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# THE FOREST FIRES

MORE DAMAGE RESULTED IN OREGON THAN SUPPOSED.

W. T. Cox, Detailed by the Government, Estimates the Damage at Close to \$3,000,000.

Press Bulletin No. 2, United States Department of Agriculture, Bureau of Forestry.—The bureau of forestry has received a report from one of its agents which shows that the damage caused by forest fires in Northwestern Oregon and Southwestern Washington during September, was much greater than has been generally supposed. After a careful trip through the regions devastated by the fires, Mr. William T. Cox, who was detailed by the bureau for this work, in a conservative estimate places the damage in Oregon and Washington at \$12,767,100. Of this, \$3,910,000 is in Oregon, and \$8,857,100 in Washington. This includes all losses caused by the fires to farm property, sawmills, manufactured lumber, standing timber, etc. This estimate is based on personal observation in the burned districts, both in Oregon and Washington, conference with lumbermen, farmers and settlers, and other trustworthy sources of information. Owing to its nearness to market, however, much of the damaged timber in the burned regions of Oregon will be saved, and the net loss will be smaller than the foregoing figures. In Washington a portion will also be saved, though a smaller percentage owing to its being less accessible to means of transportation.

Much of the area burned over was covered with virgin forest, mainly of Douglas spruce, cedar and hemlock. Besides the great loss of property, 18 persons were killed and many more injured. Much of the large and small game in these regions was destroyed.

In his report the agent of the bureau of forestry included not only the loss of life and property, but also the causes of the fires, the methods used in fighting them, the damage to the soil and the outlook for redemption of the forests. The burned districts were also mapped.

## The Oregon Fires.

The area burned over, while not so great as was at first reported, was very extensive. Fully 170,000 acres in Multnomah and Clackamas counties are blackened by fires. Of this area about 50,000 acres were either cut-over lands, lands that had been cleared by settlers, or burned over by previous fires, and had little merchantable timber upon them.

As near as could be ascertained 86 families were left homeless as a result of these fires. Two hundred other settlers suffered a partial loss of property. The following list of farm property destroyed was prepared by Mr. Cox after personally examining a great deal of the burned country and carefully comparing what is believed to be the more trustworthy estimates for portions not visited:

**Farm Property Destroyed.**

Farm buildings and furnishings	\$115,000
Stock	30,000
Hay and grain	45,000
Fences	20,000
Farm machinery and vehicles	15,000
Orchards	90,000
Total	\$357,000

**Sawmills and Manufactured Forest Products Destroyed.**

Sawmills	\$70,000
Sawed lumber and shingles	16,000
Logs (on skid and at mill)	18,000
Railroad ties (on skid and in roadbed of O. R. & N.)	8,000
Telegraph and telephone poles (on skid)	4,000
Cordwood (ready for market)	32,000
Total	\$149,000

Leaving out the 50,000 acres of cut-over lands, farm clearings and old burns, the remainder of 120,000 acres contained 17,700 feet, B. M., per acre. Figuring on what has been considered the average for Western Oregon. This is a very conservative estimate, for some districts along the Clackamas would have yielded 8,000,000 to 10,000,000 feet to the quarter section, or 50,000 to 60,000 feet per acre. Computing 120,000 acres at 17,700 feet per acre gives 2,124,000,000 feet as the amount of standing timber killed by the recent fire in Multnomah and Clackamas counties.

The value of the standing Douglas spruce, considering it to have had a stumpage valued at \$1 per thousand was \$2,124,000. Much of this is a total loss, though if promptly lumbered a great deal can still be utilized. Were the district less convenient to transportation, the loss would be much more severe. As it is, logging roads will be hastily built into the heavier timbered portions, and by rushing operations much of it will be saved.

The following list shows the timber losses in Clackamas and Multnomah counties:

Green and dry "cedar" (Giant arborvitae)	\$75,000
Tie timber	100,000
Down timber	100,000
Hemlock	50,000
Value of Douglas spruce killed	2,124,000
Total	\$2,449,000

The forest as such is practically destroyed. Upon thousands of acres not a living tree remains to seed the burned areas. In some places enough Douglas spruce remains to bring about reproduction, but cedar and hemlock, being less resistant to fire, were invariably killed. Upon the steeper hillsides and mountain slopes even the soil has been severely damaged.

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