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A LIVELY ROW OVER TAXATION

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.]
Los Angeles, Cal., Sept. 13.—"The cards were marked, and had been marked a long time," was the explanation of the recent action of the state board of equalization effecting a general raise of property valuation throughout Southern California, as vouchsafed by Assessor Hopkins, of this county, who has returned from the capital.
"There wasn't a bit of use to register a protest in the face of that board," continued the irate official.
"We had about as much chance as a farmer up against a pea game."
That Hopkins fully intends to ignore the valuations announced for this county by the board, was recognized by the following statement, made soon after his arrival in this city last evening:
"I shall continue to spread my assessment lists on the basis of values as I see them. So far as I am concerned there will be no raise, and assuredly no raise of 40 per cent. I intend to do my duty as assessor of this county, regardless of what the board at Sacramento may do."
Hopkins was questioned as to the probable results of the procedure he declares he is determined to follow. He replied, laconically:
"If it be treason, they can make the most of it. Equity is to be my sole guide, and I am going ahead with my work, just as if the state board had never met, and chuckled over its power over this section of California."

SPEED PROGRAM FOR TUESDAY'S RACES

Tuesday, September 14.
2:25 Pace, Purse \$500.
Mack N., blk g., McKinney, Katrina Sam Marsden, Marshfield, Ore.
Elsie S., b., Decoration, Nellie Brooks; N. L. Strong, Astoria, Ore.
Kit Crawford, b. m., Jno. A. Crawford, by Alwoodbreeze; J. H. West, Halley, Ore.
Bonnie Tangent, b. s., Tangent, Bonnie; M. Wobblins & Son, Canby, Ore.
Rastus, br. g., Ora Guy, Alta Norte W. A. Laidlaw, Portland, Ore.
Demonio Wilkes, b. s., Demonio, by Nutwood Wilkes; H. E. Armstrong, Pleasanton, Cal.
Lord Sidney Dillon, b. h., Sidney Dillon, Ladywell Carl Deering, Fairgrounds, Ore.
King Lovelace, br. h., Lovelace, Maggie; L. L. Thomas, Stayton, Ore.
Capt. Apperson, b. g., Zombro, S. S. Bailey, Albany, Ore.
2:15 Trot, Farmers' Purse, \$1000.
Johnny K., g. g., Unknown, Unknown; Kester Erwin Horse Co., Boise, Ida.
Crylla Jones, blk. g., Captain McKinney, Bessie E. T. Hay, Spokane, Wash.
Cherry Diamond, bk. g., Bozeman, Anna Bell; J. D. Loekamp, Billings, Mont.
Stalenc, b. m., Stam. B., Athertae; Frank Alely, Roseburg, Ore.
Blacksmith, Ben Johnson, Gille King; G. O. Miller, Portland, Ore.
Dr. Ullman, b. h., The Bondsman, Recolleta; I. D. Chappell, Victoria, B. C.
Belle N., b. m., Bonnie Direct, Petrine; F. P. Norton, Marshfield, Ore.
Zombro, b. s., Zombro, dam by Pilot Lemont; Table Rock Mineral Water Co., Portland, Ore.
Lucy H., ch. m., Sirius, Saddle Ensign; Anderson & Co., Vancouver, B. C.
Henry Gray, gr. g., Zombro, Alice, Arnold Zbinden, Seattle, Wash.
Starlight, b. m., Bonner N. B. Moonlight; Billy Smith, Portland, Ore.
Satin Royal, ch. s., Bonner N. B., Minnie M.; S. J. & W. O. Vaughn, Mollala, Ore.
Paul W., b. g., Zombro, Kitty Kishbar; E. Hourl, Portland, Ore.
Silver Hunter, b. g., Zombro, The Silver Bell; L. H. Todhunter, Sacramento, Cal.
2:25 Class, 3-Year-Old Trot—Inland Empire, Purse, \$500.
Easter, b. h., Monerat, Altacena; S. B. Wright, Santa Rosa, Cal.
Tortoise Shell, b. f., Bozeman, Silver Shell; Dr. E. S. Kellogg, Helena, Mont.
Zombell, b. g., Zombro, Hornbox; George Gill, Salem, Ore.
Florodora Z., br. m., Zombro, Flora W.; Maurice Winters, Albany, Ore.
Harry T., br. s., Zombro, Mary L.; A. J. Agnew, Everett, Wash.
Jemina King, s. r., B. C. King, Betsy Ross; J. W. Hollingshead, Ladner, B. C.
Fairy Ally, br. s., Aclone, Fairy Tale; Welch & Stranahan, Hood River, Ore.

CANADA CLAIMS THE NORTH POLE

Ottwa, Sept. 13.—All land directly north of the American continent as far as the pole, upon which it would be possible to nail a flag, will be claimed by Canada, according to a semi-official announcement today.
This announcement was made in reply to a question asked in the British house of commons as to the ownership of the north pole, soon after the result of Dr. Cook's and Commander Peary's explorations became known.
Canada's answer is to the effect that all territory between the north pole and the American boundary must be recognized as Canada's hinterland.
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the Canadians, have been formally taken possession of by Captain Brenner, Canada's Arctic explorer, who is now lost in the far north.

The Portland Railway, Light and Power Co. will erect \$60,000 car barns at Sellwood.

DRUNKEN NEGRO MADE THEM DANCE

Mosselle, Ala., Sept. 13.—Leroy Watts, a negro, was slain by a posse who overtook him in the woods not far from here.
Watts, while crazed with whisky,

forced several wealthy planters to hands, after which he shot and killed Ames Lewis, a 12-year-old white boy.

After committing the crime the negro sought refuge in the woods, knowing a posse would be in pursuit.

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