

TAX SITUATION COMPLICATED IF LIMIT APPROVED

Medford Levy in 1942 Would Be Decreased 28 Per Cent Under 1936 Should Tax Amendment Be Approved

The tax situation of cities, counties and the state will be markedly complicated in 1937, and this complexity would further be increased by 1942, should the constitutional amendment limiting and reducing taxes on tangible property be passed by the people in November, it was shown in a bulletin just released by the bureau of municipal research of the University of Oregon.

The bulletin gives for each city and county in the state the millage and the amount of the levy in 1935 and 1936 as well as the millage permitted by the proposed constitutional amendment in 1937 and 1942.

In addition to providing for a 20 percent reduction by 1942 in the property tax millage to all units of government alike, the assessed valuation of the state would be reduced from \$924,071,020 to \$606,164,213 by the proposed constitutional amendment, which if adopted will be Article XI-B of the Oregon constitution.

The proposed measure would limit the 1937 levy to that of 1936 and would reduce the number of mills to be levied in each succeeding year by four percent until 1942 and subsequent years, when the millage shall not exceed 80 percent of that levied in 1935.

Since present county assessment ratios vary from 45 to 78 percent of the total value of the property assessed, the measure would cause counties in which the ratio was below 80 percent to have a greater tax base on which to make the levy, but those which have a ratio above 80 percent would find their tax base smaller, it was pointed out by the bulletin.

The bulletin shows that the total 1936 county tax levy for the state, which is \$12,910,483, would be reduced in 1937 under the proposed amendment by \$2,377,979, and in 1942 by \$4,485,769. The present total city tax levy of \$8,532,124 would be cut \$973,324 in 1937 and \$2,502,700 by 1942. Application of the 80 percent valuation basis would reduce valuations within cities from \$440,550,682 to \$395,721,315, the bulletin shows.

AIR LINE SIGNS FOR BIG GASOLINE SUPPLY

Representing the largest fuel contract ever placed in the history of air transportation, a three-year supply of gasoline involving a minimum of 27,000,000 gallons has been ordered by United Air Lines from the Standard Oil companies of California, Indiana, New Jersey and Ohio, according to advice received today by L. G. Devaney, United's field manager here.

The order, equivalent to 3573 tank cars, will be delivered to Medford and thirty-six other cities in fifteen states on United's coast-to-coast and Pacific coast routes. United shortly will increase its gasoline consumption when it puts into service a fleet of 21-passenger type twin-engine Douglas transports. The two engines of this plane, each capable of producing 1180 horsepower at takeoff, will require approximately 1200 gallons during a coast-to-coast flight, Devaney said.

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks for the many kindnesses and beautiful floral offerings extended to us in our recent bereavement.—Norman Fraley, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Judy and Family.



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CROSETTI RUNS INTO TROUBLE



This unusual photo shows Crosetti of the New York Yankees trapped between first and second bases by Detroit players and about to be tagged out. Facing the camera are Gehring, second baseman, (left) and Burns, first baseman. With their backs to the lens are Rogell, shortstop, and Myatt, catcher. The Yanks smothered Detroit in a double header, 14 to 5 and 19 to 4. (Associated Press Photo)

BRADSHAW PLEA SLATED THURSDAY

Milton Bradshaw of the Trail district, charged with threatening the commission of a felony, in pointing a rifle at Sheriff Syd I. Brown, and threatening to kill him, will appear in circuit tomorrow for entering of a plea. Bradshaw yesterday waived a grand jury hearing.

Bradshaw in a short statement to the court blamed jealousy and wine for his outbreak, six weeks ago, which included hitting a neighbor on the head with a stick of wood, creating a disturbance on the Crater Lake highway, and, from behind a tree, threatening to shoot the arresting officer, who came to the scene in response to an emergency call.

Forty residents of the Trail district, including several involved in the trouble have signed a petition, seeking leniency for Bradshaw. The district attorney said if granted clemency, Bradshaw planned to move to California.

The authorities have taken under advisement the matter of granting Bradshaw a parole or suspended sentence.

REVIVAL SCHEDULED AT ADVENT CHRISTIAN

Beginning Sunday, September 13, special evangelistic meetings will be held at the Advent Christian church, corner Jackson and Welch, with services daily at 7:30 p. m., except Saturdays.

Rev. F. B. Eastman, of Spokane, Wn., who has been occupying the pulpit for the past several Sundays, will be the speaker.

Emphatic, according to Mr. Eastman, will be placed on scriptural life and scriptural holiness. Special subjects on current and coming events, as indicated in the prophecies, will also be featured.

CLARK TO CONSTRUCT RESIDENCE ON REDDY

Webster Clark, dental laboratory proprietor, announced today he would begin construction, in the near future, of a Spanish-type stucco residence on Reddy avenue. The rear of the premises will be enclosed by an adobe fence.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark, who recently sold their residence property at 22 Tripp street to Gus Sammis, are moving into another property they own, at 1115 West Main street, as soon as remodeling and repair operations, now under way, are completed.

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NATIONAL GUARD RESUMING DRILLS

After a suspension of six weeks, regular weekly drills will be resumed by Medford national guard units in the armory at 7:30 next Tuesday night.

Both Company A and headquarters company, 18th Infantry, suspended weekly meetings for the summer after a period of two drills a week. With vacations now over, both companies are prepared to launch the winter program, officers stated.

There are five vacancies in Company A and officers hope to fill them by next Tuesday night. The vacancies, it was explained, were created by enlistment of members in the army and the navy. Applicants for Company A service may procure information at any time from Sgt. George F. Lindley at the armory.

Plans for outdoor rifle practice will also be made at Tuesday's drill. As the outdoor season closes at the end of October, a special effort will be made to qualify all national guardsmen during the next few weeks, officers stated.

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WEST DESCRIBES BIG GAME HUNTS

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Mr. West reviewed his naval service in China, Japan, and the Philippines, Straits Settlement and other far-eastern countries. He told of his hunting tigers near Rangoon and snakes and wild boar in the Philippines.

Mr. West was presented by Kenneth G. Denman, Dave Helmen of the Southern Oregon Gas corporation was also introduced as a guest of the club. Harold L. Larson, president, was in the presiding chair.

BIG PEAR DISPLAY FOR TALENT SHOW

A display of 82 varieties of pears will be one of the many features being prepared for the Talent fair and tomato festival to be held on October 2 and 3. It was announced today by Ray Schumacher, general chairman.

In the display will be foreign as well as domestic varieties of pear. Mr. Schumacher said, Prof. Reimer, head of the Talent experiment station, is now at work on the exhibit. Interest still centers in the huge pear pie which will be exhibited and eaten during the festival. Rectangular in shape the pie will measure 8 1/2 by 9 feet. It is described by Mr. Schumacher as the "world's largest." Each visitor is to receive a slice, he said.

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OBJECTIVE OF CHRIST EXPLAINED BY PASTOR OF NAZARENE CHURCH

In his message from the Church of the Nazarene pulpit Sunday night Fred M. Weatherford, pastor-evangelist, read as the basis for his sermon 2nd Cor. 8:14-21. Speaking on "The Glorious Christ in Human Interest," he said in part:

"The immediate and ulterior object of Christ in his ministry to man and his triumph in that pursuit, constitute the thought of my discourse.

"The cause for which Christ came into the world was to take away sin of men. This is true from the prediction of Christ's coming the first time: 'He shall save his people from their sins.' When entering upon his ministry Jesus said: Luke 19:10, 'The Son of Man has come to seek and save that which was lost.'

"It is interesting to note the provision he made to take away the cause that prompted his coming. We find a prediction for that provision in Isaiah 53:10, 'Thou shalt make his soul an offering for sin.' The nature of that atonement was the death of Christ. The need for the atonement sprang from the fact that all were dead in sin. The extent of the atonement is seen in the fact that he died for all. The purpose of the atonement was to make of man a new creation.

"The Lord is long suffering, not willing that any should perish; neither is He a respecter of persons. His invitation is, 'Whoever will let him come!'

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BEARS APPEAR IN M'LEOD VICINITY

M'LEOD, Sept. 9.—(Sp.)—The untrammeled wilderness of the west of the dime novel has not entirely disappeared, at least not on the banks of Rogue river, where bear stories threaten to supersede tales of fishermen. On returning after a hike Monday morning, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Ort sighted what they first thought to be a black dog, but upon closer inspection discovered the animal to be a cub bear, enjoying a leisurely rumble near their home. A passing car of tourists stopped and its occupants were considerably thrilled at the sight, Mr. and Mrs. Ort report.

Bill Thomas reports a similar encounter while working on his irrigation ditch recently. This animal, however, was not only full-grown but of decidedly unfriendly disposition. Thomas reported, and he and his dog hastily retreated, Bill deciding ditch-cleaning could wait until some more auspicious moment.

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