

FIGURES DON'T LIE

ASSESSOR THRIFT TELLS WHERE COUNTY MONEY GOES.

Claims Coos Bay Receives Share of County Expenditures—Port Coquille Has Half-Mill Tax

Figures presented by T. J. Thrift, 12 years County Assessor, in his address of last evening before the Fellowship Club have attracted much comment. They show in a systematic manner, comparisons between years and also between expenditures in different cities of the county. Mr. Thrift made special mention of the fact that he has not checked the figures back and there may be errors in the columns, but he believes they will be minor ones.

The following tables explain themselves:

Special School Levies Voted by the People:

Year.	People:	Tax.
1906	\$ 28,992.00
1907	42,362.00
1908	57,044.00
1909	76,436.00
1910	81,011.00
1911	46,016.00
1912	90,691.00
1913	114,695.00
1914	141,181.00
		\$677,528.00

Special Road District Levies Voted By the People:

Year.	People:	Tax.
1906	\$ 6,006.00
1907	17,633.00
1908	48,980.00
1909	48,288.00
1910	35,005.00
1911	38,036.00
1912	45,353.00
1913	65,898.00
1914	23,784.00
		\$328,922.00

The amount of money set aside by the court for roads, bridges, ferries, etc.:

Year.	State and County Tax Only.	Rate, mills.	Assessed Valuation.
1906	\$10,017,449.14	14	\$138,362.00
1907	13,536,261.13	13	175,971.00
1908	14,099,329.15	15	211,489.00
1909	14,811,901.18	18	266,614.00
1910	15,710,585.18	18	282,700.00
1911	19,694,797.17	15	344,658.00
1912	19,628,584.17	15	344,814.00
1913	22,356,792.21	21	469,492.00
1914	21,834,938.20	20	436,698.00

Marshfield Special Levies.

Year.	State and County Tax Only.	Rate, mills.	Assessed Valuation.
1906	\$ 1,047,173.4	4	\$ 4,187.00
1907	1,791,649.35	3.5	6,270.00
1908	1,897,544.5	5	9,329.00
1909	2,102,649.11	11	23,129.00
1910	2,071,671.11	11	22,788.00
1911	2,272,262.11	11	22,729.00
1912	2,271,659.10	12	27,716.00
1913	2,602,259.10	10	26,032.00
1914	2,649,195.13	13	35,764.00

North Bend Special Levies.

Year.	State and County Tax Only.	Rate, mills.	Assessed Valuation.
1907	\$ 1,280,913.5	5	\$ 6,404.00
1908	1,193,636.6	6	7,161.00
1909	1,207,447.8	8	9,659.00
1910	1,303,018.8	8	9,624.00
1911	1,242,837.10	10	12,428.00
1912	1,200,854.10	10	12,008.00
1913	1,207,273.14	14	16,901.00
1914	1,286,493.14	14	18,010.00

Port of Coos Bay.

Year.	State and County Tax Only.	Rate, mills.	Assessed Valuation.
1909	\$ 7,237,707.2	2	\$ 14,475.00
1910	7,336,695.3	2	22,009.00
1911	8,467,318.3	3	25,401.00
1912	8,304,945.3	3	24,914.00
1913	9,140,849.3	3	27,422.00
1914	9,277,116.4	4	37,108.00

Total Bandon Special Levies.

1906-1914	\$30,939.00
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Total Coquille Special Levies.

1906-1914	\$36,849.00
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Total Myrtle Point Special Levies.

1906-1914	\$30,134.00
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Port of Coquille River.

Year.	State and County Tax Only.	Rate, mills.	Assessed Valuation.
1912	\$ 5,854,325.1	1.5	\$ 8,781.00
1913	6,307,070.1	1.5	9,460.00
1914	5,824,190.5	1.5	8,736.00

Port of Bandon.

Year.	State and County Tax Only.	Rate, mills.	Assessed Valuation.
1913	\$ 6,146,931.3	3	\$ 18,440.00
1914	6,052,982.3	3	18,161.00

The amount of funds set aside to the road district from General

Fund: Marshfield, Road Dist. No. 5.

Year.	Amount.
1907	\$ 4,050.00
1908	6,058.00
1909	7,412.00
1910	11,074.17
1911	10,253.35
1912	9,041.06
1913	11,859.20
1914	15,260.63

North Bend, Road District No. 3.

Year.	Amount.
1907	\$ 2,912.00
1908	4,953.82
1909	4,430.84
1910	7,000.75
1911	6,556.59
1912	5,569.59
1913	7,313.99
1914	8,062.88

Bandon Road District No. 10.

1907 to 1914	\$22,639.67
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Coquille Road Dist. No. 16.

1907 to 1914	\$25,737.00
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Myrtle Point Road Dist. No. 23.

1907 to 1914	\$18,195.21
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Cost of Ferries for 1914.

Marshfield	\$3,614.64
Coquille	1,354.57
Bullards	1,179.00
Amount State Taxes Paid by Coos County from 1906 to 1914	\$22,688.31
1906	25,266.68
1907	25,822.50
1908	33,471.98
1909	30,675.91
1910	68,663.95
1911	24,811.00
1912	90,081.00
1913	65,675.65
1914	

SEeks HIS ESTATE

CHARLES SNEEDON CLAIMS HE IS PENNILESS

Wants Guardians Discharged: Two Days Testimony Concluded: Two Doctors Say He Is Insane

Two days testimony taken in the case of Charles Sneddon against his guardians for the recovery of his property was concluded this morning in the office of Stoll and Hodge. A strong effort is being made by the old man to again secure the handling of the estate valued at between \$40,000 and \$50,000.

Testimony showed that in 1904 part of his property was transferred to his wife, Mrs. Ellen Sneddon, and in 1907 the bulk was given in her name with five acres being deeded back to him in 1909 that he might be a free holder. It was in 1913 that he was examined for his sanity and sent to the state asylum. Three months later Mrs. Sneddon, John B. Sneddon and Mrs. David Reese were made guardians of the estate.

The husband was later released and in February, 1914, the circuit court decided that he was not insane and was able to tend to his property. A motion was then filed by him through his attorneys to regain possession of his property through the dismissal of the guardians. This was refused and there is an appeal on this point now pending before the Supreme Court.

Dr. Mings, called as a witness, testified his belief that Charles Sneddon is sane while Drs. Straw and Taggart testified adversely.

BAND DANCE FRIDAY

NOBLE BUILDING TO BE DEDICATED WITH FESTIVITIES

Big Band Benefit Arranged at Which The Entire Organization Will Play For Dancers.

The new Noble building is to be thrown open to the public Friday night, April 9, at which time the Coos Bay Concert Band will give an informal dance. This will be in the nature of a benefit for the band as the building has been donated to them for the evening. The usual charge of one dollar for gentlemen will be made at the door and the music will be furnished by the entire band. This building is admirably adapted for such an occasion as the band will be placed in the balcony, far enough away from the dancers to make the music of the musicians heard to the best advantage. Those attending are assured of a fine time.

TO THE PUBLIC

I have made numerous requests to various people of the city of Marshfield and always found that those who are disposed to be decent, clean and sanitary have complied with the sanitary laws without any hesitation, but there are others who are refusing to act on my request. Now, I have grown tired of being annoyed and it is my intention to vigorously enforce the sanitary laws of Marshfield and all of those who are acting in violation of law will have complaints filed against them after April 15, 1915.

E. E. STRAW, City Health Officer.

BALL LEAGUE MOVES

SALT LAKE JUMPS TO PERCENTAGE LEAD YESTERDAY

Portland Slumps to Bottom; Beavers and Bees Hold Slugging Match Securing 10 and 11 Hits.

PERCENTAGES OF COAST LEAGUE

	W	L	P.C.
Salt Lake	4	2	.666
Los Angeles	5	3	.625
Venice	3	2	.600
San Francisco	3	4	.428
Portland	3	5	.375

[By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.]

SAN FRANCISCO, April 7.—Monday was spent by the clubs in making their first moves of the season. Portland went to Salt Lake; Oakland to Los Angeles and Venice to San Francisco.

The scores of yesterday's games follow:

At Salt Lake—	R. H. E.
Portland	5 10 1
Salt Lake	6 11 3

At Los Angeles—

Oakland	0 6 1
Los Angeles	3 9 1

At San Francisco—

Venice	0 4 1
San Francisco	1 6 1

CLAIMS PROPERTY

HEIRS THINK THEY HAVE TITLE TO DOUGLAS LAND.

Marshfield Attorney Investigates the Claims of Heirs of Daniel Huntley To Land Near Roseburg.

The Roseburg Review says: "Alleging that several heirs of the late Daniel Huntley, of Coos County, claimed an interest in the land now occupied by the Oregon Soldiers' Home in West Roseburg, Attorney I. B. Riddle this morning received a letter from a Marshfield lawyer asking that the deed records of Douglas County be consulted with a view of establishing the claims of those interested. Attorney Riddle made a careful inspection of the records at the courthouse this morning, but was unable to find any deed or mortgage in favor of Daniel Huntley or his heirs. At one time Daniel Huntley owned about 500 acres of land lying to the north of the Umpqua River, but this was sold many years ago. A part of this tract is now utilized as a cemetery by the Masons of this city."

TO OPEN STORE HERE

E. M. Spaulding Brings Goods: Ready For Business This Week Is The Belief

E. M. Spaulding who two weeks ago bought the goods of the three Murphy-Westerberg stores, here, at Bandon and in Myrtle Point, returned this morning from Bandon and expects the goods from the two out of town stores will follow and he expects to engage in business perhaps by the latter part of this week.

Immediately after the purchase of the stores, Mr. Spaulding went to Portland, returning with his wife a few days ago. Today David Crookshank, owner of a 5, 10, and 15 cent business in Hood River arrived on the stage and will be here several days aiding Mr. Spaulding.

ADVERTISED LETTERS.

List of unclaimed letters remaining in the Marshfield, Oregon, Post-office for the week ending April 6, 1915. Persons calling for the same will please say advertised and pay one cent for each letter called for.

Bailey, C.
Clark, George C.
Casey, C. S.
Dressler, Frank.
Derby, Dr. W. S.
Dugan, J. F.
Earl, Fred.
Granist, Tony.
Hally, Miss Grace.
House, Jas. T. 2.
Johnson, Mrs. S. A.
Lofbek, John.
McAffy, Mrs. Bell.
Miller, Mrs. M. O.
Peaslee, W. H.
Rose, Mrs. G. B.
Simmons, Mrs. Earle.
Vine, Mr.
Wickliff, Miss Catherine, W. H.
W. B. CURTIS, P. M.

EAGLES BALL, Eagles Hall, Saturday night, Martin's Orchestra.

B. P. O. ELKS.

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T. B. JAMES, Sec.



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\$10 9x12 Crex Rugs, sale price	\$ 7.50	\$15 Ladies writing desk, sale price	\$10.50
26 quartered oak buffet, sale price	18.00	16 leather uphol'd rock'r, sale pr.	11.75
17 decorated dinner set, sale price	13.25	14 portable lamps, sale price	9.50
26 quartered oak chiffroner, sale price	18.50	15 dining table, sale price	11.50
15 oak library table, sale price	11.00	20 dining table, sale price	10.00

At this sale Arm Rockers, \$2.50; large size Library Tables, \$2.75; all Beds marked down. Ask for what you want or need and get our Removal Sale price on that particular article.



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