

Farmers Have Big Stake in Present Inflation Control

While most unprocessed farm products are excluded, for the time being at least, from the general price ceilings established by the government, farmers and rural families in general have an important stake in the present nation-wide drive to control inflation, according to W. L. Teutsch, assistant director of the extension service.

Mr. Teutsch and other officials of the extension service are now organizing the extension forces to carry out the assignment of the secretary of agriculture to carry information on the anti-inflation program to every rural family in the state. Almost the entire county extension personnel was on the Oregon State campus the first week in June in connection with the 4-H club summer session. This made it possible without extra travel to call the entire staff together to consider the inflation control informational campaign.

The price control program is expected to help farmers to produce the record quantity of food, oil crops, and fiber crops that is needed to win the war. It will affect every member of the farm family by helping hold living costs stable.

Farmers in the first world war saw prices of wheat, cotton, and hogs soar to extreme heights, which unnatural condition led many farmers to go into debt to acquire more land to raise more of these high priced crops. When the price spree ended in the early twenties, the index of farm prices dropped from 244 to 113 in a single year, the federal records show. Whereas in 1920 it took only four bushels of corn to pay the interest and taxes on an average mortgaged acre of land in the corn belt, a year later it took 12 bushels. Much the same condition existed in wheat-growing regions.

To prevent a repetition of this "boom and bust" cycle is one of the objectives of the price control program, says Teutsch. Industry, labor, and agriculture are all being enlisted in the price stabilization program, according to the national plans.

Oregon 'Going Over Top' for Iron, Steel

Salem.—With already a total of 31,000 tons of scrap iron and steel sent into war production activities, Oregon again is "going over the top," said Claude I. Sersanous, Portland, state salvage committee chairman, on his return to Oregon from attending a western states conference of the War Production board, bureau of industrial conservation, last week in San Francisco.

"All of Oregon's 36 counties are organized now," continued Sersanous, "with chairmen and committees actively engaged in this great endeavor, with more than 1500 total membership."

"Oregon is leading the way in being the first state in the west to have all its county organizations completed and functioning. Among those states represented at the conference were California, Washington, Idaho, Utah, Montana, Wyoming, Colorado, Nevada, New Mexico, and Arizona."

"One of the main features of the conference was the declaration that the west coast would see a decided change in so-called 'auto graveyards' within the next 60 days with millions of tons of available scrap metals going into war production from those sources."

"It was announced that Uncle Sam has taken over his third auto-graveyard in the country the last being that of the Lenox Motor company of Colmar Manor, Maryland. The owner refused to sell his jalopies and rejected offers which the bureau considered fair, as was the case in two other instances since the salvage program got under way."

"Scrap purchasers," said Sersanous, "have been instructed to report to the bureau, any instances of refusal to sell by graveyard operators. In such cases an investigation is made and where it is deemed necessary, requisitioning procedure follows. When the bureau is forced to resort to its requisitioning power, the entire stock of cars, including all parts, is taken from the auto-graveyard operator or dealer."

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 the said district will be held at City Hall on the 15th day of June, 1942, at 2 o'clock p.m., for the purpose of discussing the budget for the fiscal school year, beginning July 1, 1942, and ending June 30, 1943, hereinafter set forth, and to vote on the proposition of levying a district tax.

BUDGET			
Schedule I—Estimated Receipts and Available Cash Balances			
	Total All Funds	General Fund	Bond Interest and Sinking Fund
*1. Estimated available Cash Balance or Deficit at beginning of fiscal year for which this budget is made (Add Cash Balance—Deduct Deficit)	\$ -573.80	\$ 1,704.51	\$ -2,278.31
*2. Estimated Receipts from Delinquent Taxes during fiscal year for which this budget is made	1,573.80		
3. Estimated Receipts from Vocational Education (Smith-Hughes)	1,170.00		
*4. Estimated Receipts from County School Fund	2,800.00		
*5. Estimated Receipts from Elementary School Fund	2,300.00		
*6. Estimated Receipts from State Irreducible School Fund	375.21		
*7. Estimated Receipts from High School Tuition	4,425.00		
*8. Estimated Receipts from Elementary Tuition	3,060.00		
9. Estimated Receipts from High School Transportation	3,500.00		
13. Estimated Receipts from Rentals	480.00		
14. Estimated Receipts from Sales of Supplies, Property, or Equipment	180.00		
*16. Estimated Total Receipts and Available Cash Balance or Deficit	\$19,210.21		

Schedule II—General Fund—Estimated Expenditures									
ITEM	Elementary Schools	High Schools	Estimated Expenditures for the Ensuing School Year	Expenditures & Budget Allowance for Six Months of Current School Year		Expenditures for Three Fiscal Years Next Preceding the Current School Year			
				Expenditures in Detail	Budget Allowance in Detail	Detailed Expenditures for the Last Year of the Three-yr. Period	Second Year (Give Yearly Totals)	First Year (Give Yearly Totals)	
I. GENERAL CONTROL									
1. Personal service:									
* (1) Superintendent	\$ 615.00	\$ 615.00	\$ 1,230.00	\$ 649.98	\$ 650.00	\$ 1,300.00			
* (2) Clerk	125.00	125.00	250.00	125.00	125.00	250.00			
(3) Stenographers and other office assistants	285.00	285.00	570.00	195.75	225.00	300.00			
* (4) Compulsory education and census	10.00	10.00	20.00		10.00	20.00			
(5) Other service	50.00	50.00	100.00	40.10	40.00	31.46			
2. Supplies	70.00	70.00	140.00	28.04	70.00	126.22			
3. Elections and publicity	50.00	50.00	100.00	20.45	50.00	100.00			
*4. Legal service (clerk's bond, audit, etc.)	40.00	40.00	80.00	87.50	40.00	80.00			
6. Total Expense of General Control	\$ 1,245.00	\$ 1,245.00	\$ 2,490.00	\$ 1,146.82	\$ 1,210.00	\$ 2,454.37	\$ 2,392.61	\$ 2,348.66	
II. INSTRUCTION—Supervision									
1. Personal service:									
*1. Principals	120.00	120.00	240.00	137.50	137.50	250.00			
2. Supervisors	400.00	400.00	800.00	433.33	433.33	600.00			
2. Supplies, principals and supervisors	30.00	30.00	60.00	42.67	30.00	49.62			
4. Other expense of supervision						6.73			
*5. Total Expense, Supervision	\$ 550.00	\$ 550.00	\$ 1,100.00	\$ 613.50	\$ 600.83	\$ 906.35	\$ 919.45	\$ 524.00	
III. INSTRUCTION—Teaching									
Personal service:									
* (1) Teachers	\$11,375.00	\$ 8,730.00	\$20,105.00	\$ 8,882.30	\$ 8,687.91	\$17,814.45			
(2) Smith-Hughes Agriculture, Home Economics		1,170.00	1,170.00	531.25	531.25	180.43			
(3) Smith-Hughes Transportation		230.00	230.00	37.05	115.00	246.48			
(4) Librarian	100.00	550.00	650.00	220.00	247.50	246.48			
*2. Library supplies, repairs	10.00	10.00	20.00	13.10	7.50	897.55			
*3. Supplies (chalk, paper, etc.)	405.00	405.00	810.00	504.47	365.00	614.29			
*4. Textbooks	300.00	400.00	700.00	711.80	350.00	614.29			
7. Total Expense of Teaching	\$12,190.00	\$11,595.00	\$23,685.00	\$10,899.97	\$10,304.16	\$19,753.20	\$19,500.83	\$18,000.36	
IV. OPERATION OF PLANT									
Personal service:									
* (1) Janitors and other employees	\$ 1,130.00	\$ 1,130.00	\$ 2,260.00	\$ 1,082.78	\$ 1,006.25	\$ 1,623.00			
*2. Janitors' supplies	210.00	210.00	420.00	367.40	200.00	408.00			
*3. Fuel	400.00	400.00	800.00	472.27	395.00	708.75			
*4. Light and power	310.00	310.00	620.00	161.20	310.00	656.60			
*5. Water	100.00	100.00	200.00	43.15	110.00	161.80			
*6. Telephone	42.50	42.50	85.00	52.50	42.50	133.53			
*8. Total Expense of Operation	\$ 2,192.50	\$ 2,192.50	\$ 4,385.00	\$ 2,179.05	\$ 2,063.75	\$ 3,558.15	\$ 3,615.45	\$ 3,674.86	
V. MAINTENANCE AND REPAIRS									
*1. Repair and maintenance of furniture and equip.	\$ 125.00	\$ 125.00	\$ 250.00	\$ 361.78	\$ 200.00	\$ 146.41			
*2. Repair and maintenance of buildings and grounds	325.00	325.00	650.00	883.27	400.00	1,540.46			
*4. Total Expense of Maintenance and Repairs	\$ 450.00	\$ 450.00	\$ 900.00	\$ 1,245.05	\$ 600.00	\$ 1,686.87	\$ 1,256.28	\$ 1,952.27	
VI. AUXILIARY AGENCIES									
1. Health service:									
*1. Personal service (nurse, etc.)	\$ 30.00	\$ 30.00	\$ 60.00	\$ 32.00	\$ 25.00				
*2. Supplies and other expenses	50.00	50.00	100.00	69.10	40.00	100.00			
2. Transportation service		3,500.00	3,500.00	917.29	1,750.00	3,658.46			
3. Other auxiliary agencies:									
(2) Supplies and other expenses, Band				46.59	50.00	100.00			
(3) Hot lunch	75.00	75.00	150.00	27.17	65.00	93.49			
*4. Total Expense of Auxiliary Agencies	\$ 155.00	\$ 3,655.00	\$ 3,810.00	\$ 1,092.15	\$ 1,930.00	\$ 3,951.95	\$ 4,925.60	\$ 2,730.49	
VII. FIXED CHARGES									
*1. Insurance	\$ 70.20	\$ 70.20	\$ 140.40	\$ 37.80	\$ 300.00				
3. Other fixed charges:									
(1) Northwest Association		5.00	5.00		5.00				
(2) H. S. Act. Association		12.00	12.00						
4. Total Fixed Charges	\$ 70.20	\$ 87.20	\$ 157.40	\$ 37.80	\$ 305.00		\$ 55.00	\$ 258.80	
VIII. CAPITAL OUTLAYS									
*3. Alteration of buildings (not repairs)	\$ 200.00	\$ 200.00	\$ 400.00	\$ 421.86	\$ 250.00	\$ 999.86			
*4. New furniture, equipment and replacements	175.00	175.00	350.00	749.98	372.00	790.82			
6. Other capital outlays:									
* (1) Library books	90.00	175.00	265.00	192.82	142.50	258.25			
(2)						351.88			
*7. Total Capital Outlays	\$ 465.00	\$ 550.00	\$ 1,015.00	\$ 1,364.66	\$ 764.50	\$ 2,400.81	\$ 1,627.90	\$ 2,075.71	
IX. DEBT SERVICE									
*1. Interest on warrants				\$ 295.65	\$ 250.00	\$ 683.99			
*2. Interest on other indebtedness				\$ 295.65	\$ 250.00	16,494.17			
*3. Total Debt Service				\$ 591.30	\$ 500.00	\$ 17,178.16			
*X. EMERGENCY			\$ 1,500.00				\$14,753.45	\$17,682.54	
Total Schedule II—General Fund—Total estimated expenses for the year	\$39,042.40	\$18,874.65	\$19,028.24	\$51,889.86	\$49,046.52	\$49,342.20			

Schedule III—Bond Interest Sinking Fund			
BOND INTEREST AND SINKING FUND—Debt Service			
	Total All Funds	General Fund Total Schedule II	Bond Interest & Sinking Fund Total Schedule III
*1. Principal on bonds (include negotiable interest-bearing warrants issued under section 35-1104)	\$ 4,000.00	\$ 3,500.00	\$ 2,950.00
*2. Interest on bonds	800.00	500.00	1,000.00
*3. Total Schedule III—Debt Service	\$ 4,800.00	\$ 4,000.00	\$ 3,950.00

Schedule VI—Summary of Estimates of Expenditures, Receipts and Available Cash Balances, and Tax Levies			
ESTIMATION OF TAX LEVY	Total All Funds	General Fund Total Schedule II	Bond Interest & Sinking Fund Total Schedule III
Total estimated expenditures	\$43,842.40	\$39,042.40	\$ 4,800.00
DEDUCT:			
Total estimated receipts and available cash balances (Schedule I)	19,210.21	19,210.21	
Amount necessary to balance the budget	24,632.19	19,832.19	
Total estimated tax levies for ensuing fiscal year	\$24,632.19		
Analysis of estimated tax levies:			
Amount inside 6% limitation	\$19,832.19		
Amount outside 6% limitation	\$ 4,800.00		

Indebtedness
 Amount of bonded indebtedness (include all negotiable interest-bearing warrants issued under Section 111-1016, O. C. L. A.) \$16,000.00
 Amount of warrant indebtedness on warrants issued and endorsed "not paid for want of funds" 1,000.00
Total Indebtedness \$17,000.00

Dated this May 11th, 1942.
 Signed: EVELYN S. ISOM, CHAS. W. BARLOW,
 District Clerk. Chairman Board of Directors.

Approved by Budget Committee, May 11th, 1942.
 Signed: JOSEPH NYS, L. D. TIBBLES,
 Secretary, Budget Committee. Chairman, Budget Committee.