

## Curry County Is Leader In Tax

Property owners in Oregon will pay a record breaking \$134,905,338 in taxes during 1954-55, an increase of almost ten per cent over that of 1953-54, according to Oregon Business and Tax Re-

search, the state taxpayer organization.

On a per capita basis, this 1954-55, property levy amount to about \$84.

Curry County topped all counties in percentage increases by a levy of 26.1 per cent more than last year due largely to a hopping increase in school costs. Curry's school levies, again the

largest percentage increase in the state, were 41.6 per cent.

Throughout the state of the \$134.9 million of levies on real and personal property, \$84.1 million, or 62.3 per cent was for schools.

Think defensively, assuming that the other fellow may make a mistake. He sometimes does.

# FREEMAN'S MARKET

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U. S.  
GRADED  
CHOICE BEEF

Thursday  
Friday  
Saturday

FRESH FRUIT  
and  
VEGETABLES

## FREE LOCKER BEEF

TO BE GIVEN AWAY 24th DECEMBER

### FREE KRAUT

1 Pint Kraut Free With Every Purchase Of Portland Provision

### WEINERS

1 Qt. Kraut And 1 Lb. Weiners

lb 49c  
59c

Armours Sliced

1 lb. Lean Sliced

### BACON

lb 49c

10 to 12 lb. Whole Loins

Cut and Wrapped for Locker

lb 59c

Fresh, Lean and Meaty

### PICNIC ROAST

6 to 8 lbs.

lb 39c

Tender, Lean — Young Pork

### PORK STEAK

lb 49c

Just Right For Barbecue

Lean - Meaty - Light

### SPARERIBS

Under 3 lbs.

lb 59c

Whole Hams Only

Short Shank

Oregon Chief

### SMOKED HAMS

10 to 14 lb. Half Hams Slightly Higher

lb 63c

The Store Where You Get The Best For The Least

—Bart the Butch

P. S.:—Corned Spareribs — lb 49c

## REBEKAH LODGE ELECTS OFFICERS

Officers for the coming year were elected at the last meeting of Topaz Rebekah Lodge No. 241 on November 23rd at the IOOF Hall. Opal LaBrook was elected to be Noble Grand; Lily Brown, Vice-Grand; Alice Spence, Recording Secretary; Florence Davis, Financial Secretary; and Alice Gran, Treasurer. Irene Koehler is the present Noble Grand.

The installation of officers will take place in January and will be a joint installation with the Odd Fellow Lodge, with District Deputy President Cleo Craig and District Deputy Grand Master David Crockett in charge.

During the meeting, which was presided over by Opal LaBrook in the absence of the Noble Grand, plans were made for the annual Christmas party and gift exchange which will be held at the next meeting, December 14th, the presents not to cost over a dollar.

### LEGAL NOTICE

#### NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Bids will be received up until 5 p. m. Thursday, December 16th at the Post Office address of the Clerk of School District No. 17C for furnishing the following:

225 Lockers  
Miscellaneous Shop Equipment and tools  
for the Brookings-Harbor School District.

Specifications and instructions to Bidders may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Schools, Brookings, Oregon.

Bids will be publicly opened and read aloud at 8 p. m., December 16th at the Brookings High School Building.

The Board reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, and to accept or reject any or all items of any kind.

Dora E. Beaulieu, Clerk  
Brookings, Oregon.  
Published Dec. 2nd and Dec. 9th.

Refrain from window shopping or searching for addresses while driving. A second's inattention may cost a life.

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### SMITH RIVER

By Ethel Goodlin

Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Westbrook and two children motored to Gold Beach on Thanksgiving morning, and were guests at the home of the latter's mother, Mrs. Alma Turner and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brown, accompanied by the former's mother, Mrs. E. E. Brown, motored to Gold Beach Sunday and enjoyed the drive along the highway. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Mary Agnes Powers who spent the holiday at Gold Beach.

The coldest night of the season was Monday night, when the residents of the valley looked out Monday morning there was a heavy blanket of frost everywhere and plenty of ice. The temperature has turned warmer and the report is there will be rain.

### LEGAL NOTICE

#### NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given that a hearing will be held Tuesday, 8 p. m., 8 o'clock, December 7th, 1954, at the City Hall, for the purpose of giving all persons interested and the general public an opportunity to be heard on a petition by John Campbell for a temporary use permit for a period of twelve (12) years to install a fifty (50) unit trailer court to be constructed under State Board of Health specifications and regulations on a tract of land approximately seven (7) acres known as the Wollam tract zoned R-2 (residential) bordered on the North by Railroad Ave., and the South by Maple St., the West by Oxford St., and cornered on the East by Oak and Del Norte.

This hearing will be held preliminary to a final report to the City Council, under authority of Title 95, Chapter 24, Oregon compiled Laws annotated.

City Planning Commission,  
Gladys Kanick, Secy.  
Publication: Dec. 2nd, 1954.

## BETTER BUYS AT LESMEISTER'S

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