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THE ASSESSMENT ROLLS.

New Complete in the Hands of State Equalizers.

The returns from all the counties have been now accepted by the board and the wealth of the state is shown in the following:

Table with columns: No., Value, Acres railroad land, Acres wagon road land, Acres unimproved land, etc.

Total value of property \$158,819,730

The grand total of each county is as follows:

Table with columns: County, Total, Baker, Benton, Clackamas, Clatsop, Columbia, Coos, Curry, Crook, Douglas, Gilliam, Grant, Harney, Jackson, Josephine, Klamath, Lake, Lane, Lincoln, Linn, Malheur, Marion, Morrow, Multnomah, Polk, Sherman, Tillamook, Umatilla, Union, Wallowa, Wasco, Washington, Yamhill.

The clerk of Lincoln county has furnished the state board of equalization with a statement to the effect that he made some errors in transcribing the assessor's roll.

Preparatory to beginning the real work of equalizing the assessed valuation of the property of the state, the board has appointed committees to group the counties for the work.

Hunter, Watkins and Auldron were appointed a committee to group for the assessment of horses and mules.

The committee divided the state as follows: Group 1—Baker, Crook, Gilliam, Grant, Harney, Klamath, Lake, Malheur, Morrow and Wallowa. Group 2—Sherman, Umatilla, Union and Wasco. Group 3—Benton, Clackamas, Clatsop, Columbia, Douglas, Jackson, Josephine, Lane, Linn, Marion, Multnomah, Polk, Washington and Yamhill. Group 4—Coos, Curry, Lincoln and Tillamook.

Woodcock, Gibson and Willis were appointed to group the counties for the assessment of cattle, sheep, goats and swine, for the purpose of adjusting the values on rattle, the state was divided as follows:

Group 1—Baker, Union, Umatilla, Sherman, Wasco, Morrow and Gilliam. Group 2—Wallowa, Grant, Crook, Malheur, Harney, Lake and Klamath. Group 3—Jackson, Josephine, Douglas, Lane, Linn and Benton. Group 4—Marion, Polk, Yamhill, Clackamas and Washington. Group 5—Curry, Coos, Lincoln, Tillamook, Columbia, Clatsop and Multnomah.

The state at large will be considered in equalizing sheep, goats and swine.

The committee to ascertain the assessment rate on national bank stock reported that Crook was assessed at 90 per cent of par value; Benton and Gilliam, 50; Clackamas, Polk and Wasco, 75; Clatsop, 70; Douglas, 40; Lane, 110; Linn and Umatilla, 65; Morrow and Union, 60; Yamhill, 100; Marion, Capital National, 70; Multnomah, First National, 105; Commercial National, 54. The other 16 counties show no bank stock and the committee is of the opinion they have none.

The report says an equitable assessment cannot be determined upon until the surplus and undivided profits are known. Actual values, the committee believes, cannot be less than the par value of the paid up capital.

Some of the assessors included rolling stock with the railroads. The board will probably separate them, which will change the comparative value of these classes.

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FOREST RESERVE QUESTION.

Interest of Settlers and the People of the Mazama Pioneers, Which?

Justice writes in the Albany Herald: Mr. W. G. Steele writes from Chillicothe, Ohio, to the editor of the Oregonian...

In the opinion of the people of Oregon, Senator Mitchell's position is correct.

There is now within the different reserves in this state, more land than is contained in the states of Connecticut, Delaware and Rhode Island combined.

The Cascade forest reserve extends from the Columbia river on the north to within a few miles of the California line on the south, and is approximately forty miles in width.

This being reserved from settlement virtually cuts the state in two.

Contrary to the protest of the entire Oregon delegation, contrary to the wishes of the people of the state, and on behalf of some one—whether the Portland Rod and Gun club or the Mazama picnic parties, or the selfish aims of some lumbering syndicate or catering to the vagaries of Eastern sentimentalists—the president established this forest reserve which is a paralyzing blow to the development of the resources of this state.

Suppose that when the state of Ohio was yet young, the government had created a reserve twenty miles wide on each side of the Soloto river, the effect of this upon that state would have been no worse than this reserve is bound to be upon ours.

Senator Mitchell is in accord with the wishes of his constituents. He realizes that forest reserves are a good thing, and he proposes to have them, but he also realizes that to set aside such a large area is detrimental and that it should be reduced to reasonable limits.

The cities of Salem and Albany are vitally interested in the opening of this reserve, and will sustain our representatives in their efforts to our state.

MIGHT AS WELL HAVE BEEN LAST.

There is no significance in the fact that Mr. Hermann was named second in the rivers and harbors committee.

The Oregonian writes the heading for and copies the above from the Salem Statesman.

The Statesman should give better reasons for its opposition to Mr. Hermann.

It seems determined to fight Mr. Hermann to a finish, and its columns are bristling with sharp bayonets for Blinger.

We hope it will call a truce in time to permit a decent interment of the remains of our unfortunate congressman who has incurred its wrath.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, ss. LUCAS COUNTY.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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LINCOLN AND PHELPS.

Why They Were Chosen Commissioners.

Neither Could Be Suspected of Harboring Prejudice.

BOTH ARE POPULAR IN ENGLAND.

New York, Dec. 27.—In connection with the appointment of Messrs. Phelps and Lincoln by the president to places on the Venezuelan high commission, the World's Washington correspondent is informed that Mr. Lincoln was Secretary Olney's own selection and that Chief Justice Fuller also strongly recommended him on the ground that a report signed by two former ministers to England, both of whom have been warmly praised by the British press for years, will have much weight in Great Britain.

It is urged, the correspondent states, that public opinion in England cannot ascribe to such men as Phelps and Lincoln any prejudice against England where they are both very popular.

The third member of the commission, he says, is likely to be one of the associate justices of the United States supreme court, probably Justice Brewer or Justice Brown.

The correspondent concludes as follows: "English jurists have the highest regard for the learning and impartiality of our supreme court and the fact that one of its members should temporarily leave the bench to undertake this delicate task would be certain, the president thinks, to add dignity to the commission. But a cabinet officer says that Mr. Cleveland has not positively determined this question of the third commissioner. He realizes that to deprive the supreme court of one of its jurists in the middle of its session would seriously retard the cases that are now pending before it. If he decides that litigation between citizens may well be delayed until the more momentous question between the nations is settled, he will select either Justice Brown or Brewer. The appointment of either of these justices, together with that of Mr. Lincoln, would give the majority of the committee to the Republicans. This fact would, it is stated, relieve the president from any suspicion that he was working for the aggrandizement of his own party in creating an international issue. The announcement of the commission is now expected to be made next Monday.

To-dayism in New York.

LONDON, Dec. 27.—The New York correspondent of the Times says: "The prince of Wales well understood the American feeling when he authorized Sir Francis Knollys to send a joint note to the World in his own and in the duke of York's name. There is not, from an American point of view, a word too much or a word too little. It is a message which both parties, as this country is now divided, can accept, and one which is equally gratifying to both. The people of the United States have cherished a real regard for the prince of Wales ever since his visit to this country, of which many pleasant memories still survive, and they receive with pleasure his assurance of friendship. They will be likely to interpret them as expressing also the sentiments of the queen, who has ever been a venerated figure to Americans, and who is not less so now than for two generations past.

"They see nothing irregular or unconventional in the sending of such communications as these now published. The effect of them has perhaps been more direct and beneficial than if they had come through the foreign office or parliament. Their simplicity and sincerity is effectual. Nobody here sees any reason why two princes destined, each in his time, to be a sovereign, should not declare his good will to a sovereign people. If it be unusual, and as their highnesses have used their prerogative to dispense with any courtly etiquette, that only makes their kindly words more welcome to the people to whom they are addressed."

Speaking of the substance of the war spirit, the correspondent says: "The number and strength of the protests against war have convinced even some jingo journals that they have taken the wrong line in threatening hostilities, and that however passionate the attachment of this people to the Monroe doctrine, they have as yet seen no reason to believe force necessary to vindicate it. Jingoism has become explanatory in some cases and in some others silent, which is better yet."

VALLEY LOCAL NEWS.

Woodburn. Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Foreman spent Saturday and Sunday in Portland.

Miss Agnes Adams, a U. of O. student at Eugene, is spending the holidays with her parents here.

Geo. T. Cline has returned from a trip to Washington.

John Pember and family, of Gibbon, Nebraska, arrived in Woodburn Tuesday, and will make this their future home. Mr. Pember is a brother of M. L. Pember and Mrs. George Hammond of this place.

Miss Addie L. Hayes was on Friday, December 20, 1895, married to N. B. Doud. Both are residents of Woodburn.

Eugene. Mrs. Grace Osburn was a passenger to Salem Tuesday.

G. R. Chrisman is spending the holidays at Cottage Grove.

Miss Henrietta Lauer is spending the holidays at Portland.

Jas. Langley returned Tuesday from a visit to Drain and Comstock.

Prof. Alford, of Troutdale, is in the city visiting J. Roper and family.

Mrs. Z. A. Davis and children have gone to Harrisburg to visit during the holidays.

Miss Carrie Friendly has gone to Salem to spend the holidays with the family of Dr. D. A. Paice.

C. A. Van Houten, of Montana, is spending a few days with Mrs. M. U. Underwood and Mrs. C. D. Combs.

Master Frank Mathews was a passenger to Salem Tuesday where he will spend Christmas with the family of Dr. D. A. Paice.

Mrs. T. W. Harris and daughter Agnes, and Mrs. T. J. Craig and two daughters were passengers to Monmouth Tuesday, where they will spend the holidays.

Miss Lillian Pember returned to Ashland from Sacramento Friday evening.

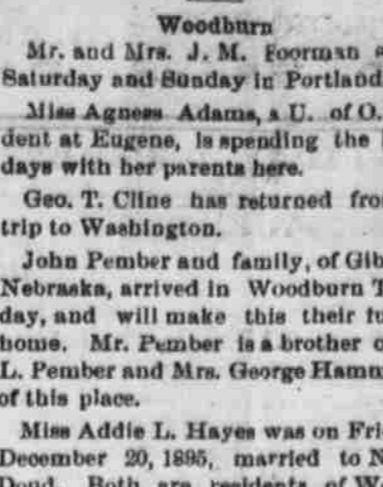
Judge W. C. Hale passed through Ashland Friday night en route home.

Fred Houch arrived home from San Francisco Saturday evening to spend the holidays.

W. H. Leeds and family arrived in Ashland Monday to spend Christmas with home friends.

Mrs. Lucinda Parker came in from Parker's station Thursday to spend the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Wilkinson.

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