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## TAX SUMMARY

**Valuations Show Material Increase Over Year 1910.**

### TAX LEVY MAY BE INCREASED

**Intimated That County Court Will Authorize The Construction of Three Bridges During The Next Year.**

County Assessor Frank L. Calkins this morning completed the task of compiling the assessment roll of Douglas county for the year 1911, upon which the property owners will pay taxes in the year 1912. The summary furnished by Mr. Calkins is taken from the original rolls and may be changed materially by the board of equalization, now in session, during the next few days.

The valuations for the year 1911, as compiled by the assessor, total \$27,238,000.00, while in the year 1910, the valuations were approximately \$25,837,175.00. In other words the valuations for the year 1911 show an increase of over \$1,400,000, when compared with the valuations of the year 1910.

While the members of the court will not make the general levy until the January term of the county court, it is intimated that it will be a trifle higher than last year, when the state and county levy was fixed at 10 mills. The contemplated increase in the levy for 1912 is due to the fact that two, and possibly three bridges, will be constructed during the next year. One of these bridges will replace the Umpqua structure, another the present Winston bridge, and a third will probably span the Umpqua river in the vicinity of the Curry ranch, in Garden Valley. Other than the county and state levy there will probably be the usual number of special road assessments during the coming year. In Roseburg, the taxpayers will probably face a higher levy than for years, considering the contemplated increase in the state and county levy. The city levy for the year 1911 was fixed at 10 mills, or an amount equal to the school levy. With a city levy of 10 mills, a school levy of 10 mills, state and county levy of 10 or 11 mills, plus the usual road levies, the taxpayers of Roseburg can prepare to meet a levy of no less than 34 or 35 mills. While there are some taxpayers who believe that the city levy should be reduced, such appears almost impossible inasmuch as the current expenses of the municipality are gradually increasing. Other than from the regular city tax, little money is received by the city, save through the present system of occupation licenses.

The summary of the valuations of Douglas county, as compiled by County Assessor Frank Calkins, follows:

Aeres of land, 2004,722	\$19,928,400
Improvements on deeded	
or patented land	778,655
Town or city lots	1,959,835
Improvements on town or city lots	1,387,025
Improvements on land not deeded or patented	30,395
Boats, engines and manufacturing machinery	648,055

Merchandise and stock in trade	383,265
Farming implements, wagons, carriages, etc.	187,570
Money, notes and accounts	442,070
Shares of stock, 2,202	245,885
Household furniture, watches, jewelry, etc.	371,295
Horses and mules	411,425
Cattle, 11,050	230,275
Sheep and goats 72, 278	152,920
Pigs, 3,828	22,215
Dogs, 401	4,170
Flumes, railroad beds, etc., 3,485	54,545
<b>Grand total</b>	<b>\$27,238,000</b>

### BACK TO ASYLUM.

**Chester Thompson Is Incurable, Says Physicians.**

SEATTLE, Wash., Nov. 1.—Chester Thompson, who shot and mortally wounded Superior Judge George Meade Emory, in July, 1905, will be re-committed to the insane ward of the state penitentiary by Judge A. W. Frater, according to an agreement entered into this morning by Will H. Thompson, the young man's father, prosecuting attorney John M. Murphy and the court. On a charge of venue Thompson was tried in Tacoma, and was acquitted in January, 1907, by reason of insanity. He was sent to Walla Walla by Judge W. H. Snell, and later was tried as to his sanity in Pierce county, pronounced sane by a jury and discharged.

### RAILROAD CONSTRUCTION.

**Eugene Filling Up With Southern Pacific Employees.**

EUGENE, Or., Nov. 1.—Eugene is fast filling up with railroad construction men, and all indications point to active work on the Southern Pacific Company's Coos Bay branch in a very short time, while the Oregon Electric construction forces also will soon reach Eugene from the north. Representatives of McDougall & McDonald, who are building the Oregon Electric southward from Salem, thing in readiness for entrance into Eugene, and John H. Twoby, of Twoby Bros., who are believed to have the contract for the construction of the Coos Bay road, accompanied by several men prominent in railroad construction work, were here during the day, going out in an automobile over the survey for the first 20 miles out of the city.

The Oregon Electric has secured all of its right of way in this vicinity, and the construction forces, which include from the grand jury letters, photographs and other papers taken from the minister's rooms after his arrest. The prosecution had expected greatly to strengthen its case by evidence of the pastor's relations with Miss Linnell supposed to be in these documents and made a vicarious effort to have the defense compelled to produce them.

John Spangh, the Looking Glass farmer, was a visitor in Roseburg for a few hours today.

## SOCIALIST WIN

**Los Angeles Voters Support Socialist Candidate.**

### REV. RICHESON IS INDICTED

**Two Masked Men Hold Up And Rob Fast Express Train Near Memphis, Tenn.—Secure \$50,000.**

(Special to The Evening News.)  
LOS ANGELES, Cal., Nov. 1.—Practically complete returns from 242 of the 250 precincts in yesterday's primary election give Job Harriman, the socialist candidate, a lead of 2,132 votes over Mayor Alexander. It is estimated that 45,000 votes were cast.

As near as can be ascertained the vote stands as follows:  
Job Harriman.....17,591  
Mayor Alexander.....15,495  
W. C. Mussell.....7,349  
Miles Gregory.....344  
With the possible exception of city attorney, the complete socialist ticket was nominated to oppose the good government nominees, headed by Mayor Alexander.

### 60,000 Women Eligible.

When it became apparent today that neither of the leading candidates for mayor would poll a majority vote, party leaders began laying plans for the campaign that will end in the regular election next month. In that election the women of Los Angeles, enfranchised by the adoption of a state constitutional amendment on October 10, will vote for the first time.

### Prohibition to Be Voted On.

With more than 3,000 signatures attached, the petition to initiate municipal prohibition legislation is on file today in the office of the city clerk. Unless half of these signatures are invalidated the question of prohibition will be voted upon at the city election, December 5.

The proposed prohibition ordinance forbidding the manufacture or sale of malt, spirituous and vinous liquors within the city, has already been prepared.

Under the present law the number of saloons is limited to 200 in a city of 350,000 people.

### Preacher Is Indicted.

BOSTON, Nov. 1.—Rev. Clarence V. T. Richeson, pastor of Immanuel Baptist church, of Cambridge, was yesterday indicted on five counts for the murder of his former sweetheart, Miss Avis Linnell, by the grand jury of Suffolk county. For four days the grand jury has been sitting on the case in special session.

Counsel for the pastor, however, were successful in their fight to exclude from the grand jury letters, photographs and other papers taken from the minister's rooms after his arrest. The prosecution had expected greatly to strengthen its case by evidence of the pastor's relations with Miss Linnell supposed to be in these documents and made a vicarious effort to have the defense compelled to produce them.

Robert Burns, a private detective in the employ of the defense, who took the articles, had been subpoenaed to appear before the grand jury and it was understood the district attorney intended to question him regarding the documents, but after a conference with Judge Sanderson, at which both sides were represented, the intention was abandoned.

District Attorney Palmer said afterward that Burns had been asked for a list of the papers and articles, but declared he had transferred them to the attorneys representing the preacher.

It is understood that the articles, on which the state placed so much importance, include letters written to Richeson not only by Miss Linnell, but by other women.

### Train Is Held Up.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Nov. 1.—Two masked men held up and robbed the westbound Rock Island express, near Harthorn, Ark., this morning. It is said that the bandits received at least \$55,000. One man covered the mail clerk while the other rifled the mails.

### POSTCARDS ARE CENSORED.

**Love Scenes, Short Skirts and Animal Pictures Officially Banned.**

CHICAGO, Nov. 1.—Censors will be appointed in every Chicago municipal station, the superintendents of which postmaster Daniel A. Campbell has given 30 days in which to stamp out the distribution of objectionable postcards. Postmaster Campbell announced today that the superintendents' salaries will be reduced and they will ultimately be discharged if objectionable cards pass through their offices.

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**A Private Playhouse.**  
BOSTON, Nov. 1.—Seating only 150 persons, representatives of Boston's bluest blue bloods are building an exclusive playhouse where stockholders will view in private plays forbidden at public theatres. The new theatre is being built at No. 165 Lime street in West end. Only stockholders will be admitted and the plays which will be produced include Oscar Wilde's dramas and some of the suppressed works of Bernard Shaw, Granville Barker, Ibsen and Bernhardt.

**Open Military School.**  
HONOLULU, Nov. 1.—Governor Frear has just refused F. W. Bogert permission to open a military school here on the grounds that the Chinese would be chiefly benefited. Bogert had not stated that his intention was to establish it with the idea of assisting militant Chinese in the recruitment of military training, but it is generally understood that such was the plan. It is said that Bogert was acting for Chinese here who wish to establish it with the intention of having the Menthos and intended to drill the troops under the guise of school cadets.

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**LOCAL NEWS.**  
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Charles Brand, of the Overland Orchard Tracts, who has been spending the past few days at Portland and other northern cities, will return here this evening.

Darkness spleen have proven to be good repeaters with us. They are more pungent and aromatic than any of the other popular brands. Try them, fresh stock at the Rochdale.

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## M'NAMARA CASE

**Another Verdict Called Into Court by Sheriff.**

### TRANSFER CASE MAY BE MADE

**Body Of Aviator Montgomery Taken To Oakland, Cal., for Burial —New Ruler Is Appointed in China.**

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LOS ANGELES, Cal., Nov. 1.—The third panel of veniremen selected since calling the McNamara trial qualified before Judge Bordwell this morning. Thus far 225 men have been drawn, and out of this number only nine prospective jurors, all subject to peremptory challenge, are in the jury box. It is believed that six of these men will be excused.

In today's session, Lorenzo Tomanes, a former locomotive engineer, now a real estate agent was passed by the defense. He was challenged by the state because he wouldn't believe certain city officials on oath. Tomanes is a very witty man and kept the court in a constant uproar. The state this morning withdrew the objection to the challenge against Preston and he was excused. Ten of the veniremen were excused for various reasons.

**To Increase Demands.**  
ROME, Nov. 1.—The cabinet officials today announced that unless Turkey comes to immediate terms, Italy will increase her territorial demands against the Sultan. It is believed here that the cabinet is planning to send the Turkish Islands. The foreign office characterizes the report that the Turks captured the general caneva, at Tripoli, as absurd.

**To The Federal Court.**  
INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Nov. 1.—That the federal court will probe the McNamara case was assured today when the state courts here turned over all documents and books taken in the raid of Detective Burns, when he visited the headquarters of the Iron Workers Union. It is believed here that the United States grand jury will be called upon to investigate the McNamara charges.

**Body Taken To Oakland.**  
SANTA CLARA, Cal., Nov. 1.—The body of Professor Montgomery, who was killed in a fall from an airplane yesterday, was shipped to Oakland, Cal., for burial today.

**Wardens Arrive In Harbor.**  
LOS ANGELES, Cal., Nov. 1.—Twenty-six wardens of the United States navy arrived in San Pedro harbor this morning and were reviewed just outside the breakwater by Admiral Thomas, commanding as they steamed slowly past.

**New Ruler Appointed.**  
PEKIN, Nov. 1.—Yuan Shi Kai was today appointed Premier of China. This makes him virtual ruler. Rear Admiral Murdoch, who was recently ordered to Hankow to protect American interests, arrived at Shanghai today from Manila on the transport, Rainbow, with 350 marines. He will start up the river immediately. Yuan issued a statement today in which he said he intends to cease hostilities to rebels and negotiate with Li Yuan Hung, revolutionary leader, for the purpose of re-establishing peace.

**Stockton, Cal. News:** In a wrestling match here yesterday afternoon, Peter Bazukous, of Portland, Oregon, defeated Geneof, a Bulgarian. Bazukous won the first fall in 49 minutes. The second fall in 42 minutes. Bazukous was out-weighted by the Bulgarian but had more experience. D. C. Smith, who is claiming the welterweight championship of the Pacific coast and who is a great favorite here, has been meeting all comers and offering \$50 for anyone who stays with him 15 minutes. Bazukous accepted his offer and beat him in two straight falls by using the elbows and toe holds. Bazukous took both falls in 14 minutes. Smith, who was a favorite, was cleaned out of every cent by the Portland lightweight.

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