

# STATE EXPENSE TO BE LARGE

## IN TWO YEARS, OREGON, WILL USE \$45,000,000

### Roads Will Cost Most of Any of the New Movement—For Which \$24,600,000 Will be Used

SALEM, April 29.—For the years 1921 and 1922, according to a financial report, completed by S. A. Kozer, secretary of state, the state of Oregon has undertaken a program, which if carried out, will result in an expenditure aggregating \$45,000,000. Of this sum approximately \$1,097,000 will be necessary for what is classified as general governmental expenses.

These include the expense of the legislature, emergency board, executive department, state treasury, tax commission, attorney-general, salaries of district attorneys, state department, board of control, conduct of elections, expenses of supreme court, supreme court library, salaries of the various circuit court judges and the maintenance and upkeep of the capitol buildings and grounds, together with other miscellaneous expenses.

### Protection to Cost \$6,265,000

For protection to persons and property more than \$6,265,000 is necessary. Under this classification is included expenses of special agents, fire marshal, Oregon National Guard, banking department, corporation department, insurance department, real estate department, public service commission, sealer of weights and measures, board of accountancy, board of architects examiners, engineering examiners, board of cancellation, board of inspectors of child labor, industrial welfare commission, board of pilot commissioners, state board of forestry, expense of motor vehicle registration, payment of bounties on wild animals and eradication of wolves and coyotes, expenses of the labor department, accident commission and compensation to injured workmen.

### Development Undertaken Large

Under the head of development and conservation of natural resources there is included \$1,737,000. This embraces annual appropriations for the various state, district and county fairs, expenses of the state board of horticulture, conducting the state line plant at Gold Hill, advertising the scenic wonders of the northwest and encouraging tourists to visit Oregon. Also for expense of the live stock sanitary board, stallion registration board, veterinary examination board, Oregon humane society, office of the state engineer in co-operative work with the United States geological survey, state water board, desert land board, bureau of mines and geology, department of fisheries and department of game.

### Boards to Cost Most

Under the head of sanitation and health aggregating \$359,000, there is included the expense of the state board of health, maintaining state tuberculosis hospital, conducting the work of the Oregon social hygiene society, and maintaining the Cedars in Portland. Expenses of the child welfare commission and of the dairy and food commission are also included under the head, as are the expenses of the state board of barber examiners, board of medical examiners, board of examination of graduate nurses, board of examination in optometry and the state board of pharmacy.

The largest item of all is summarized under the head of roads and highways, and aggregates \$24,600,000. Much of this money will be made available from the sale of bonds, the issuance of which has been authorized for the purpose of improving the roads and highways of the state.

### Education Appropriation \$6,507,000

Under the head of charities, hospitals and corrections, the various items aggregate \$3,427,000. This sum includes moneys provided for conducting the state school for the blind in Salem, employment institution for the blind in Portland, deaf school and a number of private institutions, which are caring for indigent orphans and foundlings. There is also included under this head the state hospital at Salem, Eastern Oregon hospital at Pendleton, feeble-minded home, penitentiary, boys' training school and the state industrial school for girls.

For education the total sum aggregates more than \$6,507,000. This includes the state department of education, vocational educational work in co-operation with the government, Oregon Agricultural college, University of Oregon, Oregon Normal school and the amounts which the state is contributing to ex-service men to aid them in obtaining an education. Expenses of the Oregon state library and the Oregon state historical society also are included under this classification.

### Recreation Gets \$1,000

Under the classification of recreation there is but \$1,000. This includes the improvement of the Chambers park in northern Marion county and the preservation of the John McLaughlin home in Oregon City. For relief to special classes, including the cases of congenitally blind, the state is contributing to the blind and printing the proceedings of the department of Oregon of the Grand

Army of the Republic, there will be expended \$133,000.

Of the foregoing sums, aggregating approximately \$44,000,000 more than \$7,972,000 is covered by direct biennial appropriations from the general fund of the state. These appropriations were made at the last session of the legislature.

### Millage to Produce \$7,396,000

Approximately \$7,396,000 will result from fixed millage levies, while \$19,567,000 will be derived from the sale of bonds for road building. More than \$3,446,000 will be contributed by the federal government for co-operative educational work and highway construction, while \$6,237,000 will come from fees and miscellaneous income and receipts of the different departments, boards and commissions.

"While the aggregate of the expenditures of the state for the current biennium is a sum beyond the grasp of most of us," said Mr. Kozer in his report, "the greater portion of it is not the result of direct taxation."

### Miscellaneous Incomes Listed

"The receipts from what are generally termed miscellaneous sources that is, from departmental fees, licenses and the like, are estimated at more than \$10,398,000, while the expenses of those activities which are payable from the fees which they collect are only a little more than \$1,681,000. The difference is diverted to the general fund for defraying the general governmental expenses and portions for specific purposes.

"For example, it is estimated that of the sum of \$3,375,000 anticipated receipts from the laws providing for a tax on gasoline, less than \$95,000 will be refunded by reason of the use of a portion of the gasoline sold for other purposes than in the operation of motor vehicles.

### License Money for Boards

"Of the estimated receipts of more than \$5,043,000 from motor vehicle licenses, this sum, less administrative expenses, to gether with the receipts from the gasoline tax, is made available for road construction. The estimated receipts from corporation licenses aggregating \$55,000, from insurance licenses, \$540,000 and from inheritance taxes \$5000, are, less administrative expenses, available for the payment of general governmental expenses."

The payroll of those in the employ of the state who maintain their homes in Salem aggregate more than \$1,000,000, according to Mr.

Receipts of the Annual Statement of the STAR INSURANCE CO. OF AMERICA of New York, in the state of New York, on the thirty-first day of December, 1920, made in the insurance commissioner of the state of Oregon, pursuant to law.

CAPITAL	
Amount of capital stock paid up	\$ 500,000.00
INCOME	
Net premiums received during the year	\$2,110,318.44
Interest, dividends and rents received during year	70,668.03
Income from other sources received during the year	400,121.84
Total income	\$2,581,108.31
DISBURSEMENTS	
Net losses paid during year, including all interest expense	761,278.18
Dividends paid on capital stock during the year	30,000.00
Taxes, licenses and fees paid during the year	78,267.21
Amount of all other expenditures	119,724.40
Total expenditures	\$1,189,270.87
ASSETS	
Reinsurance recoverable on paid losses	7,603.93
Value of stock and bonds owned (market value)	2,259,240.00
Loans on mortgages and policies	26,720.28
Cash in banks and on hand	372,082.90
Premiums in course of collection	364,201.78
Interest and rents due and accrued	24,281.49
Total admitted assets	\$3,061,130.48
LIABILITIES	
Gross claims for losses unpaid	\$ 318,368.01
Amount of unearned premiums on all outstanding policies	1,443,127.26
Tax for commission and brokerage	18,483.23
All other liabilities	73,341.52
Total liabilities	\$2,853,320.02
Total surplus	\$207,810.46

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Kozer's report. There are more than 300 persons continuously employed in the various departments and activities centered in the capitol and supreme court buildings.

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1916 Ford Roadster	\$275	SOLD
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