

# Eating Places Give Motorists Choice of Atmosphere and Price

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Where do we eat?  
The western Oregon traveler has some wonderful places from which to choose, but he makes his choice under a handicap.

The right one isn't always in the right place.

The flossy new motel groups are like clusters of mushrooms along the main highway. The promoters—big and small—have found good income in them—but there is no comparable surge in restaurants.

Also, unlike motels, outward appearances are rarely indicative of food quality, except for the general rule of cleanliness and possibly price indication.

Who is to tell which one is best?  
Filling station attendants frequently seem to be bright young family men who rarely eat out. Motel owners, however, usually can name one or two.

At other times of day, it's up to a compromise of your tiredness. Mom's headache and unhappiness over how her hair looks. Junior's hunger and the pure luck of where you happen to be when the most of you get hungry.

You'll eat too much when traveling anyway. It's a good idea to look for clean places. The cleanest, of course, frequently turn out to be expensive, and when you order the full course dinner you hate to send any of it back to the kitchen.

If you remember the first rule of traveling, you'll be happier. Don't overeat.

Unless you are going on a vacation and to stay in one place in one spot for a period of time, doing your own cooking is difficult.

Most of the beach resorts provide cottages with cooking facilities as do a goodly proportion of the inland motels which have been in existence for some time. With the new ones, however, the trend is away from kitchens. They cost more to install, and cost much to keep clean after departing travelers.

There is one new trend, only beginning to come into Oregon. That is the motel with combined restaurant. The bid is obviously for hotel trade which likes to eat good food without having to go too far for it.

One we found at Roseburg, a luxuriously beautiful place with flowers, carpets and innerspring mattresses, offers simple breakfasts in your room and room service of ice and mixers at night.

One motel on the coast has its



Author and daughter enjoy meal in modern Oregon restaurant.

own restaurant which caters only to its overnight guests. They serve only breakfasts and dinners in their "lack room."

Prices range from \$1 for ham, bacon, sausage or eggs with hot cakes, fruit juice and coffee to a top of \$2.60 for a charcoal-broiled New York steak from a grain-fed steer.

A similar breakfast at a counter in Depoe Bay was 90 cents. Hot cakes, sausages and coffee with tomato juice was 60 cents in Bend at one place, but a four-ounce glass of orange juice was 30 cents! It was frozen orange juice at that.

If you like your vitamin C fresh, we suggest you carry your own sack of oranges, rub your own thumbnail with the peeling and dribble juice on the dish towel you have providently taken along. It's almost impossible to get freshly-squeezed orange juice in restaurants.

They generally cook eggs to order, however, make their coffee carefully and always provide pasteurized milk. Most restaurants could definitely take some lessons from the milling

companies on making hot cakes, though.

Few restaurants pay much attention to needs of children beyond having a high chair handy. However, some of the best of them will serve half-portion plates at reduced prices.

Feeding the family dog, should you be foolish or soft-hearted enough to take him along, will be a problem. If you have a pan for him and an extra can of dog food or two, he should fare all right. It is amazing how cooperative waitresses are to help you take the scraps out to him.

"Interesting" eating places are scattered throughout the state, with most of them clustered in large towns.

There are always hamburgers available, with many of the roadside eating places making use of frozen food storage cabinets to assure the freshness of their meat.

And if you should happen along at the right time at the little inn at the Sea Lion caves, near Florence, perhaps there will be a hot apple pie (with ice cream, of course) fresh out of the oven.

## GRADE SCHOOL TRACK MEET

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Football Throw—Lee Palmer, Ione; Duane Baker, Ione; H. Lassness, Irrigon; J. Smith, Irrigon. Distance: 119 feet 1 inch.  
Baseball Throw—W. Gollyhorn, Ione; Darrel Ployhar, Heppner; Ivan McDaniel, Hardman; Bill Steagall, Irrigon. Distance: 241 feet 8 inches.

Shot Put—Bob Buschke, Heppner; Duane Baker, Ione; Stacey Lovgren, Heppner; Paul Barnett, Ione. Distance: 37 ft. 8 inches.

Discus—J. Ross, Irrigon; Lee Palmer, Ione; Bill Hughes, Heppner; Darrel Ployhar, Heppner. Distance: 112 ft. 3 inches.

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CLASSIFICATION	ESTIMATED EXPENDITURES		
	7-1-48 to 6-30-49	7-1-49 to 6-30-50	7-1-50 to 6-30-51
<b>PERSONAL SERVICE</b>			
Parking Meter Expense		\$ 240.00	\$ 240.00
Mayor		600.00	600.00
City Superintendent	\$ 3,600.00	4,800.00	1,135.00
City Police	3,000.00	7,500.00	4,420.00
City Recorder	360.00	360.00	360.00
City Attorney	360.00	360.00	360.00
City Treasurer	360.00	360.00	360.00
Fire Boys' Salary	500.00	500.00	600.00
	\$ 8,180.00	\$14,480.00	\$ 8,075.00
<b>MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES</b>			
Public Liability		\$ 300.00	\$ 300.00
State Compensation	\$ 150.00	200.00	200.00
Bond Premiums	150.00	175.00	100.00
Fire Equipment	500.00	500.00	500.00
Printing & Advertising	250.00	300.00	300.00
Auditing	500.00	600.00	390.00
	\$ 1,550.00	\$ 2,075.00	\$ 1,790.00
<b>PUBLIC PROPERTIES</b>			
Light	\$ 1,500.00	\$ 1,800.00	\$ 1,800.00
Streets and Bridges	20,000.00	8,000.00	10,900.00
Swimming Tank	600.00	600.00	1,200.00
Fire Insurance	575.00	300.00	150.00
Garbage Disposal	5,500.00	4,000.00	2,000.00
Building Repairs	900.00	900.00	300.00
Shop Equipment	600.00	500.00	500.00
	\$29,675.00	\$16,100.00	\$16,850.00
<b>BOND REDEMPTION</b>			
Bonds	\$ 2,000.00	\$10,000.00	\$10,000.00
Bond Interest	1,532.50	1,500.00	1,500.00
	\$ 3,532.50	\$11,500.00	\$11,300.00
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Library	\$ 600.00	\$ 600.00	\$ 600.00
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	\$ 900.00	\$ 700.00	\$ 700.00
<b>WATER DEPARTMENT</b>			
Bookkeeper	\$ 500.00	\$ 720.00	\$ 720.00
Asst. Superintendent	3,300.00		3,438.00
Labor	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00
Replacements & Improvements	5,000.00	3,500.00	5,000.00
	\$13,800.00	\$ 9,220.00	\$14,158.00
<b>PARK FUND</b>	\$ 500.00	\$ 500.00	\$ 500.00
<b>EMERGENCY FUND</b>	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 3,000.00
<b>TOTAL EXPENDITURES</b>	\$61,137.50	\$57,575.00	\$56,373.00

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	7-1-49 to 6-30-50	7-1-50 to 6-30-51	
Water Department	\$16,000.00	\$19,000.00	
County Road Tax Refund	8,500.00	4,500.00	
License and Liquor Revenues	400.00	400.00	
Swimming Tank	500.00	500.00	
Fines	500.00	500.00	
City Share of Gas Tax	7,000.00	6,400.00	
Garbage Disposal	3,600.00		
Parking Meter Receipts	1,800.00	2,600.00	
<b>TOTAL ESTIMATED RECEIPTS</b>	\$36,300.00	\$33,900.00	
Subject to 6% limitation		\$11,173.00	
Outside 6% limitation		11,300.00	
Amount to be raised by Taxation		\$22,473.00	
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