

Report of the County Clerk of Douglas County, State of Oregon, for the Year Ending December 31, 1941

	Clerk's Bal. Dec. 30, 1940	Tax Collected	O&C Land Grants	Coos Bay Grants	Land Sales	Other Payments	Transfer	Warrants Cancelled	Credit Total	Warrants Issue	Cash Payment	Transfers	Debit Total	Clerk's Bal. Dec. 31, 1941	Outstand. Warrants Dec. 31, 1941	Treasurer's Balance Dec. 31, 1941
General County																
General County Funds	\$182,927.96	\$44,700.09	\$262,565.78	\$491.59	\$17,920.10	\$22,365.23		\$44.12	\$663,347.03	\$198,935.86	\$50,048.17	\$50,917.50	\$313,326.52	\$350,020.51	\$5,468.25	\$355,488.76
General Road Funds	75,315.10	68,844.10	5,735.55	130.33	10,837.41	68,502.23	2,233.22	2.98	231,600.92	152,334.58	18.75		152,353.33	79,247.59	13,256.86	92,504.45
Market Road Funds	155.89	1,340.82						567.92	2,064.63	500.00			500.00	1,564.63		1,564.63
Road District No. 1 Funds	22,108.02	68,844.10	5,735.55	130.33	10,837.41				107,655.41	65,061.93			65,061.93	42,593.48	8,706.34	51,299.82
Special Road District	4,394.85	1,681.30			2,277.76				8,353.71				8,353.71	8,353.71		8,353.71
Dog License Funds	1,249.17					3,266.25			4,515.42	2,965.28			2,965.28	1,550.14	118.94	1,669.08
State School Funds	88.97					7,486.38			7,575.35				7,575.35	7,575.35		7,575.35
County School Funds	12,263.27	74,740.22	9,248.23	193.38	10,668.06		744.41		107,857.57	56,312.67			56,312.67	51,544.90		51,544.90
Elementary School Funds	2,346.11						50,917.50		53,263.61	49,566.73			49,566.73	3,696.88		3,696.88
School Library Funds	849.78	760.98	89.08	1.98	108.97				1,810.79	922.26			922.26	888.53		888.53
Non High School District Tax	14,839.05	56,189.47	8,212.17	327.00	4,363.98	498.75			84,430.42	48,999.45			48,999.45	35,430.97		35,430.97
Special School Tax Funds	29,323.96	249,333.43	16,922.85	564.17	18,014.28				323,301.03	301,534.48			301,534.48	20,766.19		20,766.19
Special School (Sinking Funds)	6,703.39					45,875.85			52,579.24				52,579.24	384.59		384.59
Special School District No. 22															1.87	1.87
School District No. 13 (Building Funds)	2.07								2.07				2.07			
School District No. 24 (Building Funds)	3.07								3.07				3.07			
School District No. 43 (Building Funds)	48.69								48.69				48.69			
School District No. 96 (Building Funds)									7,500.30				7,500.30			
School District No. 78 (Abandoned)	453.31								453.31				453.31			
Union High School Funds	9,613.09	81,345.37	10,077.37		3,994.41	8,383.00			105,000.81	99,553.39			99,553.39	456.66		456.66
Union High School (Sinking Funds)									8,383.00	8,383.00			8,383.00	25.00		25.00
Special Cities Tax Funds	10,985.53	133,099.29			6,415.19				150,500.01	143,581.44			143,581.44	6,918.57		6,918.57
Special Fire Patrol Funds	1,092.37	18,065.79			7,092.38				26,240.54	24,990.42			24,990.42	1,250.12		1,250.12
Special Port Umpqua Tax Funds	3,926.47	42,027.14	6,849.54		2,312.61				55,115.76	52,312.03			52,312.03	2,803.73		2,803.73
Elkhead Special Road Tax	1.99	23.43			19.97				45.39				45.39			45.39
North Umpqua Improvement Road Tax	7,292.66	328.42			417.61				8,038.69	5,000.00			5,000.00	3,038.69		3,038.69
Loon Lake Special Work						998.00			998.00				998.00			
Tiller Special Road District Tax	2,253.35	46.81			113.32				2,413.48				2,413.48			2,413.48
Umpqua Highway Improvement Road Tax	5,875.15	1,470.37			305.19				7,650.71	2,495.10 Tax ref 14.80			2,509.90	5,140.81		5,140.81
Roberts Creek Water District Tax	101.69	934.27			57.60				1,093.56	1,025.23			1,025.23	68.33		68.33
Tennille Lakeside Drainage Funds		1.31							1.31				1.31			1.31
Coles Valley Cemetery Funds	357.75								357.75				357.75			357.75
Douglas County School Funds (Securities)	14,949.34								14,949.34				14,949.34			14,949.34
Douglas County School Funds (Cash)	5,064.60								5,064.60				5,064.60			5,064.60
Estate in Trust	93.30					817.71			5,882.31	217.30			217.30	5,665.01		5,665.01
Fair Funds (Community)	739.09					30.77			124.07	5.34			129.41	118.73		118.73
Fish and Game Funds	42.20					2,187.96			2,927.05	2,121.30			2,121.30	805.75		805.75
Forest Rentals (Sale of Timber)						250.45			292.65	287.65			287.65	5.00		5.00
Judgment Accounts	24.74					2,977.63			2,977.63			2,977.63	2,977.63			2,977.63
Land Sales	12.00								12.00				12.00			12.00
Land Sales (Trust Funds)	30.00								30.00				30.00			30.00
Liquor Law Enforcement	132.20								132.20				132.20			132.20
Registry and Indemnity	804.53								804.53				804.53			804.53
State of Oregon (Drunken Driving)	47.10					465.23			512.33	415.23			415.23	97.10		97.10
Treasurer's Deceit Account	765.56					6,259.44			7,025.00	7,025.00			7,025.00			7,025.00
Land Sales Deposit (First Natl. Bank Gardiner)	193.10					218.40			411.50	411.50			411.50			411.50
Public Work Deposit						4,723.01			4,723.01				4,723.01			4,723.01
United States (Defense Bonds)						49,950.00			49,950.00				49,950.00			49,950.00
	\$444,989.15	\$976,098.97	\$325,436.12	\$1,838.78	\$95,756.25	\$250,970.26	\$53,895.49	\$615.02	\$2,149,600.04	\$423,313.32	\$955,644.68	\$53,895.49	\$1,432,853.49	\$716,746.55	\$27,552.26	\$744,298.81

TO RECONCILE WITH TREASURER		
Bank balances December 31, 1941		\$679,012.72
Cash in till		29.00
Coles Valley Cemetery Ass'n. securities		357.75
County School Fund securities		14,949.34
General County securities (U. S. Defense bonds)		49,950.00

Treasurer's balance December 31, 1941	\$744,298.81
Warrants outstanding (floating)	27,552.26
Clerk's balance December 31, 1941	\$716,746.55

TO RECONCILE WITH SHERIFF		
Taxes accounted for 1941 and prior rolls		\$931,398.87
Plus interest collected on delinquent taxes		44,700.09
Less statutory rebate		\$976,098.97
Net cash received		\$3,424.99
		\$962,673.98

STATE OF OREGON, COUNTY OF DOUGLAS, SS.

I, Roy Agee, County Clerk of the County of Douglas, State of Oregon, do hereby certify that the foregoing is true and correct statement of the several funds of Douglas County, State of Oregon, for the year ending December 31, 1941, as shown by the books and reports in my office, care and custody, as I verily believe.

WITNESS MY HAND AND OFFICIAL SEAL THIS 15TH DAY OF JANUARY, 1942. (Seal)

ROY AGEE, COUNTY CLERK.

Hess' Scheme to Oust Churchill Told to Commons

LONDON, Jan. 27. (AP)—The mission of Adolf Hitler's deputy fuchrer, Rudolf Hess, in his flight to England last spring was to establish contacts with groups who would overthrow the Churchill government so Germany might negotiate a magnanimous peace, Prime Minister Churchill told the house of commons today.

"Rudolf Hess firmly believed he had only to gain access to certain circles in this country for what he described as the Churchill clique to be thrown out of power and for a government to be set up with which Hitler might negotiate a magnanimous peace," the Prime Minister said.

"He's where he ought to be," retorted Churchill.

"The only importance attaching to the opinions of Hess," he continued, "is the fact that he was fresh from the atmosphere of Hitler's table."

"But I can assure the house that since I have been back in this country, I have had anxious inquiries from a dozen countries and reports on enemy propaganda in a score of countries, all turning on the point of whether his majesty's government is to be dismissed from power or not."

Sales Tax One of Possibilities in Revenue Search

WASHINGTON, Jan. 28. (AP)—A month's intensive study has convinced most congressional fiscal experts that the bulk of a proposed \$9,000,000,000 addition to federal revenues will have to be raised by some form of taxation, chairman George (D-Ga.) of the Senate finance committee said yesterday.

"The great problem," he declared, "is to determine whether this should be a sales tax, a withholding tax on payrolls or some other system. There has been no definite decision made on that point."

George told reporters, however, that "satisfactory progress" toward the formation of a new tax program was being made in daily conferences between treasury officials and representatives of the joint congressional committee on internal revenue.

Nevertheless, he believed three more weeks of work would be necessary before definite recommendations could be agreed upon and presented to the house ways and means committee, which

then will start public hearing on the new tax measure.

"We have found," George said, "that we can't depend on the individual and corporation income tax to yield the major share of the additional levies. We are going to have to get a substantial part of them from some form of taxation which the federal government is not now trying."

He then mentioned the possibility of sales taxes, payroll taxes or some other method.

Honey Bees Hit By Sugar Rationing

SALEM, Jan. 27. (AP)—Humans aren't the only ones who will feel the effects of sugar rationing. Consider the plight of the honey bee.

Beekeepers try to leave enough honey in the hives to last all winter, but sometimes this runs short. Then it is necessary to feed sugar to the bees until spring.

One beekeeper told the state department of agriculture he has only eight hives, but he needs 200 pounds of sugar for his bees.

The department said it knows of no way to get sugar for bees.

Salem grocers, who said they sold more sugar yesterday than ever before, limited purchases today to from two to five pounds per customer.

Most retailers said they have enough sugar on hand to last until rationing begins in February, if they limit purchases. Yesterday's sales even exceeded those of the summer months, when sugar sales are large because of fruit canning.

Oregon Motor Vehicle Registrations Upped

SALEM, JAN. 27. (AP)—Oregon motor vehicle registration during 1941 reached an all-time high mark of 435,970, Secretary of State Snell said today. The registration was a 9.01 per cent increase of 1940.

Registration fees totaled \$3,304,389, compared with \$2,961,636 in 1940.

There were 353,213 private passenger cars, compared with 325,130 in the previous year. Vehicles in other categories included 689 buses, 35,140 light delivery vehicles, and 43,193 trucks.

Oregon Cabbages, Onions Sought for Army, Navy

PORTLAND, Jan. 28. (AP)—Dr. Clarence E. Bligh, Hollywood, said yesterday that the producers Cooperative dehydrating plant at Salem might handle a huge pool of Oregon cabbages and onions for the army and navy.

Bligh, who has been working with the owners of the Salem plant in planning the processing, said bids on 5,600,000 pounds of cabbage and 2,000,000 pounds of onions would be opened Thursday.

Tax Collector's Report																		
(Showing the amount of Tax collected and turned over during the year of 1941)																		
Fund Account	1941	1940	1939	1938	1937	1936	1935	1934	1933	1932	1931	1930	1929	1928	1927	1926	1924	Total
State & County	\$228,624.14	\$33,434.59	23,750.85	\$15,396.04	\$10,330.16	\$2,606.36	\$7,016.89	\$12,174.25	\$9,551.26	\$2,003.06	\$805.80	\$972.91	\$81.87	\$69.24	\$31.44	\$13.62	\$346,862.48	
Interest	1,727.35	5,142.85	8,157.03	8,046.63	6,745.90	2,205.88	2,153.69	2,319.97	2,850.28	4,533.15	380.29	236.71	69.83	99.03	25.54	5.96	44,700.09	
Non-High School	39,233.85	4,829.48	3,247.76	2,645.49	1,817.68	259.82	867.71	1,070.87	1,360.24	485.47	71.84	281.42	4.68	1.71	.76	.69	56,189.47	
Tiller Sp. Road										33.32	13.49						46.81	
Dia. Lake Spl. Rd.										226.00	85.13	17.29					328.42	
Umpqua Highway										428.09	610.01	200.61	192.29	14.51	15.06	9.80	1,470.37	
Special Road										603.25	523.25	177.17	351.93	8.92	11.34	4.20	1,241.69	
Elk Head Special										23.43							23.43	
Port Umpqua	26,921.12	3,250.53	1,978.55	4,227.29	936.82	147.79	1,421.35	3,133.39	1,899.84	624.47	72.95	405.65	2.14	5.25			42,027.14	
Forest Patrol	10,170.60	2,488.32	1,358.35	996.88	639.61	131.11	507.72	717.61	629.43	227.29	143.08	18.23	8.40	12.12	5.44	1.60	18,055.79	
Lakeside Drainage																	1.31	
Special City	93,964.82	10,855.98	6,853.77	4,279.09	2,349.30	673.25	4,103.49	4,985.47	3,921.23	778.41	202.66	95.00	16.26	20.56			133,099.29	
U. High School	38,411.54	7,424.98	4,155.06	2,503.31	1,057.09	391.71	1,975.13	2,583.18	1,956.90	327.23	394.92	138.54	8.47	11.59	4.36	1.36	81,345.37	
Special School	182,691.38	20,317.22	13,641.58	8,207.11	4,518.14	1,130.97	4,027.33	7,000.48	5,663.66	1,350.96	523.20	187.01	21.42	51.67		1.30	249,333.43	
R. Creek Wtr. Dist.	822.48	77.10	11.03	23.66													934.27	
Totals	\$642,567.28	\$87,822.36	\$63,133.98	\$43,325.50	\$28,394.70	\$7,546.89	\$22,073.31	\$33,985.22	\$29,090.18	\$11,615.18	\$3,003.30	\$2,879.69	\$236.50	\$297.37	\$81.54	\$25.77	\$976,098.97	