

FOR THE STATE OF OREGON

DETAILED STATEMENT OF THE TAX LEVY FOR 1899.

Appropriations Exceeded Levies for the Past Two Years, Increasing this Year's Needs.

The tax levy, as made by the state board of levy for the expenses of the year 1899, which was fixed at five and seven-tenths mills (0.057) at the final session of the board on Thursday evening, will raise a total revenue for the state of \$761,141.39, as published in the Statesman yesterday. The detailed statement of the board was given to the public yesterday.

A statement of the expenses to which the state of Oregon will be subjected for the year 1899, and of the items of deficiencies, of the total revenue to be raised by taxation therefor, of the rate of taxation, and of the apportionment of said revenue among the several counties of Oregon, as ascertained, computed and declared by the governor, the secretary of state and the state treasurer, acting jointly, on the 5th of January, is as follows:

Table listing various state expenses and salaries. Items include: Salary for governor (\$1,500.00), Salary for private secretary to governor (\$1,800.00), Additional clerical aid to governor (\$1,000.00), Salary of secretary of state (\$1,500.00), Pay of chief clerk to secretary of state (\$1,800.00), Clerical aid to secretary of state (\$6,020.00), Salary of state treasurer (\$800.00), Salary of clerk to state treasurer (\$2,000.00), Salary of superintendent of public instruction (\$1,800.00), Clerical aid to superintendent of public instruction (\$1,800.00), Traveling expenses of superintendent of public instruction (\$900.00), Salary of attorney-general (\$3,000.00), Salary of state librarian (\$1,000.00), Postage and contingent expenses of state library (\$300.00), Books, book cases, binders, etc., for state library (\$1,500.00), One hundred and fifty copies each of volumes XXXIII and XXXIV, Oregon summary reports, act approved Feb. 15, 1899 (\$1,200.00), Salary of pilot commissioners (\$800.00), Salary of clerk to pilot commissioners (\$600.00), Salary of health officers (\$2,200.00), Pay of janitor and assistant pay of night watchman at state capitol (\$900.00), Pay of teachers and current expenses of state school for deaf-mutes, including electric light (\$12,500.00), Pay of teachers and current expenses of state school for the blind, including electric light (\$8,125.00), Uniform series of school blanks (\$1,500.00), Insurance and maintenance of pilot schooner (\$1,500.00), Minor repairs and improvements at capitol, including grounds, etc. (\$1,070.00), Purchase of wood for steam heating system, capitol, and pay of fireman therefor (\$2,300.00), Electric lighting capitol (\$4,300.00), State board of agriculture (\$5,000.00), Eastern Oregon agricultural societies (\$3,000.00), Southern Oregon district agricultural societies (\$1,500.00), Pay and expenses of Oregon domestic animal commission (\$3,500.00), State board of horticulture (\$4,500.00), Salary of boatman at Astoria (\$500.00), Reward for arrest, under section 2197 Hill's code (\$600.00), General expenses of the state reform school, including electric lighting, pay of industrial teachers, etc., hitherto paid from other funds, though really general expense (\$22,500.00), Lights, fuel for offices, water, postage, etc., and other expenses of the executive, administrative and other state departments (\$14,000.00), Salaries of supreme judges, circuit judges, prosecuting attorneys and clerks and bailiffs of the supreme court, etc. (\$64,500.00), Pay of officers and employees and other necessary expenses of the Oregon state insane asylum, including electric lighting, return of patients, etc., hitherto paid out of separate sub-funds (\$50,000.00), Advertising state warrants (\$300.00), Pay and expenses of the regular session of the legislative assembly of 1899 (\$50,000.00), Salary of commissioner and clerk (\$4,200.00), Salary of food and dairy commissioner (\$1,500.00), Public printing and binding and for purchase of paper for same (\$30,000.00), Conveying insane and idiotic patients committed to the asylum (\$14,000.00), Conveying convicts committed to the penitentiary (\$12,500.00), Arrest and return of fugitives from justice (\$4,000.00), Support of non-resident poor in the several counties (\$4,000.00), Pay of superintendent of penitentiary (\$1,500.00), Pay of wardens of penitentiary (\$2,400.00), Pay of teamster and farmer, penitentiary (\$900.00), Pay of bookkeeper, penitentiary (\$1,200.00), Pay of shop guards, penitentiary (\$2,160.00), Pay of guards, penitentiary (\$5,400.00), Pay of engineer and plumber, penitentiary (\$900.00), Pay of four night watchmen, penitentiary (\$2,700.00), Pay of prison inspector (\$500.00), Pay of visiting physician, penitentiary (\$900.00), Keeping prisoners and general expenses, penitentiary (\$20,500.00), Rogues' gallery, penitentiary (\$250.00), Purchase of wood for penitentiary (\$2,250.00), Electric lighting, penitentiary (\$2,250.00), Support of state normal school, Weston (\$6,000.00), Support of state normal school, Monmouth (\$9,000.00), Support of state university (\$30,000.00), Support of the Oregon national guard (\$30,000.00), Support of Oregon soldiers' home (\$12,000.00), Salaries of public commissioners and clerk (\$2,100.00), For support of state agricultural college, as per section 2 of an act approved Feb. 18, 1899 (\$5,000.00), Salary and expenses of state land agent (\$1,250.00), Interest on duplicate vouchers (\$2,057.10), Interest on endorsed warrants (estimated) (\$49,750.00), Total (\$655,802.10)

Table listing specific appropriations. Items include: For specific appropriations: Pay of F. V. Drake (\$340.93), Physical and chemical apparatus, etc., for state university (\$2,500.00), Salary and expense of state land agent (\$2,500.00), Repayment of G. S. Downing (\$408.89), Repayment of A. N. Gilbert (\$38.48), Expense of election blanks, 1898 (\$1,742.95), Pay of A. C. Woodcock (\$318.93), Pay of N. B. Knicht (\$318.93), Pay of J. J. Murphy (\$320.84), Pay of Lee Moorehouse (\$125.04), Pay of Salem Water Co. (\$45.75), Pay of A. T. Wain (\$10.12), Pay of T. W. Davenport for clerk hire (\$410.72), Pay of L. Stillwell and F. Arthur (\$68.70), Pay of Salem Water Co. (\$96.07), Pay of P. A. Bancroft and L. L. Patterson (\$378.31), Pay of Weston normal school, deficiency (\$1,875.00), Pay of J. F. Bomham (\$50.00), Pay of J. H. McLaughlin (\$10.00), Pay of Attorney-General Idleman (\$587.15), Repayment of R. E. Moody (\$317.50), Repayment of W. T. Wright (\$71.25), Repayment of Z. F. Moody (\$32,688.88), Repayment of Astoria chamber of commerce (\$272.74), Pay of presidential electors (\$127.16), Heating plant, painting buildings, etc., Monmouth normal school (\$2,500.00), Additional clerical aid to treasurer (\$500.00), Expenses and maintenance of Sluslaw hatchery (\$500.00), Improvements and repairs, state insane asylum (\$5,000.00), Pay of W. H. Leeds for printing for weather service, board of pharmacy, Monmouth school and state and district fairs in 1895-6, with interest (\$6,205.87), Pay of G. E. Rodgers for binding and ruling for weather service, 1895-6, with interest (\$187.95), Pay of W. H. Leeds for printing for weather service, state and district fairs, commissions, legislature and board of horticulture, 1897-8, with interest (\$6,539.08), Pay of G. E. Rodgers for binding for weather service, legislature and boards of horticulture and medicine, 1897-8, with interest (\$408.35), Total (\$67,648.18)

for the two years, as follows: Postage and contingent expenses of state library, with interest \$ 300.00 Books, book cases, etc., state library, with interest 200.00 Oregon supreme court reports, with interest 1,962.22 Pay and expenses of state board of equalization, with interest 2,050.00 Incidental expenses of executive, administrative and other departments, etc., with interest 3,000.00 Conveying insane and idiotic patients to asylum, with interest 2,000.00 Transportation of convicts committed to the penitentiary, with interest 10,000.00 Arrest and return of fugitives from justice, with interest 5,500.00 Support of non-resident poor 2,000.00 Pay of guards at penitentiary with interest 730.95 General expenses of penitentiary, with interest 4,000.00 Rogues' gallery, with interest 150.00 Salary and expenses of state dairy and food commissioner 1,500.00 Printing deficiency, 1895-6, with interest 4,794.15 State land agent, 1895-6, with interest 227.62 Total \$38,414.94 Subtracting the amounts in which the levy exceeded the appropriation from the amount in which the appropriation exceeded the levy, it leaves a difference of \$62,209.61, which must be added to previous amounts of the tax levy. Items of deficiencies from the year 1898: For electric lighting capitol \$ 305.62 For maintenance of pilot schooner 243.66 For per diem and mileage of members, etc., nineteenth biennial session 634.81 For general expenses, etc., state reform school 2,287.68 For traveling expenses of superintendent of public instruction 175.41 Total \$3,647.18 This makes the amount to be raised for the payment of the sums already appropriated for the years 1897-1898 and the estimate for 1899: Estimate for 1899 \$655,802.10 Difference between the amounts levied for 1897-1898 and the amounts appropriated in 1898, in excess thereof 63,209.61 Specific appropriations, 1898 67,648.18 Deficiencies of 1898 3,647.18 Total \$790,307.07 Surplus—The net surplus, shown by the following statement, will be applicable to the payment of a part of the foregoing expenses and deficiencies, so that the total amount of revenue to be raised therefor by taxation will be reduced by the amount of said surplus. Statement—The books of the secretary of state December 31, 1898, show unexpended balances of the appropriation of 1897 and 1898 of \$125,278.60. We estimate that outstanding claims payable out of these appropriations amount to \$11,286.65, leaving unused balances of \$113,991.95. In the levy of 1898 there was included as a surplus all the estimated unused amounts levied in 1897 for the legislature and for the estimated cost of additional buildings and improvements, a total of \$80,000. In the levy of 1897 we estimated the unused balances of 1895 and 1896 and December 31, 1898, that they amount to \$212,027.09; but we find that they amount to \$212,032.23, a difference of \$5.14. The miscellaneous receipts of 1898 (including interest on overdue taxes) amount to \$11,708.42; but as \$5,813.53 was set apart for the miscellaneous receipts, this leaves a balance of \$5,894.89. We estimate the miscellaneous receipts of 1899 at \$8,653.70. These sums constitute a net surplus of \$29,165.68, applicable to the payment of the expenses set forth in the foregoing itemized statement, which sum, being deducted from the preceding total of \$790,307.07 leaves the total amount of revenue to be raised by taxation for state purposes \$761,141.39. (The taxable property of the state amounts to \$123,333,577, the table of which was published in yesterday morning's Statesman.) Revenue—The total amount of revenue to be raised by taxation, as aforesaid, being \$761,141.39, the resulting rate of taxation on each dollar of said taxable property is five and seven-tenths mills, and the same is apportioned among the several counties of this state, to be levied and collected and to be paid into the state treasury by each of said counties, according to the following schedule: Baker \$ 14,655.06 Benton 14,714.74 Clackamas 23,424.80 Clatsop 13,785.80 Columbia 7,857.66 Coos 14,597.50 Curry 2,066.29 Crook 9,941.63 Douglas 27,389.56 Gilliam 7,151.74 Grant 6,451.41 Harney 12,434.58 Jackson 25,516.74 Josephine 6,508.77 Klamath 8,608.91 Lake 8,376.17 Lane 35,963.81 Lincoln 4,249.42 Linn 38,984.87 Malheur 6,581.44 Marion 45,928.22 Multnomah 8,238.89 Multnomah 24,872.21 Polk 24,792.49 Sherman 7,020.43 Tillamook 6,230.03 Umatilla 37,438.36 Union 19,572.37 Wallowa 5,605.60 Wasco 17,512.10 Washington 25,568.80 Yamhill 28,520.81 Total \$761,141.39 In accordance with law, the governor, secretary of state, and the state treasurer, acting jointly, prepared the foregoing tabular statement and apportionment, and ascertained by computation: 1st That the total amount of revenue to be raised the fiscal year ending December 31, 1899, for state purposes, is the sum of \$761,141.39, which

we hereby apportion among the several counties of this state according to the amount of total taxable property in each. 2d That the amount of property subject to taxation in this state for the expenses and deficiencies, herebefore set forth, is the sum of \$133,533,577, as shown by the foregoing statement of taxable property. 3d That the resulting rate of taxation upon each dollar of assessment within the said state subject to taxation is 5.7 mills.

MORE ATTACHMENT SUITS.
Peter Reader Is Made Defendant in More Litigations.
Four additional attachment suits were instituted in the courts yesterday against Peter Reader, by as many of that gentleman's creditors and it is understood there are more to follow. The aggregate of the nine suits already begun is \$1011.14, which, with accrued costs added thereto, will make a grand total of about \$1290.

In department No. 1, of the Marion county circuit court, L. Coblenz, doing business under the firm name and style of Coblenz & Levy, of Portland, yesterday brought suit to recover \$162.64, alleged to be due for goods furnished defendant between September 23d and October 20, 1898.

Three other actions were begun in Justice H. A. Johnson's court as follows: Salem Light & Traction Co., for \$35; J. C. Goodale & Co., for \$15, and Disque & White, for \$5.

After several days' search, Sheriff Durbin yesterday succeeded in locating Mr. Reader, upon whom he served the papers citing him to appear on January 11th and show cause why a guardian should not be placed over him in answer to the petition of his wife, Hulda F. Reader. Papers in the several suits that had been filed against Mr. Reader were also served at the same time.

THE PRISON REPORT.
Quarterly Statement Made by Superintendent A. N. Gilbert.
Superintendent A. N. Gilbert, of the state penitentiary, yesterday filed in the state department, his quarterly report for the three months ending December 31, 1898, of the number of convicts under care and treatment, the receipts and expenditures on account of the prison. The following figures are taken from the report: Miscellaneous Statement:
No. convicts close of quarter 322
No. convicts close of last quarter 305
Increase during quarter 17
Received during quarter 58
Discharged during quarter 39
Committed to insane asylum 2
Daily average, 316.19.

Earnings.
Board U. S. prisoners \$ 470.28
Labor N. W. foundry 2176.13
Labor Mute School 30.80
Sale of brick 19.44
Total \$2686.67

Receipts.
Board U. S. prisoners \$ 566.71
Sale of brick 10.44
Total \$577.15

Expenditures \$ 576.15
Salaries officers and employes \$4910.00
General Expense Fund \$1120.55
Meat 839.54
Flour and feed 529.51
Groceries and provisions 196.80
Dry goods, clothing, blankets, 435.12
Leather and findings 70.40
Drugs and medicines 56.50
Stationery, postage, telephone freight and box rent 34.50
Paints, oils, glass and lime 13.00
Lumber 38.70
Hardware, agricultural implements, repairs and engineers supplies 222.81
Rent of land and purchase of stock 13.00
Miscellaneous 38.54
Expense 657.23

Rogues' Gallery Fund 00.01
Electric Lighting Fund 130.70
Lights and lamps 50.00
Total expenditures \$505.69

GOLDEN WEDDING.
Rev. and Mrs. T. F. Royal Celebrate the Fiftieth Anniversary of Their Married Life.
Yesterday marked the fiftieth anniversary of the marriage of Rev. and Mrs. T. F. Royal, of South Salem, and the event was happily celebrated by the esteemed couple.

During the day Rev. and Mrs. Royal received hearty congratulations from their host of friends here and in the evening they were joined at the parsonage in South Salem by the members of the Leslie M. E. church and congregation and a thoroughly enjoyable social season was experienced.

BORN.
LOCKLEY.—In Salem, Wednesday night, January 4, 1899, to Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Lockley Jr., a son.

LEEDS.—At the home in University Park Addition, Salem, Oregon, on Thursday, January 5, 1899, to State Printer and Mrs. W. H. Leeds, a son.

JENSEN.—At Rosedale, south of Salem, Friday January 6, 1899, to Mr. and Mrs. Hans Jensen, a son.

MARRIED.
EDMUNSON—BRANCH.—At the Marion County Court House, Salem, Oregon, at 2 p. m., Friday, January 6, 1899, Miss Claudia Branch to Archie Edmunson, County Judge G. P. Terry officiating.

ROBERTSON—CRAWFORD.—At the home of the parents of the bride, six miles south of Lafayette, Oregon, on Wednesday, January 4, 1899, Miss Eudora Crawford to Van E. Robertson, Rev. J. Bowersox, of Lafayette, officiating.

A select number of friends witnessed the ceremony. The happy couple will reside on the Robertson farm in Yamhill county.

DIED.
RAMSEYER.—At the farm home, one and a half miles west of Maclay, at 6 a. m., Friday, January 6, 1899, Mrs. Francis Ramseyer, aged 67 years, of abscess of the stomach.

A REPLEVIN SUIT.—The case of Mary E. Jackson vs. Sheriff F. W. Durbin, a suit to replevin certain personal property attached and sold on execution by defendant, was called before the city recorder at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Before any testimony was introduced, Holmes & Holmes, attorneys for the defendant, raised the question of the court's jurisdiction by filing a demurrer to the complaint. The demurrer was argued at length, Messrs. M. E. Pogue and W. M. Kaiser speaking for the plaintiff. At 6 p. m. the court rendered a decision sustaining the demurrer, and the case was dismissed, so far as the municipal court is concerned. On the decision in the case depended the course of a second replevin suit, instituted against Marion county's sheriff by T. J. Jackson.

BOP CONTRACT.—Daniel Cavanaugh has contracted 12,000 pounds of hops of the 1899 crop to Faber & Neils, of Albany, at 10 cents per pound. Of the contract price 5 cents per pound is to be advanced at picking time. The contract was filed with County Recorder Roland yesterday, as was also the consignment of this year's crop of hops from off a fourteen-acre field, made by J. A. Bonney, H. H. Uppendahl and T. L. Bonney, to H. J. Miller. The consignment is made to secure the payment of a mortgage for \$700.

CONSIDERABLY IMPROVED.—E. C. Cross, the State street butcher, several days ago while at work in his place of business, accidentally cut his left hand. Nothing was thought of the slight cut for some days, when the injured member occasioned Mr. Cross much pain, making it necessary for him to leave his place of business. Blood poisoning set in, and for a number of days Mr. Cross has been quite ill, but inquiry at his residence last evening elicited the fact that his condition was considerably improved.

There Is MORE INQUIRY FOR REAL ESTATE.

All signs point to a better real estate market from now on. Prices are bound to gradually advance. Better get in on the ground floor. We print below only a partial list. We have hundreds of bargains. "No trouble to show goods." We have rigs. Come and look over our lists and take a ride with us.

\$350	House and three lots in West Salem; all fenced; plenty of fruit.	\$1000	A good house and lot on Church street, nice location.
\$450	House and lot near Bentley's Store on State street; new house.	\$1100	House, barn and some other buildings, 2 acres of ground, all nicely fenced, 1 mile from town.
\$700	A nice house and lot on Cottage street.	\$1500	7 1/2 acres of land in Polk county, Or., near the town of Zena, about all in cultivation; this land is cheap at \$30 per acre but if taken, soon can be had at \$20.
\$880	20 acres of land north of Salem; house, barn, all fenced; 5 acres in cultivation; good water, all level land.	\$2350	40 acres of land 1/2 mile from Shaw, 10 acres in orchard; 6-year-old trees; spring water; all fenced; 35 acres in cultivation, balance in pasture near a good school and market; fine house and barn; this is a choice piece of land.
\$900	30 acres one-half mile west of Marion, partly cultivated; five acres of timber; large house and barn; two acres of fruit, large and small. Will throw in horses, wagons, tools, cows and chickens.	\$3840	240-acre farm five miles south of Salem; 100 acres in cultivation; balance in good pasture; five springs on place. Good buildings; plenty of fruit; Good fences; only \$16 per acre. Just think of it; less than half price for this farm.
\$950	House and barn and 2 acres of land in Englewood; all fenced; plenty of fruit; good water.	\$5160	172 acres of land in Polk county, Oregon, all in cultivation; good buildings; good water; fine location.
\$1080	54 acres of land 1 mile from Station, house and some other buildings; splendid water; all fenced; near a good school and market.		11 acres of land 5 miles west of Portland, good house and barn, 10 acres in cultivation; good spring water, nice location; will trade for good school and market.

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