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KLAMATH FALLS, OREGON
MONDAY, MAY 20, 1913
The Herald

Date	Max.	Min.	Weather
1	48	36	Clear
2	59	36	Clear
3	61	38	Clear
4	68	38	Clear
5	71	42	Clear
6	77	40	Clear
7	75	45	Clear
8	67	40	Pt. Cl'dy
9	57	40	Pt. Cl'dy
10	56	38	Pt. Cl'dy
11	55	38	Pt. Cl'dy
12	50	31	Cloudy
13	53	30	Clear
14	52	29	Pt. Cl'dy
15	60	44	Cloudy
16	67	31	Clear
17	67	31	Clear
18	65	44	Pt. Cl'dy
19	61	37	Clear

MODEL VOTING ON IN DENVER

BALLOT BOX STUFFING IS A THING OF THE PAST, ACCORDING TO FRAMERS OF GRAND JUNCTION SYSTEM

United Press Service
DENVER, May 20.—The first election to be held in a metropolitan city under the "Grand Junction" form of commission government and the institution of a form of electing municipal officials, which, it is declared, will absolutely eliminate all chances of "slates" by political machines, is in progress here today.

The mayoralty form of government was abolished, to take effect June 1, when the officials elected today will be sworn into office. Although only six places were to be filled, there were 136 candidates whose names appeared on the ballots today.

From Keeley Curer to Revenue Agent



Col. W. H. Osborne of North Carolina can't get away from whisky—not that he takes it inside. But much of his life has been spent with it about him, and he is going to spend four years more surrounded by it. In fact, he is to be the most important whisky man in the United States. For many years the colonel, unlike many other North Carolina colonels, spent his time trying to cure those whom the whisky habit had gripped so strongly that they could not break away. In other words, he was head of the Keeley cure establishment of his state. Now he has stepped into the job of commissioner of internal revenue, and he will spend his time collecting the federal tax on whisky and fighting the moonshiners of his own and some other states.

Tells Who is Responsible For Tax Levy of the County

County Judge Worden Submits Report of Expert Accountant Showing That County Levy is Less Than Half of Entire Taxes on Property in the City

To the Voters and Tax Payers of Klamath County:
I am submitting herewith a statement of the tax levy for 1913 for Klamath County, prepared by Mr. C. L. Parrish, Accountant, who is now expending the books for Klamath County.

There has been much talk occasioned by the misrepresentations of those who are seeking my recall, that taxes are high and that it is the fault of the County Judge. If you will read the statement carefully you will note that only a part of the taxes which you pay are incurred by the County Court. Incorporated towns pay no road taxes.

You will note in following the statement that the total levy for Klamath Falls is 24.65 mills, nearly 2 1/2 per cent. Of this amount the County Court has to do with only 15.6 mills, leaving a difference of 19.05 mills which was levied by the City Council and the City School Board, of which Mr. Frank Ira White my opponent, is a member.

Out of the 15.6 mills levied by the County Court, 1.1 mills is a state levy, leaving 14.5 mills which the County has levied for county purposes. You will note the same applies to Merrill and Bonanza, other incorporated towns.

The road tax of 6.4 mills is paid by property outside of the incorporated limits, and incorporated towns have nothing to do therewith. My opponents have circulated that Klamath Falls was paying taxes toward the special road fund. This is not true and never has been, except when the General Fund was used for that purpose. In that case the incorporated towns paid their proportion.

I have had this statement prepared so that some of the misrepresentations which have been made relative to taxes might be cleared away.

The only purposes for which the County Court has levied taxes are for the General Fund, School Fund, School Library High School Fund, County Library Fund, and New Court House Fund and Roads.

You will notice that the tax for Klamath Falls City and Special School is 19.5 mills alone, or considerably in excess of the levy for the entire county, excepting roads.

In conclusion, I am willing to admit any part that I may have had in the levy of taxes which are stated above, but I do not want to be charged with any more than I am entitled to.

Respectfully Submitted,
WM. S. WORDEN
County Judge

Tax Levy for 1913, for Klamath Co. Showing County, State, Road and all special school and city levies, and amount of total levy for each city and district.

State purpose	1.10	mills
County General	7.00	mills
School	2.56	mills
School Library	.03	mills
High School	1.25	mills
County Library	.23	mills
New Court House	2.50	mills

Total General	15.60	mills
Roads	6.40	mills

Total County 22.00 mills

The following levies were made by incorporated cities and towns:

Klamath Falls	19.05	mills
Merrill	10.00	mills
Bonanza	3.00	mills

Property within the limits of cities and towns are not subject to county Road Tax.

Therefore, the total levy within the several cities and towns would include only the General County and State, Special city or town, and special school district.

Property within the city limits of Klamath Falls, is subject to, viz:—

County General	15.60	mills
Town	19.00	mills
Special School	9.00	mills

Total 24.65 mills nearly three and one-half per cent. Property within the town limits of Merrill, viz:

County General	15.60	mills
Town	10.00	mills
Special School	14.00	mills

Total 39.60 mills or nearly four per cent. Property within the town limits of Bonanza, viz:

County General	15.60	mills
Town	2.00	mills
Special School	6.00	mills

Total 23.60 mills

or nearly two and one-half per cent. Property within the limits of School District No. 1, outside the City of Klamath Falls, carries a levy of, viz:

County General	15.60	mills
Roads	6.40	mills
Special School	9.00	mills

Total 31.00 mills

Property within the limits of School District No. 28, outside the limits of Merrill, carry a levy of, viz:

County General	15.60	mills
Roads	6.40	mills
Special School	14.00	mills

Total 36.00 mills

Property within the limits of School District No. 2, and outside the limits of the town of Bonanza, carries a levy of, viz:

County General	15.60	mills
Roads	6.40	mills
Special School	6.00	mills

Total 28.00 mills

All property within Klamath county, lying outside of the limits of incorporated cities or towns, would, therefore, be subject to the county general levy of 15.6 mills and road levy of 6.4 mills, making a total of 22 mills on the dollar, to which must be added the levy of school districts for special and bond purposes.

The following tax was levied by school districts boards and certified up to the county court, viz:

School District No. 1	1 mill for bond and 8 mills general.
School District No. 2	1 mill for bond and 5 mills general.
School District No. 3	2 mills general.
School District No. 4	1 mill for bond.
School District No. 5	1 mill for bond.
School District No. 6	1 mill for bond and 4 mills general.
School District No. 7	7 mills general.
School District No. 8	1 mill general.
School District No. 11	1 mill for bond.
School District No. 12	4 mills general.
School District No. 13	1.5 mills general.
School District No. 15	1 mill for bond.
School District No. 16	2 mills general.
School District No. 17	4 mills general.
School District No. 19	1 mill for bond.
School District No. 22	3 mills for bond and 5 mills general.
School District No. 23	1 mill for bond.
School District No. 25	3 mills general.
School District No. 26	2 mills general.
School District No. 28	3 mills for bond and 11 mills general.
School District No. 31	4 mills for bond and 2 mills general.
School District No. 32	3 mills general.
School District No. 33	5 mills general.
School District No. 34	4 mills general.
School District No. 35	2 mills for bond and 3 mills general.
School District No. 36	4 mills for bond.
School District No. 37	3 mills general.
School District No. 38	7 mills general.
School District No. 39	3 mills general.
School District No. 40	4 mills for bond.
School District No. 41	4 mills general.
School District No. 43	1 mill for bond and 5 mills general.
School District No. 45	7 mills general.
School District No. 44	3 mills for bond and 5 mills general.

City of Klamath Falls—Parks, .5 mills on the dollar; general, 7 mills on the dollar; bond redemption, 3 mills on the dollar; bond interest, 1 mill on the dollar. Total, 10.05 mills.

Town of Merrill—Ten mills on the dollar.

Town of Bonanza—2 mills on the dollar.

The total taxable property, as equalized by the county board of Klamath county, as shown on the assessment rolls of 1912, is \$15,632,121.

The county court is responsible only for the general tax levy of 15.60 mills, and road fund levy of 6.40, or a total levy of 22 mills on taxable property lying without the boundaries of incorporated cities and towns, and a total of but 15.60 mills, on property lying within the limits of incorporated cities and towns.

Boards of trustees or councilmen make and certify the levy for cities and towns, and boards of school directors are responsible for the tax levy in school districts.

This statement is made for the purpose of enlightening the property-holder and taxpayer in the several towns and districts of Klamath county, who may not be cognizant of the facts, and for those who may not have knowledge as to the modes, ways and means of levying tax to carry on the expense of operations in the various districts, municipal and county governments.

Dated at Klamath Falls, Or., this 19th day of May, 1913.

CHAS. L. PARRISH,
Accountant.

State Controls City Public Utilities
SALEM, Or., May 20.—Basing his opinion on a decision of Judge H. S. Bean of the United States district court, Attorney General Crawford today advised the state railroad commission that a city has no authority to regulate by ordinance the rates of public utilities when such ordinance conflicts with the rates prescribed by the commission. The inquiry arose in connection with the granting of a franchise by Medford to the Home Telephone company of southern Oregon.

Hurt by Horse
Miss Winnie Wampler, who is connected with the White Pelican hotel, sustained severe bruises while horseback riding Monday. The animal she was riding lost its footing on Main street, near Seventh, and the young lady was caught under the pony. Her injuries were attended by Dr. Hamilton.



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