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Endwell Will Vote on Fire Alarm System

Proposal to Spend \$3,500 Will Be Submitted to Tax- payers Wednesday

Johnson City, March 26—Endwell fire district will be further protected by the installation of a fire alarm system with 10 boxes placed at strategic points, if taxpayers approve the plan at an election to be held Wednesday.

The election, at which only resident taxpayers will be eligible to vote, will be held from 4 to 8 p. m. Wednesday. The proposition will authorize the fire commissioners to borrow \$3,500 for the purpose of installing the system.

A tentative plan has been worked out, George Burt, chief of the O. L. Davis fire company, announced today, which calls for the placing of the signal boxes as follows: Endwell fire station, Hooper four corners, Oak Hill road and Harding avenue, Oak Hill road at Carmel Grove Avenue B and Wayne street, two blocks north of the Erie railroad; Kelly avenue and Wayne street, in the Homestead plot, north of the Erie railroad; Maple street and Metz avenue, East North street and Knight avenue, East North street and Nebraska avenue, and Main street and Nebraska avenue.

The apparatus will record the signal box location at the fire station and operate the alarm there and will also give the alarms in the homes of the chief and assistant chief.

The fire district completed payment this winter on the fire station so that installation of the alarm system will not increase the fire tax. It is planned to borrow the funds on short term notes over a three-year period, meeting a third of the cost and accrued interest in the fire budget each year for three years.

At the present time the telephone or a runner must be depended upon to spread an alarm of fire, causing delay.