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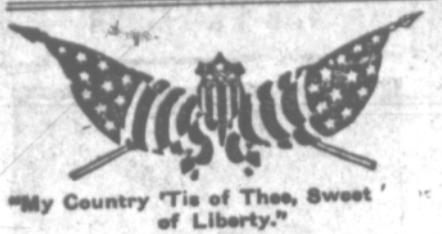
MORO, OREGON.

Official Paper for Sherman County.

FRIDAY, November 15, 1918

Entered as second class matter at the post office at Moro, Oregon, July 25, 1891.

C. L. IRELAND, Manager.



"My Country 'Tis of Thee, Sweet of Liberty."

Cheap Feed Ration for Stock

A mixture of barley and cottonseed meal is an excellent substitute for bran and shorts—mill run—so extensively used as stock feed and now difficult to obtain.

"This mixture costs more than the wheat feeds but its feeding value, pound for pound, is 18 1/2 percent greater."

"It also provides greater certainty of securing uniform value than the mixtures of bran and shorts sold by the flouring mills as mill run," says E. B. Fitts, extension specialist in dairying at the O. A. C.

County Peace Officers Elected

Justice court officers elected at the last election for Sherman county were as follows:

Rufus L. B. Payne, justice; Hugh Christman, constable.

Wasco and Klondike: A. B. Potter, justice; A. S. Johnson, constable.

Moro, Monkland, and Erskine: W. I. Westfield, justice; Gus Smith, constable.

Kent: J. K. Irby, justice; Dick Able, constable.

More Celebrate War Armistice

Moro and surrounding country celebrated the ending and winning of the world war by the allies last Monday evening in right royal style. All afternoon cars were swiftly skipping around town with tin cans and other noise producing instruments tied to their tail as a prelude of the evening's sport.

A big bonfire of wood and dry boards was built in front of the Moro Trading Company and about 8:30 soaked with oil and touched off. The evening had been cold, but the huge fire soon made the intersection as warm as a summer day—to those in the front rank.

The evening program began with prayer by Rev. B. T. Smith, followed by an address by Rev. DeLong; then community singing and enthusiastic up and down the streets and the fire.

After the band paraded through the town by automobile and then by city and county bands, the fire was extinguished.

Bill Johnson and a crew of effigy makers had been busy the greater part of the day in building images of Kaiser Bill, the ex-emperor of Germany; his son the Crown Prince, who at the beginning of the war had repeatedly said that "waging war was fun;" and their old stand-by Windy Hindenburg; these were tossed to the flames as they had in the earlier part of the war ordered Belgian victims done in order to frighten the balance of the world and which had only ultimately resulted in their own down fall.

The crowd did not disperse until a late hour, satisfied that this time there would be no "morning after" to tell them that the news was faked. Probably because of this the celebration had a more intensive feeling to it than the previous occasion of last week.

Be Chary of Taking Advice. A man who succeeds must be careful whose advice he takes, and he must have enthusiasm enough to rise above the advice of those who do not know as much about the matter as he does.

Minneapolis Journal.

'Tis Passing Strange

Wow! Just think of it! We had the Sherman County Observer ordered stopped the day after election by a republican who considered that in the issue previous to the election we had been unfair in our presentation of facts political. The said republican claimed that Woodrow Wilson was the best president ever had by the United States, bar none, not even Abraham Lincoln, Tom Jefferson, or George Washington, and that said republican had voted for Mr. Wilson. As the war industry board has ordered all newspapers to curtail the use of news print we most gladly acquiesced in the mandate of the thoroughly misguided and biased republican, especially as a good scout of a democrat high in party councils in Sherman county had told us just previous that the republicans had done just right and that the democrats had only gotten what was coming to them. Considering that the democrats captured two elective offices in this county and were given a third we think that, as a party, they were well treated.

Notice of Estimated Expenses and Receipts, and the Proposed Tax Levy for the City of Moro, Sherman County, Oregon, for the Year 1919

Notice is hereby given that on Monday, November 25, 1918, the Common Council of the City of Moro, Sherman county, Oregon, will be in session at the Council Room at the hour of eight o'clock p.m., and any taxpayer of the City of Moro will be heard in favor of or against the proposed tax levy as hereinafter itemized.

ITEMIZED BUDGET

Estimated Expenses
Salaries of City Engineer, Marshal, Recorder, and Treasurer 2500
Oil and distillate for pumping plant 3000
Miscellaneous labor 400
Materials, supplies and miscellaneous 1870
Payment of bond and interest due June 1, 1919 1360
Drilling well now under contract 1000
Total amount of expense for 1919 10,150

Estimated Receipts
Water and light receipts 6000
Licenses 100
Miscellaneous 50
Total amount of receipts for 1919 6150

Amount necessary to raise by special city tax 5000

The estimated assessed valuation of the City of Moro is \$278,510. It is proposed to levy a tax amounting to \$6000 to cover the excess of the expenses over receipts as shown by the above budget.

Dated at Moro, Oregon, this 4th day of November, 1918.

L. Barnum, Mayor
H. U. Martin,
C. L. Poley,
W. S. Powell,
L. W. Rose,
N. W. Thompson,
A. M. Wright,
Councilmen.
Attest: F. E. Fagan, City Recorder.

Always read the Observer.

Notice of Estimated and Proposed Tax Levy for Sherman County, Oregon, for the year 1919.

Notice is hereby given that on Monday the 4th day of December, 1918, the County Court of Sherman county, Oregon, will be in regular session at the county court house in Moro, Oregon, at the hour of 10 o'clock a.m. and any taxpayer of Sherman county, Oregon, will be heard in favor of or against the proposed tax levy as hereinafter itemized.

Itemized Statement:

Prepared in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 234 of the 1913 Oregon Session Laws, showing an estimate of the amounts of money required to be raised by taxation by Sherman county, Oregon, for the year 1919, to maintain each department of the county government, county office or county officer, and for each county improvement, the maintenance of each county building, structure, or institution, and for the salary of each county officer or employee, and for the improvement and maintenance of public highways, roads and bridges, and for other contemplated expenditures.

Also showing the probable receipts of Sherman county, Oregon, from sources other than direct taxation upon real and personal property for the year 1919 and also the approximate amount of the balance of the various funds of Sherman county, Oregon, upon January 1, 1919.

Proposed appropriations for the following expenses and amount:

County Judge \$450
County Clerk 200
County Assessor 1500
County Auditor 900
County Engineer 900
County Recorder 200
County Sheriff 1800
County Treasurer 400
County Surveyor 200
County Health Officer 100
County Jail 150
County Prisoners 1000
County Physician 400
County Burial 100
County School 100
County Library 100
County Children's Industrial Fair 450
County Institute 150
County Widows Pension 250
County Fair 4000
County Agriculturalist 1500
County Circuit Court 1000
County Witnesses and Jurors 100
County Stationery 25
County Meals for Jurors 50
County Bailiffs 80
County Justice Courts 100
County Schools 9000
County High School Tuition 2400
County School Board Convention 60
County State of Oregon 35000
County Auditor 250
County Grand total 71920

Income from sources other than

Excuse and Failure Synonymous. An excuse is an admission of failure. It is a plea for leniency, for suspension of sentence. It is a step toward loss of self-confidence. It is the beginning of life failure. And that man or woman who expects success to crown his or her old age should go to any legitimate extreme to prevent the possibility of having to offer excuses for failure in execution. Excuses are the aliases of bankrupt lives. Achievement is difficult, but profitable in its large and gainful returns.—Milwaukee Journal.

taxation:
Approximate balance in general fund 9800
Fees from County Clerks office 1900
One half of bounty from state 250
Total amount to be raised by taxation 60170
Roads and Highways
Salary of road master, laborers, repairs and improvements and all bridges under 10 feet wide to be paid from road fund 27500
Bridges
Bridges over 10 feet to be built from bridge fund 25000
Increase in salaries 1000
Grand Total: Amount to be raised by taxation for State, County, School's, Roads and Bridges 113670

It is estimated that the amount necessary to be raised by taxation is \$113,670. Dated at Moro, Oregon, this 7th day of November, 1918.
Fred Krusow, County Judge
R. J. Ginn, County Commissioner
Attest: K. A. McPherson, Clerk.

Notice of School Meeting

Notice is hereby given to the legal voters of School District No. 17 of Sherman county, state of Oregon, that a school meeting of said district will be held at the school house on the 23d day of November, 1918, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon to vote on the proposition of levying a special district tax, and to elect a clerk for the remainder of the school year.

The total amount of money needed by the district during the fiscal year beginning on June 30th, 1919, and ending on June 30th, 1920, is estimated in the following budget and includes the amounts to be received from the county school fund, state school fund, special district tax, and all other moneys of the district:

BUDGET
Estimated Expenditures
Teachers' salaries \$7775
Furniture 500
Apparatus and supplies, such as maps, chalk, erasers, curtains, stoves, etc. 1500
Library books 150
Flags 15
Repairs of schoolhouses, outbuildings or fences 1500
Improving grounds 1500
Playground equipment 50
Janitor's wages 700
Janitor's supplies 50
Fuel 400
Light 50
Water 100
Clerk's salary 25
Postage and stationery 25
For the payment of bonded debt and interest thereon, issued under Sections 117, 144 to 148, and 422 of the School Laws of Oregon, 1917 1250
Total estimated amount of money to be expended for all purposes during the year 15,590

Estimated Receipts
From county school fund during the coming school year 1200
From state school fund during the coming school year 300
Estimated amount to be received from all other sources during the coming school year 1500
Total estimated receipts, not including the money to be received from the tax which it is proposed to vote 3000

Recapitulation
Total estimated expenses for the year 15,590
Total estimated receipts not including the tax to be voted 3000
Balance, amount to be raised by district tax 12,590

Dated this 8th day of November, 1918.
R. J. Ginn,
Chairman Board of Directors.
Attest: F. E. Fortner, District Clerk

Notice of Publication

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at The Dalles, Oregon, October 31, 1918

Notice is hereby given that Franklin Patterson, of Mikko, Oregon, who, on February 24, 1914, made H.E. 012497 and October 13, 1914, made additional entry No. 013988 for section 17, ne 1/4, s 1/4, nw 1/4 sec 18, township 1 south, range 20 east Willamette meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before J. D. Weed, United States Commissioner, at Condon, Oregon, on the 24th day of December, 1918. Claimant names as witnesses: E. H. Bloomingdale, Samuel London, F. R. Bloomingdale, R. W. Potter, all of Mikko, Oregon. H. Frank Woodcock, Register.

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H. U. Martin, Manager, Moro



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COME IN AND LET'S TALK IT OVER