

# FINANCIAL CONDITION OF COOS COUNTY IS TOLD

The following is the semi-annual statement of James Watson, county clerk of Coos County, State of Oregon, showing the amount and number of claims allowed by the County Court of said county, for what allowed, amount of warrants drawn, and amount of warrants outstanding and unpaid, from the 1st day of October, 1907, to the 31st day of March, 1908, both inclusive:

County Judge, salary of, County Commissioners, etc.	798 59
Sheriff and Deputy, salary of	1492 42
Clerk and Deputy, salary of	2442 87
County Treasurer, salary of	600 00
Assessments and collection of taxes	290 75
School Superintendent, salary and fees and examining board	967 01
Assessor's fees	942 00
Coroner's Court	269 55
Insane expenses	173 63
Indigent soldiers	252 00
Fauper account	3716 62
Criminal account in Justice Court, etc.	396 80
Criminal account in circuit, etc.	1726 00
Office supplies and jail	266 10
Courthouse expense account	2980 81
Roads and bridges	12241 85
Printing and advertising, blank books, etc.	2169 26
Tax Rebate	13 67
Ferries	772 50
Health Office	124 71
Commitment to Reform School	70 80
Juneville Court	81 40
<b>Total</b>	<b>41789 34</b>
Outstanding unpaid County Warrants on the 31st day of March 1908, general fund	78214 24
Estimated interest accrued thereon	6000 00
Outstanding Road Warrants	26529 12
Interest on outstanding road Warrants	300 00
Total amount of unpaid County Warrants	94743 36
Total interest on above	6300 00

### MONEY COLLECTED AND PAID OUT.

The following is the semi-annual statement of J. B. Dulley, county treasurer of Coos county, Oregon, for the six months ending on the 31st day of March, A. D. 1908, of money received and paid out, from whom received and from what source and on what account paid out:

	Road fund.	Gen. fund.	Schl. fund.
To amount on hand from last report; taxes	\$15529 48	25065 10	2555 03
To amount received from forest rental, state	74 19		74 19
To amount received from clerk's fees		3422 94	
To amount received from fines		100 05	
To amount received from taxes		155492 73	
To amount received from transfer general fund	70388 55		
To amount damages M. and F. road	227 00		
To amount received for 4 loads rock M. & M. Co.	75 60		
To amount received from general fund			35476 00
<b>Total</b>	<b>86294 82</b>	<b>184080 82</b>	<b>38105 21</b>
By amount paid out on county warrants, general fund		23607 04	
By amount paid out on School Supt's warrants, school fund		1988 00	
By balance general fund on hand	43425 62		
By balance school fund on hand	36117 21		
By transfer to road fund	70388 55		
By transfer to library fund	506 80		
By transfer to school fund	35476 00		
By transfer to indigent soldiers' fund	676 81		
By paying state taxes	10000 00		
By amounts paid out on road warrants and road orders	22167 48		
By balance in road fund	64127 34		
Total amount paid out of road fund	86294 82		
Total amount paid out of general fund		184080 82	
Total amount paid out of school fund			38105 21

### CULLINGS OF COQUILLE.

News of County Seat as Told in The Herald.

Rev. H. M. Branham was down from Myrtle Point Monday and purchased the driving mare of County Treasurer Dulley.

S. S. Lint and family, nine in all, arrived in town Saturday on their way to Bandon where they will locate. They came from Sioux City, Nebraska, and Mr. and Mrs. Lint, are the parents of John Lint, the photographer who spent some months in this city a couple of years ago, but has since been at Bandon. They are accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Otto Melleher, the latter being their daughter.

Friends of Will Gaskell who recently got a foot badly crushed at the Johnson mill by allowing a heavy timber to fall upon it, have received cards from him at Besverton, Oregon.

N. B. Shults who is a late arrival from Florida, came over from North Bend last week and looked about for a dairy ranch for rent. He is pleased with the appearance of our section.

### CITIZENS OF COOS AND CURRY.

A considerable number of the citizens of Coos county having expressed a desire that I should place my name before you as a candidate for the position of joint senator and as I have consented so to do, therefore make the following declaration, if elected it will be my earnest endeavor to advance and protect your interests without regard to private cliques or party affiliations.

R. D. HUME.

## MAKES PLEA FOR FAIR PLAY

### "MARSHFIELD MERCHANT" TELLS OF DEFEAT OF ANTI-SALOON LEAGUE IN COUNTRY.

Editor Coos Bay Times:

In the last month the Anti-Saloon League has been defeated in Maryland, New Jersey, New York State, Pennsylvania and Wisconsin. The probabilities are that it will be overwhelmingly defeated in the near future in Louisiana, Florida and perhaps in North Carolina.

One of the most significant things that has happened for some time was the admission by the Rev. P. A. Baker, National Superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League, at Plainfield, N. J., on April 6, 1908, that "the tone of the press is changing." Mr. Baker declared that newspapers all over the country which have been friendly are now turning against the Anti-Saloon League. He accounted for it by declaring that the liquor merchants have bribed the newspapers. This is an old charge and has frightened many editors in the past. But now it begins to look as though the slander was losing its effect. In any case it is interesting to know that Mr. Baker should feel it necessary to recognize publicly the change in the tone of the press and to try to account for it.

Let us beat them in Oregon. Let us stop closing business up and try opening it up instead.—A MARSHFIELD MERCHANT.

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2 Inside lots on Broadway, 50x100 feet 1,050

House and 2 lots on Broadway 2,000

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There is being planted 30 acres of potatoes which produce about 350 bbls per acre, or from 15,000 lbs. to 20,000 lbs. per acre. The selling price which stands about normal at digging time, \$1.00 per hundred.

The Dairy Department is netting about \$10.00 per day at present.

This bargain can be had with improvements for \$20,000; with personal property, \$22,000. This brings you the best of land on Coos River at a price of \$103 per acre, and all can be cultivated.

5 Acres unimproved, on Isthmus Inlet, 2 miles from town, 267 feet water front; depth of water, 32 feet, any vessel that can come to Marshfield ways can dock here. Price, \$1,400.

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Price \$55.26 per acre.

A corner lot 50x100, good residence on Chestnut street, Marshfield, \$4,700.

Graded lot, 45x100, on Sherman avenue, North Bend, close in, \$1,000.

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