

**Christensen Endorses Cooperative Marketing**

"Ten million dollars worth of wool was marketed through ninety-one cooperative marketing associations in the United States last year," said Chris L. Christensen, chief of the Division of Cooperative Marketing of the Department of Agriculture, and nationally known as an agricultural economist, in addressing the California Wool Growers association in San Francisco on November 5th.

"The Pacific Cooperative Wool Growers association, with members in Oregon, Washington, Idaho, Nevada and California, is an example of the successful growers' association, and is one of the largest successful cooperative wool marketing associations in the United States," he said. He named the Ohio Wool Growers association as also having handled large amounts of wool on the cooperative plan.

The "Pacific," which has been in existence six years, last year handled twenty-five per cent of all the wool sold through farmers cooperative wool marketing associations during that year. In addition to its Portland and San Francisco warehouses, the association maintains sales offices in Boston and Philadelphia.

Mr. Christensen visited the Portland warehouse of the association on November 1st in connection with a field trip he is making over the United States, inspecting present cooperatives. He inspected the equipment for handling wool, and the methods of operation, and pronounced the organization in excellent shape to handle its members' wool. He expressed satisfaction with the sound and efficient way that its business is being carried on and the prices it has returned to members during its years of operation.

making extensive improvements at Lexington. The new Clarks Canyon market road coming into town just below the depot, required a new concrete bridge across the creek, this bridge having just been completed under the supervision of John Louy. The crew is now at work on another concrete bridge across Blackhorse canyon just east of the city limits. Grading operations are moving rapidly on the Clarks Canyon road, and the Blackhorse market road will also be graded. It is thought the Lexington-Butter creek road will also be graded while the big county crew is located here. This road work will be a great help to local men, for it is the policy of the county court to give local men the preference in employment on road work.

Herman Hill drove up from Portland on election day in time to vote. He was accompanied by his mother and Freeman and Lucille Hill, also his cousin Darrel Sutton. Freeman is attending Washington high school and Lucille is attending Glennhaven grade school. Herman intends to specialize in abstract and title insurance work in Portland, having resigned as deputy county clerk the first of the month. Mrs. Hill will remain in Portland until the holiday vacation when she expects to return to Lexington. W. O. Hill will continue to "batch" until her return.

N. Seaman and son of Irrigon were visitors here on Saturday, driving up from the Irrigon project through the big rain. Mr. Seaman, who has been the depot agent at Irrigon for many years, is also much interested in the production of melons and vegetables at that point. He reports a fairly good year for the growers in the association. The younger Seaman is engaged in the garage business at Irrigon.

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**ORIGINAL ESTIMATE AND ACCOUNTING SHEET**  
**SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. ONE**

This original estimate shows in parallel columns the unit costs 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 allowances and expenditures for six months of the current year. ("Six months of the current year" means six months of the 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	Expenditures for last of three-year period	Second year	First Year
<b>PERSONAL SERVICE:</b>						
Superintendent	\$ 2,800.00	\$ 1,400.00	\$ 1,400.00	\$ 2,800.00		
Principal, High School	1,900.00	950.00	950.00	1,900.00		
Principal, Grade School	1,600.00	800.00	800.00	1,600.00		
Teachers, High School, 5	6,525.00	3,262.50	3,262.50	6,525.00		
Teachers, Grade School, 4	4,500.00	2,250.00	2,250.00	4,500.00		
Teachers, 3	3,510.00	1,755.00	1,755.00	3,510.00		
Teachers, 1	1,215.00	607.50	607.50	1,215.00		
Janitor	1,500.00	750.00	750.00	1,500.00		
Clerk	200.00	100.00	100.00	200.00		
<b>Total—Personal Services</b>	<b>\$23,750.00</b>	<b>\$12,065.33</b>	<b>\$12,065.33</b>	<b>\$22,175.31</b>	<b>\$22,175.31</b>	<b>\$21,674.93</b>
<b>MATERIAL AND SUPPLIES:</b>						
Furniture (desks, etc.)	\$ 150.00	\$ 75.00	\$ 75.00	\$ 150.00		
Supplies (chalk, etc.)	600.00	300.00	300.00	600.00		
Library books	200.00	100.00	100.00	200.00		
Flags	19.00	9.50	9.50	19.00		
Playground equipment	150.00	75.00	75.00	150.00		
Janitor's supplies	300.00	150.00	150.00	300.00		
Fuel	1,300.00	650.00	650.00	1,300.00		
Light and water	375.00	187.50	187.50	375.00		
Postage and stationery	100.00	50.00	50.00	100.00		
<b>Total—Material and Supplies</b>	<b>\$ 3,085.00</b>	<b>\$ 1,542.50</b>	<b>\$ 1,542.50</b>	<b>\$ 3,085.00</b>	<b>\$ 3,085.00</b>	<b>\$ 2,983.15</b>
<b>MAINTENANCE AND REPAIRS:</b>						
Buildings and grounds	\$ 700.00	\$ 350.00	\$ 350.00	\$ 700.00		
<b>Total—Maintenance and Repairs</b>	<b>\$ 700.00</b>	<b>\$ 350.00</b>	<b>\$ 350.00</b>	<b>\$ 700.00</b>	<b>\$ 700.00</b>	<b>\$ 683.15</b>
<b>INDEBTEDNESS:</b>						
Bonded, and interest thereon	\$ 4,000.00	\$ 3,077.50	\$ 3,077.50	\$ 4,000.00		
All other indebtedness and interest thereon	2,527.80	1,263.90	1,263.90	2,527.80		
<b>Total—Indebtedness</b>	<b>\$ 6,527.80</b>	<b>\$ 4,341.40</b>	<b>\$ 4,341.40</b>	<b>\$ 6,527.80</b>	<b>\$ 6,527.80</b>	<b>\$ 6,527.80</b>
<b>INSURANCE:</b>						
Insurance	\$ 100.00	\$ 50.00	\$ 50.00	\$ 100.00		
<b>Total—Insurance</b>	<b>\$ 100.00</b>	<b>\$ 50.00</b>	<b>\$ 50.00</b>	<b>\$ 100.00</b>	<b>\$ 100.00</b>	<b>\$ 98.66</b>
<b>MISCELLANEOUS:</b>						
Miscellaneous	\$ 75.00	\$ 37.50	\$ 37.50	\$ 75.00		
<b>Total—Miscellaneous</b>	<b>\$ 75.00</b>	<b>\$ 37.50</b>	<b>\$ 37.50</b>	<b>\$ 75.00</b>	<b>\$ 75.00</b>	<b>\$ 73.64</b>
<b>EMERGENCY:</b>						
Emergency	\$ 500.00	\$ 250.00	\$ 250.00	\$ 500.00		
<b>Total—Emergency</b>	<b>\$ 500.00</b>	<b>\$ 250.00</b>	<b>\$ 250.00</b>	<b>\$ 500.00</b>	<b>\$ 500.00</b>	<b>\$ 486.43</b>
<b>GRAND-TOTAL</b>	<b>\$32,210.00</b>	<b>\$16,108.70</b>	<b>\$16,108.70</b>	<b>\$31,361.32</b>	<b>\$31,361.32</b>	<b>\$30,729.00</b>

I, Vawter Crawford, do hereby certify that the above estimate of expenditures for the year 1926-1927 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.

VAWTER CRAWFORD, District Clerk.

## NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that there will be a meeting of the Levying Board of Morrow County, Oregon, at the Court House in Heppner, Oregon, on the 1st day of December 1926, when and where the estimates arrived at by the Budget Committee of Morrow County, Oregon, hereinafter set forth, may be discussed with the Levying Board, and when and where any person who shall be subject to such tax levy, shall be heard in favor of or against said tax levy or any part thereof.

Dated at Heppner, Oregon, this 4th day of November, 1926.

R. L. BENGE, County Judge.  
G. A. BLEAKMAN, Commissioner.  
L. P. DAVIDSON, Commissioner.

### Estimate and Accounting Sheet

This estimate and accounting sheet is made in compliance with Chapter 118, General Laws of Oregon for 1921, and shows in parallel columns the unit cost of the several services, materials and supplies for the three years next preceding the current year, the detailed expenditures for the last one of the said preceding years, and the budget allowance and expenditures for the six months of the current year, also the budget estimate for the year 1927:

Department or Officer	Estimated '27 Expenditures	Expended 6 Months 1926	Budget 1926	Expended 1925	Expended 1924	Expended 1923
<b>COUNTY JUDGE</b>						
Salary	\$ 1,600.00	\$ 800.00	\$ 1,600.00	\$ 1,600.00	\$ 1,600.00	\$ 1,600.00
Expense	50.00		50.00			
<b>COUNTY CLERK</b>						
Salary	2,000.00	1,000.00	2,000.00			

Deputy	1,320.00			1,320.00		
Books, Blanks	800.00	905.66	800.00	3,729.53	3,893.89	4,127.31
<b>COUNTY SHERIFF</b>						
Salary	2,000.00	1,000.00	2,000.00	5,112.08	5,426.77	4,632.45
Deputies	2,460.00		2,460.00			
Travel expense	500.00		500.00			
Incidentals	250.00	1,694.12	250.00			
<b>COUNTY TREASURER</b>						
Salary	1,000.00	500.00	1,000.00			
Books, blanks	250.00	15.02	250.00	1,116.66	1,120.40	1,168.55
<b>COUNTY ASSESSOR</b>						
Salary	1,600.00	800.00	1,600.00			
Deputy	1,200.00	600.00	1,200.00			
Extension	150.00		150.00			
Books, blanks	300.00		300.00			
Field work	1,200.00		1,200.00			
Incidentals	100.00	669.19	100.00	4,578.39	4,346.10	4,310.02
<b>SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT</b>						
Salary	1,600.00	800.00	1,600.00			
Travel expense	450.00		450.00			
Books, blanks	100.00		100.00			
Incidentals	100.00	535.36	100.00	2,611.24	2,281.08	2,481.48
<b>COUNTY CORONER</b>						
Fees, mileage	300.00		300.00	152.00	83.85	299.94
<b>COUNTY COMMISSIONERS</b>						
Fees, died, mileage	1,250.00	706.86	1,200.00	1,252.54	1,012.33	736.92
<b>COUNTY SURVEYOR</b>						
Fees, expense	100.00	16.11	100.00	30.34	88.67	150.42
<b>ACCOUNTANTS</b>						
Audit of books	350.00	250.00	350.00	312.50	450.00	600.00
<b>CURRENT EXPENSE</b>						
Telegrams, telephone, stationery, postage	700.00	277.79	700.00	622.90	533.77	631.66
<b>TAX COLLECTION</b>						
Books and blanks	600.00	349.00	600.00	509.75	225.27	620.41
<b>JAIL</b>						
Board and expense	300.00	154.75	300.00	470.72	733.39	161.17
<b>ELECTIONS</b>						
Expense	2,000.00	647.00	2,000.00	758.16	1,632.95	644.25
<b>INDIGENT SOLDIERS</b>						
Relief	100.00		100.00			3.60
<b>COURT HOUSE</b>						
Salary, janitor	960.00	480.00	960.00			
Fuel	1,000.00		1,000.00			
Light and water	600.00		600.00			
Incidentals	500.00		500.00			
Renovating	1,500.00	486.02		3,049.85	2,954.18	3,713.74
<b>CARE OF POOR</b>						
Expense	2,500.00	1,072.78	2,500.00	2,535.31	1,831.62	1,928.22
<b>COUNTY PHYSICIAN</b>						
Salary	120.00	60.00	120.00	120.00	120.00	120.00
<b>INSANE</b>						
Expense	100.00	5.00	100.00	85.80		60.55
<b>WIDOWS PENSION</b>						
Expense	1,500.00	240.00	1,500.00	832.50	1,390.00	1,542.50
<b>CIRCUIT COURT</b>						
Witnesses, Jurors	1,000.00		1,000.00			
Reporter's fees	100.00		100.00			
Bailiff's fees	100.00		100.00			
Meals	100.00		100.00			
Special Counsel	100.00		100.00			
Incidentals	100.00	450.25	100.00	685.69	2,210.28	989.85
<b>JUSTICE COURT</b>						
Fees, witnesses, and jurors	250.00	85.72	200.00	227.55	477.61	214.87
<b>DISTRICT ATTORNEY</b>						
Expense	200.00	95.67	200.00	96.01	102.81	259.10
<b>COUNTY AGENT</b>						
Appropriation	2,550.00	1,250.00	2,500.00	2,500.00	2,575.00	2,475.00
<b>TAX REBATE</b>						
Rebate	100.00	67.31		1,444.75		
<b>DISTRICT SEALER</b>						
Appropriation	117.00	64.71	117.00	114.57	88.55	116.85
<b>WATERMASTER</b>						
Appropriation	422.00	258.77	395.00	344.05	180.35	163.13
<b>SCHOOL LIBRARY</b>						
State Books	200.00		200.00	196.51	174.70	207.28
<b>COUNTY INSTITUTE</b>						
Expense	200.00		200.00	150.00		200.00
<b>MISCELLANEOUS</b>						
Overseer	1,200.00	525.00	900.00			
Bonds	420.00	180.50	420.00			
Insurance	385.00	400.50	440.00			
Incidentals	80.00		80.00	1,182.00		1,387.50
<b>EMERGENCY FUND</b>						
Emergencies	5,000.00	1,072.14	5,000.00	302.16	692.36	1,507.16
<b>COUNTY SCHOOL</b>						
Per capita	17,500.00		17,500.00			
<b>HIGH SCHOOL TUITION</b>						
Tuition	7,000.00		7,000.00			
<b>MARKET ROAD</b>						
To meet state	16,622.00	35,403.31	16,509.00			
<b>ROAD BONDS</b>						
Interest	26,890.00		20,000.00			
<b>ROAD BONDS</b>						
Sinking Fund	41,555.00		41,300.00			
<b>ROADS &amp; HIGHWAYS</b>						
Repairs, building, labor, machinery	25,000.00		25,000.00			
<b>COUNTY ROADMASTER</b>						
Salary	2,000.00	1,000.00	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,000.00
<b>BRIDGES</b>						