

PROPERTY VALUES 5 PER CENT MORE

Incomplete Assessment Summaries Show Increase in State of \$12,000,000.

ELEVEN COUNTIES BEHIND

Multnomah Has Not Yet Reported to Secretary of State—Few Counties Have Made Cuts in Assessment Rolls.

SALEM, Or., Dec. 9.—(Special.)—Eleven counties have not yet filed their assessment summaries for 1936, though such reports are now past due at the office of the Secretary of State.

The total valuation of property in the counties which have thus far reported is \$283,622,271 as compared with \$278,682,979 for last year.

Table with 2 columns: County Name and Valuation. Includes Baker, Benton, Clackamas, Clatsop, Clatskanie, Coos, Curry, Gilliam, Jackson, Josephine, Lane, Lincoln, Malheur, Marion, Morrow, Polk, Sherman, Tillamook, Umatilla, Wallowa, Washington, Wheeler, Yamhill, and Total.

MEMBERS BOOM SLAYDEN

Meeting Held to Urge His Candidacy for Speaker.

CHEHALIS, Wash., Dec. 9.—(Special.)—Members of the next State Legislature to the number of 18 met in Chehalis this afternoon to discuss matters of particular interest to Southwestern Washington people.

FIND DESERTING HUSBAND

Nelson O. Powell to Be Returned Here From Albany.

ALBANY, Or., Dec. 9.—(Special.)—Nelson O. Powell, wanted in Multnomah County on a criminal complaint charging non-support of his wife, was arrested this afternoon at Lebanon by Deputy Sheriff Green and was returned to Portland tonight.

POOLED PRUNES ARE SOLD

Northwestern Association Men Get Better Than 5 Cents Pound.

SALEM, Or., Dec. 9.—(Special.)—President L. M. Gilbert, of the Northwestern Prunes Association, reports that practically all of the association's pool, 40 carloads, has been sold at a price netting the growers better than five cents a pound for the 30-40 size.

TILLAMOOK MAN SUICIDE

Benedict Imdorf Kills Himself on Atlantic Liner Finland.

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—(Special.)—While a terrific storm was raging, on December 1 there was a burial at sea from the liner Finland, which arrived today from Antwerp.

in the head as he lay in his berth, about 4 o'clock, on the morning of November 28. He died a few hours later, never regaining consciousness. The body, wrapped in canvas, was consigned to the deep after the reading of the burial services by the captain.

TILLAMOOK, Or., Dec. 9.—(Special.)—Benedict Imdorf had lived in Tillamook County for some years past. He was a rancher and a bachelor and was in comfortable circumstances.

Polk Prepares Poultry Show.

DALLAS, Or., Dec. 9.—(Special.)—The second annual poultry show of the Polk County Poultry Raisers' Association will be held in this city Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, December 16, 17 and 18.

CHOSEN NEW MAYOR OF VANCOUVER.



John P. Kiggins.

the prize list Elmer Dixon, of Oregon City, has been secured to act as judge of the exhibits.

DRUNK BEATS HIS MOTHER

FIGHTS FIERCELY WHEN DEPUTY SHERIFF COMES.

Tries to Kick in Neighbor's Door. Has Three Bottles of Carbolic Acid in Pockets.

VANCOUVER, Wash., Dec. 9.—(Special.)—Edward Rinehart, a German 29 years old, while intoxicated, fatally beat his mother, Mrs. Herman Fieschman, and his sister at the family home at Burnt Bridge Creek, near Vancouver.

SALEM BOY FOR ANNAPOLIS

Son of State Treasurer's Chief Clerk Named by Bourne.

SALEM, Or., Dec. 9.—(Special.)—William H. Perkins, son of W. T. Perkins, chief clerk in the office of the State Treasurer, has been nominated by Senator Bourne for appointment to the Naval Academy at Annapolis.

NEWLY ELECTED MAYORS OF NORTHWEST.

- Raymond, Wash.—A. C. Little. Montesano, Wash.—George Winsmir. North Bend, Or.—L. J. Simpson. Milwaukie, Or.—Philo Stueb. Auburn, Wash.—Sheriff Smith. Colfax, Wash.—William Lippitt. Union, Or.—C. H. Law. Freewater, Or.—J. H. Hall. Milton, Or.—N. A. Davis. Independence, Or.—B. F. Jones. Grants, Or.—Grant Thornburg. Hillsboro, Or.—J. W. Connel. Oakland, Or.—Dr. F. W. Hunt. Salem, Or.—George Rodgers. Toledo, Or.—C. E. Hawkins. Newport, Or.—R. A. Bessell. North Yakima, Wash.—F. M. Armbruster. Chehalis, Wash.—William West. Vancouver, Wash.—J. P. Kiggins. Pullman, Wash.—H. B. Carpenter. South Bend, Wash.—W. F. Cressy. Yaquina, Wash.—W. J. Hoag. Canas, Wash.—J. T. Cowan. Hood River, Or.—D. McDonald. Port Townsend, Wash.—Max Gerson. Fairview, Or.—W. Ellison. Grandma, Or.—B. Stuart. Centralia, Wash.—F. Guertler. North Powder, Or.—Robert Starkweather.

Bourne for appointment to the Naval Academy at Annapolis. He must pass the required examinations before the appointment will be made.

Barred on Wedding Anniversary.

GARFIELD, Wash., Dec. 9.—(Special.)—Mrs. Bertha Noble, wife of William Noble, died at her home in Garfield, Monday. Mrs. Noble was the daughter of Charles Price, of Pullman, and was one of a large family of boys and girls, seven of whom survive her.

MAYOR FOR REFORM

Vancouver's New Executive Is Progressive.

HOLDS ONE OFFICE NOW

Is Councilman From West Vancouver—Elections Held in Many Cities and Towns of Washington and Oregon.

VANCOUVER, Wash., Dec. 9.—(Special.)—John P. Kiggins, who as a Republican candidate, was elected Mayor of Vancouver yesterday, was born in Nashville, Tenn., October 2, 1889.

Mr. Kiggins is a member of the Blue Lodge of the Mason order and of the Woodmen of the World.

OPPOSITION TICKET LOSES

George W. Winsmir Is New Mayor of Montesano.

MONTESSANO, Wash., Dec. 9.—(Special.)—At the 11th hour opposition ticket was put in the field at the city election held yesterday, headed by the present Mayor, T. M. Bryan, but the ticket nominated at the caucus last week was too strong and won by over 2 to 1.

First Mayor Re-elected.

MARSHFIELD, Or., Dec. 9.—(Special.)—L. J. Simpson was re-elected Mayor of North Bend, defeating Charles Klser by a large majority.

Sheriff Chosen Mayor.

SEATTLE, Wash., Dec. 9.—(Special.)—Sheriff Lou C. Smith, of King County, has been elected Mayor of the town of Auburn.

At Raymond, Wash.

RAYMOND, Wash., Dec. 9.—(Special.)—The following officers were elected at the city election held yesterday: A. C. Little, Mayor; B. S. Swanson, Treasurer; M. C. Welsh, Attorney; J. H. Callahan, Clerk; Charles Hiett, Councilman-at-large; T. H. Donovan, W. G. Shumway and C. I. Henkle, Councilmen.

Just One Break in Ticket.

MILTON, Or., Dec. 9.—(Special.)—The Milton city election held yesterday resulted in the election of the entire Citizens' ticket with the exception of the

candidate for Marshal, who was defeated by Frank McQueen, who ran as an independent candidate. The officers elected, with the exception of Marshal, were officers last year, some of them having held office continuously for several terms.

Interest at Elma.

ELMA, Wash., Dec. 9.—(Special.)—The results of the municipal election held today showed A. L. Callow elected as Treasurer and John J. Emley and J. A. Vance Councilmen.

GREEKS CAPTURE HOBOS

Caught Breaking Into Section-House and Merry Chase Ensues.

ARLINGTON, Or., Dec. 9.—(Special.)—Albert Vaughn and David Brown were arrested here on a charge of larceny from a dwelling.

Heart Failure Causes Death.

ABERDEEN, Wash., Dec. 9.—(Special.)—William Schultz, aged 62, died suddenly last night from heart failure.

engaged in business.

Seven years ago he came here with his wife, his children having preceded him.



And it's a wonder of good material, good trim and good style for \$3.00.

THE BEAVER HAT Give him one for Christmas. If you don't know the size, get a hat order. Then he can select a hat to suit himself.



166-170 Third Street.

Advertisement for Victor Records. Text: 'Every Victor record is a work of art. Quality is ever uppermost in the making of Victor Records. They are the best selections by the best artists and are so perfectly recorded and so well made that they reproduce absolutely true to life.' Includes image of a dog listening to a gramophone.

Advertisement for PERFECTION Oil Heater. Text: 'The Heat that Doesn't go up the Flue. You receive intense, direct heat from every ounce of fuel burned—there are no damp chimneys or long pipes to waste the heat from a PERFECTION Oil Heater (Equipped with Smokeless Device)'. Includes image of the heater.

Advertisement for H-O oatmeal. Text: 'Give the Meat-Eater His Meat, But— If the doctor tells him to "taper off" on account of his liver or kidneys there is nothing better to taper off on than H-O, the delicate, delicious flakes of steam-cooked oatmeal—the only cooked oatmeal sold, not the indigestible, raw oatmeal that is sold as "rolled oats" and which cooks into a pasty, mushy mass.' Includes image of a man carrying a large sack.

Advertisement for SAN FRANCISCO & PORTLAND STEAMSHIP CO. Text: 'FIRST-CLASS FARE \$10. UPPER DECK \$15. SECOND-CLASS \$5. S. S. SENATOR. SAILS FROM AINSWORTH DOCK, 4 P. M., FRIDAY, DECEMBER 11. J. W. RANSOM, Dock Agent, Ainsworth Dock. Phone Main 268. M. J. ROCHE, C. T. A., 142 Third St. Phones—Main 402, A 1402.' Includes image of a ship.

Advertisement for H-O oatmeal. Text: 'H-O is steam-cooked for three hours by a patent process—that's the reason it's different from the others and so easily digested. Ask your grocer for H-O. "I want more H-O" —Oliver.'

Large advertisement for GEVURTZ Buffet. Text: 'A Beautiful Gift For Some Fair Lady. This is a specimen from our high-grade Christmas stock—a Buffet that other furniture stores would price at fully \$65. By purchasing immense quantities for two and three large stores, we are in position to demand low wholesale prices, unobtainable by the average furniture dealer. Gevurtz' prices are always lower than others. Note the description of this beautiful Buffet: The picture of this Buffet was made from photo. You will notice that it is of new and extremely attractive design, made in solid quarter-sawn Eastern oak polish finish; top is ornamented with three French bevel-plate mirrors, the large one being 31x10 inches, the two small ones 6x8 inches. The large linen drawer in the base of the case is 17x42 inches, and 6 1/2 inches deep; the two cupboards are 11x16 and 18 inches deep, and have clustered art glass doors with beautiful tints. Two other drawers will be noticed in the center of the case, one 14x18 inches and 3 1/2 inches deep, is plush-lined; the other is 14x18 and 9 inches deep. On top of the case two compartments with shaped lids are shown, and between these will be seen two plush-lined silver drawers. A shelf 8x46 inches extends beneath the three plate mirrors. This Buffet stands 5 feet high, topped with a hand-carved ornament, and is 46 inches wide by 20 inches deep, and stands on hand-carved feet. A very great bargain at \$45.00. We have other Buffets for \$25.00.' Includes image of a buffet and the GEVURTZ logo.