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CITY ROAD TAX

Some surprise was occasioned
last week when it was learned that
the cities of the county had over
\$1300 coming from the county on
the road mileage. At least one mill
is levied on all property in the
county each year for the purpose
of roads. Each city is a separate
road district and therefore is credited
with its part of the general
road tax.

PUD LEGISLATION

If present appearances may be
safely judged the legislation dealing
with the hydro electric conditions
in Oregon will be disappointing
to those who have a desire to
it is unlikely that a drastic power
business. That is, there will be no
public utility district without adequate
safeguards to the taxpayer.
A large group of those who a
few years ago were howling lustily
for free power without cost to the
taxpayers have come to feel that
unless care is exercised the taxpayer
will be stuck and have voiced
their thought vociferously that
it is unlikely that a drastic power
policy could obtain favor in either
house.

THE PETERS FAMILY

Henrich Peters was born in Han-
over, Germany in February, 1859
and still faintly remembers the war
of 1866 that was fought near his
home. When a young man he served
his time in the German army and
has to this day a picture of
himself and squad.
After marrying he worked in
his native land for a few years
and decided to bring his family
then composed of wife and three
children, to this country where sev-
eral residents of his homeland had
already settled. They arrived in
The Dalles the night of January 1,
1889 and before spring they were
settled on a pre-emption claim
south of Grass Valley. Within two
or three years he took up a home-
stead on which he still lives.

LEGISLATIVE HIGH-LIGHTS

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much from its ideas of the proprie-
ty of things.
Bigger things are coming in
now, and will continue for the re-
mainder of the session with the
PUD bills and the taxation meas-
ures gradually taking the lime-
light. It is still too early to tell
whether there will be new taxes or
not, that depending on the amount
of money that can be given to re-
lief and pensions from the regular
budget.
Taxpayers throughout the state
now have the opportunity to make
themselves heard in the matter of
taxes. If they want the regular
budget to supply relief needs

Statehouse Gossip

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Kansas where the plan was adopted
in 1933 a group of legislators with
the aid of a permanent staff of re-
search experts analyzes proposed
legislation sifts out the proposals
which it regards as worthy of at-
tention by the legislature and pre-
pares the necessary bills so that
they will be ready for introduc-
tion when the session convenes.
The plan is said to have greatly
expedited action on legislative
problems in the sunflower state.

Grass Valley News

The Mauph basket ball teams
motored here Friday night where
they played the Grass Valley
Tigers on the home floor. Grass
Valley's first team winning and the
second team losing.

Mr. and Mrs. Dell Olds had as
dinner guests Friday evening Mr.
and Mrs. Roy Powell and Dr. and
Mrs. C. L. Poley and daughter
Ruchel of Moro; Mr. and Mrs. Tom
Alley and Miss Jean Powell from
here.

Art Bibby went to Walla Walla,
Washington on business Friday re-
turning home Sunday.

The Book Worm club met at the
home of Mrs. C. A. Oestrich Fri-
day evening with ten members
present. Mrs. Harold Eakin gave
a book review on "Green Light" by
Douglas. Refreshments followed.

Jim Matthes of Kent was a vis-
itor here Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vern McGowan of
Pendleton are the parents of a son
born February 11, at the Pendleton
hospital.

Bruce and Lila Lee Alley were
visitors in The Dalles Saturday
evening.

J. R. Ferrington, Manager of
the Telephone company at The
Dalles and L. E. Clyde, district
traffic manager of Portland, called
at the local telephone office Mon-
day.

Art Justesen of Kent was a busi-
ness visitor here Saturday.

The Grass Valley town basketball
team motored to Rufus Thursday
evening, where they played the
Rufus team. Grass Valley winning
41 to 39.

Friends called on Mr. and Mrs.
L. D. May last Tuesday afternoon
at their ranch home to celebrat-
e their 55th wedding anniversary.
Cake and coffee was served to
about twenty-five.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Balzer had as
dinner guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs.
Gus Hartman and son Charles of
Wasco.

Clyde Davis was a Portland vis-
itor several days last week.

Mrs. McGinnis returned to her
home at Nyssa after spending two
weeks with her son and family
Mr. and Mrs. Arch Contrall. He
daughter, Mrs. Kendrick Dunlap
took her as far as Biggs Tuesday
Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Will had as
dinner guests Sunday, Mr. and
Mrs. Ray Blake of Moro and Mr.
and Mrs. Scott Fortner of Hood
River.

Arden Squire and Bill Baker
were in The Dalles Monday when
Mr. Baker consulted a physician.

Loy Cochran was up from Port-
land last Tuesday visiting at the
Eben Kee home. Mrs. Kee return-
ed to Portland with him to visit
with relatives.

Mrs. Matt Simon returned from
Portland Sunday after spend-
ing several days there visiting re-
latives.

Mrs. Art Bibby entertained some
friends Monday afternoon honor-
ing her daughter Janice on her 4th
birthday. Games were played fol-
lowed by refreshments of cake and
ice cream.

Mrs. Herman Schilling entertain
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Premature publicity appears to

have discouraged a move to require
cats to wear a bell as a protection
to birds. The measure admittedly
contains much real merit, is known
to have been drafted but newspa-
per publicity aroused so much ad-
verse comment and ridicule that
its sponsors now deny any knowl-
edge of such a proposal.

The capitol reconstruction com-
mission will be allowed until Aug-
ust 31 to wind up its affairs if the
recommendations of the senate com-
mittee on capitol reconstruction
meets with the legislative approval.
This is the extension of one
month over the original plan to
liquidate the affairs of this com-
mission by July 31.

Souvenir-hunters continue their
acts of vandalism around the new
capitol. Not a day passes but that
something is carried away by per-
sons visiting the building. Locks
are unwreathed from the doors in
the rest rooms, a large brass plate
weighing several pounds was taken
from the floor of one of the eleva-
tors. Nothing appears to be sac-
red to the vandals none of whom
has as yet been apprehended.

Promoters of an electrical vot-
ing device have been exhibiting
the machine in the state house
this past week. The device by
which the lawmakers would be able
to register their vote by the simple
expedient of pressing a button at
their desk would cost the state be-
tween \$50,000 and \$80,000 instal-
ment in the House and Senate. Pres-
ent indications are for "no sale" of
the machine to the present session.

A group of senators and repre-
sentatives are sponsoring a pro-
posed constitutional amendment to
remove the restriction which now
limits the state treasurer and sec-
retary of state to two consecutive
terms.

Senator Kenin of Multnomah
author of a number of measures to
make life more pleasant for public
employees has now introduced a
bill providing for a 38-hour week
for state employees. Under Kenin's
proposal the work day would start
at 9:00 a. m. and close at 5:00 p. m.
with Saturday afternoons off.

Senator Strayer of Baker, Eyar
of Multnomah, Booth of Linn, Bal-
entine of Klamath and Dunn of
Jackson constitute the legislative
interim committee whose duty it
will be to pass on appointments to
the board of higher education, the
milk control board and one or two
other boards between sessions of
the legislature.

Encouragement of vocational
education is proposed in a bill spon-
sored by Senator Lee providing
for the creation of county board
for vocational education with pow-
er to levy up to one mill in tax
for support of vocational educa-
tional schools.

JOB PLACEMENTS

January placements reported to
the unemployment compensation
commission by the Oregon employ-
ment service were 19 per cent more
numerous in December, officials an-
nounced. A total of 3233 jobs were
filled.

The Dalles, covering Sherman
Wasco, Gilliam, Wheeler and Jeff-
erson counties accounted for 103
or 3.2 per cent, of the state total.

Eureka Lodge No. 121 A-F & A-M
Meets on the 1st and
3rd Thursday eve-
nings of each month.
Visiting members cor-
dially invited to meet
with us.

A. B. Christianson W. M.
C. V. Belknap, Secy.
Moro Lodge No. 113, I.O.O.F.
Moro, Oregon
Meets 1st and 3rd
Tuesdays in the
I.O.O.F. hall Tra-
sient and visiting
brothers are cordi-
ally invited to meet
with us.

Ve non Miller, N. G.
Joe Truitt, Secretary.
Bethlehem Chapter, No. 78 O.E.S.
Moro, Oregon
Meets Every Second and
Fourth Thursdays in each
Month. Visiting members
Invited.

Rose Amidon, W.M.
Ruth Sparling, Secretary.
Lupine Rebekah Lodge No. 116
Moro, Oregon
Meets 2d & 4th Tues-
day of each month.
Visiting members wel-
come.

Rebekah Wilson, N.G.
Florence Johnston, Secy.

SUMMONS

Cause No. 2518
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON
FOR SHERMAN COUNTY

SHERMAN COUNTY, a Political Subdivision of the State of Oregon
Plaintiff,
vs.
Otis Alley Estate, Wasco American Legion, Moro American Legion,
George P. Amo, Jessie Amos, Emil Andersen, Ida M. Andrews, G. T.
and Ida M. Andrews, G. T. Andrews, James C. Ashley, Andrew Bar-
nett Estate, George Baker, Emaline Belshee, John Biggs Estate, Eva
Pearl Binder, Mary E. Booth, J. W. Booth Estate, J. H. Bottemiller,
J. N. Boyd, S. P. Brisbane Estate, Mrs. C. J. Bright, Mary K. Britton,
M. A. Brock Estate, Brugman Timber Company, Mrs. L. A. Bruley,
Elva A. Bryant, S. O. Clodfelter, B. F. Cochran Estate, George E.
Cocsen, Bert S. Cox, George W. Coy, Hattie Craig, George N. Crosfield
Estate, Pierre Cutchierre, J. E. Davis, W. K. Deal, C. E. Deal, Juanita
De Foe, Nancy J. Dunlap, Flora Dunlap, S. P. Brisbane Estate, East-
ern Oregon Trading Company, J. W. Eaton, J. M. Eddy, R. G. Ed-
wards, J. A. Ellis, Gertrude Epperson, Ernest Eslinger, M. Estey, Roy
Feeley, Myrtle Walker Fenwick, Harvey J. Ferrell, Nellie Dingle
Fields, Nellie Dingle Fields, T. L. Fields, I. E. Fields, Fred R. For-
tner, F. E. Fortner, E. R. French, Hattie E. French, The First National
Bank of Kelso, Grant Garland, W. A. Gentry, Sadie Gideon Estate,
R. J. Ginn Estate, Mary Girt, Ira J. Goin, Ray Hansel, C. A. Harper,
Heath and Sons, Arthur L. Hellwell, Godfrey Hendricks, Bertha Glenn
Heroux, Maggie Higginbotham Estate, Herbert Hilly L. S. Hines,
James Hoag, Etta Hoag, Walter E. Holman, Charles and Anna Hull,
J. K. Irby, Lucy Isaacs, Emil R. Jaekel, Joe James, John Day Power
Company, Ella Jones, John Karlson, Grace L. Kelley, W. A. Kentner
Estate, H. Laughter, Mary Leonard Estate, May Lowden, Emma E.
Lucas Estate, H. B. Lusk, Charles McAllister, Charles McAllister, P.
W. McDonald Estate, A. W. McFarland, M. McKenzie, Leroy H. Mar-
tin, Glenn E. Maurer, Jessica Maurer, Elsie L. Miller, Bertha F. Moon,
Moro State Bank, Edgar L. and James A. Muckle, Natatores, Inc.,
Emmett Olds Estate, L. A. and Ida Olds, Dean Olds, D. C. O'Reilly,
Anna Packard, Margaret W. Peetz and W. C. Bryant Estate, Ronald
A. Perrault, George S. Pershin Estate, Ruby B. Petyts, Guy W. Pick-
ard, Russell Piersoll, Fred and Genevieve Pickett, Anna Provost, E. P.
Rich, Mrs. B. J. Robertson, L. W. Ross, Bertha Sagave Estate, Andy
Sandvig, Andy Sandvig, Emma Sayrs, Louis Schadewits Estate,
Joseph Scheurer, T. E. Sink Estate, Lottie Sirginson Estate, Laura
Smith, Mamie E. Spoonmore, Earl D. Stack, Zoe S. Thompson, K. F.
Thompson, Alice M. Thorpe, Laura Tomlin Estate, United States Trust
Company, Jennie Van Gilder Estate, Jennie Van Gilder Estate, Jennie
Van Gilder Estate, H. A. Van Gilder, J. C. Freeman, Virginia A.
Mo se, Farmers Elevator and Supply Company, Henry Schadewits,
Thomas Silverthorn, C. H. Van Hutton, B. M. Vanlandingham, Mary
E. Wall Estate, C. E. Ward, Wasco Motor Service, E. L. Weld, E. L.
Weld, E. L. Weld, H. H. and Cora White, Wesley J. Wilde, Wiley,
Hannafin and Walsh, James Woods Estate, Nell J. Woods Estate, and
all persons, corporations, known or unknown, claiming any right,
title to or interest in any of the real estate hereinafter described,
Defendants.

To each of the defendants above named, and each and every per-
son owning or claiming to own or having or claiming to have any in-
terest whatsoever in the hereinafter described real property.

IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF OREGON:

You, and each of you, hereby are notified that Sherman County,
a duly organized county of the State of Oregon, is the owner and
holder of certain certificates of delinquency issued on the 1st day of
October, 1938, to said county by its Sheriff and Tax Collector, said
certificates, in the aggregate amount of \$18,881.89 and numbered
from 1 to 217, include all the real properties appearing on the tax
rolls of Sherman County on October 1, 1938, the date of the issuance
of said certificates of delinquency, upon which taxes have been de-
linquent for more than three years from the earliest date of such
delinquency and two annual instalments of such delinquent taxes
have not been paid in compliance with Chapter 5, Oregon Laws, Special
Session, 1935, as amended by Chapter 96, Oregon Laws, 1937,
and against which no other valid and subsisting certificate or certifi-
cates of delinquency are outstanding. The total amount shown by
said certificates of delinquency to be due and owing against each
parcel of real property described therein includes all taxes, 1937
and prior years, which were unpaid and delinquent at the date of the
issuance of said certificates. Such certificates so issued to said county
were filed by the Sheriff and Tax Collector in the office of the
county Clerk on the 5th day of December, 1938, and constitute and
are a public record open to the inspection of all persons interested
therein.

The numbers of each of said certificates of delinquency, the
names of the person or persons appearing on the latest tax roll
in the hands of the Sheriff and Tax Collector of Sherman County at
the date of the first publication of this summons as the owner or
owners of said properties, and if unknown, so stated, followed by a
description of each of the separate parcels of property, together with
the total amount of delinquent taxes for 1937 and all prior years with
interest thereon to October 1st, 1938, the date of the issuance of said
certificates of delinquency, are as follows:

Table with columns: Certificate number, Name of Owners and Description of Property, Sec. Lot, Township N or S, Range E, W, M., Total Delinquent Taxes Including Interest to October 1, 1938. Rows include Otis Alley Estate, American Legion, George P. Amo, etc.

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