

INSPECTOR AND SCALER OF LOGS.

Senator Cross' bill to provide for a public scaler and inspector of sawlogs is an important measure to Columbia county. It provides for the establishment of logging districts, appointment of inspectors, defines their duties, and fixes the compensation therefor, which is paid by the parties interested. It creates ten districts in the state, the first being composed of Columbia, Clatsop and Multnomah counties. Below will be seen the principal sections of the bill:

Section 8. No logs shall be removed from the place where they are boomed or rafted, or required to be sealed and measured as provided for in the last preceding section, unless the owner or owners thereof or some one in their behalf, have caused the same to be measured, sealed and inspected by the lumber inspector, or some of his deputies, of the district in which such logs are boomed or rafted for towage, as aforesaid. All persons violating this section, by removing the said logs before they are sealed or measured as herein provided for, or by aiding in the removal of the same, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and, on conviction thereof, shall for each offense be fined in any sum not less than \$500 nor more than \$1000, and they shall stand committed until such fine and costs of prosecution are paid.

Section 9. On the scale and measurement of sawlogs, the inspector or his deputy making the same shall make out a bill stating therein the number of logs, the number of feet (board feet) contained in said logs, and at whose request, and by whom the same were sealed or measured, a copy of which he shall enter upon the books of his office, to be provided by him and kept for that purpose, with the marks, if any, as they occur upon the logs. A correct bill of the same shall be given to such owner, with a certificate thereto attached that it is a true and correct bill, which bill so certified shall be presumptive evidence of the facts therein contained, and of the correctness of such scale or measurement in all the courts of this state, except in favor of the inspector or deputy inspector who made the same.

Section 10. Each lumber inspector and his deputy shall in sealing or measuring logs make such allowance for hollow or crooked logs as would make them equal to good, sound, straight and merchantable logs; and all logs shall be measured under and in accordance with the rule herein provided. * * * The scale and rule by which the quantity of logs shall be determined is the rule laid down and prescribed in E. W. Spaulding's scale book.

Section 11. Each lumber inspector or his deputy shall receive and collect from the person employing them for measuring and scaling logs and similar timber, as herein provided, the following fees: For every boom or raft not exceeding three hundred thousand feet, five cents per thousand, and for all booms or rafts over three hundred thousand feet, three cents per thousand.

Section 12. The fines recovered under the provisions of this chapter shall be for the benefit of the common school fund of the state; and such fines shall be assigned and paid to the counties in which the logs were cut.

THE TREASURER TO COLLECT TAXES.

Senator Bancroft has introduced a bill in the senate providing for the collection of all taxes by the county treasurer at his office, which shall be kept open during all business hours of the day. The bill prohibits the levying of special school tax by districts, but provides that upon proper presentation of certificates to the county court appropriations may be made for any necessary support of schools.

This bill also provides for the appointment by the governor of all road supervisors, who shall prepare plans, an estimate of cost of all needed improvements and repairs. Upon the approval of such plans by the governor, the supervisor shall annually thereafter certify to the county court, before its term in September, the amount needed to construct, repair and improve the roads in his district as decided upon for the ensuing year. The county court on all taxable property within each road district sufficient to raise the amount necessary, and such tax shall be collected with other taxes by the county treasurer from the property bound thereby.

The salary of road supervisors shall be such as the county court may from time to time fix, and shall not be in any case reduced during the term of any supervisor to be affected by such reduction.

PRESIDENT FULTON has a plan for remedying the assessment law, which he thinks will obviate the necessity for absolutely repealing the deduction for indebtedness clause. The principle of allowing a taxpayer a credit for his debt, he says, is universally recognized to be just if not abused. The abolition of the deduction for debt to furnish a certificate of such indebtedness from their creditor, and then to have this item assessed up to the creditor. If he live in another county, the assessor receiving the certificate would report it to the assessor of the creditor's county. In this way Mr. Fulton thinks the evils of deduction for indebtedness may be remedied, without doing any injustice to honest debtors.

We believe Mr. Orchard's water proposition is too high, but we see no good reason why he should not be allowed to submit an amended proposition at an earlier date than the 13th of February. If it takes six months to construct the plant we will pass another summer without fire protection.

TAXING MORTGAGES.

One of the questions that is being quite actively debated by the legislature of the state is the question of taxing mortgages and notes. Like every other question it has two sides and they both deserve to be carefully considered before a decision is reached.

As a general proposition of equity there can scarcely be two opinions on the subject. Credits should be taxed. There is no reason why a man who is worth \$10,000 in land should be taxed, and a man who keeps his \$10,000 in cash should be exempt. Every citizen should pay taxes, but every citizen does not.

The difference between the two classes of property, land and cash, is that one can be moved and the other cannot. Cash can be invested anywhere; in Europe as well as the United States, in Africa as well as South America. This is not possible with land. It is equally evident that capital will go to those locations where it is most liberally treated. The result of taxing mortgages in Oregon and not taxing them in Washington shows this.

As the money lender has a field as broad as the world he is independent and is not forced to lend to the Oregon borrower if he is not so inclined. The result is that when money is heavily taxed it escapes to another field of operations, and the borrower is the sufferer, not the capitalist.

The taxation of credits results in lessening the supply of money, which means an increase in the rate of interest, and usually in the devising of some system by which the borrower is forced to pay the taxes. The result is that again the debtor is the sufferer. The more capital in the country the cheaper the rate of interest. In New York it is one-third of what it is here. In Washington it is nearly half what it was five years ago. The legislature should be careful not to drive capital out of the state. It should be careful to encourage investments; it should use every means to make money plenty, and, as a result, cheap. What the people want is plenty of sound money that can be had at a low rate of interest. This means prosperity, especially in a new country.

OREGON'S TIMBER SUPPLY.

Somehow or other Oregon's timber does not get its share of free advertising. It is only a limited number that know the extent of its forests and the value of its timber. Now that lumbermen are beginning to look for spruce, says the Lumberman, it would be well if they would turn their attention to the Oregon coast. In Tillamook and Columbia counties are to be found perhaps the heaviest and best developments of spruce. Here, too, are found as large fir trees as are known. It is claimed that one fir tree situated near Shookum Lake in Tillamook county, is twenty-eight feet in diameter. Tillamook bay has five good logging streams entering it. The government has been improving the bars so that navigation can be carried on to a greater, or as might be said, a deeper extent.

It has taken the city of St. Helens many years to discover (?) that water works would be a "financial bonanza" here, and while gaining this knowledge the people have suffered their stomachs to wrestle with many barrels of fresh Columbia river water—fresh from the sloughs of Sauvies island, where the green hued waterdog, muskrat, mud hen and other filtering apparatus are in constant operation to make the water pure. Yes, a water system would be a bonanza, perhaps not for the city to own and operate, but for the water consumers.

LAST spring some outside capitalists considered the proposition of starting a bank here. No sooner was this made public than nearly every man in town wanted to start a bank and proceeded to discourage the outsiders on the quiet, on the ground that the institution should be controlled by local capital and in consequence the men who had the capital, enterprise and business ability were driven from the field. Now the water question seems to be doomed to suffer the same fate.

THE citizens of St. Helens have said unanimously they want a water system better than the flowing Columbia affords. The question is, will their public servants, the city council, adhere to their wishes. Their adjournment for nearly one month while there are propositions waiting to be submitted does not look encouraging.

SENATE bill No. 57, introduced by Huston, of Washington county, provides that: "Whoever, by words, signs or gestures, provokes, or attempts to

provoke another, who has the present ability to do so, to commit an assault, or an assault and battery upon him, is guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by fine not less than five nor more than twenty-five dollars."

OREGON'S LAWMAKERS.

Scenes of Activity in the State Legislative Halls.

SALEM, JAN. 19.—After the house was opened with prayer by the Rev. Bowser, of Salem, the speaker announced committees as follows:

Under house concurrent resolution, to visit the canal and locks at Oregon City—Gill, Russell and Curran.

Under house concurrent resolution, to visit the portage road at the dikes of the Columbia—Faxon, Brown of Morrow and Curran.

Northrup presented a petition from Portland for the repeal of the mortgage tax law and the repeal of the clause exempting indebtedness from the assessment laws; also a petition for a law against selling cigarettes to minors.

First Reading of Bills.—By Eblevin, amending the law concerning trespass on land; Guilston, providing for equipment, etc., of the Oregon National Guard; Sheridan, to amend the law relating to assessors' fees; Brown of Morrow, to amend the charter of Heppner and legalize a former election for the issuance of bonds to supply the town with water; Northrup, to fix the hour of meeting of the next legislature as the second Monday of January, at noon; McEwan, protecting salmon.

A message was received from the senate with a bill incorporating the town of Sherwood; read first time.

Saturday, January 22.

IN THE SENATE.

Senate bill No. 117, introduced by Senator Cross, is intended to empower county courts to construct permanent roads throughout the county. It authorizes them to lay out, establish and improve by grading, draining, graveling or macadamizing. Upon the presentation of a petition signed by not less than 12 resident landowners whose lands are within 20 miles of the proposed improvement, the court may appoint an engineer and viewers to examine the route, and they are authorized to appraise all damages that will be sustained and assess the costs relatively upon such land as will be benefited within three miles of the proposed road, and their report will be made to the county court, which will set a day for hearing objections, giving four weeks' notice by publication of such date. Parties whose lands are affected may remonstrate, showing cause. If a majority of those who are assessed to build the road remonstrate on the ground that it is not of public utility, the court will dismiss the expense sustained to be paid by petitioners. If the report of the viewers is approved the assessment as equalized by the court will stand and become a lien upon the property, dating from the filing of the petition. All work will be done by contract under the supervision of a competent person selected by the court, who must give ample bonds for the faithful performance of his duty. To pay for the improvement the court will issue certificates of assessment bearing 8 per cent interest, to be sold at not less than par. Parties assessed may pay their assessment at once or in 10 equal annual payments with accrued interest. If, in the opinion of the court, the road is of general rather than of local benefit it may pay not to exceed 50 per cent of the total cost of improvement from the county fund. This is not intended to repeal any law now in force, as the road after once built is to be kept up under the provisions of existing laws.

Representative Lawton's house bill, No. 208, provides that whenever the county court considers a county-seat election demanded by the public interest, 90 days' notice of the election shall be given, towns to file their nominations 90 days before the election and two-thirds of the vote required to change the county seat, and in the case of no choice another election may be ordered. If there is no choice the second time, the seat of government must remain where already located.

Merrill's bill for the relief of Hon. J. W. Maxwell provides for the appropriation of \$485 for labor in 1889 on a road in Tillamook county.

Tuesday, January 24.

IN THE SENATE.

First Reading of Bills.—By Denny, to prohibit intermarriage of certain races; Cross, to amend the charter of Oregon City; Willis, relating to the foreclosure of mortgages; Beckley, to amend the charter of Oakland.

Third Reading of Bills.—By Cogwell, relating to liens, passed; Maxwell, to fix the salary of county treasurers, passed; Dodson, relating to sheriffs of Baker and Malheur counties, passed; Blackman, to appropriate money for a bridge across North Fork of the John Day river, defeated; Myers, relating to the payment of employees by corporations, passed; Looney, to prevent the sale of unwholesome foods, passed; Blackman, to regulate the amount to be paid on an insurance policy, passed.

Willis' bill, relating to jurors, was reported favorably and ordered to its third reading.

IN THE HOUSE.

Third Reading of Bills.—By Brown of Douglas, incorporating the town of Riddle, passed; Baughman, incorporating the city of Cottage Grove, passed; Daly, incorporating the town of Klamath Falls, passed; Bishop, amending the law relating to marriages, passed; Merritt, relating to the fees of clerks, sheriffs and assessors of certain counties, passed; Miller, for a fishway at Oregon City, appropriating \$10,000, passed.

NOTES.

Three bills have now passed both houses and are ready for the governor. The bill for a maximum passenger rate of 3 cents per mile Wilkison's, not Wilkin's, as reported.

Nickell has a bill providing that indebt-

ness sought to be deducted from assessments must be of record and the credits must be taxed.

Senator Riley's bill to appropriate money for the portage road at the dikes of the Columbia passed the senate Wednesday by a vote of 17 to 11.

DELENA.

Weather very fine with considerable frost. We learn that Mr. S. K. Hudson has been quite ill for a week past, though we hope not dangerously.

Professor George Morris, of Portland Heights, has been visiting relatives and friends in the valley for the week past. The professor expects to start for Chicago in a few days, where he will be again enter the lecture field.

By request of the prosecuting attorney, Drs. Hall and Messer held an autopsy last Monday on the body of Johnnie Hendrickson, who was shot two weeks ago.

George Schmidt was arrested and held last Monday to answer before Justice Doan charged with shooting the late Johnnie Hendrickson.

Plunged Into the River.

KALAMA, Wash., Jan. 25.—Last night, while the westbound through freight engine No. 530 was on the transfer steamer Tacoma, crossing the river, the boat struck a lot of drift logs and ice about midstream, causing her to lurch sufficiently to start the engine. Before it could be stopped the engine went over the end of the boat into the river, where it now lies in three fathoms of water. The crew escaped, and no damage was done to the boat or cars. Arrangements are being made to recover the engine at once.

Notice to Loggers.

There will be a meeting held at Kalama, Wash., February 10th, at 2 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of organizing a Loggers' Protective Union, to regulate the price and output of logs. All that are engaged in the logging business should not fail to be present. By order of the Committee of Loggers.

Notice.

To surviving members of the St. Helens Cornet Band, also others who may be interested in reorganizing the band, you are requested to meet at the barber shop this (Friday) evening for the purpose of discussing the above named subject.

J. R. BRADLEY, Secretary.

THE ODD FELLOWS' CHAIN.

BY J. P. LOONEY, A. M.

Prof. J. P. Looney: Dear Brother—Recalling in your poem, entitled, "The Odd Fellows' Chain," true merit, and wishing to put it in condition to be read and preserved by all Odd Fellows, we respectfully ask that you grant to St. Helens Lodge the privilege of having the poem published generally throughout the Northwest. Fraternally yours, W. W. Blykesley, P. G.; U. W. Clark, N. G.; W. J. Rice, V. G.; C. W. Blykesley, Secretary.

Messrs. Blykesley, Clark and Rice; members of St. Helens Lodge No. 117, I. O. O. F.; Dear Brothers—Your kind and complimentary request concerning the poem is before me; in reply will say: The poem is composed for Odd Fellows and their friends, and you have permission to use it as you wish.

"Friendship is the tenderest tie of the human heart."—Victor Hugo.
"Love is the pure essence of Deity in man."
—E. W. Emerson.
"Truth is the eternal offspring of God."
—Henry Ward Beecher.

When the fiat of God ushered forth the great world,
And every bright orb from his own hand was
When man, the great actor, stepped out on the stage,
And progress came on with its luminous page,
Three links for that progress God then did
And they were the links of the Odd Fellows' Chain.

And now like a sunbeam that gladdens the shade,
Or the dew that bespangles the grass of the field;
Mid the rush and the tramp and the roar of the crowd,
The babel of life so remorseless and loud;
Mid the levels of earth with their glitter so vain,
How bright are the links of the Odd Fellows' Chain.

See the throng in the mart, how they come, how they go,
As if all of this life were its business below;
Where the motor of action seems only to speak,
And the minister still in the weak;
How solely all seem to be bent upon gain,
And yet even there is the Odd Fellows' Chain.

Hark! the steam engine comes like a demon of fire,
"While iron rails tremble 'neath horses of fire";
The whirl of the wheels across the forest afar,
And the roar of the engine, the roar of the train,
Gleams bright on that car is the Odd Fellows' Chain.

The steamer is ploughing her way on the sea,
While out on the gale waves the flag of the free;
This steers and is dumb, and the helms are gone,
And the Leviathan does still plough the sea,
And away on the waste of that foam-frosted
On that proud vessel's deck shines the Odd Fellows' Chain.

Young civilization the victory has won,
"And the click of machines drowns the click of the gun";
The savage gives way before civilized men,
This cities spring up or the bog at the fen;
The workshop is hushed on both mountain and plain,
And Peace hangs her wreath on the Odd Fellows' Chain.

In the strifes of the world, the wear and the tear,
The hurry of life and the worry of care;
The strife and the rivalry, the strife and the strife,
The rivalry and the strife, the rivalry and the strife,
How soothing the balm for the heart and the brain,
That drops from the links of the Odd Fellows' Chain.

Disappointments will come, each life has its share,
Of heart that are groundless and castles in air;
For honors are fleeting and riches take wings,
But courage, my brother, there's nothing to gain,
Where the links are kept pure in the Odd Fellows' Chain.

When death calls brother his loss we deplore,
But not at the grave are our sympathies o'er;
We bow to the will of the Master above,
And we minister still in Truth, Friendship and Love;

While the widow looks up from her desolate pain,
And the orphan smiles sweet on the Odd Fellows' Chain.
The Millennium will come—for its advent we pray,
When Peace shall o'er earth hold her beautiful sway;

Truth, Friendship and Love omnipresent then,
Shall glow in the smiles of the Savior of men;
But while we live and a half bottle, we will strain,
Let the links be kept bright in the Odd Fellows' Chain.

And when we are done with all sorrow and care,
When the will of the mourner is hushed on the air;
When the Judge of the quick and the dead shall
And time and its changes shall come to their end;
God grant that as brother shall then find it vain,
That he cherished the links of the Odd Fellows' Chain.

A Little Girl's Experience in a Lighthouse

Mr. and Mrs. Loren Treascoe are keepers of the Gov. Lighthouse at Sand Beach, Mich., and are blessed with a daughter, four years old. Last April she was taken down with measles, followed with a dreadful cough and turning into a fever. Doctors at home and at Detroit treated her, but in vain, she grew worse rapidly, until she was a mere "handful of bones."—Then she tried Dr. King's New Discovery and after the use of two and a half bottles, was completely cured. They say Dr. King's New Discovery is worth its weight in gold, yet you may get a trial bottle free at Edwin Ross' Drugstore.

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Notice for Publication.

Land Office at Oregon City, Oregon, December 26, 1892. NOTICE is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the County Clerk of Columbia county, at St. Helens, Oregon, on February 14, 1893, viz:

OLOF HIEMELA, Homestead entry No. 6948, for the lots 2, 3, 4 and 5, n. 4 w. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: Oscar O. Walsen, Henry Timonen, Olof Hiemela, John Tolva; all of Clatskanie, Oregon. J. T. APPERSON, Register.

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HENDRICK WARREN, Homestead entry No. 7090, for the lots 2, 3, 4 and 5, n. 4 w. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: Oscar O. Walsen, Henry Timonen, Olof Hiemela, John Tolva; all of Clatskanie, Oregon. J. T. APPERSON, Register.

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PETER JOHANSON, Homestead entry No. 6428, for the lots 2 and 3, sec 24, t. 18 n. 4 w., lots 2 and 4, sec 7 n. 4 w. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: John Tolva, Carl Hans, P. A. Annundi and Emil Suota, all of Clatskanie, Columbia county, Oregon. J. T. APPERSON, Register.

Notice of Administrator's Appointment.

In the County Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Columbia. In the matter of the estate of Titus H. Taylor, deceased.

To whom it may concern, notice is hereby given that I, James Dart, have been appointed administrator of the estate of Titus H. Taylor, deceased, by the honorable County Court of Columbia County, Oregon. All persons having a claim, or claims against said estate will present the same to me with the proper vouchers, at the office of W. J. Rice, in St. Helens, Oregon, within six months from the date of this notice. Dated January 25, 1893. JAMES DART, Administrator of the estate of Titus H. Taylor, deceased.

Sheriff's Sale.

STATE OF OREGON, ss. County of Columbia, ss.

BY VIRTUE OF AN EXECUTION and order of sale issued out of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Columbia, to and directed in favor of Melr & Frank Company, and against The Nehalem Valley Co-Operative Colony, for the sum of \$408.00 dollars, judgment, with interest at the rate of 8 per cent, per annum from the 22nd day of October, 1892, and the further sum of \$31.95 dollars costs and accruing costs, commanding me to make sale of the following described real property to wit: The east half of the north-west quarter and the west half of the north-east quarter of section thirty-two; also the east half of the south-east quarter of section thirty-two, and the east half of the south-west quarter of section thirty-three, in township six north of range four west Willamette Meridian, embracing 320 acres, more or less, together with the townships, hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in any wise appertaining, all being situated in Columbia county upon State of Oregon. I duly levied upon said premises on the 13th day of January, 1893.

Now, in pursuance of said execution and order of sale, I will, on the 25th day of February, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Courthouse door in said county and state, sell at public auction, all the right, title, claim and interest in and to the above described real property of the said Nehalem Valley Co-Operative Colony to the highest bidder therefor, for cash to satisfy said execution, interest and costs.

G. A. MASSIE, Sheriff of Columbia County, Oregon.

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