

County Tax Statement Made

A total of 587,726.08 was levied in taxes in Curry County during the last fiscal year, according to figures released this week by George W. Sutton, county tax assessor.

The assessment was made on a total valuation of slightly more than nine million dollars for the entire county.

Of the amount levied, \$135,038.02 went to the three county funds, the county school fund, the county hospital fund and the county general fund.

School District No. 17, embracing the south end of the county, showed the largest valuation of any of the school districts, with a valuation of \$2,435,940. It paid less taxes, though, under its 4.4 mill rate, than several of the other districts. District 17's millage was less than half of that of any of the other districts being taxed.

City valuations placed the valuation of property in Brookings at \$1,329,370, more than that of Gold Beach and Port Orford together. Valuation at Gold Beach was 623,060, and at Port Orford \$339,260. Brookings citizens paid taxes totalling \$18,477.61, which was more than that paid by other cities, although their tax rate of 13.9 mills was substantially under those of Gold Beach, at 22.3 mills, and Port Orford at 21.8.

SMITH RIVER

By Ethel Goodlin.

M&M CUTTING REDWOODS

In the interest of public safety the M&M wood working company is cutting the hazardous trees along Highway 101 through the James A. Malarkey grove of redwoods south of Fort Dick. The M&M company will remove the trees and cut them up into useful products.

The division of highways will remove the stumps and widen the road through the redwoods, which will cut out many of the dangerous curves in this forest.

Mrs. Dick Faris of Dunroven store at Rivers End left Tuesday on a motor trip to Naches, Wash., to visit her 91 year old uncle John Crawford.

MRS. HURSH VISITS

Mrs. Everett Hursh left on the Monday evening bus for Colton, Calif., to spend a week visiting her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Garvin Barnes.

SAMISES HAVE GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Samis enjoyed a visit over Labor Day with their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. George Samis of Oakland.

VISIT FAIR

Supervisor Fred Haight and others from Del Norte county are attending the California State Fair in Sacramento this week.

Largest single payment, as well as highest assessment, was for the rural school district. Its 32.1 mill assessment brought in \$290,921.49.

Samuelson-McMains

At Smith River

A pretty wedding took place on Friday evening, September 4, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Samuelson, when their daughter, Miss Evelyn Samuelson, became the bride of Gary McMains, both of Smith River, with Rev. James Shelton officiating at a double ring ceremony. The room was attractively decorated with summer flowers. Preceding the ceremony Rev. Shelton sang "I Love You Truly," accompanied at the piano by Duane Shelton. The bride, given in marriage by her father, was lovely in a blue-gray tailored suit, white accessories, her corsage was white Rubrum lilies, she carried a white Bible, topped with pink Rubrum lilies. The couple stood under an arch of ferns, gladioli and dahlias in pastel shades.

The bride was attended by Miss Violet Brown of Crescent City. She wore a gold tailored suit, her corsage was red rosebuds. The

GOODLINS HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Rupert Goodlin of Longview, Wash., are spending their vacation visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Goodlin.

groom was attended by Bob Johnson of Harbor. Following the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. McMains received congratulations from the guests. Cake and coffee was served. The newlyweds left on a honeymoon trip to Eastern Oregon. On their return they will reside on the Leah Wilson farm east of town. Mrs. McMains is employed at the office of Co-Op Power Co. in Crescent City. McMains is employed with Beck Bros Logging Co. up the Winchuck in Oregon.

DR. SAMUEL AWAY

Dr. Ed Samuel visited Portland last week, probably hunting for more fingers to jab. He returned Tuesday.

MRS. STOKEN RETURNS

Mrs. R. J. Stoken, who has been with relatives and friends in the San Joaquin valley and the bay area since the death of her husband, has returned to Brookings to settle the estate. She will be here until after the holidays.

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