

10 OF ASSESSMENT Nearly 40 Property-Owners Are Heard by Board of Equalization. SAY TAXES ARE TOO HIGH

Numerous Reasons Assigned by Complainants for Reductions in Figures Fixed by Assessor on Various Properties.

Nearly 40 complaints against assessments were made to the County Board of Equalization yesterday. Several were from corporations...

The Astoria & Columbia River Railroad Company filed an objection yesterday morning to the assessment of its rolling stock at \$24,720.

Fleckenstein, Mayer & Co. object to the assessment of its money, notes and accounts at \$15,000.

Graton & Knight Manufacturing Company has protested against the assessment of its merchandise at \$30,000 because agencies were established last January in two Washington cities...

The Oliver Chilled Iron Works has objected to its assessment, as did the Syracuse Company. The Oliver Company's money, notes and accounts are assessed at \$25,000...

Mr. J. Kline, a wholesale plumber, doing business on Front street, has put in an objection to the assessment of his stock and fixtures at \$27,000.

and others before Judge Cleland, in the Circuit Court, to recover \$15 on a mechanic's lien. He says that in March, 1907, he lathed and plastered a portion of the hotel at East Burnside and East Third streets.

Enigmarelle Proves a Fine and Dandy Whip

Automaton in Vandeville Guides Coach and Four Through Busy Downtown City Streets.

A VERY fine and fancy whip is that Enigmarelle thing that is being exhibited at the Grand this week, and it is a pity that it was not allowed to wear the tooling events of the recent Horse Show.

"It can't do it, and its simply another of those press agent stunts," said the doubters, but all that action there was discovered descending the incline from the stage door there was a snap of a spring and the wonderful electrical automaton drove a tallyho to the front of the stage entrance of the Grand at the appointed hour.

These are a few of the comments that were made on the Enigmarelle simple in its construction, the matter of this man-created man and having seen how scientifically someone inside of course there's when Enigmarelle was finally assisted onto the box seat, the lines which controlled it were seen against the backdrop—count 'em, four—were strapped to the wooden hands of the manikin.

As an unique demonstration it has never been duplicated here and was well worth all the attention it attracted during the entire course of the drive.

BJD FOR COUNTY ACREAGE

George N. Strong Makes Best Offer for John Barnes Tract.

Eight bids for the John Barnes tract of 48 acres were received by the County Commissioners, and opened yesterday morning.

The land in question is located at the intersection of the Troutdale branch of the O. W. P. with the Base Line Road. W. S. Chapman has filed suit in the Circuit Court over the land, saying that the county broke its contract with John Barnes in not keeping him at the County Hospital, and that hence the land is not the county's property, but belongs to Chapman on account of a deed obtained from Jacobs Barnes, John Barnes' heir.

In the Congo the extravagance of the average white man is astounding. Chamberlain's is a fine example of the day for men getting a few hundred dollars a year, and the official usually hands in his resignation after three months of office for a spree, when he must sign and go back.

The Portland Electric Street Works asks that its assessment of \$50 for merchandise and \$25 for money, notes and accounts be stricken from the rolls because "the company went dead broke and into the hands of an assignee eight months ago."

WHY DOESN'T GEO. E. STUMP STATE?

Because,—Well, Just Because Is Reason Advanced by General Killfeather.

THEN, HE DOESN'T HAVE TO

Sage of Democracy Makes Sundry Remarks on Current Issues and Laments Passing of Old Order in Party Camp.

Since the last curtain was rung down on the late Pat Powers, General Killfeather has led a life sequestered from political scenes. But yesterday, for a few brief minutes, he came forth into the political spotlight again, as for a large number of speakers will be sent out. He also has arranged to have the headquarters in the Chamber of Commerce building open every night, and those desiring to procure literature or campaign buttons are invited to call and have their wants supplied.

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BUFFALO LITHIA SPRINGS WATER

No Remedy of Ordinary Merit Could Ever Have Received Indorsements From Men Like These.

Alfred L. Loomis, M. D., former Prof. Pathology and the Practice of Medicine in the Medical Dept. of the University of New York.

Wm. A. Hammond, M. D., Surgeon-General (retired) U. S. Army, and former Prof. of Diseases of the Mind and Nervous System in the University of New York.

Geo. Halsted Boyland, A. M., M. D., Doctor of Medicine of the Faculty of Paris, and former Prof. of Surgery in Baltimore Medical College.

Wm. B. Towles, M. D., former Prof. of Anatomy and Materia Medica in the Medical Dept. in the University of Virginia.

E. H. Pratt, A. M., M. D., LL.D., Prof. Official Surgery to the Chicago Homopathic Hospital.

C. W. F. Brock, M. D., Esq., Pres. National Assn. Railway Surgeons and Medical Society of Va.

I. T. Davidson, M. D., Esq., Pres. New Orleans Surgical and Medical Assn.

Dr. A. Gabriel Pouchet, Prof. of Pharmacology and Materia Medica of the Faculty of Medicine of Paris.

H. J. LeBlanchard, M. D., Prof. of Montreal Clinic, S.M., S.N., V. U.

James K. Crook, A. M., M. D., Prof. Clinical Medicine and Clinical Diagnosis, New York Post-Graduate Medical School.

Jos. Holt, M. D., Esq., President of the Louisiana State Board of Health, etc.

Robert Bartholow, M. D., M. A., LL.D., Prof. Materia Medica and General Therapeutics, Jefferson Medical College, Philadelphia.

James L. Cabell, M. D., A. M., LL.D., former Prof. of Physiology and Surgery in the Medical Dept. of the University of Va., and Pres. of the National Bd. of Health.

Lo C. Wood, M. D., former Prof. of Materia Medica, etc., in the Medical Dept. of the University of Pa.

Chas. B. Nancrede, M. D., Prof. of Surgery, Medical Dept. of the University of Michigan.

Dr. John T. Metcalf, New York, Emeritus Professor of Clinical Medicine, College of Physicians and Surgeons, New York.

A. Alexander Smith, M. D., Prof. of Practice of Medicine and Clinical Medicine, Bellevue Medical College, N. Y.

Medical testimonials mailed. For sale by the general drug and mineral water trade.

HELP TO CLOTHE THE POOR

DISTRIBUTION OF GARMENTS BY NEEDLEWORK GUILD.

Widely Bestowed Charity That Should Appeal to Portland Housewives With a Little to Spare.

The Needlework Guild of America, a branch of which has been quietly at work in this city for several years, will hold its annual distribution of garments at the Unitarian Chapel November 11.

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FINE DISPLAY FROM HOOD RIVER FRUIT FAIR IN PORTLAND SHOW WINDOW.



APPLE EXHIBIT, WITH MOSIER FRUIT IN CENTER, INCLUDES WINNERS OF SIX CUPS.

Displayed in the show windows of Dresser & Sealey-Mason Company, at Fourth and Stark streets, there are 52 boxes of prize-winning apples from the recent fair at Hood River, Clatsop county, Oregon.

RATIONAL CURE FOR ECZEMA

No More Dosing the Stomach—Cure the Skin Through the Skin.

When you have a scratch on your hand you wash it out and cleanse it and then the skin cures itself. You do not take blood medicine to cure a festering wound.

The best skin specialists today are agreed that the only way to cure the skin is through the skin.

The fact that eczema is a skin disease and not a blood disease is evident from statistics which show that nearly all eczema sufferers are perfectly healthy in all other ways except as to their skin.

You can prove immediately the relief of a true skin cure by using oil of wintergreen as compounded in D. D. D. Prescription.

These special agents indorse D. D. D. Prescription, St. John Pharmacy, St. John, N. C. Wynn Vancouver, Howell & Jones, Oregon City.

THE ARROW SETS THE FASHION IN COLLARS

OLYMPIC THIS IS IT NOW 15c. each—2 for 25c. Cluett, Peabody & Co. Makers, Troy, N. Y.

Jack Rankin is suing R. A. Froudford