols Chapter No. 10 O.E.S.
Meets every second and fourth Thursday in each month, visiting members invited. Moro, Oregon.
Betty Christianson, W.M.
Elsie Jones, Secretary

Eureka Lodge No. 121 A.F. & A.M.
Meets on the 1st and 3rd Thursday evenings each month. Visiting members cordially invited to meet with us.
Howard Ross, W. M.
H. B. Pinkerton, Secretary

In accordance with the provisions of the "Local Budget Law" (ORS 294.305 to 294.415), notice is hereby given that the budget committee of Sherman County, Oregon, in compliance with said law, prepared and adopted on June 3, 1954, the budget estimates for Sherman County, Oregon, for the ensuing fiscal year July 1, 1954, to June 30, 1955, as set forth in the accompanying schedules for I, II, III and IV. All persons are hereby notified that on Wednesday the 7th day of July, 1954, at 10:00 A. M., in Moro, Oregon, said budget estimates may be discussed with the County Court, the levying board for Sherman County, Oregon, and any person subject to the proposed tax levy or tax levies will be heard in favor of or against said proposed tax levy or tax levies or any part thereof.

The outstanding indebtedness of Sherman County, Oregon, at June 3, 1954, was as follows:

NONE.

Signed: Dewey Thompson, Chairman Budget Committee; C. A. Tom, Secretary Budget Committee; Vernon I. Miller, Kenneth Sather, A. C. Kaseberg, Donald Martin, Members Budget Committee.

SCH. I SUMMARY ESTIMATED EXPENDITURES, RECEIPTS, LEVIES FISCAL YEAR 1954-55

1954-55	Total of All Funds	General Fund	General Road Fund	Cash Declared Gen. Fund	Cash Declared Road Fund	Estimated Receipts Gen. Fund	Estimated Receipts Road Fund
Tax Levy Calculation							
Total Est. Expenditures	\$ 144,641.00	\$ 76,691.00	\$ 67,950.00	\$ 9,000.00	none	\$ 3,335.00	\$ 21,540.00
Deduct Est. Receipts	33,875.00						
Amt. to Balance Budget	110,766.00						
Add: Est. 1954-55 not rec'd	1,000.00						
Total Levy Needed	111,766.00						

SCH. II SUMMARY ESTIMATED EXPENDITURES, RECEIPTS, LEVIES FISCAL YEAR 1953-54

1953-54	Total of All Funds	General Fund	General Road Fund	Cash Declared Gen. Fund	Cash Declared Road Fund	Estimated Receipts Gen. Fund	Estimated Receipts Road Fund
Tax Levy Calculation							
Total Est. Expenditures	\$ 143,308.26	\$ 75,358.26	\$ 67,950.00	\$ 8,000.00	6,000.00	\$ 3,110.00	\$ 20,240.00
Deduct Est. Receipts	37,350.00						
Amt. to Balance Budget	105,958.26						
Add: Est. 1953-54 not rec'd	100.00						
Total Levy Needed	106,058.26						
Tax Levies inside 6% limit	106,058.26						

terms. Chicken house and pen. Dorothy Perry, Glenwood, Wn. 33-5c

STATE WIDE PAINT CO. complete painting and decorating service, spray or brush. Phone 3977 or 5293, 1205 E. 12th St. Vern Campbell and Jack Null, The Dalles, Oregon 38tfn

MAY ELECTRIC, electrical contracting, Moro, Oregon, Phone 722. 19 tfn

CUSTOM SLAUGHTERING — Meat cutting, wrapping, sharp freeze. Kenney's Market, Grass Valley, OrOegon. 47 tfn

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF BID

The Sherman County Fair association invites bids for the rewiring and necessary fixtures and service for the following buildings and locations:

- No. 1 Beef Barn
- No. 2 Exhibit Building
- No. 3 Horse Barn
- No. 4 Sheep and Swine Barn
- No. 5 Four 20 amp. concession outlets located at equal spaces along concrete wall.
- No. 6 Two hundred (200) amp. service for total load and one hundred (100) amp. service for house load.
- One 50 amp. 3 pole solid neutral outlet installed at service location.

Each of these six (6) items to be bid as an individual job, with the Fair association having the option of completing one or all of the same.

The Fair association reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids.

Plans and specifications can be secured at the dwelling on the Fair grounds.

Bids will be received until eight o'clock p. m., July 7, 1954.
Signed: Kenneth Fridley
33-35c President

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

All persons having claims against the Estate of Herman H. Nichols, deceased, are hereby notified to present them, with the proper vouchers and duly verified, to the undersigned, the duly appointed, qualified and acting Executor of the Estate of Herman H. Nichols, deceased, at the office of T. Lester Johnson, attorney at law, Moro, Oregon, within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice, to wit: June 4, 1954.
Wesley E. Nichols
Executor

Brown & Van Vactor and T. Lester Johnson, Attorneys for Executor 31-4c

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

All persons having claims against the Estate of Chester B. Halfpenny, deceased, are hereby notified to present them, with

the proper vouchers and duly verified, to the undersigned, the duly appointed, qualified and acting administrator of the Estate of Chester B. Halfpenny, deceased, at the office of T. Lester Johnson, attorney at law, Moro, Oregon, within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice, to-wit: June 4, 1954.
B. C. Baumgartner
Administrator

T. Lester Johnson, Attorney for Administrator, Moro, Oregon 31-4c

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR THE COUNTY OF SHERMAN

CLARA VAN KLEEK, Plaintiff, vs. ALEXANDER M. HICKS, Defendant.

No. 2837

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of an execution, judgment order, decree and order of sale issued out of the above

entitled Court in the above entitled cause, to me directed and dated the 20th day of May, 1954, upon a judgment and decree rendered and entered in said Court on the 20th day of May, 1954, in favor of Clara Van Kleeck, plaintiff, against Alexander M. Hicks, defendant, for the sum of \$500.00 with interest thereon from December 18, 1948, \$150.00 for attorney's fees and costs and disbursements taxed at \$34.70 and the costs upon this writ, commanding me to make sale of the following described real property situated in the County of Sherman and State of Oregon, to-wit:

SCHEDULE III	Actual for 7-1-51 to 7-1-52	Actual for 7-1-52 to 7-1-53	Actual for 1953-54 six months	Budget 1953-54
Actual for 7-1-51 to 7-1-52	\$ 1800.00	\$ 250.00	\$ 900.00	\$ 1800.00
Actual for 7-1-52 to 7-1-53	539.60	842.55	321.15	1000.00
Actual for 1953-54 six months	522.48	261.96	221.18	200.00
	770.10	734.70	588.71	1033.00
	30.50	57.00		25.00
	15.00			100.00
	100.00	100.00		
	24.50		24.50	50.00
	1800.00	1800.00	900.00	1800.00
	115.53	133.83	188.01	250.00
	266.01	290.38	185.00	300.00
	3200.00	3200.00	1800.00	3600.00
	2960.00	3060.00	1680.00	3360.00
	318.75	335.99	230.04	350.00
	145.25	250.00	93.70	250.00
	210.05	312.09	92.50	200.00
	3450.00	3850.00	4012.00	4012.00
	3200.00	3200.00	1800.00	3600.00
	157.11	249.84	173.54	350.00
	100.00	1470.00		350.00
	94.83	332.50	165.40	200.00
	75.90	527.66		200.00
	3200.00	3200.00	1800.00	3600.00
	2960.00	2295.00	1680.00	3360.00
	966.47	726.39	603.44	800.00
	119.88	124.27	67.16	125.00
	720.00	840.00	420.00	840.00
	78.00	185.00	83.24	150.00
	487.44			
	1600.00	1600.00	900.00	1800.00
	90.60	119.99	152.25	150.00
		132.50		100.00
	2340.08	2290.59		3677.26
	201.00	50.00	12.00	75.00
	346.45	398.35		25.00
	299.10	200.70		600.00
	27.25			300.00
	3.75	20.00		50.00
	50.90	52.10		20.00
	600.00	600.00	650.00	650.00
	150.00	150.00		150.00
	4590.90	4738.60		5680.00
	1732.12	1114.56	1547.28	1800.00
	2500.00	2500.00	1250.00	2500.00
	653.96	412.06	92.32	1000.00
	163.70	158.53	95.85	150.00
	671.30	618.49	232.31	600.00
		8.00		12.00
				1000.00
	2.88	5.00	15.00	75.00
	1654.00	1654.00	825.75	1101.00
	2175.00	2392.00	2334.00	3112.00
	331.00	349.00	347.25	463.00
	277.00	302.00	290.25	387.00
	4666.48	878.51	73.82	7000.00
	133.77	102.77	101.77	140.00
	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00
	900.00	900.00	415.00	900.00
	369.17	545.00	135.00	400.00
	101.56	48.30	6.64	200.00
	183.19	448.28	260.76	500.00
		210.25	105.00	111.00
	2100.00	2240.00	2340.00	2240.00
	700.00	700.00	350.00	700.00
	600.00			
	25.00	25.00		30.00
	486.10	383.50	225.00	625.00
		213.50		750.00
	2568.50	2000.00	2000.00	2000.00
	555.39	330.00	206.95	600.00
		718.76		600.00
		60044.76	33708.77	75328.28
	269.67	2076.05	143.82	2000.00
	20937.40	22202.57	12163.88	22500.00
	4689.81	4444.55	4093.42	5000.00
	2884.10	3791.22	2730.59	4000.00
	3186.91	2617.02	712.95	3000.00
	2428.19	2347.48	1729.55	2500.00
	876.48	1281.47	1545.78	1650.00
	1514.05	2622.68	1980.67	2500.00
	7785.82	7514.46	3538.78	7000.00
	22491.73	13993.73	1720.00	14000.00
	285.40			
	560.57	780.85	234.27	3000.00
		63672.08	30593.71	67950.00

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