

"PUBLIC POLICY" EXEMPTS BARRED

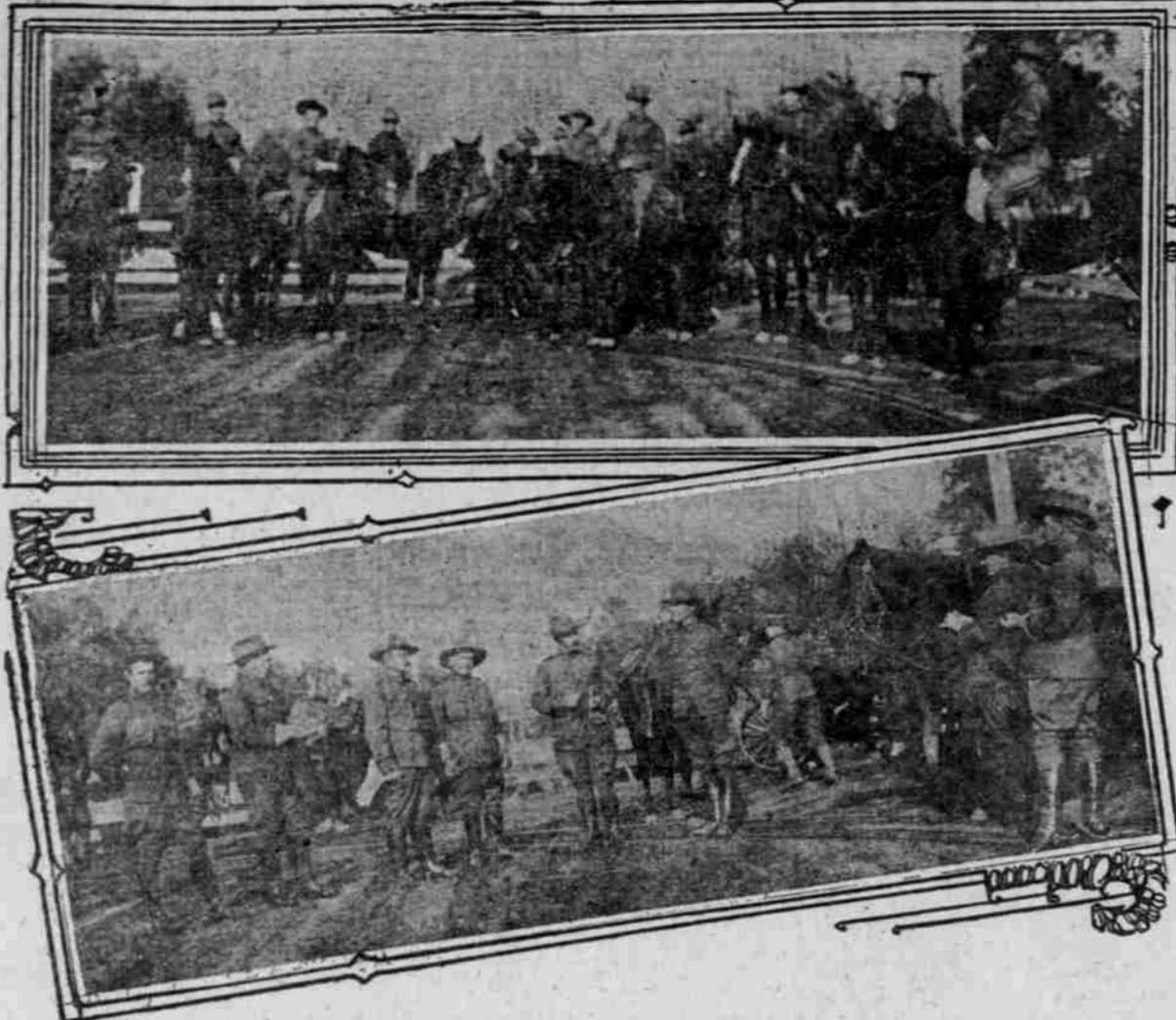
County Clerk Warned Not to Allow Equalization Board to Cancel Assessments.

COMMISSIONER EATON ACTS

Former Custom of Equalizers and County Courts Striking Property From Rolls Is Put Under Nap. Books Ready Soon.

J. B. Eaton, a member of the Board of State Tax Commissioners, has written to County Clerk Fields relative to the meeting of the County Board of Equalization...

REGULAR ARMY OFFICERS STARTING FOR PRACTICE RIDE FROM VANCOUVER BARRACKS.



ABOVE—OFFICERS READY TO MOUNT. BELOW, OFFICERS MOUNTED AND READY TO START.

LAND IS DIVIDED

Couple Seeking Divorce Settle Property Rights.

WIFE TO TAKE FOUR LOTS

Samuel M. Griffith and Mrs. D. L. Griffith, Theatrical People, Save Court Trouble of Dividing Their Interests.

A settlement of property rights without court intervention has been made by Samuel M. Griffith and Mrs. D. L. Griffith. Their divorce is pending in the Superior Court of King County, Washington.

COUNTY COURTS POWERLESS

The County Courts have no jurisdiction in the matter of the findings and judgments of the Boards of Equalization, or of the assessment rolls as returned to the County Clerks, and have no authority under the law to correct or alter the rolls.

BANKERS ARRIVE TODAY

Excursionists From New York to Be Entertained Here.

Portland will be host today to 275 New York bankers and their families who are expected to arrive at 7:30 o'clock this morning.

Members of the Portland Clearing-house Association have about completed arrangements for entertainment of the excursionists.

REQUEST TO EMPLOYEES PAID

Workmen of C. R. Winslow Company Receive \$1000 Willied to Them.

The \$1000 bequeathed to the employees of the C. R. Winslow Company by the late C. R. Winslow, has been paid, according to the third semi-annual report of the executors, Alice S. Winslow and Wirt Minor.

WIRE BURNS BOY; FATHER SUES

A. C. Martin Seeks \$1350 for Alleged Carelessness of Railway.

Alleging that the Portland Railway, Light & Power Company negligently allowed a highly-charged electric wire to be across the roadway of A. C. Martin, until Chester W. Martin, his son, ran against it and was severely burned, suit was brought yesterday for \$1350. The complaint was filed in the Circuit Court.

TEST RIDE IS ON

90-Mile Army Jaunt Starts From Vancouver.

Long Journey Required of All Officers by Army Regulations Will Continue Three Days, First Day's Trip in Six Hours.

THUG IS THIEF TWICE

PISTOL AIMED AT POLICEMAN STOLEN BEFORE FURS.

Desperado's Ignorance of Mechanism of Revolver Saves Patrolman. Spokane Card Borne.

Harry Simpson, who stole a large quantity of furs from the store of N. M. Ungar & Co., and who was chased through the streets and captured by Policemen Martine and Yost Wednesday night, was identified yesterday morning by members of the Menzies-DuBois Automobile Company, Seventh and Davis streets, as the man who entered their office about 12 minutes before the robbery of the Ungar store and stole a pistol, a pair of gauntlets and a pair of goggles.

It was the weapon stolen from the garage which was used by Yost when the patrolman overtook him, and only the fact that he did not know how to operate the weapon saved Yost from wounding and killing the patrolman.

One of the members of the platoon is a Luger automatic and at the time of the chase the safety catch was set. Had this been turned, or had Simpson known how to release it, Yost undoubtedly would have been dangerously wounded.

The definite list of the furs stolen by Simpson has yet been made and it will be necessary to take an inventory of the stock before the loss can be determined.

Wet Asphalt Is Bad for Horses. PORTLAND, Oct. 13.—(To the Editor.)—In an article in The Oregonian, touching the work of the Oregon-Humane Society, mention is made of certain provisions for assisting horses in ascending hills. May I be permitted to call attention to certain defects in the same?

When Nature gives her signal something is wrong; it is generally with the food. The old Dame is always faithful and one should act at once.

To put off the change is to risk that which may be irreparable. An Arizona man says: "For years I could not safely eat any breakfast. I tried various kinds of breakfast food, but they were all soft, starchy masses which gave me distressing headaches. I drank strong coffee, too, which appeared to benefit me at the time, but added to the headaches afterwards. Toast and coffee were no better for me. I found the toast very constipating."

"A friend persuaded me to quit the old coffee and the starchy breakfast food, and use Grape-Nuts instead. I shall never regret taking his advice. I began using them three months ago."

"The change they have worked in me is wonderful. I now have no more of the distressing sensations in my stomach after eating, and I never have headaches. I have gained 12 pounds in weight and feel better in every way. Grape-Nuts make a delicious as well as a nutritious dish, and I find that Postum is easily digested, and never produces dyspepsia symptoms."

"There's a reason." "Get the little book, 'The Road to Wellville,' in 30¢."

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true and full of human interest.

ATONEMENT SERVICES END

Observation of Yom Kippur Is Held in All Hebrew Synagogues.

The last of the atonement services for this year were held in all the Hebrew synagogues of the country yesterday, beginning at 9:30 in the morning and lasting until 6 o'clock last night at the Temple Beth Israel Rabbi Jonah B. Wise officiated, being assisted by D. Solis Cohen and Harold Reinhart, a young rabbinical student.

"Look Up, O Heart," was one of the songs, given by Mrs. Delphine Mark. "A'ss Death," Handel's "Largo," and "Reverie," by Bizet and Shelley, were the organ numbers given by Edgar Courson. Mrs. Editha Weinstein assisted the regular quartet, composed of Mrs. Rose Bloch-Bauer, Mrs. Mark, William H. Boyer and Dom J. Zan.

At the Synagogue Ahavai Shalom and the Hall-Street Synagogue services were also held.

Yom Kippur, or the atonement, is celebrated by the Hebrews once a year, beginning on the 25th day of Tishrei, and ending at 6 o'clock last night. The prayers offered are for the forgiveness of the sins of the congregation committed during the past year. Memorial services for the dead were also held.

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Announcement

Portland people little realize that on a quiet street, four floors above the unnoticing passer-by, there is today, embracing one entire story, one of the finest exhibits of meritorious and popular art subjects ever shown in the city—etchings, engravings, water colors, platinum, imported carbons, oils, plain and hand-colored photogravures, including the famous Burlington prints, framed and unframed; all these are on display under proper lighting effects and well worthy the visit of every one of our citizens. Nor is this all—frames and mouldings from the world's best craftsmen and the services of skilled framers are there. The name of Woodard, Clarke & Co. is inseparably associated with the Great Drug Emporium which they have builded, but not for this alone—their Art Display on the fourth floor of the building they occupy at Fourth and Washington is daily winning the approbation and patronage of the great public who desire good pictures and artistic framing at reasonable prices.

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Store Open Saturday Night Till 10 o'Clock.

paving that merit the consideration of our city government? Ex-Councilman Dan Kellaker, lately called my notice to this defect in his neighborhood. It consists in paving ascents with asphalt. Loaded teams, even when the horses wear corks on their shoes, experiencing difficulty in such places, which would be saved if Belgian block were used, so that the horses' feet may get a hold on the ground. I have observed in the slight ascent on North Union avenue, between Holladay avenue and Pacific street, that horses find assistance in the track pavement in going up

the little rise, and equally, in descending. Horses that are smooth shod, suffer all manner of straining and frequently fall, if the pavement of asphalt is wet. ALFRED F. SEARS, C. E.

Mystic Shrine to Give Dance.

At Kader Temple of the Nobles of the Arab Order of the Mystic Shrine will give its first dance at the Armory this evening. At least 500 couples are expected to be present. The dance is given under the auspices of the Arab Order of the local temple. Music will

be furnished by an orchestra of 28 pieces. The grand march will be led by Captain William Davis, and will start at 9 o'clock.



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