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ATHLETICS TAKE SECOND GAME, SCORE: 3-1

INCREASE IN COUNTY VALUATION $3,284,169

Valuation in Medford as Found by Assessor Increases $684,169

ASSESSOR HAS ROLL COMPLETE FOR THE BOARD

Mayor Canon Appoints Porter and Runyard City Board to Go Over Roll and Recommend Such Equalizations as They See Fit.

For the first time in many years the county assessor has his roll complete when the board of equalization met in Jacksonville. This morning the assessor presented the board with his 1911 report and for the week the board will be in session, hearing property owners compaints and making such corrections as they see fit.

The assessed valuation of Jackson county as determined by the county assessor this year will be in the neighborhood of $38,500,000, although the exact figures will not be known until the state tax commission fixes the valuation of railroads and other corporations in the county.

One year ago, without the corporation assess ments which are fixed by the state commission the assessed valuation as determined by the county assessor was $30,226,909, whereas this year it is found to be $33,511,158, the increase being $3,284,169.

Medford's assessed valuation shows an increase of $684,169 in spite of the fact that a 20 per cent reduction was made by the assessor on improvements. Without the railroads and other large corporations the asessed valuation is $6,471,843 whereas one year ago the valuation was $5,787,112, the increase amounting to $684,131.

Last year Ashland's assessed valuation without the railroad was $2,717,438. This year it is $3,181,746. Gold Hill has increased from $138,610 to $212,317; Central Point from $345,995 to $464,501.

The county board of equalization is now in session. Mayor Canon has appointed L. G. Porter and E. J. Runyard as a city board to look after the proper adjustment of the city assessments. This board will go over the entire assessment of the city and recommend such equalization as may be necessary.

The assessed valuation of the towns in the county as found this year follows. These figures do not include the railroads:

Medford	$6,471,843
Ashland	3,183,746
Central Point	464,501
Jacksonville	418,091
Gold Hill	212,317
Talent	149,417
Phoenix	115,137
Eagle Point	92,836
Woodville	75,377

The assessor finds values as follows: Tillable land, $7,622,647; non-tillable land, $11,436,455; improvements on land, $701,231; town lots, $7,263,035; improvements on same, $3,604,117; land not deeded, $10,055; telegraph and electric lines (private ownership) $5000; stationary engines and manufacturing machinery, $182,330; merchandise and stock in trade, $875,062; farm implements, $169,852; automobiles, $164,220; money, $63,835; notes and accounts, $87,299; shares of stock, $419,895; household furniture, $345,900; horses, mules, etc., $373,410; cattle, $140,249; sheep, $28,915; swine, $13,613; dogs, $4038.

HOLY WAR IS REPORTED

CONSTANTINOPLE, Oct. 16.—Sheik Heinussi, a noted Arab leader in Tripoli, has declared a holy war against the Italians, according to advices received here today. These advices say 3000 Arabs are marching against the Italian forces.

ONE OF "CONNIE" MACK'S STAR HURLERS

J. COOMBS

Who will in all probability pitch for the Athletics tomorrow.

GOVERNOR WEST HERE TOMORROW

Will Make Arrangements for Delivery of Convicts and Establishment of Camp—Will Be Put at Work on the Crater Lake Road.

Governor Oswald West will arrive in Medford Tuesday morning for the purpose of conferring with the county court and local business men regarding the matter of putting convicts at work on the Crater Lake road. The committee of the Medford commercial club, consisting of Messrs. Reddy, Putnam and Gerig, appointed to act between the governor and the county court, will meet the governor on his arrival. They have arranged for a special meeting of the county court at which the governor will be present.

Some time ago the governor offered to send twenty-five convicts to work on the Crater Lake road which he said he regarded as a state highway. He will arrive tomorrow to meet the committee appointed by the commercial club and the county court to arrange for the delivery of the men and the establishment of the camp.

PENDLETON, Ore.—Fire, believed to be of incendiary origin, destroyed the Oregon feed yard and a skating rink covering a block this morning. A number of horses were burned. The loss is estimated at $75,000.

BRANDEIS MAY SUCCEED HARLAN

Strongest Tip However Is That the Honor Will Be Given to Solicitor General Lemann of St. Louis—Think He Was Promised Place.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 16.—Politicans here today agree that President Taft probably will choose a progressive to succeed the late Justice John M. Harlan on the United States supreme bench.

One report is that Louis D. Brandeis of Boston will be selected.

Many, however, believe that President Taft's personal dislike of Brandeis because of the latter's connection with the Ballinger case would prevent his appointment.

The strongest tip is that the honor will be given to Solicitor General E. W. Lemann of St. Louis. His friends think he was definitely promised the place when he entered the government service.

Fight Settled.

TACOMA, Wn., Oct. 16.—The raise of interurban rates betwween Seattle two years ago, which caused big fights between the people of Fern Hill and of the Duwamish valley near Seattle and the Stone-Webster traction interests, is over.

Defeated before the state railroad commission the superior and supreme courts, the railroad company has restored the old rates.

TRUST CONTROLS 42 PER CENT

Congressman Sulzer Who Has Been Investigating Sugar Industry Says European Monopoly Caused Recent Increase—Wants Raw Sugar on the Free List.

NEW YORK, Oct. 16.—Only 42 per cent of the sugar industry in the United States is controlled by the so-called trust, according to a statement made by Congressman Sulzer of New York.

Congressman Sulzer is chairman of the subcommittee of the house committee appointed to investigate the methods of the alleged trust. According to the reports made to him by government experts, the recent increases in the price of sugar were caused by European monopoly of the trade. The reports add that the American Sugar Refineries companies do not own an acre of sugar producing land.

After conferring with Congressmen Hinds of Maine, Malby of New York and Jocaway of Arkansas, all members of the same subcommittee, Congressman Sulzer announced that relief from the present high prices of sugar can be obtained only by placing raw sugar on the free list.

BAKER SLUGS OUT HOMERUN WINING GAME

Philadelphia Scored First Run Right Off the Reel—New York Ties Score in Second but Fails to Hold Athletics Down.

CROWD GOES WILD OVER BAKER'S GREAT DRIVE

Marquard Did Not Show Form He Was Touted to Be in—Errors Are Plentiful.

New York	1	5	3
Philadelphia	3	4	0

New York ..... 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—1
Philadelphia ... 1 0 0 0 0 2 0 0 x—3

SHIBE PARK, PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Oct. 16.—One solid swat over the right field fence from Frank Baker's war club won the second game in the world's championship series for the Athletics here today by three runs to one for the New York Giants.

The deciding walop came in the sixth inning. Eddie Collins had poked one into the crowd for two sacks and with the score tied at 1 to 1 Baker delivered the goods. He leaned against the ball good and hard and as he followed Collins across the home plate such a scene broke loose as staid Philadelphia has seldom seen. Thirty thousand fans, who hung, breathless, on the struggle, split the air with one roar of joy. It was all over and from that time the Athletics were never in danger. The first run for the Athletics was made in the first inning, when Lord crossed the pan on a wild pitch by Rube Marquard. In the second inning Oldring misjudged a double by Herzog, who scored for New York, when Big Chief Meyers delivered a nice clean single.

From the start of the game McGraw's beauty, Marquard, was wild. In the middle of the struggle he settled down but weakened again after Baker's tremendous drive, and in the eigth McGraw jerked him out of the box, sending Crandall to bat. Crandall delivered the goods, but Plank, who was steady as a rock throughout the game, held the Giants hitless, and the deed was done.

The game by innings:

THE LINE-UP.

New York—Devore, lf; Doyle, 2d; Snodgross, cf; Murray, rf; Merkle, 1st; Herzog 3rd; Fletcher, ss; Meyers, c; Marquard, p.

Philadelphia—Lord, lf; Oldring, cf; Collins, 2nd; Baker, 3b; Murphy, rf; Davis, 1b; Barry, ss; Thomas, c; Plank, p.

Umpires: Connolly, behind the bat; Brennan on bases, and Klem and Dineen in the outfield.

FIRST INNNING.

New York—Devore fanned, Doyle flied to Lord; Snodgrass hit by pitched ball; Marray line to Collins. No runs.

Philadelpria—Lord singled to right and took second on Murray's fumble; Crandall is warming up; Oldring sacrificed, Marquard to Merkle, Lord taking third; Lord scored on Marquard's wild pitch; Collins singled, through Fletcher; Herzog unable to field it in time; Baker fanned; Murphy flied to Devore. One run.

SECOND INNING.

New York—Merkle out, Barry to Davis; Herzog doubled to center, the hit being misjudged by Oldring; Fletcher out, Collins to Davis, Herzog taking third; Meyers singled to left, scoring Herzog; Marquard fanned. One run.

Philadelphia—Davis out, Doyle to Merkle; Devore muffed Barry's drive Barry reaching second; Fletcher lost Thomas' fly, Devore running in, making the catch at his shoestrings. Planks out, Meyers to Merkle. No runs.

THIRD INNING.

New York—Devore fanned; Doyle

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FOREIGNERS ARE ADVISED TO FLEE CHINA

Dynasty Tottering to its End; Thousands are Starving

WIZARD EDISON SAYS U. S. IS GOOD ENOUGH FOR HIM.

MR. AND MRS. THOMAS A. EDISON AND DAUGHTER MADELINE.

The above group shows Thomas A. Edison, the famous inventor, with his wife and daughter, on their arival in New York after a long tour abroad.

"Did you get the rest that was coming to you?"

"Rest? Abroad?" he said. "No, indeed; it's too thick over there for me. The United States is the place for a rest. Here you can spread out without crowding your next door neighbor."

QUAKE KILLS MANY ITALIANS

Communication Is Crippled and Accurate Estimates of the Dead Cannot Be Received—Feared Death List Will Be Heavy.

ROME, Oct. 16.—Communication with the earthquake section of Sicily is crippled today and accurate estimates of the dead as a result of yesterday's disturbance have not been received. It is feared teh list will be heavy.

Houses were demolished at Macchia, Santa Venerin, Guardia and Roudinell. Many bodies have been recovered.

SCHOOL CHILDREN GREET PRESIDENT

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 16.—Resplendent in their best bib and tucker 1000 school children selected from the higher grades of the Los Angeles public schools, delighted the chart of President Taft here today.

Their reception to the chief executive was easily the big feature of the Taft two-day visit to this vicinity, which began at 9:30 this morning, when he stepped from his special train and was greeted by the local commmittee.

MEET CALIFORNIA HIGHWAY BOARD

Local Men Leave for California to Meet Highway Board Which Is deceding Upon Location of Trunk Highway.

John D. Olwell, Mayor Canon, George L. Davis, W. H. Gore and George Putnam left this morning for Cole station, Cal., to meet the California State Highway board which is now engaged in deciding upon the location of the trunk highway through California which is to be constructed at a cost of $16,000,000. The local men were accompanied by four auto loads of business men from Ashland.

An effort is being made to have the highway follow the coast to Eureka, and an effort is also being made to have the road diverted at Weed to Klamath Falls. It is for the purpose of influencing the California board to locate the road up through the Shasta valley past Yreka and over the Siskiyous that the local men left for Cole station.

The fact that Jackson county recently voted a bond issue of $1,500,000 for good roads and plans the construction of a highway from the California line to the Josephine county line, is thought to be a big argument in the location of the highway.

Look at the "For Sale" ads—and at some of the things that are advertised for sale.

BIG BLONDE GOT ISHI'S GOAT

First to Stir the Savage Breast of Ishi, the Wil Man of Shasta County—Was a Blaging Blonde With a Large Picture Hat.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Oct. 16.—It was a big, tall blonde, who the charms to stir the savage breast of Ishi, the wild man of Deer Creek, Shasta county, now under observation at the University of California, who would have naught to do with any of the passing throng that came and stood beside his pen, where he weaved baskets in stolid silence, until there came upon his vision a blazing blonde, with a hat bigger than a parasol.

Ishi awoke. His ull eyes lit with pleasure and the basket work fell from his hands. He leaped up and would have clasped her in his arms only she fled.

Today Ishi, a sadder, wiser man, sits stolid at his basketry, deigning not to look again upon that sex which delights and flees and leaves a bleeding heart where all was peace.

Look for the ad that describes the place you would like to own.

ARMY MAY SOON DESERT MANCHUS AND JOIN REBELS

Panic Apparent in Every Action of the Government—All Communications With Hankon Interrupted—Shanghai Populace Panic-Stricken

PEKING, Oct. 16.—Dreading that the present attitude of non-interference with foreigners by the Chinese rebels may change and grave outrages ensue, counsels for the various powers today advised all foreigners to leave the districts where the great conflict is raging.

Latest reports are that the Russians at Hankow have already taken refuge on a German vessel, and other European and American residents of the city have been transferred to the gunboats in the river.

Government Panic Stricken.

Panic is apparent today in every action of the government. Despite frantic appeals, the army chief, Yuan Shi Kai, is apparently not anxious to act against his countrymen to bolster up the tottering Manchu dynasty. The government has offered him the vice royalty of Hunan and Hupeh provinces. Replying, Yuan Shi Kai demanded guarantees of immediate reforms and the enforcement of the constitution.

Army May Switch.

It is believed Yuan Shi Kai is merely waiting to ascertain the real strength of the rebels and that if their successes continue he will cast in his lot with theirs. If he does it means that nearly the whole army will follow his lead, and that an enormous popular sentiment for the downfall of the Manchus will be created.

Thirteen transport trains, carrying 20,000 troops, left here today for an unknown destination.

The Yang Tse Kiang is again in flood and thousands are reported to be perishing of starvation. Pestilence also is raging and in one place the death rate is reported to have reached 200 daily.

Shanghai in Panic.

SHANGHAI, Oct. 16.—Surrounded by the rebels on land and with inadequate shipping facilities for escape by sea, the populace here is in a panic today with the expectation that the rebels will at any moment demolish the Woo Sung forts, seize the arsenal of Kiang Nan and invade the city, bringing death and destruction as they come.

Refugees, fleeing into the city, say that the main rebel force is encamped at Wu Cang, where it is building breastworks and mounting 140 field guns, in anticipation of an attack from the government forces.

All communication with Hankow is interrupted, presumably by the rebel seizure of the wires.

Retribution Sought.

SAN DIEGO, Cal., Oct. 16.—Retribution for the murder of innocent Americans at Alamo during the recent rebellion in Lower California is predicted today by those close in touch with the Washington authorities. United States Consul General George H. Murphy left last night on his second trip to Alamo and it is now certain that the government will delay no longer in demanding punishment of the Mexican soldiers guilty of the murders.

Mexican secret service agents are busy in San Diego. After several attetmpted kidnapping of former rebels, Jack Holland, former captain in the rebel army, was stabbed on one of the business streets here last night by two Mexiceans. He will recover.

Look at all of the real estate ads and at much of the real estate advertised, before investing.