

SHERMAN COUNTY OBSERVER

Moro, Oregon
FRIDAY, January 18, 1924

Fur Raising Increasing.
Important progress has been made in investigations pertaining to the raising of wild fur-bearing animals in captivity. Fur farms are reported from 25 states where foxes, skunks, muskrats, minks, opossums, martens, weasels, squirrels and beavers are raised. It is estimated that 500 ranchers are raising silver foxes in the United States, that they have between 12,000 and 15,000 foxes in captivity, and that the value of the investment is about \$6,000,000. The discovery of the fact that martens breed the last of July and in August has solved the problem which has heretofore prevented the successful raising of these animals in captivity and has opened up an important field to the fur farmer.—Scientific American.

"The Judge" — The Unanswerable Question



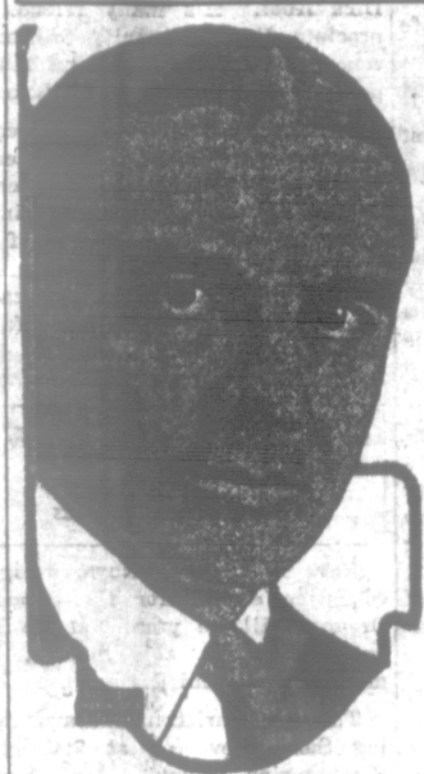
Original Estimate and Accounting Sheet School District No. 17

This original estimate shows in parallel columns the unit cost of the several services, material and supplies for the three fiscal years next preceding the current year, the detail expenditures for the last one of said three preceding fiscal years and the budget allowance and expenditures for six months of the current year. ("Six months of the current year" means six months of last school year.)

ITEM	Estimated expenditures for the ensuing school year	Expenditures and budget allowance for six months of last school year		Expenditures for three fiscal years next preceding the last school year		
		Expenditures in detail	Budget allowance in detail	Detailed expenditures for the last year of the three-year period	Second year Give yearly totals	First year Give yearly totals
Personal service						
Principals	2000.00	1200.00	1200.00	1800.00		
Teachers	8280.00	5490.00	5310.00	235.00		
Janitors	900.00	540.00	510.00	720.00		
Clerk	25.00	16.66	16.66	25.00		
Total—Personal service	11205.00	7246.66	7036.66	10780.00	11647.50	9895.93
Materials and supplies						
Furniture, desks, etc.	80.00		66.67			
Supplies, chalk, etc.	300.00	143.28	233.34	214.92		
Library books	75.00		50.00			
Flags	20.00		13.33			
Janitor's supplies	75.00	27.40	50.00	41.10		
Fuel	750.00	473.77	500.00	710.65		
Light	100.00	40.30	66.67	60.30		
Water	250.00	161.37	82.50	142.05		
Postage and stationery	100.00	50.00	66.67	75.00		
Total—Material and supplies	1750.00	896.12	1129.18	1244.02	1385.37	1219.18
Maintenance and repairs						
Buildings and grounds	400.00	198.46	166.66	297.69		
Total—Maintenance and repairs	400.00	198.46	166.66	297.69	122.32	
Indebtedness						
Bonded and interest thereon	1000.00	666.66	666.66	1000.00		
Total—Indebtedness	1000.00	666.66	666.66	1000.00	979.09	
Insurance						
Total insurance	310.00		243.33			
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Miscellaneous						
Total—miscellaneous	300.00	133.33	200.00	275.00		
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Emergency						
Total—emergency	300.00	110.02	200.00	165.05		
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Grand total	15265.00	9301.25	9642.49	13761.76	14498.17	11720.35

I, C. E. Johnson, do hereby certify that the above estimate of expenditures for the year 1924-1925 was prepared by me and that the expenditures and budget allowance for six months of the current year and the expenditures for the three fiscal years next preceding the current year as shown above have been compiled from the records in my charge and are true and correct copies thereof.
C. E. Johnson, District Clerk.

OWEN D. YOUNG



Owen D. Young, head of the General Electric company, who is one of the American representatives on the international committee of experts to aid the German reparations commission.

COAST AUTO TRAFFIC RULES AGREED UPON

Sacramento, Cal.—An agreement providing for the reciprocal enforcement of motor vehicle regulation and an interchange of "traffic courtesies" among states on the Pacific coast was reached at a conference here of officials of the automobile departments of California, Washington and Oregon. An arrangement permitting California tourists to remain in Oregon and Washington for long periods without securing a license in those states, as non-residents may in California, was made. Non-residents may remain in the state six months before registering their cars. Dealers in border towns will be permitted to cross the line to solicit business.

The California division shall make an investigation of applications for licenses of persons living in Washington and Oregon who claim a legal residence in California. Co-operation between traffic officers in apprehending violators was agreed upon.

NEW DISEASE IS STUDIED

Investigation Ordered in Santa Ana; 2000 Affected.

Sacramento, Cal.—Announcement that the state board of health had ordered an investigation of a mysterious disease which is reported to have made its appearance in Santa Ana was made here by Dr. Walter M. Dickie, secretary and executive officer of the board.

Reports reaching the state health authorities here stated that between 2000 and 3000 persons have been stricken with the disease in a short time, although so far as known, there have been no fatalities. The disease causes nausea.

Montana Finance Tangled By Ruling

Helena, Mont.—All general appropriations made by the last Montana legislature were held invalid by the state supreme court on the grounds that Governor Dixon, in attempting to reduce the amounts on a percentage basis, was without authority and his signing of the bill with qualifications was a nullity. The invalidity of thousands of dollars worth of state warrants is established by the decision.

Anyhow, He Had It.

President Marquis Elliot of Harvard died recently at a New York hotel, where the man who takes care of the hats at the dining room door is celebrated for his memory about the ownership of headgear. "How do you know that is my hat?" the collector asked, as his silk tie was presented to him. "I don't know it, sub," said the dark doorman. "Then why do you give it to me?" indicated President Elliot. "Because you gave it to me, sub."

Too Great a Risk.

Life Insurance Agent—One moment, sir, before I fill in your application. What make of car do you drive?
Client—I don't drive any—I hate them!
Life Insurance Agent—Sorry, but our company no longer insures pedestrians!—The Pleading Show (London).

Notice of School Meeting

Notice is hereby given to the legal voters of School District No. 17 of Sherman County, State of Oregon, that a school meeting of said district will be held at the school house on the 9th day of February, 1924, at 1:30 o'clock in the afternoon for the purpose of discussing the budget hereinafter set out with the levying board, and to vote on the proposition of levying a special district tax.

The total amount of money needed by the said school district during the fiscal year beginning on June 30th, 1924, and ending on June 30th, 1925, is estimated in the following budget and includes the amounts to be received from the county school fund, state school fund, elementary school fund, special district tax, and all other moneys of the district:

Budget

ESTIMATED EXPENDITURES

Personal Service	No	per year	Total
Principal	1	2000	2000
Teachers	7	8280	57960
Janitor	1	900	900
Clerk	1	25	25
Total			59885
Materials and Supplies	No	per year	Total
Furniture, (desks, stoves, curtains, etc.)			80
Supplies, (chalk, erasers, etc.)			300
Library books			75
Flags			20
Janitor's supplies			75
Fuel and water			750
Light and water			350
Postage and Stationery			100
Total			1750
Maintenance and Repairs	No	per year	Total
Building and grounds			400
Total			400
Indebtedness	No	per year	Total
Bonded, and interest thereon			1000
Total			1000
Insurance	No	per year	Total
Total			310
Miscellaneous	No	per year	Total
Total			300
Emergency	No	per year	Total
Total			300
Total estimated amount of money for all purposes during the year			62635

ESTIMATED RECEIPTS

From county school fund during the coming school year	550
From state school fund during the coming school year	250
From elementary school fund during the coming school year	1350
Estimated of probable unexpended balance at end of current year	1500
Estimated amount to be received from all other sources during the coming school year	1500
Total estimated receipts, not including proposed tax	5150

RECAPITULATION

Total estimated expenses for the year	62635
Total estimated receipts not including proposed tax	5150
Balance, amount to be raised by district tax	10,115
Dated this 12th day of January, 1924.	
D. E. Stephens, Chairman Board of Directors	
Attest: C. E. Johnson, District clerk.	

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATOR'S

Sale of Real Estate at Private Sale

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an order of the County Court of the state of Oregon for Sherman county, made on the 31st day of December, 1923, in the matter of the estate of George S. Wilson, deceased, the undersigned, the administrator of the estate of George S. Wilson, deceased, will sell at private sale to the highest bidder upon the terms and conditions hereinafter mentioned and subject to confirmation by said court, on and after Saturday, the 9th day of February, 1924, all the right, title, interest and estate of the said George S. Wilson, deceased, in and to the real property hereinafter described, and all the right, title and interest which the said estate has by operation of law or otherwise, acquired of, in and to that certain piece or parcel of land, situate, lying and being in the county of Sherman and state of Oregon, and more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

All of block twenty-three (23)

Tractor's First Addition to the town of Kent. Lots two (2) and three (3)

in block twenty-two (22) in the town of Kent, in Sherman county, Oregon.

Terms and conditions of sale: Cash in hand.

All bids must be in writing, and left at the office of W. C. Bryant, one of the attorneys for said administrator, at his office in Moro in Sherman county, Oregon, or may be filed in the office of the clerk of the above mentioned court at any time after the first publication of this notice and before the making of said sale.

Dated this 31st day of December, 1923.

J. M. Wilson, Administrator.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT

In the County Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Sherman. In the Matter of the Estate of Vivian Ornduff, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned administrator of the estate of Vivian Ornduff, deceased, has filed in the county court of Sherman county, state of Oregon, his final report and account as such administrator of said estate and that Monday, the 4th day of February, 1924, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m. has been fixed by said court as the time for hearing objections to said report and the settlement thereof.

R. C. Ornduff, Administrator of the estate of Vivian Ornduff, deceased.

W. C. Bryant, attorney for administrator.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

U. S. land office at The Dalles, Oregon. December 8, 1923.

Notice is hereby given that Dell H. Wright, of Moro, Oregon, who on March 11, 1920, made homestead entry, No. 018790, for n/4 Sec. 27, range 18 east, Willamette meridian, has filed notice of intent to make final proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before register and receiver, United States land office, at The Dalles, Oregon, on the 18th day of January 1924.

Claimant names as witnesses: J. R. Cothran, George H. Rebmán, W. A. Mills, and Frank Shoemaker, all of Moro, Oregon.

J. W. Domally, Register.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT

Notice is hereby given that Nancy I. Miller as executrix of the estate of William E. Miller, deceased, has filed her final report and account with the Clerk of the County Court of the State of Oregon for Sherman County, and that Saturday, the 5th day of January, 1924, at the hour of ten o'clock a. m. and the courtroom of the above mentioned court at the court house at Moro, Oregon, has been fixed as the time and place for hearing objections to said final report and account.

Nancy I. Miller, Executrix.

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Sherman County
D. W. Morehouse, plaintiff

Wm. E. Howell, Hester E. Howell, E. J. Miller, W. G. Armworthy, J. A. Ellis, C. H. Howell and Myrtle M. Howell defendants

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 21st day of December, 1923, upon a judgment rendered and entered in said court on the 12th day of December, 1923, in favor of D. W. Morehouse, plaintiff and against Wm. E. Howell, Hester E. Howell, E. J. Miller, W. G. Armworthy, J. A. Ellis, C. H. Howell and Myrtle M. Howell defendants

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Condensed Music.
Little Benjamin, aged four, had two pets—a canary and a cat. One unlucky day the door of the cage was left open and the cat was caught in the act of swallowing the last morsel of the poor bird. Little Benjamin gazed at the cat a few minutes in sorrowful meditation, and then suddenly asked: "Mamma, will please sing now?"

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Looking Ahead

LAST Spring a total of 350,000 people were disappointed in not being able to obtain deliveries of Ford Cars and Trucks, as orders were placed faster than cars could be produced.

The demand for Ford Cars and Trucks this Spring will, according to all indications, be far greater than last Spring.

Winter buying has been increasing at a greater rate than ever before.

Actual retail deliveries the past 60 days totaled 308,170 Ford Cars and Trucks, an increase of 1,961 a day over a year ago.

Over 200,000 people have already ordered Ford products on our purchase plan, the majority of whom will take delivery in the Spring.

The above facts are given with the suggestion that you list your order promptly with a Ford dealer if you contemplate the purchase of a Ford Car or Truck for use this Spring or Summer and wish to avoid delay in delivery.

Ford Motor Company
Detroit, Michigan

You need not pay cash for your car. You can arrange to make a small deposit down, taking care of the balance in easy payments. Or, you can buy on the Ford Weekly Purchase Plan. This puts you on the preferred order list and insures delivery of your car at a date to be determined by yourself.

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