

PROTESTS BASED ON COMPARISONS

Sigler Declares Owners Should Point Out All Cases of Inequitable Valuations.

BIG FIRMS ASK REDUCTION

Acme Mills Declares Assessor's Figures Are Below Real Values, but That Other Companies Are Even More Fortunate.

If real property adjoining yours or personal property similar to yours has been assessed at a lower valuation than yours, your duty is to report your own assessment and the assessment of the unintentionally favored parties to the County Board of Equalization for the purpose of comparison and adjustment.

So said County Assessor Sigler to the first taxpayer who called on the County Board of Equalization for the purpose of protesting his assessment.

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W. E. Prudhomme, for Glass & Prudhomme, printers, also filed a statement. His firm had been assessed at \$10,000 on merchandise, \$2000 on machinery, \$10,000 on money, notes and accounts, \$500 on wagons and \$200 on horses.

Mr. Sigler told Mr. Prudhomme that he would issue summonses to the other concerns to show cause why their assessments should not be raised proportionately or his reduced.

Protest by Perkins Hotel. The furniture in the Perkins Hotel last March was not worth more than \$100, according to the company's statement. The assessment was \$500.

The Perkins Hotel Company also protested the assessment of the improvements on the property at Fifth and Stark streets at \$85,000.

Robert H. Strong, representing the H. W. Corbett estate, has filed a protest against the assessment of personal property at \$35,000. This should be not more than \$24,423, he says.

That Assessor Sigler made a mistake of \$12,812 in assessing the Julius J. Kuhn estate, is the contention of Robert Kuhn, the administrator. Mr. Sigler placed the value of the money, notes and accounts at \$13,000.

The present owners of the H. T. Hudson Arms Company, C. L. Diven and H. Y. Sahstrom, think their assessment of \$15,000 should be reduced to about \$4000.

The Oregon Moline Flour Company said the true value of its stock was \$25,250, and of all other property, \$22,000.

Gevurtz Bros. asked that their assessment on furniture, money, notes and accounts, horses and wagons be reduced from \$25,250 to \$17,963.

they say is the actual value of the property.

Want Furniture Figures Cut. I. Gevurtz & Sons said that the assessment of \$165,700 upon their stock of furniture, money, notes and accounts, etc., exceeds by 20 per cent the value of their holdings.

The Columbia Milling Company, one of the concerns mentioned in the protest of the Acme Mills Company, protested against its assessment of \$3000 on merchandise, \$5000 on machinery, \$7500 on money, notes and accounts and \$5 on furniture.

The Loan Company, which does a real estate business and lends other people's money in sums not exceeding \$50,000, said its assessment should be \$2000 instead of \$3000.

SOCIAL LIFE IN CHURCHES

BROTHERHOOD MOVEMENT IS TOPIC OF CONVENTION.

Rev. J. J. Staub and Other Congregationalists Tell of Value of Clubs to Religion.

At the afternoon session of the Congregational Association of Oregon yesterday Rev. J. J. Staub read a paper on the Brotherhood Movement, dealing with the methods of various denominations in bringing the men of their congregations into closer relations.

At the conclusion of the address C. A. Mann, H. L. Bates and R. M. Geary expressed their views as to the value of men's clubs in church life.

At the conclusion of the discussion the session of the Women's Home and Foreign Mission Board, presided by Mrs. F. Eggert gave the results of her visit to Boston at the annual meeting of the Federation of Women's Clubs.

At the evening session special music was rendered by students of Pacific University and by Mrs. F. T. Chapman, H. S. Huntington delivered an address on "Christian Education in Civic Life."

Following is the programme for today's sessions: Morning—Bible reading, selection from the Book of the Mount, Matt., v. Rev. D. B. Gray, "Psalms of Today," Rev. A. B. Knudsen, "The Christian Home," Rev. J. J. Staub, "The Christian Home," Rev. J. J. Staub.

Evening—Praise service, Rev. D. V. Pollock, "The Christian Home," Rev. J. J. Staub, "The Christian Home," Rev. J. J. Staub.

SHOW COMPANY ON OUTING

Players Now at Heilig Theater Enjoy Tally-Ho Ride.

It was a happy crowd of thespians who filled two large tallies and drove about the downtown streets and into the residence district yesterday.

After the drive the entire party was entertained at the theater party given by the Heilig Theater.

TAFT CLUB AT GRESHAM

Rally to Be Held at Which Membership Will Be Increased.

GRESHAM, Or., Oct. 22.—(Special.)—A Taft and Sherman Club has just been organized here, with a membership of 50 members.

REMOVAL—TABLE ROCK.

The Table Rock Mineral Water Co. has removed its Portland office to 306 Board of Trade building, Main 4843.

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DEAD WITH BRUISES ON HIS HEAD

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