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SEMI-ANNUAL STATEMENT

Of the County Treasurer of Grant County, Oregon, for the Six Months ending on the 31st day of March, A. D. 1888, of money received and paid out, from whom received and from what source, and on what account paid out:

Table with columns: 1887 AMOUNTS RECEIVED, FROM WHAT SOURCE, GENERAL FUND, SCHOOL FUND. Includes items like Taxes, Poll Tax, Fines, Trial Fees, Etc.

Table with columns: AMOUNTS PAID OUT, General Fund, School Fund. Includes items like By Amount paid out on County Warrants, Balance General Fund on hand, Amount paid State Treasurer.

STATE OF OREGON, COUNTY OF GRANT,

I, E. Hall, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct statement of the amounts received, paid out and remaining on hand, in the County Treasury of said County for the six months ending on the 31st day of March, A. D. 1888.

SEMI-ANNUAL STATEMENT

Of the amount of Money and Warrants received for Taxes, and Money paid to the County Treasurer by the Sheriff of Grant County, Oregon, for the Six Months ending on the 31st day of March, A. D. 1888:

Table with columns: DATE, TO AMOUNT RECEIVED, DURING THE MONTHS OF. Includes items like Coin and Currency, In County Warrants.

Table with columns: DATE, BY AMOUNTS PAID, DURING THE MONTHS OF. Includes items like To Treasurer, Total paid Treas.

STATE OF OREGON, COUNTY OF GRANT,

I, A. C. Dore, Sheriff of said County, do hereby certify that the foregoing statement is correct and true.

SEMI-ANNUAL STATEMENT

Of the County Clerk of Grant County, State of Oregon, showing the amount of Warrants outstanding and unpaid to the 31st day of March, A. D. 1888.

Outstanding Unpaid Warrants on the 31st day of March, 1888, Principal \$58,081.09 Estimated Interest accrued thereon \$3,000.

Total amount of unpaid County Warrants \$61,081.09

Received by Treasurer since March 31st:

Table with columns: Date, Description, Amount. Includes items like April 3—Poll Tax \$40, County Fund \$8,025.45, State Transf \$142.78, etc.

Total received to credit of county \$13,049.11

STATE OF OREGON, COUNTY OF GRANT,

I, J. T. Mael, County Clerk of the County of Grant, State of Oregon, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct statement of the amount of warrants outstanding and unpaid as the same appear upon the records of my office in my official capacity.

Witness my hand and the Seal of the County Court of said County this 3rd day of April, A. D. 1888.

J. T. MAEL, County Clerk.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Land Office at La Grande, Oregon, April 20, 1888. 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 Grant County, Oregon, at Canyon City, Or., on May 28th 1888, viz: HENRY A. MURPHY, 1/8 Sec. 6, 6 E., for the NE 1/4, of Sec. 9, T. 11, S. of R. 39, E. of W. M.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of said land, viz: Joseph G. Lottan, John H. Harper, Wm. H. Dunlap and Henry Lutton; all of Fox Valley, Grant County, Oregon.

HENRY RINEHART, Register.

WASHINGTON CORRESPONDENCE.

Weekly Budget of News as Furnished by our Regular Correspondent.

Washington, April 19th

The week's work in Congress, is unusually interesting. A number of important measures have been put before the House, and several questions of probably less importance, but in no wise less interesting to the public, have come to a vote.

Representative Crain's Inauguration Day Amendment was defeated in the House and the Capital city mourns that that important date is not to be changed at present. But as an offset to this disappointment the Senate passed without a dissenting voice, the bill providing for the Constitutional Centennial of 1889, and there is little doubt that it will be adopted by the House in a similarly liberal and patriotic spirit.

If so, Washington will next year be the scene of a most important and interesting meeting of the representatives of the people and governments of the Western Continent. The bill passed appropriated the sum of \$300,000 to be expended by the President upon the entertainment of the foreign guests who will be invited to attend the celebration.

The latter will include the Chief Executives and judicial officers and certain civil and military officers of the South American Republics.

After many important changes, the Mills tariff bill has at last been reported to the House, and will be called up for action next Tuesday week. It is reported that the Louisiana members of Congress have been won over to the support of the bill and that Mr. Randall has only fourteen supporters left. The sugar schedule has been amended by a restoration of the present color line as a standard and a horizontal reduction of 20 per cent. The great scheme now is to save face wool.

The House is congratulating itself upon having done more work than its predecessors have been in the habit of accomplishing so early in this session. And when one comes to count up it is found that the Fiftyth Congress can make a rather good showing. Up to date 239 private bills and 129 public bills have been passed. To appreciate this work however, it is necessary to lose sight of the fact that about 9,000 bills have been introduced during the session.

Senator Blair, of New Hampshire, is nothing if not liberal and kindhearted. He was the author of the famous Education bill, which now lies neglected in the House Committee.

He was the author of the bill favoring wounded and disabled ex-confederate soldiers above confederates who were not soldiers, in appointments to the civil service, which created such a disturbance among the Senators at the time of its presentation, and now Mr. Blair wants to do something kind for the District of Columbia.

His latest proposition is an amendment to the Constitution of the United States, and is as follows: "The District shall be entitled to representation in the Congress of the United States by one Senator and by one or more Representatives, according to the rule of apportionment. The District shall also be entitled to as many electors for President and Vice-President as it has members of Congress. Congress shall provide by law the time and manner of choosing the Senator, Representatives and electors."

Representative women who attended the Woman's Conference here last week have petitioned Congress for the passage of the Blair Educational bill. Through the International Council of Women is a thing of the past, its echoes have been heard throughout the week. The delegates besieged the Capital on

Monday, crowding the galleries and corridors. Their special rendezvous was the Senate reception room, which was for the time converted into a committee room for the special committee on woman suffrage, consisting of Senators Cockrell, Blair, Palmer, Bowen, Chase, Sawyer and others. Senator Cockrell, of Missouri, had the chair, ostensibly, and intended to preside, but Miss Susan B. Anthony was really in command and conducted the ceremonies in an animated and interesting manner, peculiarly her own. She introduced her lieutenants one by one, representing different nationalities, and speaking in different tongues. So far as the speakers could be understood, however, the united voice was for immediate and unrestricted suffrage, and in this the foreign ladies all deemed it appropriate that the United States should lead by a Constitutional amendment.

In presenting a woman suffragist from Louisiana Miss Anthony mentioned that a year ago, in conversation with Senator Brown, a member of the committee present, he had said that he did not know a woman in the South who wanted to vote. Miss Anthony said she would produce as many as were necessary to convince him.

The deadlock in the House of Representatives has grown to be not only monotonous, but distressing. This ordering of the eyes and ears on a minute motions to adjourn and to take recess, together with the bringing in of delinquent members to the bar of the House, by the Sergeant-at-Arms, where they are required to give excuse for their absence from the sessions of that body, has continued now uninterupted for ten days.

During this time there has been no legislation in that end of the Capital. Business had been utterly stagnant both in the House and in the House committees. And when it is remembered that Congress is idle as expensive as Congress busy, and that under any circumstances it costs the tax payers of the country at the rate of from \$5,000 to \$7,000 a day, the situation becomes serious.

All this trouble was over a bill to refund, from the federal Treasury, the direct tax levied on the States and Territories in 1861, to raise money for carrying on the war. The act of 1861 provided that a tax of \$25,000,000 be appropriated among the inhabitants of the several States and Territories. Of this amount \$17,500,000 was collected, leaving a balance due, mostly from the Southern States, of about \$7,500,000. In some of the Southern States then in rebellion, collectors were made in some instances from the property of individuals.

Patronize Home Industry.

The rubber stamp agent is in town. He is in search of the penny wise and pound foolish business man and the callow youth who thinks his name looks well printed in red letters on the pages of his best girl's album. From a practical standpoint, the rubber stamp is a nuisance. It is sold on the merits of a few really nice looking samples, printed in an order book, which the victim can never hope to duplicate on paper. When you are tempted to invest in one, go first to your home newspaper office, the one you often strike for a small favor, and see what it will cost you to get your work done neatly. That will soon settle the rubber stamp question, and you will feel better whether the peddler does or not.—Baker City Democrat.

New South Wales wants to abolish entirely Chinese immigration. The head-tax does not keep them out. The anti-Chinese sentiment is gaining strength throughout Australia. Even Queensland, which has drawn upon the island groups of the Pacific for Chinese laborers on sugar plantations and has experimented with a labor system closely verging on slavery, the feeling against the Chinese is intense and has recently resulted in some violent measures.