

# The Way of Life

## by BRUCE BARTON

### TOO MANY POSSESSIONS

I know a man who has made a great deal of money. Having a high sense of obligation to his associates and his job, he continues to work hard.

But he feels that it is incumbent upon him to show that he is prosperous and, as he expresses it, "get some enjoyment out of his wealth."

So he has built himself a big house in the city, another near the seashore and a third in the mountains. He has a yacht, with a crew of twenty-five men.

Surely, you would say, he must be very happy, having everything that his heart could desire.

My personal observation is that he has too much, and for that reason actually gets less pleasure out of living than he did when he was poor.

I have never seen him seriously worried about his great business. But I have seen him waste an hour on the telephone fretting over something that had gone wrong on his boat.

He can make a decision involving millions without winking an eyelash. But when his prize bull got sick he was out of business for a couple of days, while he telegraphed all over the country for specialists, and received hourly bulletins.

Another man, having no children, keeps two prize dogs which are so valuable that he insists on taking

them with him everywhere. I went with him once on a pleasure trip in an automobile. It may have been a pleasure trip for the dogs; it was agony for me. About every twenty miles we had to stop to attend to the little darlings. They fretted my friend much more than Coolidge was ever fretted by the operations of the entire United States.

I have never been one of those who write disparagingly of money. It is magic stuff. It can smooth rough roads, banish fears, and transform human lives.

But I hope that as I grow older, I may have sense enough to live in a smaller house, after my children leave, rather than build a big house. That I may be blessed with the wisdom that only he who simplifies his possessions can really reduce worries.

The rich young man who went to Jesus received a hard answer. "Go, sell all that thou hast and give to the poor," he was told.

From this it is often assumed that true religion demands poverty of its followers—a wrong idea, as is proved by the fact that Jesus had other wealthy friends from whom He demanded no such sacrifice.

The trouble with the rich young man was not that he had too much money, but that he had "great possessions." Worrying about his possessions so absorbed him that he was no good for anything else.

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# THE FAMILY DOCTOR

## By JOHN JOSEPH GAINES, M.D.

### Experiences

I once visited the operating-room of a very noted hospital in Baltimore. The patient on the table had a small tumor or "lump" in her left breast. The surgeon talked softly at he divided the delicate tissues on his way to the offender, which he finally removed, and closed the wound.

"These things are not malignant," he murmured, "and this would never have given her trouble—did not need surgery, but she had read a lot of stuff—it was on her nerves; just had to have it out or go crazy" and so on.

I had not been home ten days, when a young woman patron came into my office, with the same identical condition—a lump in her breast; somebody had told her those things were always cancerous—what did I think?

"Mary," I advised, "let it alone and quit being anxious; just you come in once a month for a while, and I'll tell you what to do." She obeyed to the letter. I asked her ten days ago about the matter; the

offender had disappeared—had not been felt for over two years. Hasty removal of the breast might have been disastrous, as the next case proves.

Over twenty years ago, a young wife discovered such a tumor in her breast. Much alarmed, she employed a "hit and run" surgeon, who removed the entire breast, and all the glands above it, though they were not enlarged—a capital operation.

Fifteen years later, she went to the most noted surgeon in our western country; one of the most capable and conservative operators in the country. He told the woman she was a permanent invalid, skin and bone-incurable—and that the hasty and unwise removal of her breast had caused it! In other words, she might be well and happy today, had the breast been let alone.

She had been dead now, more than a year. My moral is, don't do your own diagnosing of lumps that may appear in your breast. Consult your honest, capable family physician, who has your very interest in his heart. And this means in tumors of your breast; they may be dangerous, but happily not always.

### NOTICE OF SCHOOL MEETING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the legal voters of School District No. One of Morrow County, State of Oregon, that a SCHOOL MEETING of said District will be held at Council Chambers, Heppner, Oregon, on the 27th day of December, 1929, at 2:00 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 17, 1929, and ending June 16, 1930, 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 RECEIPTS	
Balance on hand at beginning of school year (third Monday in June) for which this budget is made (O. D.)	\$ 295.36
From county school fund	4,502.32
From state school fund	1,252.56
From elementary school fund	3,262.98
From tuition for pupils below high school	275.00
From county high school tuition fund for tuition and transportation	2,263.98
Receipts from all other sources:	
Delinquent taxes	8,000.00
Other sources	46.54
<b>Total estimated receipts</b>	<b>\$19,308.62</b>

GENERAL CONTROL	ESTIMATED EXPENDITURES	
	Elementary	High School
<b>GENERAL CONTROL</b>		
Personal service:		
Superintendent	150.00	150.00
Clerk	150.00	150.00
Stenographers and other office assistants	100.00	100.00
Supplies	100.00	100.00
Elections and publicity	50.00	50.00
Legal service (clerk's bond, audit, etc.)	75.00	75.00
<b>Total Expense of General Control</b>	<b>\$ 1,325.00</b>	<b>\$ 1,225.00</b>
<b>INSTRUCTION—Supervision</b>		
Personal service:		
Principals	1,750.00	2,000.00
Stenographers and other office assistants	100.00	100.00
Supplies, principals and supervisors	50.00	50.00
<b>Total Expense, Supervision</b>	<b>\$ 1,900.00</b>	<b>\$ 2,150.00</b>
<b>INSTRUCTION—Teaching</b>		
Personal service:		
Teachers	8,235.00	8,260.00
Supplies (chalk, paper, etc.)	250.00	250.00
Textbooks (desk copies and indigents)	25.00	25.00
<b>Total Expense of Teaching</b>	<b>\$ 8,510.00</b>	<b>\$ 8,535.00</b>
<b>OPERATION OF PLANT</b>		
Personal service:		
Janitors and other employes	1,080.00	1,080.00
Janitors' supplies	150.00	150.00
Fuel	350.00	350.00
Light and power	150.00	150.00
Water	150.00	150.00
Telephone and Transfer	50.00	50.00
<b>Total Expense of Operation</b>	<b>\$ 1,930.00</b>	<b>\$ 1,930.00</b>
<b>MAINTENANCE AND REPAIRS</b>		
Repair and replacement of furniture and equipment		75.00
Repair and maintenance of buildings and grounds	200.00	200.00
<b>Total Expense of Maintenance and Repairs</b>	<b>\$ 200.00</b>	<b>\$ 275.00</b>
<b>AUXILIARY AGENCIES</b>		
Library:		
Personal service (librarian, etc.)	70.00	70.00
Library books	300.00	300.00
<b>Total Expense of Auxiliary Agencies</b>	<b>\$ 370.00</b>	<b>\$ 370.00</b>
<b>FIXED CHARGES</b>		
Insurance	125.00	125.00
<b>Total Fixed Charges</b>	<b>\$ 125.00</b>	<b>\$ 125.00</b>
<b>CAPITAL OUTLAYS</b>		
New furniture and equipment	500.00	500.00
<b>Total Capital Outlays</b>	<b>\$ 500.00</b>	<b>\$ 500.00</b>
<b>DEBT SERVICE</b>		
Principal on bonds		2,000.00
Principal on warrants		1,947.83
Principal on other indebtedness		7,089.74
Interest on bonds		2,750.00
Interest on warrants		359.87
Interest on other indebtedness		227.34
<b>Total Debt Service</b>		<b>\$14,384.78</b>
<b>EMERGENCY</b>		<b>\$ 500.00</b>

RECAPITULATION	
Total estimated expenses for the year	\$44,744.78
Total estimated receipts, not including proposed tax	19,308.62
<b>Balance, amount to be raised by district tax</b>	<b>\$25,436.78</b>

SUMMARY OF ESTIMATED EXPENDITURES	
For school year from June 17, 1929, to June 16, 1930.	
Personal service	\$24,735.00
Supplies	1,100.00
Maintenance and repairs	475.00
Debt service	14,384.78
Miscellaneous	2,550.00
Construction	1,000.00
Emergency	500.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$44,744.78</b>
<b>INDEBTEDNESS</b>	
Amount of bonded indebtedness	\$53,000.00
Amount of warrant indebtedness on warrants issued and endorsed "not paid for lack of funds"	5,790.00
Amount of other indebtedness	899.74
<b>Total indebtedness</b>	<b>\$59,689.74</b>

Dated this 29th day of November, 1929.  
Attest: VAWTER CRAWFORD, District Clerk. CHAS. THOMSON, Chairman, Board of Directors

### HARDMAN.

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## ORIGINAL ESTIMATE AND ACCOUNTING SHEET

### SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. ONE

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 allowances and expenditures for six months of the current year. ("Six months of the current year" means six months of the last school year.)

### EXPENDITURES

ITEM	Estimated Expenditures for the ensuing school year		Expenditures and budget allowances for six months of last year		Expenditures for three fiscal years next preceding the last school year	
	Exp'ditures for the ensuing school year	Exp'ditures in detail	Budget allowance in detail	Exp'ditures for last of three-year period	Second Year	First year
<b>GENERAL CONTROL</b>						
Personal service:						
Superintendent	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 1,500.00	\$ 1,500.00	\$ 3,000.00		
Clerk	300.00	100.00	100.00	200.00		
Stenographers and other office assistants	400.00	257.50	180.00	515.00		
Supplies	200.00					
Elections and publicity	100.00			50.00		
Legal service (clerk's bond, audit, etc.)	150.00					
<b>Total Expense of General Control</b>	<b>\$ 4,150.00</b>	<b>\$ 1,857.50</b>	<b>\$ 1,780.00</b>	<b>\$ 3,765.00</b>		
<b>INSTRUCTION—Supervision</b>						
Personal service:						
Principals—High School	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 832.50	\$ 832.50	\$ 1,665.00		
Grade School	1,750.00	822.50	822.50	1,645.00		
Supplies—General	100.00	232.83	300.00	465.67		
<b>Total Expense of Supervision</b>	<b>\$ 3,850.00</b>	<b>\$ 1,887.83</b>	<b>\$ 1,955.00</b>	<b>\$ 3,775.67</b>		
<b>INSTRUCTION—Teaching</b>						
Personal service:						
Teachers—High School	\$ 6,760.00	\$ 3,307.50	\$ 3,307.50	\$ 6,615.00		
Grade School	8,235.00	4,117.50	4,117.50	8,235.00		
Supplies	500.40	232.83	300.00	465.67		
Textbooks (desk copies and indigents)	50.00					
<b>Total Expense of Teaching</b>	<b>\$15,545.40</b>	<b>\$ 7,757.83</b>	<b>\$ 7,725.00</b>	<b>\$15,315.67</b>	<b>\$22,375.00</b>	<b>\$22,250.00</b>
<b>OPERATION OF PLANT</b>						
Personal service:						
Janitors and other employes	\$ 2,160.00	\$ 1,194.50	\$ 750.00	\$ 2,389.00		
Janitors' supplies	300.00	396.50	150.00	793.00		
Fuel	700.00	559.30	450.00	1,118.60		
Light and power	300.00	120.90	187.50	241.79		
Water	300.00	115.00	50.00	230.00		
Telephone, transfer, etc.	100.00	100.50	100.00	100.49		
<b>Total Expense of Operation</b>	<b>\$ 3,860.00</b>	<b>\$ 2,486.70</b>	<b>\$ 1,687.50</b>	<b>\$ 4,872.78</b>	<b>\$ 5,688.00</b>	<b>\$ 4,385.00</b>
<b>MAINTENANCE AND REPAIRS</b>						
Repair and replacement of furniture and equipment	\$ 75.00	\$ 507.23	\$ 250.00	\$ 1,014.45		
Repair and maintenance of buildings and grounds	400.00	290.58		581.17		
<b>Total Expense of Maintenance and Repairs</b>	<b>\$ 475.00</b>	<b>\$ 797.81</b>	<b>\$ 250.00</b>	<b>\$ 1,595.62</b>	<b>\$ 3,890.00</b>	<b>\$ 700.00</b>
<b>AUXILIARY AGENCIES</b>						
Library:						
Personal service (librarian, etc.)	\$ 140.00					
Library books	600.00	113.59	125.00	227.18		
<b>Total Expense Auxiliary Agencies</b>	<b>\$ 740.00</b>	<b>\$ 113.59</b>	<b>\$ 125.00</b>	<b>\$ 227.18</b>		
<b>FIXED CHARGES</b>						
Insurance	\$ 250.00	\$ 57.50	\$ 60.00	\$ 115.00		
<b>Total Fixed Charges</b>	<b>\$ 250.00</b>	<b>\$ 57.50</b>	<b>\$ 60.00</b>	<b>\$ 115.00</b>	<b>\$ 490.00</b>	<b>\$ 100.00</b>
<b>CAPITAL OUTLAYS</b>						
Alteration of buildings (not repairs)	\$ 1,000.00					
<b>Total Capital Outlays</b>	<b>\$ 1,000.00</b>					
<b>DEBT SERVICE</b>						
Principal on bonds	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 500.00	\$ 500.00	\$ 1,000.00		
Principal on warrants	1,947.83	675.00	675.00			