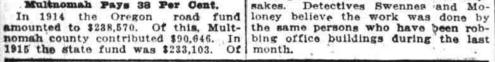


by the economic waste in the opera- pany's offices. Part of this was in tion of motor vehicles. coins given to Walter Patrick as keep-Multnomah Pays 38 Per Cent.



Taking up the Pacific Livestock

no question but that every member of the board would favor such expenditures, but he doubted if the board had legal authority to authorize them.

Livestock Case Considered, mpany case. Edward F

oard should take action to enable us BAKER HOLDING OUT State Treasurer Kay said there was

**ON TAX COLLECTIONS** 

CLAIMED DUE STATE

Out to-day





San Francisco, chief attorney for the company, declared that the suit against the company was brought in the in-"I object to the name of the state

Maintains Title to Excess of of Oregon being used by McConnell for the mere purpose of punishing one of his personal enemies and to carry out his personal desires," he said. Treadwell objected to any funds being authorized for use in making fur-ther investigations of the case, but de-

clared if the board is to authorize expenditures it should be for the prosecution of the case and not to hunt up evidence. "If the case was started without the

evidence, it was all wrong," he insisted.

cent tax limitation today when State Treasurer Kay received notice that Baker county refuses to pay a portion of its state taxes on the ground that it is in excess of a 6 per cent in-

6 Per Cent Over 1916 Re-

Salem, Or., May 28 .- A new twist

was given to the constitutional 6 per

turns, It Is Declared.

All Members Present. crease over the taxes paid in 1916. As equalized by the state tax com-"The attorney general should have asked the legislature for enough funds mission the state taxes for Baker to carry on all the work of his office," county for 1917 total \$62,646,90, of he said, "and not single out a specific which hal! is now due. Today the case and when an appropriation is state treasurer received a letter from made gain the moral support of the leg. the county treasurer of Baker statislature or of this board." He bitterly ing that the Baker county court deattacked McConnell and the statements he had made in a published article. Treadwell was followed by John L. The letter stated that the state The letter stated that the state

Rand of Baker and A. C. Shaw of taxes paid by Baker in 1916 were Portland, attorneys for the company. \$56,451.89, and that 6 per cent of that They also aimed their attack at Mc-sum is \$3387.11, which, when added, Connell. All the members of the makes a total of \$59,839. This is the emergency board are present. amount that the Baker county court

is willing to pay into the state treas-Oxman Again Held

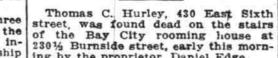
ury, and a warrant for half that sum was enclosed in the letter. After consulting with Tax Commis-

To Superior Court sioner Galloway, Deputy State Treas-urer Ryan said that, under the law, the state treasurer would simply hold the San Francisco, May 28.—(P. N. S.)— A new order holding Frank C. Oxman, Oregon cattleman, for trial in the suverior court on a charge of trying to to a severe penalty and dismissal from

induce F. E. Rigall to testify falsely against Thomas J. Mooney, convicted as a preparedness parade bomb con-spirator, was issued today by Police Judge Brady. Oxman secured his lib-erty on \$3000 ball. Description of state taxes, which is done by the state tax commission Meantime in Superior Judge Seais done by the state tax commission well's court, at the conclusion of the each year, and a probable increase in

morning session six jurors were sworn the assessed valuation of the county and five were in the box temporarily passed subject to peremptory challenge for the case of Mrs. Rena Mooney, charged with murder as a conspirator.





ing by the proprietor, Daniel Edge. Hurley went to the rooming house shortly after midnight and paid for a room. He retired and about 3 o'clock Dan Mahoney, another roomer, heard him groaning, and found him lying on the stairs. He called the proprietor, who thought he was drunk, and made

no effort to aid him, An inquest hold this morning proved

State Grain Bureau Has Opened Office

workings of the Washington bureau, J. C. Porter, chief of the Oregon hay Memorial Service nors. Vancouver, Wash., May 27.—Open sir services were conducted in the barracks Sunday in honor of Sergeant Blake of Company L, Third sir services were conducted in the carracks Sunday in honor of Sergeant Elton Blake of Company L, Third Oregon, who died at the Post hospital May 25 of pneumonia. Chaplain Blake of the Fourteenth Infantry conducted the services sion on the second floor of the county building.

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Hurley died of natural causes. He is survived by a wife and two boys, one of whom is in the army.

After a week spent in Tacoma ob-taining an intimate knowledge of the