

NOTICE OF ESTIMATED AND PROPOSED TAX LEVY FOR SHERMAN COUNTY FOR THE YEAR 1926.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that on Wednesday December 16th, 1925, the Budget Committee of 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 or against the proposed tax levy as hereinafter itemized.

ITEMIZED STATEMENT.

Prepared in accordance with the provisions of chapter 118 of the 1921 General Laws of Oregon, showing an estimate of the amounts of money required to be raised by taxation by Sherman County, Oregon, for the year 1926, 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 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 1926, and also the approximate amount of the balance of the various funds of Sherman County, Oregon, upon January 1st, 1926.

Estimate of expenses during and proposed appropriation for	1923	1924	1925	1926
County Judge	450.00	450.00	450.00	450.00
County Clerk	1620.00	1620.00	1620.00	1620.00
County Sheriff	1800.00	1800.00	1800.00	1800.00
County Treasurer	600.00	600.00	600.00	600.00
County Assessor	1920.00	1920.00	1920.00	1920.00
County Coroner	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00
County Health Officer	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00
County Court House	1500.00	1500.00	1500.00	1500.00
County Jail	150.00	300.00	300.00	300.00
County Prisoners	2000.00	2000.00	2000.00	2000.00
County Physician	300.00	300.00	300.00	300.00
County School Superintendent	1680.00	1680.00	1680.00	1680.00
County Roadmaster	2000.00	2000.00	2000.00	2000.00
County Highway Commission	3760.83	3760.83	3760.83	3760.83
Totals	180941.36	169021.00	152711.83	154438.50
Income from other sources than taxation:				
Approximate balance in general fund	3000.00	1000.00	1000.00	1000.00
Fees from County Clerk's office	1800.00	1800.00	1800.00	1800.00
Totals	4800.00	2800.00	2800.00	2800.00
Total amount to be raised by taxation	176141.36	166221.00	149911.83	151638.50
Roads and Highways:				
Salary Roadmaster, laborers improvements, repairs and highways	20000.00	20000.00	20000.00	20000.00
Bridges over 10 feet to be built from bridge fund	10000.00	15000.00	10000.00	10000.00
DeMoss Memorial Park	1000.00	1000.00	750.00	500.00
Interest on Bonds	10000.00	10000.00	10000.00	10000.00
Grand Total	217141.36	212701.00	190661.83	192138.50
Sherman County Indebtedness—Bond				300000.00

Dated at Moro, Oregon this 10th day of November, 1925.

E. D. McKee, Chairman
A. A. Dunlap, Secretary
Fred Kruow
O. L. Belah
C. H. Howell
Budget Committee

ORIGINAL ESTIMATE AND ACCOUNTING SHEET

of the city of Moro, Oregon, for the years 1922, 1923, 1924, 1925, 1926. This original estimate is made in compliance with section 231-A of the laws of 1921 and shows in parallel columns the unit costs of the several services, materials and supplies for the three fiscal years next preceding the current year, the expenditures and budget allowances for the first six months of the current year and the budget allowance for the year 1926.

Detailed Expenditures For Three Preceding Years	Budget Allowance for 1st six months 1926			1924	1923	1922
	Estimated Expenditures for year 1926	Expenditures for 1st six months 1926	Budget Allowance for 1st six months 1926			
Salaries	1620.00	810.00	810.00	1620.00	1620.00	1838.31
Labor						5.50
Office expenses						191.60
Water fund, material and supplies						2629.75
Library fund	125.00	60.00	62.50	277.16	1077.06	705.24
Emergencies	600.00	275.00	500.00	1506.87	1077.06	3174.46
Water	2500.00	992.50	1325.00			1462.50
Park sewer			25.00	10.80	313.90	610.00
Park sewer Ext. No. 1				7.50	719.52	517.50
County sewer					5000.00	1000.00
Retirement of bonds	3000.00	1500.00	1000.00	3000.00	5000.00	4531.47
Bond interest	2070.00	1518.00	1085.00	2901.00	2631.59	1542.00
Water fund to secure water					200.00	1800.00
Sewer system and tank						
Street				118.30		
Totals	9915.00	5155.50	4757.50	9441.43	14565.67	18544.37

I, J. L. Searcy, do hereby certify that the above expenditures for the year 1925 was prepared by me and that the expenditures and budget allowance for the six months of the current year and the expenditures for the three fiscal years preceding the current year, as shown above, have been compiled from the records in my charge, and to the best of my knowledge and belief are true and correct copies thereof.

J. L. SEARCY, City Recorder

Hilton's Trial Jury Convicts and The Seeder Jury Acquits

The second trial of the State vs. Hilton went to trial early Monday morning when the November term of circuit court was convened by Judge Parker.

In the second trial of Hilton, the defendant was represented by Attorney Frank Dick of The Dalles and District Attorney Wade was assisted by Attorney VanVactor of The Dalles. The following jury was selected and sworn in by 12:30 Monday noon: D. L. Reynolds, L. E. Langford, J. F. Royce, L. B. Payne, Fred Hennagin, A. J. Murray, F. M. Scott, H. D. Prondfoot, E. R. McMillin, C. A. Harper, Wiley McDonald, and Leonard Maurus. The state exercised three preemptory challenges and the defense four.

The legal status of the Hilton case hinged upon admissibility of a diary as legal evidence. Quite lengthy argument was made by attorneys for both sides as to how this diary was gotten possession of by the prosecution. Judge Parker finally ruled that its use was legal evidence. The main objection to use of this diary as evidence seemed to be because it was secured on a Sunday from a place of business without a search warrant.

The case went to the jury at 10:00 p. m. Wednesday. The jury reported back to the court once for further instructions. Six ballots were taken, the first result standing 6 to 6. The final ballot was had at 12:30, after 2 1/2 hours deliberation.

Hilton was sentenced Thursday morning to an indeterminate period in the penitentiary not to exceed three years. His attorney filed notice of appeal and bail was set by Judge Parker at \$5000 and Sheriff Chrisman requested not to deliver Hilton to the penitentiary authorities before five days pending perfecting his bail.

The trial of the State vs. J. H. Seeder, charged with violation of the prohibition laws, went to trial Thursday before the following jury: H. D. Prondfoot, A. J. Murray, George Fox, Fred Hennagin, John McClure, D. L. Reynolds, O. R. Knapp, W. E. Newton, D. L. Hull, W. J. Haggerty, A. T. Holt and F. M. Scott. This case hinged upon the weight of evidence and whether what was called "mash" by the officers who participated in the raid on the place in question would be the sort of stuff that could be used for the manufacture of intoxicating liquor.

Although the officers seemed to have very little doubt as to the quality of the "mash" the jury did not consider the evidence presented as being sufficient and a verdict of not guilty was returned within 45 minutes after being given to them for consideration. Four ballots were taken by the jury, the first standing eight for acquittal and four for conviction.

Seeder is yet interested in a second case before the circuit court, arising from the same raid. This is an appeal from the justice court at Wasco from sentence of a fine of \$750 and six months in jail for illegal possession of a still. This may come to trial next Monday.

Friday the time of the circuit court was given to consideration of what is known as the Hartley-Walton road case, concerning the location of a county road east of Kent. This matter has been before the county court for probably more than a year and now gets into the circuit court upon an appeal from a decision made by the county court.

This term of circuit court may be carried well into next week as numerous cases are yet to come before the court unless carried over to a new term by consent of both parties to the litigation.

Moro Lodge I. O. O. F. started upon their fall work last Monday evening by conferring the initiatory degree upon two candidates. Numbered among the visitors present were M. M. Saunders of Walla Walla; J. W. Cody of Florence, Kentucky, and delegations from the lodges at Wasco, Grass Valley and Kent. The first degree will be conferred next Monday at which time a larger attendance is expected to be present.

Sweet apple cider for mince meat for sale at Moro Confectionery.

How did they serve refreshments before lettuce leaves were invented?

There's small choice. When a road is freed of all other hazards, there's a speed cop.

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The speed of your car depends on whether you are bragging to a friend or explaining to a judge.

The groom at the wedding, like an automobile engine, is unseen but very necessary to make the thing go.

Used Delco electric light plant in good condition for sale cheap by R. M. Schadewitz, Moro Garage.

That "He Who Hesitates is Lost" was not written of the wise man who hesitates at railroad crossings.

Henry Ford and Rockefeller, the richest men we know—one makes a little silver and the other makes it go.

Making love is about like learning to drive an auto. You never will learn just by watching some one else.

Report of Proceedings of the County Court

NOVEMBER TERM

The following bills were received, approved and ordered paid by warrant drawn by the county clerk upon the general fund of the county:

E. D. McKee, salary county judge	37.50
L. L. Peetz, county commissioner fees	10.00
A. A. Dunlap, county commissioner fees	9.80
Hugh Chrisman, salary county sheriff	150.00
Hugh Chrisman, traveling expense account sheriff	40.00
Hugh Chrisman, expense account board of prisoners	16.57
E. R. Hickson, salary deputy sheriff	125.00
Mary L. Hoskinson, salary county clerk	135.00
Jessica Hoskinson, salary deputy clerk	120.00
Margaret Peetz, salary county assessor	160.00
Margaret Peetz, expense account trip to state tax meeting	25.00
Jan. Stewart, salary stock inspector	25.00
A. M. Young, salary county treasurer	50.00
A. M. Zevely, salary county superintendent	140.00
A. M. Zevely, traveling expense account school superintendent	40.00
C. L. Poley, salary county physician	20.00
C. L. Poley, fees account Board of Health	2.75
W. E. Tate, fees account Board of Health	1.50
L. L. Peetz, car hire	10.00
Mrs. Hedrick, county charge house janitor	20.00
Mrs. Anna Eddy, court house janitor	35.00
F. D. Antrim, state inspector weights and measures	4.58
Glass & Prudhomme, supplies for county officers	36.82
C. L. Montgomery, account drayage	4.00
Geo. B. Bourhill, account stamps	10.70
Mrs. A. J. Murray, account care of Dickson	30.00
Wasco County, account care of W. W. Laver	60.75
Underwood typewriter company, ribbons	5.00
Eastern Oregon Land Co. damages account Lone Rock road	25.00
A. M. Young, expense account county treasurer	.75
J. A. Smith, justice fees account Seeder case	10.00
Sherman County Fair Association, insurance on buildings	222.50

BUDGET COMMITTEE REPORT

Notice of estimated expenses and receipts and the proposed tax levy for the City of Moro, Sherman County, Oregon, for the year 1926. Notice is hereby given that in pursuance to a legislative act approved by the Governor February 15, 1921, that on Tuesday, November 24, 1925, the Budget Committee of the City of Moro, Sherman County, Oregon, will be in session at the city hall at the hour of 8:00 o'clock p. m. and that any taxpayer of the City of Moro will be heard in favor or against the proposed tax levy as hereinafter itemized.

ITEMIZED BUDGET	
Recorders salary	\$ 240.00
Treasurers salary	180.00
Marshals salary	1200.00
Library fund	125.00
Emergencies	600.00
Water fund	2500.00
Retirement of bonds	3000.00
Interest on bonds	2070.00
Total expenditures	\$9915.00
Estimated receipts, water fund	4400.00
Total amount to be raised by taxation for all purposes for the year 1926	\$5515.00

Dated at Moro, Oregon, this 6th day of November, 1925.

J. E. Coleman, Chairman Budget Committee
J. F. Foss, Secretary Budget Committee

A. M. HICKS

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