

The Daily Astorian. ASTORIA, OREGON: SUNDAY, MAY 21, 1882. J. F. MALLOAN, Editor.

The Curse of Land Grants.

At an early day in the present session of Congress the Secretary of the Interior was asked to furnish a statement in detail of the grants of land to railway and other corporations—the amount of each grant, how much each corporation had earned by the terms of the grant, to how much they have a possible equity over and above what they legally earned, and how much of each and all the grants is forfeited by non-compliance with the contract of each. Let us, says the Chronicle, make this so plain that the simplest mind can comprehend it. Every charter awarded by Congress to a railroad corporation that contains a grant of land has a proviso that the road contracted for should be completed in a certain time, or the grant failed as to so much of the road as remained incomplete at the lapse of that time. A road that was to be two thousand miles long, and had a grant of forty square miles of land to the mile of road, would be entitled to patents for eighty thousand square miles or 51,200,000 acres of land, provided the road was completed in the time specified in the charter. But, whether completed or not, it would have a legal right to 25,600 acres per mile of road for as many miles of road as had been completed and accepted by the government commissioners within the time specified in the charter. The grant to the Northern Pacific, for example, lapsed about the time that company had completed five hundred miles of its road. It therefore has a legal and clear title to 12,800,000 acres of its grant. From that time to the time this year's statement of the Secretary of the Interior was made it completed, say two hundred miles more; it therefore is supposed to have earned an equity of 5,120,000 additional acres. The remainder of the grant, 32,280,000, is contingent on the passage of an act by Congress, either recognizing the company's right to an equity if it completes the whole road or restoring the land to the public domain.

The Secretary's statement shows that the grants of land made to six railway companies, including, with others, the Northern Pacific, the Southern Pacific, the Texas Pacific and the California and Oregon, aggregate 115,458,318 acres. Of this aggregate legal title has been earned to 18,651,196 acres before the lapse of the grants. Equitable title had been earned, or at least set up, to 14,261,344 acres for road built after the lapse of the grants, and 53,674,478 acres were in a condition to be forfeited to the government absolutely at the time this astounding statement was sent to Congress. The aggregate of the six grants covers an area over 180,000 square miles; or, to quote the language of the Secretary, "more territory than is contained in all the New England states, New York, Pennsylvania, New Jersey, and Maryland." The area legally earned by these six corporations covers 29,091 square miles, covering a territory "equal to all of New England, except Maine." And the area to which equitable claims is set up covers 22,282 square miles—a territory larger than Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Connecticut and New Hampshire. The area of the remainder of the grants, that part which is waiting on an act of Congress for restoration to the public domain, and to which the grantees have neither legal nor equitable right, is 130,736 square miles—a territory nearly equal in extent to New England, New York, New Jersey and Maryland, or to the three great states New York, Pennsylvania and Ohio.

The Secretary remarks, in reference to that class which we call "equitable," that "if the principle is admitted that the corporations have an equitable claim to land pro rata for each mile of road built since the expiration of the time set forth for the completion of the roads up to the present time," they will be entitled to so much in addition to that which they have legally earned. Right there is the feline hiding place in the meal. For if this principle once becomes admitted and established by law, then these corporations, every one of which broke its contract, may, by the delays of Congress to pass an act restoring the forfeited land—83,674,478 acres, or an area as great as that of the states of New York, Pennsylvania and Ohio—finally secure legal title to all of it. And this game these corporations have played at Congress for the last five years, and appear to be playing it successfully for the present session. There is no present prospect of the passage of such an act this session; but there is a very fair prospect of the completion of the Northern Pacific, Atlantic and Pacific, and Texas Pacific before another Congress could reach the case and restore the land to the public domain. As to the Southern Pacific it is already completed, and has already earned its equity in the forfeited grant.

There is nothing in the history of any civilized nation so monstrous, so stupid, so infamous as the legislation which has turned over these more than imperial gifts of land to the ownership of a few bloodless, soulless, aspiring and brutal corporations. It is a direct bid for the establishment and perpetuation of a landed aristocracy in the United States as much more powerful than that of Ireland as France is larger than Belgium, and as much more able to defy the government as an American Congress, restricted by a written constitution, is less able to cope with such a combination as the British Parliament, which may make and mend the unwritten constitution of the empire at its will. If Congress fails to restore this 130,736 square miles of forfeited land to the public domain it will be guilty of a neglect of duty that must plant the seed and at some future day—not so far off, either—bear the fruits of a social and political revolution compared with which the late civil war was but a trifling episode.

Burning of Bay View Cannery. At seven o'clock last evening a dispatch was received from Clifton that the Bay View cannery was in flames. From the bell tower it seemed a mass of fire and its total destruction is certain. It was owned by Messrs Bowly, Anderson and Davidson, was valued at \$40,000 and was insured for \$25,000.

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DEMOCRATIC State Ticket.

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