

COUNTY LEVY 15.8 MILLS

County Court Makes Several Changes in Road District Budget.

The tax levy for Tillamook County is 15.8 mills, which is 3-10ths of a mill higher than last year.

The county court re-arranged several items in the road district budgets and a few items in other parts of the budget. We give below the budget as revised, as there is more or less interest taken in the different items:

Road District No. 1.

Wheeler-Brighton road	\$ 3,500.00
North Fork bridge	11,500.00
Hobsonville hill	5,000.00
General maintenance	1,000.00
Supervisor's salary	5,000.00
Machinery and equipment	4,000.00
North Fork west side	2,000.00
North Fork east side	2,000.00
Nehalem to beach	2,000.00
Hadden rock crusher to Lake Lytle	8,000.00
Foley road	4,000.00
Foley bridge	400.00
Barber road	600.00
Lost creek road	1,000.00
Total	\$54,000.00

Road District No. 2.

Kilchis river to Bay City	\$ 1,500.00
Doughty road	200.00
Kilchis river road	100.00
Maple Leaf factory to P. Ericksons	400.00
Annie Williams to Freebergs	300.00
Rupp's place to Bester's	1,000.00
Bester's place to county line	1,600.00
Red Clover creamery up Trask river	2,000.00
Chance road	300.00
Geo. Timmerstet's to Holdens	300.00
Brick yard road	500.00
Ike Quick road	100.00
Quick's hill south to district line	800.00
Bewley creek road	2,500.00
Wells place west, on old Netarts road	400.00
Michaud road	200.00
Goynes road	200.00
Benschmidt road	300.00
Draw Bridge to Happy Camp	400.00
Up Netarts bay	1,500.00
Bridge plank	1,800.00
Geo. Williams road to Mar-off's	1,000.00
Extension of Fifth Street to depot grounds	800.00
General repairs	1,000.00
To connect hard surface north	2,000.00
Hard surface east to Grange Hall	8,500.00
Bayoccan road	25,000.00
Supervisor's salary	1,000.00
Total	\$62,000.00

Road District No. 3.

District line to Beaver	\$ 1,000.00
Sandlake road	1,000.00
East Beaver road	250.00
Blaine and East creek roads	2,500.00
Beaver to Cloverdale	1,000.00
Three Rivers road, Hebo to County line	5,000.00
Cloverdale to Woods, north side of river	500.00
Woods to Sandlake	200.00
Cloverdale to junction, new change	10,000.00
Junction to Pacific City	3,000.00
Slab Creek road	500.00
Neskowin to Meda	500.00
Meda to Sourgrass road	15,000.00
If the State or Federal government does not appropriate the like amount for the Little Nestucca road, then \$10,000.00 of the above amount will be used for hard surface, and on the Three Rivers road.	
For machinery	1,800.00
Culverts and repairs on bridges	1,500.00
For new bridges	4,000.00
General repair fund	5,000.00
Supervisor's salary	1,000.00
Total	\$54,000.00

To take care of outstanding road warrants

Circuit Court	3,500.00
Justice court	600.00
County Court	3,500.00
Clerk's office	4,150.00
Sheriff's office	4,263.00
School Superintendent	2,100.00
County Assessor	2,100.00
County Treasurer	1,195.00
Court House	6,101.14
Surveyor's office	3,500.00
Coroner fees and inquests	250.00
Insane	50.00
Printing	1,500.00
County poor	3,500.00
Truancy officer	75.00
Health officer	200.00
Rebate of taxes	200.00
Widow's Pensions	2,200.00
County Fair	1,200.00
County Fire Warden	285.00
Stock indemnity	1,000.00
Expert farm advisory work	1,500.00
Scaler of weights and measures	100.00
District Attorney's office	200.00
Auditing county records	200.00
State tax	44,359.50
County School fund	41,288.44
County High School fund	8,257.68
Total	\$318,574.76

Based upon the above estimates the County Court made the following levy:

Mills	
School Fund	.002
High School fund	.0004
General purposes	.009
* Road fund	.0044
Total	.0158

* Excepting the cities of Tillamook, Bay City, Nehalem and Wheeler.

It will be noticed that the levy for roads is only 4.4 mills but to make up the necessary amount the additional money will be taken from the general fund. The budget provides for \$180,000 for roads, \$10,000 of which is for outstanding warrants, making \$170,000 to be expended upon the roads next year.

OBITUARY NOTICES.

Death of Mrs. Mildred Small.

Mrs. Mildred Small, wife of F. D. Small, died on Saturday afternoon at her temporary residence in Portland, aged 33 years, 11 months and 2 days. The deceased had been ill for several years, and had resided in California with the hope of regaining her health. She came back to Oregon and to Tillamook, but left for Portland a few weeks ago. The cause of death was consumption, and when she returned from California it was only a question of time when she would pass away. Besides her husband, the deceased leaves two children, Edna, aged 11 years and Carl, aged 15 years.

The funeral service was held at the residence in Portland on Tuesday morning, and the burial in the Rose City Park cemetery.

The deceased was highly respected in this county, and had many friends, who deplore her lingering illness, and whose sympathy is with the bereaved husband and children.

William Marvin Webb.

William Marvin Webb was born in New York, April 8, 1841, and died at his home in McMinnville, Oregon, December 20, 1916, aged 75 years, 8 months, 13 days. His body was brought back to Tillamook, his former home, and laid at rest in the I. O. O. F. cemetery by the side of his wife. Five children survive him, B. M. Webb, of Falls City; E. J. Webb, Buxton, Ore.; W. K. Webb, McMinnville, Ore.; E. B. Webb, Banks, Ore.; and Mrs. Clarence Hushbeck, of Cloverdale, Ore.

The deceased united with the M. E. church in early life and was a constant Christian to the last.

Charles August Seaman.

Charles August Seaman, for thirty years a resident of the Nehalem valley and original locator of a part of what is now the townsite of the City of Wheeler, died at the Wheeler Hospital December 18, and was buried in the Nehalem cemetery on Thursday.

Mr. Seaman was born in Hamburg, Germany, October 18, 1857. He came to America at the age of 12, his parents locating at Menominee, Mich., 17 years later they came to the Nehalem valley.

A widow and thirteen children are left to mourn his death, besides one brother who resides in Portland. An estate amounting to about \$90,000 has been accumulated.

Charles Seaman was a man universally liked by the people of the Nehalem valley. He was ever ready to lend a helping hand to the needy or distressed, and his death is greatly regretted.

Mrs. Nancy Gervais.

Mrs. Nancy Gervais, the last of the older Indians of the Nehalem valley country, died at the home of her daughter Mrs. Harry Born, in Garibaldi, on Tuesday December 18, and was buried at the Bay City cemetery.

Grandma Gervais, as she was familiarly known by all the old timers of the Nehalem country, was born here in the valley some 90 or 100 years ago, and has ever lived in the shadow of Nehalem Mountain. The old lady and her husband, who died a few years ago, have been familiar characters in this section since the memory of the first white settler and have been known and remembered by every visitor to the beach resorts of this section.

The familiar figure of this old Indian lady will be missed by all our people, by whom she was liked and respected.

She leaves three children to mourn her death. Dave Gervais, Mrs. James Hackman, of Wheeler, and Mrs. Harry Born, of Garibaldi.

Archibald Cooper Jennings.

Archibald Cooper Jennings was born November 21, 1885, at Kilchis River near Bay City, Oregon. Died at Portland, Oregon, Dec. 14, 1916, being thirty years three weeks and two days old.

He joined the navy in November, 1904, and served four years, returning in January, 1909. He served eighteen months in the Life Saving Station at Garibaldi, Oregon. Enlisted in the Naval Reserve, July, 1916, which branch of the service he was a member at the time of his death.

He was a member of lodge No. 102, A. F. and A. M. and Miriam Chapter, No. 29, O. E. S., at Bay City, and Johnson Chapter, No. 24, Royal Arch Masons, at Tillamook.

He was united in marriage to Grace M. Ellis, of Dellsvale, Kansas, May 31, 1911. Two children were born, Verna Carol dying in infancy, and Marjory Ivalce, two years old, who survives him. He was an affectionate husband and kind and loving father. Besides his wife and child he leaves father, mother, three sisters, three brothers, numerous relatives and a host of warm friends to mourn their loss.

Charles R. Hunt.

Charles R. Hunt was born in Boston, Mass. Feb. 24, 1832. In 1850 he moved to Wisconsin. He was married to Miss Elizabeth Cleasby in 1866. Coming to Oregon in 1877, his wife died eleven years ago. He passed away very suddenly in Portland on December 22nd. He leaves to mourn his death seven children. Carl Hunt, of Tillamook; Mrs. Lulu Day, Portland, Oregon; Mrs. E. Hadley, Baker City, Oregon; Arthur Hunt, Portland, Oregon; Mrs. Bessie Vantress, Live Oak, California; Claude Hunt, Indianapolis, Indiana; and James Hunt, Tillamook.

He was well known in Tillamook County and enjoyed the intimate friendship of many of our older citizens. He was buried, Tuesday, Dec. 26th, his funeral taking place from the Christian Church, the sermon being preached by the pastor C. C. Curtis. A large company of friends accompanied the body to the cemetery, paying the last tribute of respect to an honored citizen and good friend.

School Notes.

Half a dozen boys of the High School have been very busy for a month or more, getting ready for the debate tryouts. The preliminary tryout on December 12 resulted in the contestants being given the following rank; Delmer Powers, first; Lee Doty second; Charles Lamb, third; Nelson Powers, fourth; Clark Embury, fifth; Ernest Church, sixth. Mr. Hardesty, the coach, Miss Curry of the faculty, and Mr. Cloyd Dawson, a debator of renown, were the judges. The final tryout December 21 showed marked improvement by all.

The initial debates occur January 12, our negative team going to Gaston to meet their affirmative and Forest Grove sending their negative here to discuss the question with the local affirmative. The question concerns the adoption of a health insurance law for Oregon.

The teams and coach are going to get in some very careful and persistent work before January 12. Mr. Hardesty will return with the coming of the new year and he and the boys will devote the last week of their vacation to a thorough organization of arguments and a careful polishing of delivery. All concerned are working hard and we expect good results. The boys are going to do well. We hope they may win in the preliminary debates and so get outside of the district.

For this work, each member of the team earns a credit equivalent to that for a semester work in any regular subject.

Student Body—President, Delmer Powers; Vice-President, Lee Doty; General Manager, Lloyd Jones; Secretary, Fay Hill.

Members of Student Council—Seniors, Delmer Powers, Lloyd Jones, Brook Lucas, Bulah Rogers, Lee Doty; Juniors, Walter Stark, Faye Hill; Sophomores, William Kennedy, Freshmen, Florence Whitcomb; Adviser, F. A. Hardesty.

Annual Staff—Editor-in-chief, Faye Hill; Ass't. Editor, August Boquist; Business Manager, Lowell Edwards; Snaps, Constance Hoskins; Society, Faye Harris; Literary, Esther Swenson; Athletics, Walter Stark; Debate, Charles Lamb; Calendar, Nellie Gaylord; Jokes, Grace Wade; Glee Club, Bernice Nelson; Alumni, Herbert Stam; Cartoons, Sarl Raudall; Advertising Committee, Class Reporters.

Senior Class—President, Ina Williams; Vice-president, Bulah Rogers; Secretary-treasurer, Elizabeth Coates.

Junior Class—President, August Boquist; Vice-President, Walter Stark; Secretary, Grace Wade, Treasurer, Lowell Edwards.

Sophomore Class—President, Edna Anderson; Vice-president, Amy Jenkins; Secretary, Arthur Bester; Treasurer, Helen Anderson; Class Representative, William Kennedy.

Freshmen Class—President, Clare Small; Vice-President, Clement Martin; Secretary-treasurer, Lios Wade; Class Representative, Florence Whitcomb.

Ciceronian Literary Society—President, Lee Doty; Vice-president, Erma Sumnerlin; Secretary-treasurer, Nellie Gaylord; Pianist, Erma Sumnerlin; Program Committee Faye Hill, Bulah Rogers.

Emersonian Literary Society—President, Mayme LaFollette; Vice-president, Howard Williams, Secretary, August Boquist; Committee, Ina Williams, Elizabeth Coates, Faye Harris; Pianist, Charlotte Wade.

Girls Basketball Association—President, Faye Harris, Vice-President, Irma Sumnerlin; General Manager, Faye Hill; Secretary, Margaret LaFollette.

Glee Club—President, Faye Hill; Vice-president, Mayme LaFollette; Secretary-Treasurer, Nellie Gaylord; Business Manager, Lee Doty.

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Mrs. Hugh Cook, Scottsville, N. Y., says: "About five years ago when we were living in Gurbutt, N. Y., I doctored two of my children suffering from colds with Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and found it just as represented in every way. It promptly checked their coughing and cured their colds quicker than anything I ever used." For sale at Lamar's Drug Store.

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A Partial list of the Bargains available is given below:—

Reg. to 98c. Boys' and Girls' Wool Underwear	29c.
Per Garment	
Reg. to 45c. Boys' and Girls' Cotton Underwear	19c.
Per Garment	
Reg. to \$2.50 Ladies' White Wool Pants	39c.
Per Pair	
Reg. to 75c. Ladies' Bleached Cotton Pants and Union Suits	19c.
Per Garment	
Reg. to \$15.00 Values in Ladies' New Fall Coats	\$9.98
Now only	
Reg. to \$25.00 Values in Ladies' Fur Fabric Coats	\$15.85
Now only	
Reg. \$1.75 Full Size Cotton Blankets, Tan or Grey	\$1.39
Per pair	

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To \$1.75 Values for	.79c.
To \$2.50 Values for	\$1.19
To \$4.25 Values for	\$1.79
Reg. \$1.25 Values in Ladies' Wash Waists	98c.
All sizes for each	
Reg. to \$1.50 Values in Ladies' Heavy Black Satteen Petticoats for only	\$1.19
Reg. 75c. Values in Men's Outing Flannel Work Shirts for only	49c.
Reg. to \$1.50 Values in Men's Wool Underwear for per Garment	89c.
Reg. to \$9.00 Values in Men's Rubberized Raincoats for only	\$4.95
Reg. to \$5.00 Values in Boys' (4 to 16 years) Rubberized Raincoats for only	\$2.85
Reg. to \$25.00 Hart Schaffner & Marx Cravenetted Raincoats for only	\$14.95
Reg. to \$15.00 Balmacaans and Goodrich Rubberized Raincoats for only	\$11.45
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Little Nestucca Road Again.

To the Editor:

Being a tax payer in the South end of the county, I feel quite an interest in the development and improvement going on down here, especially the road work. There appeared an article in the Tillamook Herald on November 28 that was so at variance with the true facts in regard to the Little Nestucca road that I wish to call attention to some statements:

1st. That the Little Nestucca road is not the most convenient for a government highway, for the government would want the most direct route to Tillamook City and vicinity.

2nd. The State Highway Commission were not given the facts by the one public spirited citizen who gives his time and advice to the county and also to the State Highway Commission, even going so far as to pay his own expenses.

My, what a public spirited man. But who ever heard of him spending a dollar and not getting two in return. Now the thing we want is a good road to Tillamook City and not to Pacific City, and if the state has taken the initiative in making Little Nestucca a State Highway let her take the lead in putting up the money for building it, but leave it to the voters of Tillamook whether they make Three Rivers or Little Nestucca the main thoroughfare out of and into the county.

Respectfully,

O. P. Matoon.

Doctor Shearer Moves Office to Cloverdale.

I wish to announce that I have moved my office from Tillamook back to Cloverdale, for this reason: The people of Tillamook county have provided and are equipping a modern Hospital for Cloverdale, which will afford the latest sanitary equipment for my surgical and medical patients, mook and vicinity for their courteous treatment during my short stay with them. I wish also to thank the people of the Nestucca Valley and the people in general of Tillamook County for the interest they have taken in the Nestucca Valley Hospital and the confidence placed in me.

The most I can say is that you will find me trying to make good.

Yours Sincerely,

J. E. Shearer, M. D.

Physician and Surgeon in charge Nestucca Valley Hospital, Cloverdale, Oregon.