

TAX ASSESSORS INTO ACTION AGAIN VOLCANIC BREAKS

Accountant for Hawthorne Estate and Assessor Sigler Have Heated Discussion Before Equalizing Board.

Trouble of long standing between George Black, accountant for the Hawthorne estate, and County Assessor Sigler broke out yesterday afternoon before the board of equalization. The trouble was over the assessment rolls of 1911, in which the assessor had unjustly placed values upon the books he was informed the black books were to use, as the regular tax rolls are contained therein. The black books are extended into the tax rolls, and the county officials claim they can be used as well as the rolls.

This caused the first trouble. Mr. Black reported to the improvement committee that the county officials would not permit him to use the books. This brought the committee consisting of L. M. Lepper, M. O. Collins, Dan Kellaker and Frank Motter of the improvement clubs before the board of equalization yesterday. Mr. Black explained why he had not gone ahead with the work, saying that County Clerk Fields had refused him the use of the books. The county clerk then explained that he withheld the tax roll, and the black books.

"I will help you in the evenings and on Sunday," said County Clerk Fields. "I cannot allow you to use the tax rolls now, for each night I have to copy every minute. I have to have the work done by November 15, and if you interfere, I cannot do it. It is absurd to think that you cannot get what you want out of the black books. I have been handling this work long enough to know."

County Assessor Sigler charged Mr. Black with stirring up trouble in order to have the assessment of the Hawthorne estate reduced. The assessor also said he would not trust Mr. Black with the books. Mr. Black had previously stated that figures could be dropped purposely in transferring the work from the black book to the tax rolls. County Clerk Fields remarked that the two men were each afraid the other would change the figures.

No Discrepancies, He Says.
"Where can we find the discrepancies, then?" asked Mr. Black.
"I claim there are no discrepancies," sharply answered Assessor Sigler.
"There has been trouble over the assessment of this estate for several years. Mr. Black has always made a protest. The assessment against the Hawthorne estate is made in proportion to all other property. I contend this estate should pay as much as a small home owner."

Mr. Black then asked permission to mark the 1911 assessment on certain property opposite the 1911 assessment. County Clerk Fields called this idea

NEW FINANCIAL BASIS PLANNED FOR THE CITY

A plan for putting Portland on an almost entirely new financial basis under commission government was approved last night by the people's charter committee.

The budget system which has been found satisfactory in churches and business organizations was voted to be adopted to Portland's fund getting. Instead of a distribution of the tax levy among several special funds as at present, all money will be paid into the general fund with power to draw it out for legitimate expenditures in operating the city. At the present time when money is paid into one special fund it cannot be used for another purpose, no matter how urgent or proper or how little needed for its original appropriation. It was all arranged that all money collected from fines should be paid into the general fund.

City Auditor Harber advised that a one-fifth mill tax will meet the expense of operating the library. A one-half mill tax was designated as the proper amount to be assessed for providing a sinking fund for the retiring of bonds not now provided for. With considerable surprise the announcement was received that no sinking funds had ever been instituted for the retiring of the city hall and Morrison bridge bonds.

A section presented by H. G. Parsons that the city pay for water used for municipal purposes was approved for insertion in the commission plan. The city now uses water free of charge. Large buildings receive fire protection

ORVILLE WRIGHT RIDING GLIDER IN A BRISK WIND



Snapshots of Orville Wright taken at Kitty Hawk, N. C., in his new motorless glider, stationary in the teeth of a gale. Wright held this machine practically motionless in the air for ten minutes, although the wind was blowing from 40 to 50 miles an hour. This remarkable exhibition was heartily cheered by the small group of interested spectators. It is believed that the Wrights have about solved the problem of automatic stability.

at little or no cost while the masses of the taxpayers meet the expense of this special protection. The provision includes the installation of meters wherever possible.

The present provision of the city charter in relation to bond issues was not changed by the charter revision committee. It was voted that from section 104 of the charter and all similar sections all reference to special franchises permits be eliminated. The people's committee will meet again tonight and will conclude consideration of charter amendments necessary to the commission form of government. The Simon committee will also meet to conclude its work. Both

ROCK CRUSHER TO WORK AT LIMITS OF LEBANON

Work on the road between Lebanon and the city will be completed in a few days. The road is now in a very bad condition in the winter. The county court proposed that a large rock crusher be established at this city and kept permanently and that a large storage bin will be built, and the crusher kept busy most of the year. It is hoped this crusher can be established by the first of February.

Home for Confederate Museum.
Lexington, Ky., Nov. 1.—When an historic old home of General John H. Morgan, the famous Confederate cavalry leader, is put up for sale at public auction here on Saturday, it is probable an effort will be made by the Trustees of the Confederacy to acquire the property and convert it into a historic museum for relics of the Confederacy. The property, which consists of an imposing brick and stone mansion with spacious

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Phone Rate Suit Will Be Long

Seattle, Wash., Nov. 1.—The long battle was precipitated here today by a restraining order issued by Judge Elyman against the rates to be raised announced by the Independent Telephone company here, now said to be owned by the Bell. The state public utilities commission allowed the rates and the city council the right of the commission to raise the rates at a higher figure than allowed by the franchise. The commission will go to the state supreme court and likely to the United States supreme court.

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The Doctor's Answers On Health and Beauty Questions

By DR. LEWIS BAKER
The questions answered below are general in character; the symptoms or diseases are given and the answers will apply to any case of similar nature.

Those wishing further advice, may address Dr. Lewis Baker, College Bldg., College-Hillwood Sts., Dayton, Ohio, enclosing self-addressed, stamped envelope for reply. Full name and address must be given but only initials or fictitious name will be used in my answers. The prescriptions can be filled at any well-stocked drug store. Any druggist can order of wholesaler.

Mr. I. M.: If you are bothered with itching scalp, accompanied by much dandruff, there is nothing superior to plain yellow mineral which can be obtained at any well-stocked drug store. It is in the form of a paste, which is applied to the hair and scalp, and then rinsed out with water. It is said to be a superior hair grower, and cures dandruff and itching after 3 or 4 applications. Directions accompany each jar.

Margaret: If your height is 5 ft. 4 in. and your weight only 108 pounds then you are a victim of "mal-assimilation" in connection with your system lacks the power to absorb fat and flesh from the food you eat. For anyone desiring to increase their weight, health and strength, by increasing the absorptive powers, I prescribe 3-grain hypophosphite tablets. One tablet after each meal and one before retiring. Continue for several months or until weight has increased 30 pounds or more.

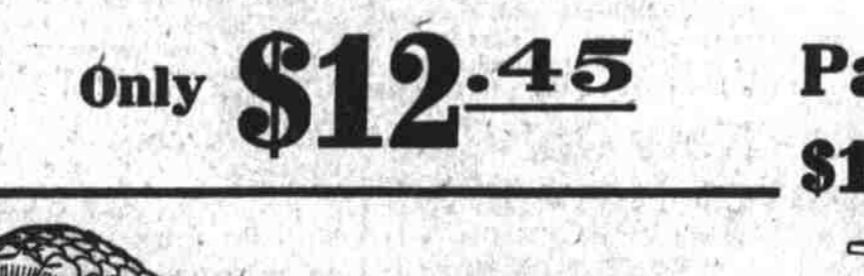
Frank R.: (1) You may rest assured that any drug I mention in my answers is to be obtained of up to date retailers and from all wholesalers. Try your foremost druggist. (2) Do not permit your child to be constipated even for 24 hours. A splendid laxative for old, middle-aged and young, follows: aromatic cascara 1 oz., comp. essence cardiol 1 oz., and aromatic syrup rhubarb 3 oz. Take a half to a teaspoonful after each meal. As a cathartic take two teaspoonfuls at night. This formula is much used in our large hospitals.

Worry: Your misery and worry can readily be understood, as you are tortured by out-of-order kidneys, backache and bladder irritation. Your letter indicates, but if you have any such symptoms as painful stitches, pains in back, inflamed and swollen eyes, nervous headache, irritability, feverishness, chills, dizziness, weariness, uncontrollable smarting, or frequent urination, especially at night, then you can rest assured that you need the following prescription for use at once: fluid balmwort 1 oz., comp. fluid balmwort 1 oz., and syrup sarsaparilla comp. 4 oz. Mix and take a teaspoonful 3 to 4 times daily. Continue as long as any symptoms remain.

Mrs. R. O.: (1) Your affliction is indeed weakening and unless prompt treatment is adopted it will lead to many complications, possibly requiring an operation. Leucorrhoea (whites) is a foul, poisonous discharge of a catarrhal nature, and becomes, if neglected, a fearful drain on the physical and nervous system of any woman. Use the following antiseptic wash and injection twice daily for a few weeks: Get 3 oz. of saline powder and one ounce tannic acid. To a quart of warm water add a teaspoonful of saline powder and a half teaspoonful of tannic acid. Inject with syringe. (2) As a strengthener and tonic obtain a package of 3-grain hypophosphite tablets. One tablet after each meal of this nervous women.

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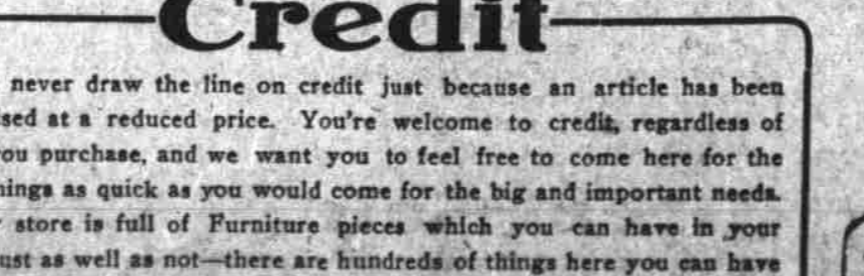
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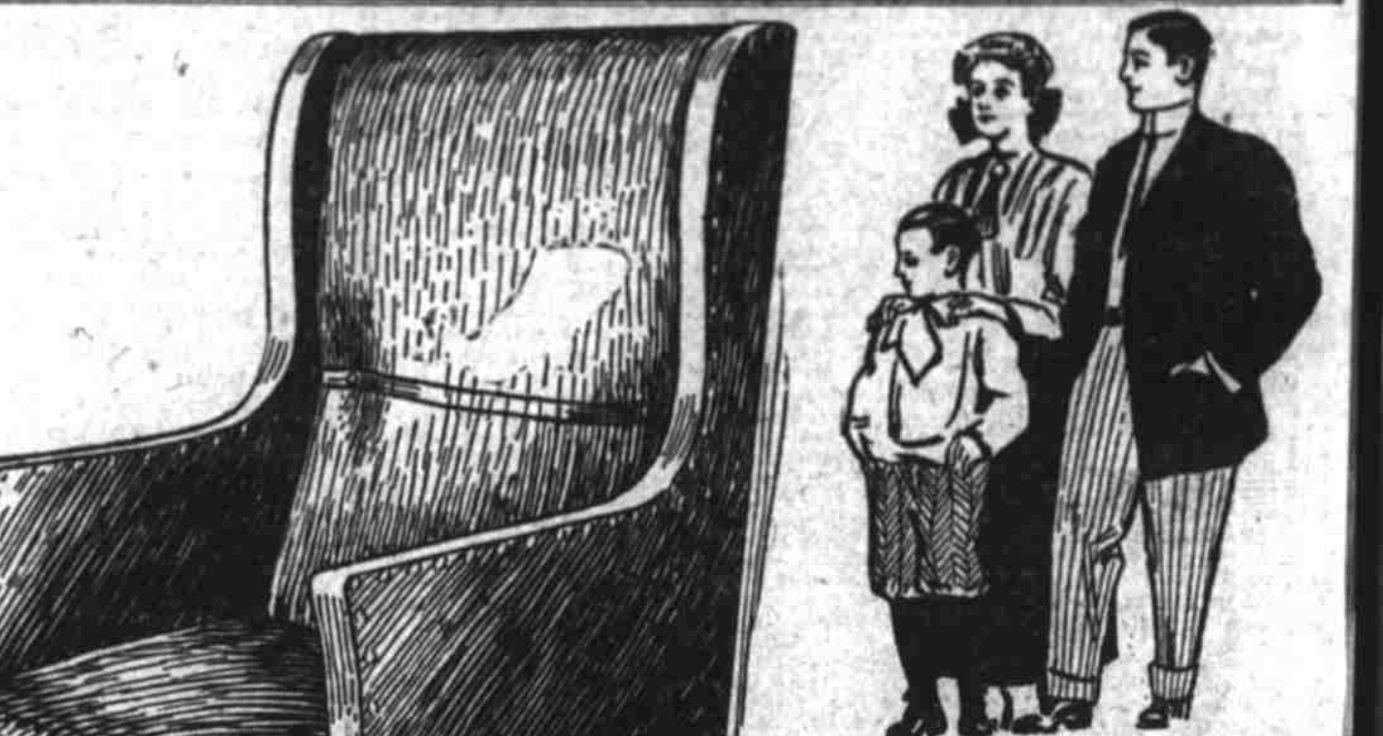
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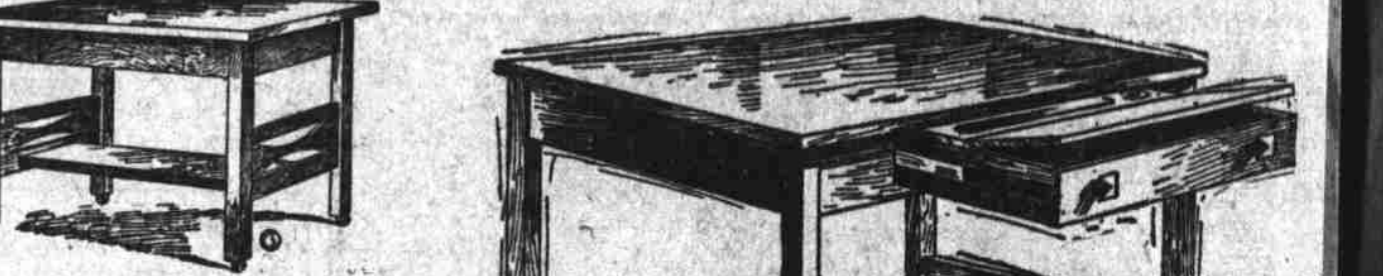


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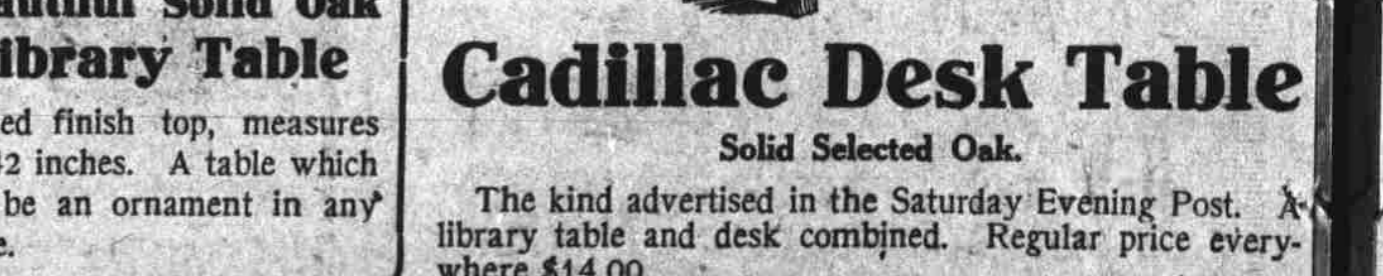


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