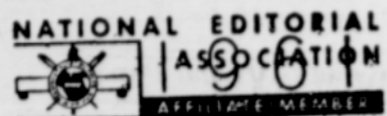


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**RETREAT**

For some time now this writer has been generally concerned about the retreat of the leaders of this world. We think they are too full of compromise—so full that it may be near cowardice.

The attitude that causes it probably is led by those who call themselves "liberals" (which they are not) but which seems to include a willingness to agree at least partly with any opposition. They do not seem to have the stomach to fight on anything.

Look what's happening to the white race. It is split between Orientals and Occidentals, the Russians being largely an occidental people. Recently the western Occidentals are dividing over colonialism which has caused the loss of India to England, Angola to Portugal, Congo to Belgium and Indonesia to the Netherlands. The "liberals" do not like colonialism, but history is proof enough that it has done a lot of good to backward races and brought them to what is known as civilization; faster than they'd have made it by themselves.

So unless the Yellow race survives to death in huge numbers and the Black race gets to fighting like the White race is doing it looks like the Whites have had their day.

Then the western powers in their conflict with the Russians seem to be doing a poor job and a large part of that can be laid to indecisiveness. This nation has spent so much of its economic strength throwing money around abroad, partly to soothe the feeling of minority groups at home, that it is about broke and almost ready to exist on printing press money. The do-gooder spirit of the "liberals" is mixed into this, too.

If there was ever a time in the history of the people from which most of us sprung that a man was needed at the head of things this is certainly it. We've been in the hands of compromisers, apologizers, nervous Nellies long enough.

**RISKS OF FARMING**

Now it is rust. Farming is a wonderful way of life, one in which a man can be his own boss, set his own work rules and in late years make a little money if his way of life and his work rules are good.

But it is always dangerous. The weatherman may not send enough rain, or too much, it may be too cold or too hot, and at the wrong times. The market may be too low or the government may restrict the acreage.

Most of a farmer's trouble come from nature which really directs the greater part of a farmer's activities. He plows when the ground is right, fights the weeds that nature sends, harvests when the crop is ripe. If nature is not generous the crop is a failure and all the new implements, and chemicals and government programs cannot change the place of nature in the production of food on a farm.

This year the crop looked fine and optimistic farmers were to be met on every rural street in these parts. The very rain that brought the good growth brought the condition that may ruin the crop for some. Yellow leaf rust has turned some fields yellow before heading and the prospects are poor over the most productive part of the county.

There are those who feel that the farmer is getting far from being the farmer (and politicians), others feel jealous of his governmentally spiked income, some think his independent position is endangered by his subservience to government. It is unfair to blame the surpluses on the farmer; they are waseful and evidence of poor management, but it is the government's management and ignorance, not the farmers.

But whatever one thinks or has thought about it he can wisely be sympathetic toward a farmer whose crop has been wiped out or damaged by a disease he cannot control, and did not cause. The production of crops helps us all; the farmer gets the money but the consumer gets the food.

**NOTICE OF SCHOOL MEETING**

Notice is hereby given to the legal voters of Rufus School District No. 3 of Sherman County, State of Oregon, that a SCHOOL MEETING of the said district will be held at the school on the 12th day of June, 1961 at 7 o'clock p. m. for the purpose of discussing the budget for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1961, and ending June 30, 1962, hereinafter set forth.

**Schedule I BUDGET—FISCAL YEAR 1961—62**

Summary of Estimated Expenditures, Receipts and Available Cash Balances, and Tax Levies

Estimation of Tax Levy	Total All Funds	General Fund	Construction P. L. 815	Public Law 874
1. a. Total Estimated Expenditures	\$ 194,055.00	\$ 100,645.00	\$ 63,960.00	\$ 12,000.00
b. Total Reserved for Expenditure in Future Years	5,767.00			567.00
c. Total Estimated Expenditures and Reserve	199,822.00	100,645.00	63,960.00	12,567.00
DEDUCT:				
2. Total Estimated Receipts and Available Cash Balances	144,982.00	45,805.00	63,960.00	12,567.00
3. Amount Necessary to Balance the budget	54,840.00	54,840.00		
ADD:				
4. Estimated Amount of Taxes That Will Not Be Collected During the Fiscal Year for Which This Budget is Made, Including Estimated Rebate of Taxes	1,645.00	1,645.00		
5. Total Estimated Tax Levies for Ensuing Fiscal Year	56,485.00	56,485.00		
6. Analysis of Estimated Tax Levies: (b) Amount Outside 6% Limitation	56,485.00			

**INDEBTEDNESS**  
1. Amount of bonded indebtedness (include all negotiable interest-bearing warrants issued under ORS 328.205) None  
2. Amount of warrant indebtedness on warrants issued and endorsed not paid for want of funds. None  
3. Amount of other indebtedness None  
4. Total indebtedness (sum of items 1,2,3) None

Approved: May 22, 1961  
Signed: Joseph F. Morris Secretary, Budget Committee  
Adeline McDonald Chairman, Budget Committee  
Adopted by District School Board  
Dated: May 22, 1961  
Signed: Jean Brown, District Clerk  
Fay H. Brackett District School Board Chairman

**Schedule II GENERAL FUND ESTIMATED RECEIPTS AND BEGINNING CASH BALANCES July 1, 1961 to June 30, 1962**

Actual Receipts for Two Fiscal Years Next Preceding Current School Year

Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1959	Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1960	Budget Allowance Current Fiscal Year	ITEM	Estimated Receipts Ensuing Fiscal Year
\$ 22,287.04	\$ 28,143.97		10. REVENUE FROM LOCAL SOURCES	
1,858.43	1,968.98		11.1 District Tax rec'd in local levied	
57.40	104.60		11.2 District Tax—Prior Years' Levies	
			14.0 Other	7,500.00
944.48	952.59	840.00	20. REVENUE FROM INTERMEDIATE SOURCES	
15,046.33	13,316.11		21.0 County School Fund	1,840.00
1,858.22	1,457.17		22.0 Rural School District	
			22.1 Apportionment	
			22.2 Prior Years' Levies (Rural)	
430.35	76.06		30. REVENUE FROM OR THROUGH STATE SOURCES	
5,219.32	5,897.49	5,181.40	31.0 Basic School Support Fund	
65.60	73.92	71.40	(a) Off-set Against Tax Levy	12,000.00
			(b) Other Basic School Fund Receipts	165.00
			32.0 Common (Irreducible) School Fund	300.00
			33.3 N.D.E.A.	
293.67	116.54	4,450.00	40. REVENUE DIRECT FROM FEDERAL SOURCES	12,000.00
\$ 48,060.84	\$ 52,108.03	\$ 11,542.80	70. SALE OF PROPERTY AND INSURANCE ADJUSTMENTS	
13,716.23	14,656.57	4,656.57	41.0 Public Law 874	12,000.00
\$ 61,777.07	\$ 67,064.60	\$ 16,199.37	70. SALE OF PROPERTY AND INSURANCE ADJUSTMENTS	
			TOTAL RECEIPTS	
			BEGINNING NET CASH BALANCE (or deficit) LESS CASH WORKING FUND	12,000.00
			TOTAL BUDGET RESOURCES	\$ 45,805.00

**Schedule III ESTIMATED EXPENDITURES**

Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1959	Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1960	Budget Allowance Current Fiscal Year	ITEM	Estimated Expenditures
1,200.00	1,205.00	1,200.00	ADMINISTRATION 100 Series	
38.80	9.00		110 Salaries	1,200.00
104.24	144.44		114 Clerk	20.00
70.00	35.00	150.00	120 Supplies	300.00
186.47	199.27	200.00	141 Elections and Publicity	200.00
	10.10	5.00	143 Legal Service	225.00
\$ 1,599.51	\$ 1,602.81	\$ 1,610.00	144 Audit	5.00
			190 Other Expenses of Administration	\$ 1,950.00
			Total Administration Expenses	
			INSTRUCTION 200 series	
5,705.00	6,255.00	6,510.00	210 Salaries	1,225.00
14,815.00	17,845.00	19,575.00	211 Principals	42,025.00
290.00		360.00	213 Teachers	540.00
			214 Other Instruction (sub. teacher)	900.00
			215 Secretarial and Clerical Assistants	2,000.00
			216 Librarian	2,000.00
932.05	1,022.62	800.00	220 Teaching Supplies	2,000.00
881.70	1,024.43	700.00	226 Textbooks	1,190.00
		75.00	227 Library Books, Periodicals, Audiovisual Aids	300.00
			229 Travel (Principal)	125.00
368.40	468.98	\$ 28,020.00	290 Other Expense of Instruction	\$ 50,305.00
\$ 22,992.15	\$ 26,666.03		Total Expense of Instruction	
			ATTENDANCE & HEALTH SERVICES	
			400 Health Services	25.00
			420 Supplies	25.00
			Total Attendance & Health Services	\$ 25.00
			PUPIL TRANSPORTATION SERVICES	
4,147.50	5,559.00	3,960.00	510 Salaries	3,960.00
1,253.29	1,313.35	1,500.00	520 Supplies and Repairs	1,200.00
			535 Replacement of Vehicles	7,000.00
		\$ 1,500.00	536 Contracted Service	1,500.00
		300.00	552 Transportation Insurance	300.00
257.49	256.49		566 Trans. other than Home to School	60.00
			567 Other expenses of transportation	85.00
\$ 5,690.78	\$ 7,130.34	\$ 7,260.00	Total Pupil Transportation Services	\$ 14,105.00
			OPERATION OF PLANT 600 series	
4,505.00	4,862.50	3,000.00	611 Sub. Janitor	1,200.00
467.24	747.59	4,500.00	610 Salaries	4,500.00
592.20	650.80	500.00	620 Supplies	500.00
1,069.23	1,122.64	1,300.00	628 Fuel for Heat	1,300.00
144.35	148.25	1,100.00	630 Utilities except Fuel	1,300.00
\$ 6,778.02	\$ 7,631.78	\$ 7,825.00	635 Other Expenses of operation	250.00
			Total Operation of Plant	\$ 9,030.00
			MAINTENANCE OF PLANT 700 Series	
171.26		200.00	710 Salaries	200.00
1,329.57	811.59	500.00	720 Materials and Supplies	500.00
948.95	2,534.29	200.00	735 Replacement of Equipment	200.00
341.50	71.19	1,000.00	737 General Repair	1,500.00
\$ 2,791.38	\$ 3,417.07	\$ 1,900.00	Total Maintenance of Plant	\$ 2,400.00
			FIXED CHARGES 800 Series	
1,645.36	942.37	1,800.00	851 Retirement and Social Security Exp.	2,950.00
1,164.84	1,111.61	1,250.00	852 Insurance	1,500.00
1.00	1.00	1.00	854 Rental of Land and Buildings	5.00
6.34			855 Interest on Current Loans	100.00
			856 Other Expenses	
\$ 2,817.54	\$ 3,060.35	\$ 3,031.00	Total Fixed Charges	\$ 4,555.00
			FOOD SERVICES AND STUDENT-BODY ACTIVITIES	
2,075.00	2,030.00	3,000.00	900 Food Services	3,000.00
106.42	80.07	300.00	910 Salaries	300.00
			922 Supplies	1,500.00
			935 Replacement of Equipment	
			1080 Student-Body Activities	
			Other Auxiliary Agencies	
			Total Food Services and Student Body Activities	\$ 4,800.00
\$ 2,181.42	\$ 2,188.26	\$ 3,300.00	CAPITAL OUTLAY 1200 Series	
298.25	305.44	250.00	1272 Sites and Site Additions	2,030.00
			1273 Improvement to Sites	500.00
			1274 Library Books	
			1276 New Buildings and Additions	2,800.00
			1279 Incinerator	300.00
			1278 Equipment	3,200.00
298.25	620.50	600.00	1280 Improvement for fire safety	
1,500.00			1290 Other expenses	125.00
125.00			Total Capital Outlay	\$ 8,955.00
\$ 2,193.25	\$ 925.94	\$ 975.00	EMERGENCY	4,500.00
			TOTAL GENERAL FUND EXPENDITURES	\$ 100,645.00

**Rufus News**

by Mrs. George Fox  
There's a group of men in Rufus now to build guard rails along the detour stretch of road between Watchman's Dip and into Rufus. The gravel trucks have

School Lunch	Bus Reserve	Building Fund
\$ 5,650.00	\$ 7,500.00	\$ 4,300.00
200.00	5,000.00	
5,850.00	12,500.00	4,300.00
5,850.00	12,500.00	4,300.00

been busy putting rock on the road. Men are building the fence along the new detour also, and it won't be long until the public will be using the detour and they can go ahead and tear up the hill-sides to make the new road.

**LEGAL NOTICES**

**INVITATION TO BID**  
Sealed bids will be received by the Sherman County High School District, Sherman County, Oregon at the office of the Sherman High School, Moro, Oregon for the purpose of resurfacing and repair of building roof—excluding the addition constructed in 1959, and according to the following specifications:

"The roof is to be coated with (30) pounds per 100 square feet of 190 to 205 degree filled asphalt. The approximate area to be covered is 25,000 square feet. The bidder is to furnish all materials and labor."

Bids will be received on or before 8:00 o'clock P. M. (P.S.T.) Wednesday, June 7, 1961, at which time bids will be opened and publicly read aloud. The owner reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids and to waive any informalities. Work is to be completed by August 15, 1961. The building is available for inspection Monday through Friday from 8:00 a. m. until 5:00 p. m.

Marjorie K. Marvin  
District Clerk  
May 19, 26, 1961

**NOTICE OF FINAL ACCOUNT**

NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned has filed in the County Court of the State of Oregon for Sherman County, his Final Account as Executor of the Estate of Alma B. Fridley, deceased, and that Wednesday, the 21st day of June, 1961, at ten o'clock A. M. of said day in the court room of the County Court in Moro, Sherman County, Oregon, have been fixed by the Court as the time and place for hearing objections to said Final Account and for the settlement of said estate.

Clifford N. Fridley  
Executor

T. Lester Johnson  
Attorney for Executor  
May 19, 26 & June 2, 9, 1961

**NOTICE OF FINAL ACCOUNT**

NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned have filed in the County Court of the State of Ore-

gon for Sherman County, their Final Account as Executors of the Estate of William Roos, deceased, and that Wednesday, the 14th day of June, 1961, at ten o'clock A. M. of said day in the court room of the County Court in Moro, Sherman County, Oregon, have been fixed by the Court as the time and place for hearing objections to said Final Account and for the settlement of said estate.

Howard Roland Ross  
Executor  
Frances Bertha Thompson  
Executor

T. Lester Johnson  
Attorney for Executors  
May 12, 19, 26, June 2, 1961

**NOTICE OF FINAL ACCOUNT**

NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned has filed in the County Court of the State of Oregon for Sherman County, his Final Account as Executor of the Estate of Dewey Thompson, deceased, and that Wednesday, the 7th day of June, 1961, at ten o'clock A. M. of said day in the court room of the County Court in Moro, Sherman County, Oregon, have been fixed by the Court as the time and place for hearing objections to said Final Account and for the settlement of said estate.

Theodore Thompson  
Executor  
T. Lester Johnson  
Attorney for Executor  
May 5, 12, 19, 26, 1961

**WANT ADS**

WANTED. Full time secretary. Apply Sherman County Extension office. 30c

SPECIAL FIRST FEEDER Sale of Season, SATURDAY - JUNE 3rd at The Dalles Livestock Auction. Consigners and Buyers call ED Coles CY 6-4672 or CY 6-4513 at The Dalles, Ore.

WANTED: Used baby buggy. Robt. Bernard, Grass Valley. 30p

BOATS — MOTORS — TRAILERS AT COST: Evernude Electric 40 & 75 HP; Bellboy & Dot Boats. You can't beat my prices, must sell by January 1. Come in or call — terms available. OSCAR'S SPORTING GOODS, downtown MADRAS. Also Chinook Camp Coach. 10 ft. 8-9c

FOR Agricultural loans see FLB/ of The Dalles and the Mid-Columbia PCA, 4th & Court Sts. C/Press 6-2468. tfn

Custom farming service in all county to include disking, plowing, spring toothling, roding, combining and seeding. Donald von Jorstel, Grass Valley, Ore tfn

CUSTOM SLAUGHTERING by appointment only. Custom curing. Meat cutting, wrapping, sharp freeze. Kenny's Market, Grass Valley. Call ED 3-2345 for appointment. 23-tfn

STATE WIDE PAINT CO. complete painting and decorating service, spray or brush. Phone CY 6-3977 or CY 6-5293, 1205 E. 12th St. Verr. Campbell and Jack Null, The Dalles, Or. 38ftn

LIVESTOCK Men - Do it your-

self - "Anchor Brand" Aluma Health Products, penicillin, and instruments are available at your Co-op Oil and Supply at The Dalles. 20c tfn

FOR SALE: 3 bedroom, brick-faced house daylight basement, built-in kitchen appliances (stove, oven, garbage disposal, D washer), wall to wall carpeting, 2 fireplaces, recreation room, laundry room, patio, all landscaped, storage in garage. Call Wasco GI 2-5210.

FOR SALE: John Deere combine No. 36 B, 20' cut. Ph. GI 2-5438, Leo C. Watkins, Wasco, Oregon 27-29c

WINK-GOLDENDALE SALES Yard, Goldendale, Wash., has an auction every Friday at one o'clock. We have the market if you have the livestock. Guaranteed top prices. Frank Wink. 33c-tfn

80 BED OREGON state approved nursing home located in beautiful Hood River Valley, with lovely fenced grounds. We accept all types of elderly cases as well as room and board care. 31-tfn

FOR SALE: Fir poles for corral or stockade, 16, 18, 24 ft. long. average dia. 4", peeled or unpeeled. See Don Shawe. (Kirk's House) Moro, Ore. 26ftn

\$2.50 per hour or more for part or full time route work. Large repeat orders. Man or woman. Write McNESS CO., Box 4014, Oakland 23, Calif. 29-29p

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