

Notice of District Road Meeting
Road District No. 16, Columbia County, Oregon

NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of a petition duly signed by 12 freeholders, resident taxpayers and legal voters of Road District Number 16 of Columbia County, Oregon and presented to the County Court of Columbia County, Oregon, a District Road Meeting of the LEGAL VOTERS of said Road District Number 16 will be held in the Court Room of the Justice of the Peace, District No. 4 Vernonia, Oregon on the 12th day of November, 1927, at the hour of 7:30 p. m. of said day, said meeting to be for the purpose of voting a SPECIAL ROAD TAX in said Road District, of not to exceed ten mills on the dollar, on all taxable property in said Road District.

Done at St. Helens, Oregon, this 18th day of October, 1927.
John Philip, County Judge.
T. B. Mills, County Commissioner
J. N. Miller, County Commissioner

Notice of District Road Meeting
Road District No. 8, Columbia County, Oregon

NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of a petition duly signed by 12 freeholders, resident taxpayers and legal voters of Road District Number 8 of Columbia County, Oregon, and presented to the County Court of Columbia County, Oregon, a District Road Meeting of the LEGAL VOTERS of said Road District Number 8 will be held in the Old School House, at Mist, Oregon on the 12th

day of November, 1927, at the hour of 2:00 p. m. of said day, said meeting to be for the purpose of voting a SPECIAL ROAD TAX in said Road District, of not to exceed ten mills on the dollar, on all taxable property in said Road District.

Done at St. Helens, Oregon, this 18th day of October, 1927.
John Philip, County Judge.
T. B. Mills, County Commissioner
J. N. Miller, County Commissioner

Notice of School Election to Increase Tax More Than Six Per Cent Over That of the Previous Year

Notice is hereby given to the legal voters of School District No. 47 of Columbia County, State of Oregon, that an election will be held in said District at Washington School on the 12th day of November, 1927, at two o'clock in the afternoon, to vote on the question of increasing the amount of the tax levy in said District for the year 1928 by more than six per cent over the amount of such levy for the year immediately preceding.

It is necessary to raise this additional amount by special levy for the following reasons: (1) To help pay running expense. (2) To pay off our warrant indebtedness.

Dated this 13 day of October, 1927.

ATTEST:
Madge T. Rogers, District Clerk.
A. D. Hall, Chairman Board of Directors.

Notice of District Road Meeting
Road District No. 9, Columbia County, Oregon

NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of a petition duly signed by 20 freeholders, resident taxpayers and legal voters of Road District Number 9 of Columbia County, Oregon, and presented to the County Court of Columbia County, Oregon, a District Road Meeting of the LEGAL VOTERS of said Road District Number 9 will be held in the Parker hall, one mile East of Vernonia, Oregon on the 12th day of November, 1927, at the hour of 2:00 p. m. of said day, said meeting to be for the purpose of voting a SPECIAL ROAD TAX in said Road District, of not to exceed ten mills on the dollar, on all taxable property in said Road District.

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Crop rotation does not cost any money, but it rivals the use of manure and fertilizers in maintaining and increasing yields of crops. A good rotation is a most effective means for increasing yields and lowering crop-production costs.

In order to acquire farm land most of the present landlords have had to buy it. Of land owned by a representative group of 24,000 farm landlords, latest figures show that more than four-fifths had been purchased and only about a sixth obtained by gift or inheritance.

In the far west where wood is stored in the forests, fire insurance is often carried on the wood. The rate is high in the dry season, but the wood is not in danger in the rainy season. When weather reports show late-continued rain a slightly delay in taking out insurance may be risked and considerable savings in premiums are possible.

In recent years many grain farmers, recognize the feeding value of dockage, are taking a greater interest in cleaning their grain on the farm or in having it cleaned at the country elevators and utilizing the screenings as feed for livestock. Country elevator operators, recognizing this demand for screenings, are making a greater effort to clean the grain before shipping it to market.

When officials of a large railroad in Montana were asked by their headquarters in St. Paul why there had been a noticeable falling off in coal shipments as compared with previous winters, the weather bureau was consulted. Weather records showed that there had been a period of unusually mild weather. Similarly, weather records are used by a local lighting company at

the close of an unusually cloudy, gloomy month, to show consumers what constitutes an average month and why the one past has been unusual, occasioning larger bills. In winter the coal dealer watches the weather forecasts for a cold wave so that preparation may be made for handling an increased demand for coal. If a cold wave is expected on a Sunday the yards must be kept open and special forces held in readiness to handle the coal.

When to Buy Feeders

Just what grade of cattle to select for the feed lot is a problem that must be considered by every feeder. There are a number of seasonal factors to be kept in mind in this connection. Common cattle are generally lowest in price in October and November during the time of large runs of cattle from the range. Choice finished cattle are usually higher in price than at any other time of the year because there are ordinarily very few grain-fed steers marketed at this time. Because most of the corn-fed cattle are fattened during the winter and sold in the spring, the price of choice steers is lowest in April and May. Common steers, on the other hand, bring the highest price of the year during May.

"Inside" Information

A flat narrow collar or no collar at all and a V-shaped or U-shaped neck line is most becoming to a short stout figure. Square neck lines should be avoided.

A little kerosene in clear water helps in window washing. Wash with even overlapping strokes and rub dry with soft paper or clean cloth. A rubber wiper can be used on large windows.

Carrots are a good source of vitamins in winter, when they are older and have been stored a long time, they may lose some of vitamin C, but they are still valuable for their minerals and for vitamins A and B.

Don't have the same menu every time you entertain. Plan several good "company" menus, according to the season of the year. If the same people come often to your home, it's a good plan to have some record of what is served to guests each time, or you may duplicate your menus.

Much dust and dirt can be kept out of the house by taking precautions. If the roads near your home are not oiled, stop some of the dust at doors and windows. Dust window sills, porches, steps and walks daily. Cover the pantry and storeroom window screens with cheese cloth to keep out dust, but let air in. If walks about the

house are muddy get the family to use shoe scrapers and leave muddy rubbers and boots outside. To store firm butter for winter use the best method is to wrap the rolls or points in parchment paper and pack them in a stone crock, covering them with a strong brine and store in a cool place. The butter intended for winter use should be made from sweet pasteurized cream churned at a fairly low temperature, washed thoroughly and worked merely enough to dissolve the salt.

In eastern Oregon excellent results have been obtained when barnyard manure is distributed where temporary check dams will be needed the following season, states the experiment station. This not only serves for dams but also returns the fertility to the soil.

An ordinary cream separator may be used in place of a filter to clarify cider, reports the horticultural products section at the state college. The cider may be preserved by sterilizing at 160 degrees and bottling or by addition

of a tenth of one per cent by weight of benzoate of soda.

Farm Credit Improves

Federal warehousing is improving farm credits, department of agriculture specialists claim. The Federal warehouse act, they say, has already accomplished the purposes of the farmers of the law. It has made sound, orderly marketing possible. It has opened new avenues to sound credit to the farmer and to others handling agricultural products. Growers of staple crops get more credit and get better interest rates on Federal warehouse receipts than they get for receipts from warehouses which do not qualify under the act.

Gold Beach—Caravan celebrates opening of southern half of Roosevelt Highway to Crescent City.

Oregon's oiled highways are taken as national models of efficiency.

Newberg—Willamette River Bridge opened after \$30,000 improvement.

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THE SUBJECTS EACH NIGHT AT 7:30 P. M.
SATURDAY NIGHT, OCTOBER 29.—The Devil, who is he? a man? or a myth?
SUNDAY NIGHT, OCTOBER 30.—Why people go crazy on religion.

All Are Welcome

Original Estimate and Accounting Sheet
SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 47

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	Detailed expenditures for the last year of the 3-year period	Second year Give yearly totals	First year Give yearly totals
PERSONAL SERVICE:						
1. Superintendent	\$ 2100.00	\$ 1399.98	\$ 1400.00	\$ 2100.00	\$ 1550.00	\$ 153.00
2. Principals	945.00		900.00			
3. Teachers	3960.00					
	4140.00					
	2160.00					
	2250.00					
	3600.00					
4. Janitors	1215.00	11510.00	10429.40	15915.35	11539.40	11539.40
	2175.00	1066.00	1050.00			
5. Clerk	180.00	80.00		1780.00	1255.30	1255.30
6. Stenographer	100.00	34.00	33.30	14.25	75.00	75.00
7. Other services					485.00	
Total—Personal Services	\$22825.00	\$14089.00	\$13908.70	\$19809.60	\$14904.70	\$14419.70
MATERIAL AND SUPPLIES:						
1. Furniture (desks, etc.)	\$ 500.00		\$ 183.34	\$ 973.73	\$ 67.43	
2. Supplies (chalk, etc.)	1000.00		366.67	483.71	202.76	202.76
3. Library books	200.00		66.67	108.05	55.68	55.68
4. Flags	10.00		6.67			30.00
5. Playground equipment	100.00		66.67			77.47
6. Janitor's supplies	450.00		133.34	292.91	77.47	33.50
7. Fuel	300.00		266.68	187.58	293.00	293.00
8. Light	200.00		66.67	135.51	206.91	206.91
9. Water	300.00		266.68	251.86	364.20	206.91
10. Postage and stationary	100.00		16.68		3.63	364.20
Total—Material and Supplies	\$3210.00	\$ 973.02	\$ 1440.37	\$ 2433.67	\$ 1271.08	\$ 1263.52
Total—Construction					\$26630.07	\$26130.07
MAINTENANCE AND REPAIRS						
Buildings and grounds	\$ 15.00					
Total—Maintenance and Repairs	\$ 1500.00	\$ 890.00	\$ 830.00	\$ 380.67	\$ 273.81	\$ 212.66
INDEBTEDNESS:						
1. Bonded, and int. thereon	\$ 6280.00		\$ 4666.67		\$ 25067.19	
2. Warrant, and int. thereon	14500.00		9875.90	22959.80	2650.00	
Total—Indebtedness	\$20780.00		\$14542.57	\$22959.80	\$28974.19	\$ 6593.81
Total—Transpnt. of Pupils	\$ 6000.00	\$ 3544.00	\$ 4000.00	\$ 4000.00	\$ 3770.00	\$ 3770.00
Total—Tuition	\$ 200.00	\$ 100.00	\$ 106.67	\$ 45.00	\$ 45.00	\$ 45.00
Total—Insurance	\$ 564.00	\$ 84.00	\$ 376.00	\$ 376.00	\$ 288.00	\$ 288.00
Total—Miscellaneous	\$ 800.00	\$ 145.00	\$ 533.34	\$ 654.16	\$ 131.65	\$ 3884.11
Total—Miscellaneous	\$ 1000.00		\$ 266.67			
GRAND TOTAL	\$56879.00	\$19856.00	\$35998.32	\$53396.93	\$76288.65	\$56532.12

I, Madge T. Rogers, do hereby certify that the above estimate of expenditures for the year 1927-1928 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.

MADGE T. ROGERS,
District Clerk.

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