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TODAY'S WEATHER.

Portland, Or., June 1.-For Oregon and Washington: Continued fair

Local weather for the twenty-four nours ending at 5 p. m., yesterday, A lculture, weather bureau.

Maximum temperature, 61 degrees. Minimum temperature, 50 degrees, Precipitation, 03 inche. Total precipitation from July 1st

1892, to date, 81.69 inches. Excess of precipitation from July 1st, 1892 to date, 8.25 inches.

THE ASSESSMENT QUESTION.

The whole question of assessment should be thoroughly examined and discussed by the people of Clatsop county. There is a strong conviction that the county is paying more than its rightful share of the state taxes. On the assment last year a levy of 22 mills was made, comprising state, national guard, state university, school, county and road taxes. The first three items named comprise the state taxes, the levy for these three purposes was 7 mills, and the amount \$39,901.82. The remainder, \$85,503.88, was made up as follows: School tax, 5 mills, \$28,501.29; county tax, 8 1-2 mills, \$48,452.20; road tax, 1 1-2

convinced pays , taxes valuation than used in other counties in determining the amount of taxable property. Of course, the state board is expected to equalize the valuations, but in practice that board never reduces the county or will over-value property. The changcounty, the board raised the total as, sessment of that rich county from \$63,. 834,475 to \$81,693,212! This astounding increase of over \$17,000,000 was made because Portland property was assess at far below its actual value. In the matter of mortgages wherein the face

actions on the part of Portland, that It was recently observed that property

undervalue their property and take their chances before the state board.

in the fiscal system, render it neces sary to make a new departure in assessing the property of this county information should be tained by the assessor the basis adopted in all other coun ties, so that Clatsop may not be over burdened by unfair taxation.

The Spanish Infanta Eulalie express es herself delighted with republican America, but that doesn't mean that she proposes to lend her influence to the movement to make Spain a repub-

banks in the country close their doors the currency issued by then would be still as good as gold. Quite a difference.

The merchantile party that has gone to San Francisco from Albany and other Valley towns to cultivate trade by way of Yaquina, means business. The movement should warn Portland that she is likely to lose much trade i she persists in her selfish policy.

Kansas City firemen are to go to London to show the English how American fire-laddies do their work They will carry an entire outfit, in cluding engine, water tower, and

At the present time real estate in Astoria can be bought at exceedingly low figures, and parties with money to invest can find golden opportunities that f. rnished by the U. S. Department of may never again present themselves.

> It must be said to the credit of Governor Pennoyer that he did not sign the Portland bill which excludes newcomers from civic office. It became a law without his signature.

> The mugwumps get asked to dinner by Mr. Cleveland, but they are not getting much else from him. We can join our democratic friends in indorsing this policy.

> Notwithstanding the nearness of ummer, members of the "hungry and hot democratic brigade are in danger of remaining hungry and becoming

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F. L. PARKER.

returned the amount as \$8,728,820, but the state board felt bound to increase that sum to \$17,456,640, which is exactly double the original valuation. In this county the mortgages are evidently returned at their full value, inasmuch as the board made no addition thereto.

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currency, if they ever do, and one of
them fails, its currency will become
worthless. should all the national

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Union will be held at their reading
rooms Saturday, June 3, 1893, at 7:30,
h. m. sharp. Business of importance
is to be transacted. Members in good
standing are requested to be present
and to bring their book or receipt along.

SOFUS JENSEN, Secretary.

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Attempt at Suicide.

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[From the Boston Post.] While the walks in the Public Garden were crowded yesterday afternoon about 4.30 o'clock, people near the entrance gates at the corner of Beacon and Charles streets were horrified to see a man suddenly plunge a knife repeatedly into his throat and fall to

the ground.

While waiting for a conveyance an officer questioned the would-be suicide, who was about 50 years of age, as to his name, address, and reason for wishing to end his life, but the man steadfastly refused to give any information regarding himself. He was taken to the Massachusetts General Hospital and surgical attendance given him. Although weak from loss of blood it is probable he will recover. About 9 o'clock last night a hospital attendant got a little information from him. He said his name was Samuel D—, and that he came some weeks ago from New Brunswick. The last few days

me, at the above place, within six months from the date hereof.

F. L. PARKER,
Administrator of the above estate.
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SUMMONS.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for Clatsop county:
William Lehnig, plaintiff vs. Emma
Corder, Lydia Jamison, Jennie Johnson, Sophia Lehnig and Augusta Mc-

Connell, defendants.

To Emma Corder, Lydia Jamison,
Jennie Johnson, Sophia Lehnig, and
August McConnell.

In the name of the state of Oregon, you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed in the above

court and cause, on or before, the first day of the term of this court, next following the expiration of six week's publication of this summons, which will be the nineteenth day of June, 1893, and if you fall to appear or answer for want thereof plaintiff will swer, for want thereof plaintiff will take judgment against you for the sum of six hundred and ninty-eight dollars, with interest thereon from the 15th day of August 1891, at the rate of eight per cent. per annum, and for costs and disbursments of this action; and will also take an order directing the sale of certain real property belonging to you, which has been attached in this action, and which real property is situated in the county of Clatsop, State of Oregon, and particularly described as the northwest quarters of the property is situated in the county of the property is s ter of the northeast quarter and the east half of the northwest quarter of section thirty-one, of township seven north, range eight west in Clatsop

north, range eight west in Chasol-county, Oregon.

Service of summons in this action by publication is made pursuant to an order of the Hon. Thomas A. McBride, judge of the above entitled court, dated the 4th day of May, 1893.

W. T. BURNEY,

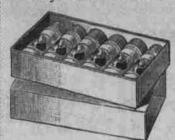
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Attorney for Plaintiff.

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