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THIRD YEAR.

MEDFORD, OR., STURDAY, MAY 30, 1908.

## MILLION DOLLARS WORTH OF PROPERTY NOT ASSESSED

# NAMES OF

### SENATOR'S 300 LEFT 18 HOURS OFF ROLLS FILLIBTSTER

Failure to Place Much Property Upon List---Sample of Slipshod Work

Approximately 300 taxpayers of Jackson county owning property aggregating hundreds of thousands of dollars were left off the assessment roll this year, according to Sheriff Jackson's books In the list are many of the owners ey currency bill apparently little the of prize orehards, including those belonging to the Burrell Investment company, C. Hunt Lewis, A. D. Helms, Mark Pellett, L. E. Hoover, Tronson & Guthrie, W. G. Estep, J. A., Finley and E. Finley. Many of the henviest taxpayers, among them Benton Bowers, W. I. Vawter, D. H. Barneburg, J. S. Vilas, Gold Ray Realty company, D. Perozzi, H. G. Enders, Page & Son, W. S. Dewing and E. T. Staples, have had to swear to the possession of property. The list is published merely to show

he lax methods prevailing in the court-louse under the present regime, and is srima facic evidence of the lack of stem under the ring in control of the necount the taxes sworn off, or numerous corrections of errors. It

tarily sworn themselves on. How many other tax dedgers there are, who are glad to escape paying taxes, is hard to

oath to "examine, correct and equal-ize" all property, yet here is an in-stance where if the board had made even a superficial examination, it would have discovered something the matter. The list of omissions, by no means com plete for the year, is as follows to date: J. S. Vilas, Holmes Bros., C. M. Paley.

Alex Martin, J. E. Coffee, C. M. Brown, G. H. Pense, Mathew Russell, Tronson & Guthrie, J. R. Kollines, Fee Bros., Jones & Mays, Elizabeth Whalen, Z. E. Jones & Mays, Elizatetta winners, McCubbin, C. J. Barbite, John Slade, D. H. Barnoburg, P. E. Prettyman, P. M. Tungate, Earhart Estate, Mrs. E. May Art Earhart, Grant Miller, was offered by take him home, and Stevenson, Art Eurhart, Grant Miller, was offered by take him home, and Al Pankey, Dr. H. M. Shaw, G. W. walked. After sleeping a few hours it W. Day P. H. Tucker, M. D. Wilson,
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W. S. Day P. H. Tucker, M. D. Wilson,
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The program for today is that Senater force of Oklahoma will follow Stone W. G. Estep, Burrell Inv. Co., Ralph Comeygs, B. L. Nichols, J. Olson, C. Hurd, Fred Petsch, Rufus Edwards,

L. Aigin, D. Perozzi, S. H. Jackson H. A. North, Helen Haskins, Alex Me H. E. Stone, C. Land, E. F. Allen, Minnie Hansman, E. G. Owen, Anna Love, W. N. Daniels, H. E. Koontz, Duncan & Koontz, J. Huger estate, Lawrence Carter beirs, Sarah E. Perdon, M. V. B. Soule, Ira Wakefield, Mary M. Childers, Robert Wilson, H. T. Pankey, Daniel & Grieve, Haertle & Lindley, J. A. Norling, F. M. Center, Mr. Hunt, W. H. Fields, J. D. Kiter, E. A. Burch ell, T. J. Williamson, Julia L. Orr, J. L. Wilson, Bizzle Coulter, H. W. Huntzin-M. L. Pellett, Belle Pellett, E.

L. Halloway, W. Vogelei, Arthur Will Fisher, W. M. Abbott, C. C. Nininger, sou, H. G. Enders, A. R. Jacobs, Fred C. F. Levens, C. B. Boardman, Elizabeth Sou, H. G. Laders, A. R. Jacobs, Fred C. F. Levens, C. B. Boardman, Elizabeth Sturgis, J. A. Ward, L. B. Coster, J. Smith, Mrs. H. H. Hashell, J. V. Hale, Ginet, M. McDonough, W. J. Riser, F. C. Fisher, L. M. Lindssey, W. W. El-William Lewis, D. C. Wilson, E. H. Strolmir, H. Doubleday, S. H. Rock, P. Sayles, C. A. Pratt, Fred Falwer, C. hill, W. D. Hlingsworth, Grainger & t. Johnson, W. Perester, J. W. Farmer, Sutton, Stewart Hews, 1de Kouwerthy, A. A. Marshe, J. N. Woods, C. E. Nin-F. Woodhury, C. A. Gore, J. Turner, inger. Flizs Manpin, Ida Myer, Mrs. Ida M. Carlson, J. M. Kecze, C. W. S. J. Camb, C. N. Anderson, J. E. Grow-Fraley, B. T. Wyant, C. Vraman, J. A. 400, H. Yen, Rinnelse Hieles, Anna Ham Rrewson, W. McCreedie, G. A. Kel-ell. Rrewson, W. McDonough, Mrs. W. Bain, Buth W. Miles, Gur Bros., N. J. Narre A. DePeart, J. B. Saverns, Physical A. DePeart, J. B. Saverns, Physical Action Mark.

Sheriff's Record Shows LaFollette Breaks All Records In Speech Against **Compromise Emergency** Currency Bill In Senate.

> WASHINGTON, May 30 .- Senator Lafollette, after speaking for 18 hours and 23 minutes, breaking all previous records of the senate, concluded hi worse for the terrific continuous strain which he had undergone.

Schater Stone of Missouri immediate ly took up the filibuster, which is the most remarkable fight of the kind ever seen in Washington, and it is believed that it will be continued until the leaders surrender and agree to adjourn without passing the bill. Lafollette's en prisedurance is the cause of great com ment. Most of his listeners were worn out with fatigue. The senator's were gopt in their seats all yesterday afternoon and all through the wear hours of the night, are in no condition to enjay humor today and Stone's man ner was like that of a funeral orator All Records Smashed.

The speech by Lafollette brenks the a merely of property omitted alto-gether, although taxes were paid on the same holdings the year before.

This list is of those who have volumed that year on the rivers and harborn hill. When Lafellette closed his re-When Lafollette closed his re marks his voice showed no indication o there tax nodgers there are, who are marks his voice showed no indication of glad to escape paying taxes, is hard to as, but there are probably a great clear and strong, and he spoke with much the same vigor that characterized his remarks yesterday afternoon. His recent illness had made him weak and his main trouble was from standing on his feet sol ong. His back ached and his knees were sore, he said. He spent some of the time in explaining his phy sieal condition at the beginning of his speech, but as he talked he became in terested annul though he leaned on the back of the chair most of the time, he was standing. His fort were hadly swollen, he said, but all of his troubles

were physical.

He went to the senate barber shop,

Stone is expected to speak several hours

Martha M. Cook, William Chambers, J. Lininger & Myers, Benton Bowers, A. P. Hughes, G. M. Hermlow, A. Dupray estate Louisa West, George A. Abdorf Leod, Mrs. H. D. Ray, Warren Nichols, Re. Joseph Samuels, Beidleman & Nich olson, A. Eighman, Joel Ward, Allen Ralph, Mrs. W. A. Frazier, Fred Duninp, Mrs. L. L. Fries, G. F. Spiegl, J. H. Toft, J. W. Berrian, J. B. Tyrrell, A. Frazier, F. R. Bowersov, E. J. Kaiser, A. Andrew, L. Wyant, C. A. Patton, Mrs. L. A. Stevenson, Mrs. S. E. Inlaw Culbertson, J. P. Sayle.

S. Patterson, Joseph True, William Hevener, J. P. Walker, J. Pattie, E. K. Anderson, Laura High, Mrs. M. L. Stanley, George Irwin, Nina McGrue, Elliz-Pinley, J. R. Morrison, J. E. Pinley, Weolsoncroft, Steinman & Yockey, A. Charles Hubill, William Hillis, C. H. W. McConnell, J. S. Griffith, Nannie Mannering, Sanford & Goldner, L. E. Hughes, J. P. Pitt, James Barrett, D. C. Reed, J. D. Winters, B. Million, et M. J. Carter, E. D. Briggs, C. al., Fred Herrin Downs Bron., C. C.

Buth W. Miles, Gur Bros., N. J., Narre Jan., E. D. Jennings, Joseph Kerr, Mrs. Buth W. Miles, Gur Bros., N. J., Narre Jan., E. D. Jennings, Joseph Kerr, Mrs. Jan., E. T. Staples, James Braden estate, J. L. Johnson, Zern Dahach, Bestin Hack, George Mutris, A. D. and Mary tate, J. L. Johnson, Zern Dahach, Bestin Hack, S. P. Mathew, M. P. Hughes, sie Randall, Ed Ford, Bessin Black, O. W. Howard, G. W. Burron, R. B. Tumber, N. M. Short, Mills B. Short, A. Leder, Pare, & Son. nrds, S. M. Hawk, Elles Barron, Mr.

A. Lodor, Page & Son.

Robert McHveor, C. H. Lewis, James
Paily, G. W. Priddy, Gold Ray Realty
Co., C. H. Murray, Mrs. L. Swingle, Mrs.
M. J. Tibbetts, Ella Million, J. E. Gow
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Mr. J. P. Briscoe, M.
Murray, Mrs. L. Swingle, Mrs.
Mr. J. S. Herrin, Mrs. M. Elliott, Gos
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Mr. J. E. Buyart went to Gold Hill Friday evening on a fishing expected.

Mr. J. S. Herrin, Mrs. M. Elliott, Gos
Spected. Rreiger, Lingie Louvere, Mr. Davis, D.

Increasing the Size of th Dollar.





Frenzied Finance in Jackson County.

The small cut shows the size of a dollar before it was "equalized" by the board of equalization. The it as assessed for taxation after "equalization," one dollar sixty-six and two-thirds cents.

#### Who Plays the Lyre, Judge Dunn or the Tribune?

In an open letter in the Morning Mail, Judge Dunn states:

"Now, as to the assessment of the Condor Water & Power company, the only reduction on the assessed value was on their pole lines, which the assessor had assessed at \$600 per mile, and they submitted figures and sworm statement to show that the actual cost of erecting the pole lines did not exceed \$625 when they were built, and that they should not be raised beyond the sum for which they were assessed.

"The board did not leave the valuation as assessed, \$600 per mile, but they added to or raised before equalization this assessed valuation on their dam \$5000 and assessed their powerhouse \$5000, which was not assessed at all, and left their total assessment at practically where the assessor had them. They did not knock off 20 per cent before raising them."

WHAT THE ASSESSOR'S BOOKS SHOW.

Condor Water & Power company assessment showing 20 per cont deducted in valuation before horizontal

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1906,		1907.	
As equalized: Land (10,602 aeres)	76,900 6,960 3,250 27,600 10,900 1,800	Improvements	000 047 200 560
Gross value		With 66 2-8 per raise	

The gross value was reduced from \$128,630 to \$109,544, or \$19,086 before the 6623 per cent raise was slapped

#### SUNDAY SCHOOL IN DRY PARADE

Little Ones Turn Out Under Guardianship of Teachers and March With Banners and Plags for the Cause of Prohibition in Medford.

Small Sunday school pupils to the umber of 248 and grown people, many of them women or those nearing matur-ity, to the number of 125 comprised the children's prohibition demonstration Saturday afternoon,

The little ones assembled at the park at I o'clock and marched through the main streets. The letter "S" was made at the Nash hotel and again at Seventh and Central avenue, while songs were sung. Numerous bunners and le-gends were carried by the children. Memorial services were held at Med-ford opera house in the morning and graves decorated by the G. A. R. at

COURT HALL'S GIFTS TO AID PUBLICITY

ae cemetery in the afternoon

To the the Editor:

H. C. Garnett says he can find no secord of any saloon man denating any go into details, but below you will find or the game had been called off. a few cents that McMahon & Reddy and Young & Hall have given. These figares are only a few among the many ionations given:

Crater Lake railroad . ...\$1009 Boosting last year in advertising Young & Hall: rater Lake railroad . . . . 

There are many donations that the examinations in Culifornia, Dr.

However, he escaped the pretracted ses-sion of the jury that is likely to ensue, B so fortunate.

#### WHO CALLED OFF **GREAT BALL GAME?**

ment Printed Calling Off Game for Benefit of Summer Concerts so as Not to Interfere With Probibition Parade

Somebody, the blame has not been lefinitely placed, got the baseball game between the professional and the busithe Morning Mail. The members of Point. He says: the Commercial club, who were instrumental in promoting the game, were very much astonished to read that the game had been called off without any

thing having been said to them. Mem-bers of the band were equally surprised, President Colvig of the Commercial club and captain of one of the teams, was not consulted. Neither was Chair man Root of the committee baving the Judge Kelly

afternoon. They hired the Jacksonville pretty busy denying the falsehoods of band to nead the parade, leaving the the probi agitators. I have no time to Medford band without employment aft-

> MILWAUKEE IN GRIP OF MEDICAL TRUST

MILWAUKEE, Wis., May 30,-"Thy and has grown to such proportions and as cast a majority of "wet" votes will gating approximately \$128,000. In maintains such an effective shutout be "wet;" the precincls which voted policy against outside physicians that a national commission has been appointed to bring attention to the trust au effort to establish reciprocity. Dr. E. D. Rigby made this statement

oday upon his return from California. 50 He declares that physicians with a pa tional reputation and medical professors in leading American universities have been denied the privilege of passing thou men have given to charity and who represented the Wisconsin Medical to sick. COURT HALL, society on the trip, suggests that the

"The trust even controls the Culi in the presented which has thus been portland, whither he was summoned to fornia legislature," said the Wisconsin robbed of local self government by wree as a United States grand juror, physician, "and as far as physicians are so-called but obviously bogos "local payarism, that as make a complete control of the option" law? If a law is unfair and deserve that something was the matter state. Two years ago it even elected captive can it be expected to bring good with the sherif's office or the amounts that panel being filled before his name one of its number to the governorship, was ralled. H. G. Nicholson was not. The only way an eastern doctor can one of its number to the governorship, results? Can good come out of evil! practice in California is by renting a license from a physician who was in the fact is that, in a general way license from a physician who was in the graphitism does not prohibit. The writer The solder death of R. Leslie of state before the law was passed. I prohibition does not prohibit. The writ to bear out the assertion that the sheriff of Hill, an enterprising mining man, learned that this class of doctors rent to bear discusses, shocked the many their licenses at so much per week. It where it has been tried for about 50 area as the law requires, and if not for

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#### PROHIBITION RULE IN CENTRAL POINT

Resulting From Dry Town-Place Is Liquor From Seloon for Bootleggers.

Editor S. A. Pattison of the Central Point Herald has an editorial in the last bane of his paper in which he discusses ess men scheduled for this afternoon the prohibition question and the effect alled off through a published story in that prohibition has had upon Central

Morality, temperance, good govern meat, respect for law, taxation of property, business interests, municipal improvements and the welfare of the rising generation are all questions that are intimutely associated with the question

Local Option Law.

The go-called local option law in Ore It is generally presumed that the the studied intention of giving the adof the voters favor prohibition, the enular precinct who might have cast an overwhelming votoe in favor of license. On the other hand, if the county as a medical trust of California is so strong whole votes "wet," only such precincts "dry" will be held in the "dry" colnenn.

Can Work Injustice.

Again, if a certain town or precinct is known to be strongly in favor of it cense, this law makes it possible for ome other precinct which is known to have a majority of "dry" votes and thus force a proposition onto the people of the other town that they do not want. Is it to be wondered at if society on the trip, suggests that the a procedure develops a disregard for law and a community is the procesing which has thus been

Does Not Prohibit.

the local paper of that town, the boot lebe who would profit equally by it. Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Enyart went to legger and the jug and bottle lines dold Hill Priday evening on a fishing

(Continued on Page 4:)

## **PAYMENTS** TO COUNTY DELAYED BY ELECTION

Records Prove Sheriff Attorney R.G.Smith Stakes Jackson Held Up Receipts of Taxes---What Was Done with the Coin.

Reputation Upon Legal Opinion on Charter At Central Point Meeting.

osits of conain banking institutions, would not do for the Tribune to state this truth. A falsehead would sait it ford. Prohibition was the theme dis-

An examination of the books of the An examination of the books of the sheriff's and treasurer's ones does not been out the assertion that the funda collected during each week were turned over to the county promptly. Since The Tribane opened fire upon the court house ring, it is true that money has been turned over much more regularly than was customary heretofore. During last

and 28th he also turned over small sums. taxes were paid during this month prior to March 15, but the sheriff held it up

12, approximately \$69,000 of March collection such and void. lections were handed the freasurer. No Kiltor S. A. Pattisan of the Central

What Records Show.

This record shows that instead of the It is generally presumed that the fine studies intention the best of the funds collected being in med over such ists for the benefit of the Sunday argument whenever possible. Under week promptly, that only one payment school children's prohibition parade this law a vote may be taken on a was made in January; that in only one afternoon. They hired the Jacksonville band to need the parade, leaving the county as a whole and if a majority that in March no payments were made at all; in April payments were made on tire county is "dry," regardless of hur three days, the lst. 12th and 30th, the wishes of the people of any partic- and all the payments in May were made in the last two weeks of that month

1908 shows a decided improvement. For made on the 14th, 20th, and 28th, aggrepayments were made on the 6th, 10th own son and dwelt upon the fact that and 18th, aggregating approximately manhood could only be developed by \$23,000. In May payments were made strengthening character so as to resist about \$39,000.

Yearly Comparison.

Making a comparison of the two years for the months of March, April and over by the sheriff to the treasurer in March, as against nothing turned over in March, 1907. We find in April, 1908, \$25,000 turned over to the treasurer, as against \$100,000 in April in the year before. In May of 190s, \$29,000 was turned over as against \$63,000 in May

with the sheriff's office or the amounts turned over to the treasurer would cur respond each year with those turned March and that \$100,000 was turned years, and, according to reports in some banking corporation, for some one

Where Was the Money?

benefit of a certain bank can be inferred | were space and time.

macuting upon the report that yer upon the opinion I have rendered. eccipts won county taxes were held holding that the Medford charter so up by Sheria laskson to swell the de percedes the local option law and that whether Jackson county goes dry or nstead of being turned over to the not, it will not affect Medford." said ounty treasurer at once, as the law Robert G. Smith in a speech at the equires, says; "The fact is, the funds Central Point opera house last night. ollected each week are turned over to Other speakers were Judge E. E. Kelly the county treasurer promptly; but it of Medford and Manager G. A. Patterson of the Telephone company at Med

cussed. Continuing, Mr. Smith said: "I was

turned over much more regularly than was customary heretofore. During last year months have clapsed between receipts of money by the sheriff and the turning of it over to the treasurer.

Holding Up Money.

The year 1907 was a fair sample. The great bulk of the sheriff's collections on taxes are made prior to March 15, when the rebate expires. After the first Monday in April there is a penalty so that the percentage of property owners paying laxes after that date is small.

In January, 1907, the sheriff only turned over his moony since to the treasurer. In February he turned over the first amount on the 21st. On the 20th and 28th he also turned over small sums. ago have enforced prohibition.
"Another thing lost sight of is

penny of the fax collections was furned fact that the county court neglected is precincts to correspond with the in the country to vote on the question instead of turning it over each week as asserted by the Medford Mail.

On April 1, 1907, over \$31,000 of the impossible to seggregate the votes of the country people from the city people, money collected during March was a line country people from the city people, money collected during March was the country people from the city people, the country people from the city people in a context the country people from the city people.

more fands were deposited until April Point Herald acted as chairman and in 30, when \$300 was turned in.

Print Herald acted as chairman and in troduced the apeakers. Judge Kelly made a convincing talk against prohibiequally in ignorance and no one could gou is not in reality a local option law the sheriff on the 14th. On the 27th of States causas burean to sustain have found who would assume the real transfer and all, but was designed and drawn with the sheriff on the 14th. On the 27th of States causas burean to sustain have the sheriff on the 14th. On the 27th of States causas burean to sustain have the sheriff on the 14th. On the 27th of States causas burean to sustain have the sheriff on the 14th. On the 27th of States causas burean to sustain have the sheriff on the 14th. On the 27th of States causas burean to sustain have the sheriff on the 14th. On the 27th of States causas burean to sustain have the sheriff on the 14th. On the 27th of States causas burean to sustain have the sheriff on the 14th. On the 27th of States causas burean to sustain have the sheriff on the 14th. On the 27th of States causas burean to sustain have the sheriff on the 14th. On the 27th of States causas burean to sustain have the sheriff on the 14th. On the 27th of States causas burean to sustain have the sheriff on the 14th. On the 27th of States causas burean to sustain have the sheriff on the 14th. On the 27th of States causas burean to sustain have the sheriff on the 14th. On the 27th of States causas burean to sustain have the sheriff on the 14th. On the 27th of States causas burean to sustain have the sheriff on the 14th. On the 27th of States causas burean to sustain have the sheriff on the 14th. On the 27th of States causas burean to sustain have the sheriff on the 14th. On the 27th of States causas burean to sustain have the sheriff on the 14th. On the 27th of States causas burean to sustain have the sheriff on the 14th. On the 27th of States causas burean to sustain have the sheriff on the 14th. On the 27th of States causas burean to sustain have the sheriff on the 14th of States causas burean to sustain have the sheriff on the 14th of States causas burean to sustain have the sheriff on the 14th of States causas burean to sustain have for Biblical authority bearing upon nished, showing the speaker's familiar

y with the acriptures.
Mr. Smith delivered a very scholarly and interesting address and was listened to with rapt attention by many

Talked of the Boy.

Mr. Putterson made a very effective talk treating the subject from a paycological standpoint and paying particuhibition upon the boy. He told of his 23,000. In May payments were made strengthening character so as to resist a the 6th, 9th, 13th and 23rd, totaling temptation. To take away temptation would not develop those qualities which in the world. The boy must learn to say no, as he cannot be kept in a showcase and tied to his mother's apron

March 22, 1907, which showed an inover the statement rendered two months before, January 26th of the same year, indicating that the funds withheld from the treasurer paid to the sheriff on er before March lath were used by the bank to swell its deposits and paid to

The question is, where was this \$100. was turned over to the treamper in

This is only selected as a single tu have been handled by Sheriff Jackson. That this may have been done for the Other things could be quoted if there