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**GOVERNMENT OWNERSHIP ADVANCING**

Postmaster General Burleson is following up the successful operation of parcel post by recommending immediate acquisition by purchase at appraised value of the "commercial telephone net work" except the farmers lines. It would provide that the Postmaster General may issue removable licenses to private individuals to operate lines not acquired by the government.

Pointing out that the Government directed service would be more nearly universal, the report adds:

"The private monopoly has no incentive to extend its facilities to unprofitable territory; but the Government must serve all the people. This universal service is accomplished by the equalization of rates. In fixing rates the policy of this Government is to super-impose no change for taxation, but only to see to it that the service, as a whole is self-supporting. The private monopoly, on the other hand, must make a profit, and, in providing for this, tends to increase its rates to the highest price that will not, by too greatly restricting the volume of business, impair the aggregate profit.

"According to the best available data, the capitalization of the long-distance and toll lines represents approximately \$200,000,000 and the capitalization the entire commercial network approximately \$900,000,000. The cost to the Government would be less than the appraised value, since it would be undesirable for the Government to purchase the real estate holdings of the companies. Exchanges could be leased until accommodations could be provided in the postoffices and stations."

This action by the Postmaster General indicates a strong advancement toward govern-

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ment ownership of public utilities and has merit in giving a concrete method of action. If his advice is followed and the government become successful in the operation, government ownership will be a thing of the near future.

**HON. LAWRENCE T. HARRIS**

Judge Lawrence T. Harris has announced that he will seek the nomination of supreme judge. We are confident that it is not Judge Harris' personal desires, as much as it is those men acquainted with his qualifications for the position, and are interested in seeing the best men possible in public service, urging him to make an effort to secure the nomination, that has caused him to stand for the office.

Hon. L. T. Harris has several times in the past refused to allow himself to be a candidate for office, when there were good reasons to believe he could have easily been elected.

He chose when a student to prepare himself for a legal career, and had hardly begun the practice of law when his exceptional ability for it was impressed on those who came in contact with the young attorney. He has not allowed anything to interfere with his chosen work, and to vote for such a man to a high public office will be counted by those who know him, as an opportunity to show appreciation of his fitness.

**COUNTY PROPERTY WORTH OVER MILLION**

The Eugene Register of January 29th says: Lane county owns property valued at more than one million dollars, over half of which is represented in its 2500 miles of roads, and one-fourth in its 300 bridges. The figures are given in the inventory of Lane county property, ordered by a new 1913 law, and recently completed by the county clerk and filed with the county clerk.

The inventory shows that Lane county has property estimated at \$1,087,450. The items are given as follows:

Poor farm	
89 acres of land	\$ 13,350
Two frame buildings	10,000
Land to Protect Bridges	
17 acres of Land	850
One Frame Building	500
Gravel Pits and Quarries	
20 Acres of Ground	1,000
Court House and Grounds	
One City Block	100,000
Two Brick Buildings	50,000
Highways	
300 Bridges	250,000
2000 Miles Improved	
Roads	600,000
500 Miles Unimproved	
Roads	50,000
Road Machinery	11,750
Total	\$1,087,450

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 D. of H., Siuslaw Lodge No. 28—Meets the second and fourth Thursday evenings of each month. Visiting members cordially invited to attend. Mae Sanborn, C. of H.; Isabel Severy, Recorder.

I. O. O. F., Irene Encampment, No. 42—Meets in I. O. O. hall in Florence the second and fourth Friday of each month. Members of this degree are cordially invited to attend. J. W. Tanner, C. P.; S. J. Seymour, Scribe.

O. E. S., Vesta Chapter No. 73—Meets in Masonic hall in Florence on the second and fourth Thursday evening in each month. The attendance of all visiting members is earnestly solicited. Mrs. Mae Sanborn, W. M.; Mrs. Mary B. Young, Secretary.

M. W. A., Ocean Wave Camp No. 7869—Meets each alternate Saturday evening in Woodmen hall, Acme. Visiting brothers are invited to attend. G. R. Mills, V. C.; N. G. Wilson, Clark.  
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I. O. O. F., Maple Lodge No. 139—Meets every Thursday evening in I. O. O. F. hall, Mapleton. Brothers in good standing invited to attend. Jake Camp, N. G.; F. Whitaker, Secretary.

Migon Rebekah Lodge, No. 105—Meets first and third Saturday evenings at 8 o'clock in I. O. O. F. hall, Mapleton. Sophis Nichols, N. G.; Anna Saunders, Secretary.

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**CHURCHES.**

First Presbyterian church, Rev. John Drumm, pastor—Sunday school 10 a. m., preaching service 11 a. m., Christian Endeavor 6:30 p. m., evening service 7:30 p. m., mid-week service Wednesday evening 7:30. Residence at parsonage on Lincoln street, opposite schoolhouse.

Evangelical church, Walter V. Wall, pastor—Sunday school 10 a. m., worship 11 a. m., junior C. E., 2 p. m., young peoples C. E., 7 p. m., preaching 8 p. m., Tuesday evening prayer meeting 8 p. m., Parsonage corne. of Main and Howard.

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