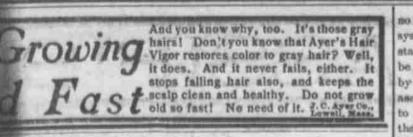
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verything Goos, But Save the Corpo-Istomach anything that Mr. U'Ren gets up and initiates, and by the way, Mr. There has been no fight on the var- U'Ren is quite sure the farmers' and in hills that are being initiated until shippers' bill is a bad measure and values, and would not have his prerog ought not to pass.

EVERYTHING GOES IN OREGON BUT A BILL TO TAX THE CORPOplate animary to buy an old tall road BATIONS. The worst that can be said will make a name for himself, against the farmers' and shippers' bill The bill is enact woman suffrage is that is is imperfect because the state object especially to taking away from

It cannot be said that the farmers and shippers' bill would cause a special session of the legislature as the out 25 per cont without proposing by an Oregon legislature did compel at its true cash value, Railroad ames

d such signature is paid for and no | With all respect to the critics of the farmers' and shippers' tax bill their All of Mr. Al'Ren's propositions, six objections seem flimsy and far fetched seven in mumber, are being circulat- and are calculated to serve the untaxed corporations that seem to dictate too much the policies of Oregon.

Reply to Assessors.

The following interview was given Portiand paper Monday:

"The criticisms of county assessors that when it noming a tax dieton of the assessment and taxation amons railroad property is a roaring port in his own community. I that will collect a tax on the gross bill prepared by the Tarmers' and farce, and the wonder is that the genmings of the corporations, the Port- shippers' congress discloses ignorance themen take themselves seriously. and novapapers, turn their columns of the existing laws, because the bill "What Oregon needs worse than any The new root to attack the measure, re-enacts all the assessment and taxa thing else is a rational system of as The invertice companies, the ex- tion laws of the state and "all exist sessing railroad property and to abolish ment companies and the telegraph com- ing amendments thereto" and they the graft called county amensor. The niow and the telephone companies are have no right to attack the bill for farmers' bill wisely adopts the lowa and funtituitings that must be shield- errors that are in the laws as they law which, like many other states, the methods followed by that moreen-" Just the farmers' and shippers' stand. One of the greatest defects of takes the job of valuing these imthe existing laws is the office of coun- mense properties entirely out of the

no other state in the union has the system that I have ever heard of. The state have now require all property to be assessed at its trop cash value, yet by their own admission these worthy asessors interpret that to permit them to do as they please. Mr. Sigler under that law trebles values on property in Multnomah county, while other asses aore in Oregon, just as competent and just as honest men, reduce values in

other counties. "All of Mr. Sigler's objections to the laws for assoming bank stock lie to the present law which is re-anacted in the farmers' bill. So his objection is to the very system he is working ander and which this bill does not change. He says the proposed law would treble the work of his office, beenuse it provides for publication of the tax roll after the assessor has comof other states for many years. Burely copying the names and the total of personal real property in two columns, one line of type to the name, would

not treble the duties of his office. He sooms to be a kind of immaculate caar under the present law, a distator of ative interfered with by publicity, He would have to publish it all, instead of giving to the newspapers only what

"But the honorable county assessors

them the high privilege of fixing the valuations of railroad property. Yet how have they done their work the state over under the law requiring all property in the state to be assessed ment range all the way from #20,000 per mile in Jackson county to \$4500

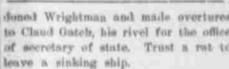
per mile in other counties in the same Hao of railroad. In Marion county the main line of the S. P. Co. is assessed at \$6000 per mile and the branches at \$5000 per mile, when the branches hardly average one mixed train a day, while the main line has as heavy traffie as any railroad in the west. Bosidos postmaster of that enterprising Ore-

the house prose of Portland can by assessor itself. It is obsolete and hands of the local officials. When the

Eminent Doctors Praise its Ingredients. We refer to that boon to weak, nervous, suffering women known as Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription.

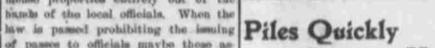
suffering women known as Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. Dr. John Fyfe one of the Editorial Staff of The Eccuser to Multical Review says of Unicorn root (Historials Diotect) which is one of the chief ingredients of the "Fa-ortite Prescription". "A remedy which invariably acts as a uter invicorator" "makes for normal activity of the entire reproductive system." In the continues "in Helonias we have a medication of the chief ingredient of the shore a prescription of the shore are set to the shore a prepare the shore a prescription of the shore are set of the shore a prescription of the shore are set of the shore are set of the shore are set of the shore are an anong the leading of the transfer of the set of the set of the set of the set of the shore are shore the shore are set of the shore are anong the leading of the transfer of the set of th

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To judge from the many endorse ments that the Argos is receiving from prominent citizens of Woodbarn, the being antiquated and obsolete, the gon town, who is being boosted by Ho Sigler of Portland and Strain of Pen- present system of county assessors to fer for congress, will get slight sop-

Mr. Duniway is being opposed in this visinity by the Hofer-Tooze com bination, because M., Duniway has for years made war upon the grafters in the Republican party. The lesser lights will follow the Hofer lead same as they advocate and try to imitate ary politicanter.





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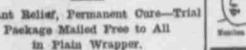
"THE FARMERS' AND SHIP PERS' CONGRESS BILL WISELY Instant Relisf, Permanent Cure-Trial REFRAINED FROM REPEALING ANYTHING. The re-enact, and enact new and additional sources of revenues for state government. The state tax last year was \$6.20 on the thousand dollars assessed value of all property in the state. What is done with gerous, cruel, humiliating and unneces the enormous amount of money taken sary. out of the people under this tax? Fow people could explain, but this we do know that the high state tax is an obstacle to the rational development of the state. The criticism of the bill because it does not attempt to tax franchises is weak because the state tax commission itself declares that the constitution will have to be amended before franchises can be taxed. With all the had work of the county assessore working under an obsolote system and the reckloseness of the logslature in running up enormous approprintions for the people to pay is it any wonder they are turning to indirect taxation as the only possible relief. The people will find that the Sigler plan of raising values is no solution of the problem. It feeds the tax eater."

With Apologies to the Public. The Salem correspondent of th eAl- Pile Cure. bany Argus fails to furnish a page of his usually diverting matter this who write. week, probably too busy in court to The Journal, that, if true, ought to in- on the way toward a perfect cure. terest the public: (From the Albany Argus, January 13.)

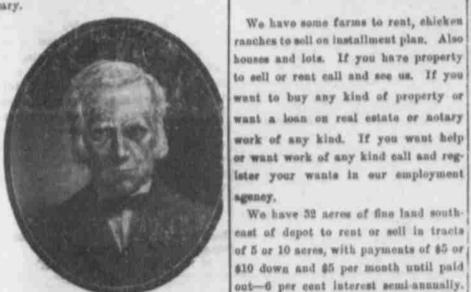
Mr. Hofer has made money off Mr. often one box cures. Whitney's incumboncy of the state ofsupporting him for another term. Tulking about political acrobats the other day, one gentleman mentioned joined by another: "No, he is not permanent. an aerobat-he is a contortionist." Salem business men are getting more and more disgusted with the way the time, Hofer is using the Development league and the Commercial club for solf-aggrandizement and other nefarious pur-

It is said that the underground rev free by return mail the trial package ennes of the Salem newspaper bluster in a plain wrapper. er have been cut into to no inconsidorable extent since the shatting down of gambling in the espital city. It is claimed on good authority that Hofer of the Salam Journal has aban-1

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