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## VALUES MARKED UP

Portland's Assessment to Be Raised to \$40,000,000—County Assessor's Decision.

PORTLAND, Or., May 22.—The assessed valuation of Portland property this year will be at least \$40,000,000. Assessor McDonnell authorizes this statement. This will be satisfactory news to the city officials, who have been counting on a raise in values of \$10,000,000 to \$15,000,000, and the port of Portland commission, which has been facing a yearly shortage.

This year it was \$22,000 behind, and another \$6000 added will bring the shortage up to \$28,000 in 1902. The city is restricted by charter to an 8-mill levy for taxes, and the port of Portland to three-twentieths of one mill levy for general purposes.

In 1899 Assessor Greenleaf cut down the assessment to about \$29,000,000, resulting in a shortage in the several funds of the city government, especially the police and fire departments. He did the same thing in 1900 and the legislature helped the city out of its dilemma by authorizing an extra two mills tax levy this year, which is now being collected.

Assessor McDonnell in speaking about the assessment, said: "Everybody wants more money. I am clearing up on personal property and improvements. I have deputies out in the field working on acreage. I know in a general way that I am going to make the assessment about \$40,000,000 in the city. If the assessment is raised, the levy ought to go down that much. The city charter provision restricting the levy to eight mills was inserted with the understanding that the assessment would be on a \$40,000,000 basis.

"I can't tell how much extra property I am going to pick up. There are a good many adjustments to be made, and I cannot tell yet whether the principal increase will be in real estate or in merchandise.

"There are a great many buildings in course of construction, especially in East Portland. The assessment is made as of March 1st, so can I assess this year only buildings completed at or before March 1st, or so much of a building as was erected by that date. If started March 1st, they are not assessable this year. There will be many more to assess next year than this. It is remarkable the amount of building that is going on. I was out in North Portland recently, and saw houses being put up in all directions."

### Getting Well Fast.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 21.—The convalescence of Mrs. McKinley is very rapid, and she is fast regaining her normal strength. She was able to sit up today and read the papers. So marked is her improvement that it is very probable the presidential party will start for Washington next Saturday. If no untoward developments should occur it is thought that Mrs. McKinley will be able to endure the journey by that time.

At 1 p. m. Secretary Cortelyou issued the following statement:

"Mrs. McKinley's physicians report that she has had a thoroughly comfortable night, and is rapidly regaining her strength."

### Carlisle's Letter.

NEW YORK, May 21.—It was expected that former Secretary John G. Carlisle would be present and act as temporary chairman of the meeting last night in Cooper Union at which the Greater New York Democracy was permanently organized. He was unable to attend, but wrote the following letter which was read:

"It is scarcely necessary to say that I am in full sympathy with every properly directed movement to create an honest, efficient and economical administration of local affairs, and this, I am assured, is the object sought to be accomplished by your organization, and its efforts are not to be confined permanently to local affairs. To secure this beneficial result we can well afford to ignore for the present all differences of a common ticket which will represent the best elements and the highest interests of the community at large.

"There are 3,500,000 people here with their homes, their business, schools,

charitable institutions, social interests all dependent mainly upon the municipal authorities for protection, and it is no exaggeration to say that taking all things into consideration the administration of the national government is of less importance to the citizens of New York than the administration of the local government. They can have the administration of their municipal affairs if they really want it; but it cannot be secured by dividing the forces of reform and wasting their strength in contests among themselves."

### Fitz-John Porter Died This Morning.

NEW YORK, May 21.—General Fitz-John Porter died this morning at Morristown, N. J., of chronic diabetes, aged 80. During the civil war, General Porter was dismissed from the army on charges of aiding the enemy. The case was celebrated and attracted general attention for years. Friends succeeded in securing a rehearing and General Porter was exonerated.

### Does It Pay to Buy Cheap?

A cheap remedy for coughs and colds is all right, but you want something that will relieve and cure the more severe and dangerous results of throat and lung troubles. What shall you do? Go to a warmer and more regular climate? Yes, if possible; if not possible for you, then in either case take the ONLY remedy that has been introduced in all civilized countries with success in severe throat and lung troubles, "Boschee's German Syrup." It not only heals and stimulates the tissues to destroy the germ disease, but allays inflammation, causes easy expectoration, gives a good night's rest, and cures the patient. Try one bottle. Recommended many years by all druggists in the world, and sold by Clarke & Falk. Get Green's prize almanac.

### Night Was Her Terror.

"I would cough nearly all night long," writes Mrs. Chas. Applegate, of Alexandria, Ind., "and could hardly get any sleep. I had consumption so bad that if I walked a block I would cough frightfully and spit blood, but, when all other medicines failed, three \$1.00 bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery wholly cured me and I gained 58 pounds." It's absolutely guaranteed to cure Coughs, Colds, La Grippe, Bronchitis and all Throat and Lung Troubles. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at G. C. Blakeley's drug store.

### A Fireman's Close Call.

"I stuck to my engine, although every joint ached and every nerve was racked with pain," writes C. W. Bellamy, a locomotive fireman, of Burlington, Iowa., "I was weak and pale, without any appetite and all run down. As I was about to give up, I got a bottle of Electric Bitters and, after taking it, I felt as well as I ever did in my life." Weak, sickly, run down people always gain new life, strength and vigor from their use. Try them. Satisfaction guaranteed by G. C. Blakeley, the druggist. Price 50 cents.

### Your Face

Shows the state of your feelings and the state of your health as well. Impure blood makes itself apparent in a pale and sallow complexion, Pimples and Skin Eruptions. If you are feeling weak and worn out and do not have a healthy appearance you should try Acker's Blood Elixir. It cures all blood diseases where cheap Sarsaparillas and so called purifiers fail; knowing this we sell every bottle on a positive guarantee. Blakeley the druggist.

### NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that there will be an annual meeting of the stockholders of the Golden Eagle Mining Company at the office of French & Co., bankers, on Friday, May 31, 1901, at 7 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing seven directors and transacting such other business as may properly come before said meeting. By order of the president. The Dalles, May 1, 1901.

J. C. HOSTETLER, Secy. and Treas.

Mr. W. J. Baxter of North Brook, N. C., says he suffered with piles for fifteen years. He tried many remedies with no results until he used DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve and that quickly cured him. Clarke & Falk's P. O. Pharmacy.

### Do You Want a Horse?

I have for sale forty head of horses, weighing from 800 to 1700 pounds. If you want a horse or a team I can fit you. m17-24

JEFF DRIPPS.

## SHAMROCK I IS WINNER

Old Boat Wins From New by Half Minute Over Triangular Course—Conditions Favorable For Fair Trial.

LONDON, May 21.—4:21 p. m.—Shamrock I won from Shamrock II by barely half a minute.

RYDE, Isle of Wight, May 21.—The two Shamrocks started today over a course as nearly as possible similar to the windward and leeward course of the contests for the America's cup. Starting from No Man Fort, the course was laid fifteen miles to windward and return. A moderate varying breeze of 7 to 12 knots was blowing, and the water was smooth.

The racers had a preliminary as they beat out from Cowes Roads for the starting line. Shamrock I started half a mile ahead, but the challenger, after four long tacks, closed up and stayed in the road to leeward—holding a better wind and traveling faster. She luffed out to windward in magnificent style, and when she met Shamrock I had to give way in order to avoid a foul. Captain Wrings, to Shamrock I should have yielded, but he held on, and Captain Sycamore was forced to round up in the wind to clear her.

The Erin was awaiting the boats at No Man Fort, and started after Shamrock II came round ahead of Fife's boat, and, immediately after the signal was given, led her out to a fine start, having an advantage of probably half a minute. They went off beating to windward on short tacks, with the challenger pointing rather the better, going fast and increasing her lead a little on every tack. The wind hauled around a little southerly, but held fair and steady, and the racers slipped along smoothly and fast. The weather conditions were such, however, as to raise doubts if they could finish the 30-mile course within the 5 1/2 hours allowed in cup matches. The conditions seemed to suit the challenger admirably. She pointed higher and footed faster than the old boat, and gradually edged out to windward and went ahead. Once clear of the island point they had a few cross tacks in shore, and Shamrock I dropped into the wake of the leader as they fetched off.

H. M. S. Shamrock II.....12 34 10 Shamrock I.....12 36 2 This showed nearly two minutes gain for the challenger in an hour's sailing, and part of the time Shamrock II sailed with a jib topsail and looked as though she had the whole game in hand. Shamrock I overhauled and passed Shamrock II on the run home.

### Yukon is Open.

SEATTLE, May 21.—Advices from Lynn Canal ports are to the effect that the Upper Yukon is now open to navigation. On May 16th the Upper Lebarge lake was still covered with ice, but was expected to become open in a few days. Smallpox among the Southeastern native Alaskans is reported as dying out. The disease is alleged by many physicians not to be smallpox at all, but to be caused by excessive use of fish and general filthiness.

### BUSINESS LOCALS.

Some desirable city property for sale or rent. For particulars call on Gibbons & Marden. allif

Paint your house with paints that are fully guaranteed to last. Clarke & Falk have them.

The least in quantity and most in quality describes DeWitt's Little Risers, the famous pills for constipation, and liver complaints. Clarke & Falk's P. O. Pharmacy.

Why pay \$1.75 per gallon for inferior paints when you can buy James E. Patton's sun proof paints for \$1.50 per gallon, guaranteed for 5 years. Clark & Falk, agents. m1

Acker's Dyspepsia Tablets are sold on a positive guarantee. Cures heart-burn, raising of the food, distress after eating, or any form of dyspepsia. One little tablet gives immediate relief. 25 cts. and 50 cts. Blakeley, the druggist.

## Fine Under-muslins

at less than wholesale prices.

Fortune favored us in this transaction. Underwear such as we offer here, is not often seen sold at these figures. Ready cash and a sure out-put enabled us to accommodate the maker—and relieve the embarrassment of the dealer to whom this consignment was made—and who proved unable to come to terms.

The name of the maker is withheld by special request—though the same is quite familiar to many of our Dalles ladies, and his goods stand high in their favor.

The sale is now on—and will continue the balance of this month. We would not guarantee the following assortment for that length of time, however—so come soon.

### a saving of a third

GOWNS.	DRAWERS.	SKIRTS.
\$3.50 quality for.....\$2.33	\$1.75 quality for.....\$1.17	\$5.00 quality for.....\$3.33
2.75 " " ".....1.85	1.50 " " ".....1.00	3.50 " " ".....2.33
2.40 " " ".....1.60	1.35 " " "......90	3.00 " " ".....2.00
2.25 " " ".....1.50	1.00 " " "......67	2.25 " " ".....1.50
2.00 " " ".....1.34	.90 " " "......60	2.00 " " ".....1.34
1.75 " " ".....1.17	.65 " " "......43	1.25 " " "......84
1.50 " " ".....1.00		
1.35 " " "......90		
1.25 " " "......84		
.90 " " "......60		
	<b>Corset Covers.</b>	<b>Children's Drawers.</b>
	\$1.50 quality for.....\$1.00	Sizes 2, 4 and 6.
	.75 " " "......50	40c quality for.....27c
	.40 " " "......27	Sizes 7 and 8.
	.35 " " "......23	50c quality for.....34c

You will agree that no finer Underwear was ever shown here.

On display in window and Underwear Dept. **A. M. WILLIAMS & CO.** On display in window and Underwear Dept.

### Look at these Bargains.

A ranch 25 miles south of this city, 447 acres, fenced and cross fenced, and consisting of six fields; plenty of water in each field; 300 acres good tillable land, 150 in fall wheat; all farm buildings; handy to school. Price, \$5000; \$1500 cash, balance on time to suit purchaser, at 6 per cent interest.

A fine little place, consisting of 80 acres, three miles from the Wasco county court house; plenty of water, and having the finest spring in Oregon on the place. Price, \$600.

A place of 160 acres, 14 miles south of The Dalles; 40 acres in cultivation. This place will be sold for less than government price; must be sold at once. The above places are only a few of the many snags Dad Butts has in his hands for sale. m16-22

### Strikes A Rich Find.

"I was troubled for several years with chronic indigestion and nervous debility," writes F. J. Green, of Lancaster, N. H., "No remedy helped me until I began using Electric Bitters, which did me more good than all the medicines I ever used. They have also kept my wife in excellent health for years. She says Electric Bitters are just splendid for female troubles; that they are a grand tonic and invigorator for weak, run down women. No other medicine can take its place in our family." Try them. Only 50c. Satisfaction guaranteed by G. C. Blakeley, the druggist. 1

### TO DELINQUENT TAXPAYERS.

The county court has instructed the county clerk to place a warrant on the tax roll of 1900 commanding me to collect the taxes for said year by making sale, if necessary, of the property therein mentioned, and to return the roll inside of sixty days.

I am sworn to do my duty, and am also under bonds for its faithful performance; therefore have no alternative but to obey the mandate of the court, and will immediately proceed to make out a list of delinquents and advertise the property for sale.

ROBERT KELLY, Sheriff of Wasco Co.

If anything ails your hair, go and see Frazer; he's the headquarters for all hair remedies. Remember that he makes a specialty of these goods. 1f

You are much more liable to disease when your liver and bowels do not act properly. DeWitt's Little Early Risers remove the cause of disease. Clarke & Falk's P. O. Pharmacy.

Clarke & Falk have on sale a full line of paint and artist's brushes.

### Rates to San Francisco and Return.

The O. R. & N. Co. will make the following rates from The Dalles, Oregon, to San Francisco and return for National Convention of Epworth League, July 18-21, 1901: Via rail to Portland and O. R. & N. steamers from Portland to San Francisco and return, \$23.50. Tickets on sale and honored on trains from The Dalles and on steamers from Portland only on July 11th and 16th. Returning tickets will be honored on steamers sailing from San Francisco not later than August 1st; final limit, August 4, 1901. Rate includes meals and berth on steamer. Reservations for passengers going via steamers should be made in advance to insure accommodations, for which a deposit of \$5.00 will be required. All rail in both directions, via O. R. & N. and Southern Pacific, first class, good for stop-overs in California, \$28.50. Second class, including berth in tourist sleeper in both directions, no stop-overs, \$25.50. Tickets on sale at The Dalles July 15th and 16th, and will be honored by Southern Pacific on trains leaving Portland July 15th and 16th, and on morning train July 17th; good for return passage leaving San Francisco up to and including July 31, 1901. Tickets will not be sold good in one direction via rail and in another via steamer.

For further information communicate with Jas. Ireland, agent, The Dalles, Oregon. m21-jly11

### Rates to Pan-American Exposition.

For the Pan-American exposition at Buffalo the O. R. & N. Co., with other lines in this territory, have asked for the following rates to Buffalo and return, which will probably be made effective: From Portland and common points \$78.25, and from Spokane and common points \$68.25. Tickets on sale Tuesday, May 21st, and every first and third Tuesday from that date until October 15th inclusive. Going limit of tickets seven days to Missouri river or St. Paul; journey to commence on date of sale. Final limit sixty days west of Missouri river or St. Paul, with stop-over privilege west of St. Paul or Missouri river in either direction within limits.

This is a preliminary notice and these rates cannot yet be guaranteed. Further notice will be given as soon as definite rates are settled. 15-10t

### Take Notice!

All who have coupons on the prizes offered at R. E. Teague's grocery store, will please bring them in before June 1st. The most valuable prizes are yet left, namely, two gold watches, one lady's and one gentleman's. m15-31

If the people only knew what we know about Kodol Dyspepsia Cure, it would be used in nearly every household, as there are few people who do not suffer from a feeling of fullness after eating, belching, flatulence, sour stomach or waterbrash, caused by indigestion or dyspepsia. A preparation such as Kodol Dyspepsia Cure, which with no aid from the stomach, will digest your food, certainly can't help but do you good. Clarke & Falk's P. O. Pharmacy.

"I have been suffering from Dyspepsia for the past twenty years and have been unable after trying all preparations and physicians to get any relief. After taking one bottle of Kodol Dyspepsia Cure I found relief and am now in better health than I have been for twenty years. I can not praise Kodol Dyspepsia Cure too highly," thus writes Mrs. C. W. Roberts, North Creek, Ark. Clarke & Falk's P. O. Pharmacy.

For sprains, swellings and lameness there is nothing so good as Chamberlain's Pain Balm. Try it. For sale by Blakeley, the druggist.

Quality and not quantity makes DeWitt's Little Early Risers such valuable little liver pills. Clarke & Falk's P. O. Pharmacy.

You will not have boils if you take Clarke & Falk's sure cure for boils.