

Notice of Annual School Meeting.

Notice is hereby given to the legal voters of School District No. 95 of Linn County, State of Oregon, that the annual school and tax meeting will be held at the school house, Scio, Oregon, at 2:00 o'clock, P. M., on June 21, 1920, for the purpose of electing one director and clerk, and to vote on the proposition of levying a special district tax. The total amount of money needed by the district during the fiscal year beginning June 21, 1920, and ending June 20, 1921, is estimated in the following budget:

| BUDGET—ESTIMATED EXPENDITURES | |
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| Teachers' salaries | \$8750.00 |
| Furniture | 100.00 |
| Apparatus and supplies, such as maps, chalk, erasers, stoves, curtains, etc. | 100.00 |
| Repairs of schoolhouses, outbuildings or fences | 500.00 |
| Improving grounds | 100.00 |
| Janitor's wages | 450.00 |
| Janitor's supplies | 50.00 |
| Fuel | 300.00 |
| Light | 10.00 |
| Water | 10.00 |
| Clerk's salary | 50.00 |
| Postage and stationery | 25.00 |
| Interest on unpaid warrants | 200.00 |
| Total estimated amount of money to be expended for all purposes during the year | \$10,645.00 |

| ESTIMATED RECEIPTS | |
|---|-----------|
| From county school fund during coming school year | \$1540.00 |
| From state school fund during coming school year | 280.00 |
| Cash now in hands of district clerk | 85.00 |
| Estimated amount to be received from all other sources during the coming school year | 3420.00 |
| Total estimated receipts, not including to money to be received from the tax which it is proposed to vote | \$5325.00 |

| RECAPITULATION | |
|---|-------------|
| Total estimated expenses for the year | \$10,645.00 |
| Total estimated receipts, not including tax to be voted | 5,325.00 |
| Balance, amount to be raised by district tax | \$5320.00 |

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 reason: Increase in teachers' salaries.

Dated this 1st day of June, 1920.

RILEY SHELTON,
F. T. THAYER,
ROY V. SHELTON,
Board of Directors School District No. 95

JENNIE SHELTON, Clerk.

OREGON NEWS NOTES OF GENERAL INTEREST

Principal Events of the Week Briefly Sketched for Information of Our Readers.

Robert Florer, 68, committed suicide in Baker by shooting off the entire top of his head.

The Lane County Holstein Breeders association was organized at a meeting in Eugene.

The state fire marshal will make an investigation of the recent fire at Oregon City, which destroyed property to the value of \$75,000.

Oregon Duroc-Jersey breeders from all sections of Marion county gathered at Salem Saturday for the annual picnic of the organization.

The public service commission has increased from 10 to 25 per cent the rates of the Idaho Power company for electric service in Oregon.

A force of 128 men is at work in the river bottoms of Lane and Linn counties, cutting balm, or cottonwood, for the manufacture of excelsior.

The first forest fire of the season in the north end of Jackson county has started in the timber on the head of Kane's creek, south of Gold Hill.

Seven persons were injured and property valued at \$50,000 destroyed in a fire that swept Halfway, a mining town 37 miles southeast of Baker.

Eight events will be contested in the first of a series of three firemen's tournaments to be held by the departments of Albany, Corvallis and Lebanon.

Sixteen cows registered in the Smith-Umpqua cow testing association produced more than 40 pounds of butter fat each during the month of March.

Marshall's armory, built with local, county and state funds, was dedicated Friday with a grand military ball given by the second company, Coast Artillery.

The 26th annual convention of the Oregon Federation of Women's clubs closed at Enterprise, after one of the most delightful gatherings of its history.

The annual Union livestock show is pronounced the best one ever held in Union county. A feature was a daily golf game between Boise and Spokane teams.

When the various units of the Oregon National Guard are recruited to their full strength there will be distributed annually \$100,000 of federal money.

On Saturday and Sunday, June 19

and 20, Salem will be host to about 500 motorcycle enthusiasts, representing practically every motorcycle club in the northwest.

Lane county has 2367 farms, of which 1889 are occupied by the owners and 478 are rented, according to the summary of assessments in the office of the county assessor.

The date for the annual encampment of the Wheeler County Pioneer association has been set for July 15-18 at the Julia Henderson grounds, 12 miles south of Fossil.

Representative Hawley has nominated three cadets to Annapolis naval academy as follows: Wallace Walsh, Newport; George Winfield Scott, Yamhill, and Ralph E. Wilson, Salem.

A corner's jury at Corvallis has decided that Ludwig B. Elle, whose body was found hanging to a tree on the Oregon Agricultural college campus, hanged himself while insane.

Audit of the books of O. P. Hoff, state treasurer, in the recent grand jury investigation of his office, cost \$3600, according to figures presented to the state emergency board.

With the exception of a short stretch of a few yards where a sharp turn was cut off, the pavement on the Pacific highway between Eugene and Junction City has been completed.

After four days and nights chiefly given over the transaction of business of the organization, the Oregon State Grange concluded its 47th annual convention at Bend Saturday.

George T. Baldwin, state senator and delegate-elect to the democratic national convention, died at Klamath Falls. He had been ill ten days. Death was due to uremic poisoning. He was 85 years of age.

The taxpayers of seven school districts in the western part of Lane county will vote at the annual school meeting in each district June 21 on the question of establishing a union high school at Florence.

George L. Burt, the California potato broker, has notified the Bend Commercial club that no effort will be made to develop lands until an understanding has been reached regarding the employment of Japanese.

The halibut banks off Yaquina bay, discovered in 1912, are now laden with halibut. The fishing schooner Empire, in charge of Captain Anderson, arrived at Newport with 14,000 pounds of fish following two days' fishing.

With a view of exterminating coyotes between the John Day and Deschutes rivers by formation of a trapping district, Professor O. N. Nelson, in charge of the sheep department at Oregon Agricultural college will visit Antelope June 19.

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the higher educational measure, elementary school bill, blind institution act and soldiers', sailors' and marines' educational aid law, at the recent special election in Oregon, according to figures compiled.

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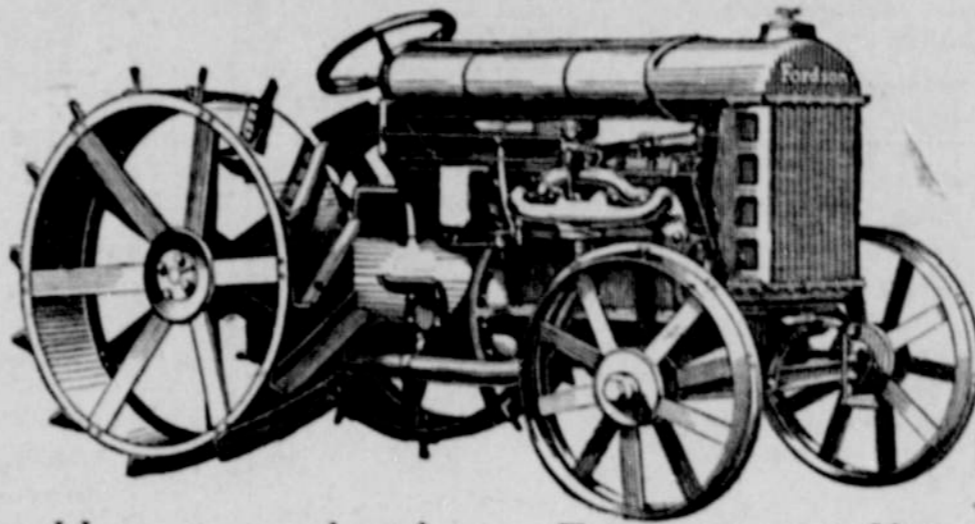
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Will H. Bennett, state superintendent of banks, was elected chairman of the state irrigation securities commission. Percy Cupper, state engineer, was named secretary of the body. Attorney-General Brown is the third member of the commission.

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