

ABOLISH THE FEES AND PERQUISITES OF STATE OFFICIALS

Read the Constitution and then Study the System that Has Grown Up in Oregon.

THE LEGISLATURE OF 1901 APPROPRIATED

NEARLY TWO MILLION DOLLARS

The Total Tax Levy This Year is \$250,000 Greater than Last Year

Average Annual State Revenue for Past Seven Years \$ 640,175
State Revenue Required for the Year 1902 \$1,100,718
Increase in Annual State Revenue Required \$ 460,543

Table comparing Present Expense (\$182,660), On Fair Allowance (\$80,000), and Reduction Possible (\$102,660) for various state officials.

Salaries of Governor and Governor's Private Secretary

Table listing ANNUAL SALARIES OF THE GOVERNOR'S OFFICE, including Constitutional Salary, Trustee Inmate Asylum, and various public works and school salaries.

Table listing LEGISLATIVE APPROPRIATIONS PER ANNUM for various state departments and services, including printing, clerical, and educational expenses.

It should be stated in connection with the eighth item of the Governor's salary (covered by the 11th item of appropriations), that Governor Geer has not drawn any salary as commander-in-chief of the Oregon National Guard...

Table listing SALARIES OF GOVERNOR'S PRIVATE SECRETARY, including Private Secretary's Annual Salary, Clerk of Asylum Board, and various building and commission salaries.

The amount actually allowed by previous laws as quoted is \$1250, or \$2040, for 2 years, while the Legislature appropriated for the 2 years \$2600, or \$560 more than the sums allowed by statutes.

ITEM AS FOUND IN THE APPROPRIATION BILL. For the payment of the salary of the Private Secretary to the Governor, including his salary as clerk of the Board of Trustees of the Oregon Inmate Asylum, Clerk of the Public Building Commission, and Clerk of the Board of Capital Commissioners (for 2 years)...

Salaries and Fees of the Secretary of the State of Oregon

Table listing ANNUAL SALARIES OF SECRETARY OF STATE, including Constitutional Salary, Trustee Inmate Asylum, and various public works and school salaries.

Table listing ANNUAL FEES OF SECRETARY OF STATE, including License Fees, Filing fees, and various insurance and public works fees.

Table listing ANNUAL EXPENSE OF FIVE OFFICES, including Governor, State Treasurer, State Superintendent of Schools, Secretary of State, and State Printer and Binder.

Table listing various state expenses and fees, including Trade Mark fees, Notary Public fees, and various departmental costs.

State Printing Appropriations for Four Years Annual Expense

Table listing APPROPRIATIONS FOR YEARS 1899-1900, including Session Laws, printing of school records, and various departmental printing costs.

PRINTING EXPENSE FROM OTHER FUNDS

Table listing printing expenses from other funds, including Reform School, Deaf Mute School, and various departmental printing costs.

Salaries and Fees of the Five Principal State Officers

Table listing EMOLUMENTS OF GOVERNOR'S OFFICE, including Constitutional salary, annual salary, and various allowances.

EMOLUMENTS OF SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION

Table listing salary and allowances for the Superintendent of Public Instruction, including annual salary and legislative appropriations.

EMOLUMENTS OF STATE TREASURER

Table listing salary and allowances for the State Treasurer, including constitutional salary and annual salary.

EMOLUMENTS OF SECRETARY OF STATE

Table listing salary and allowances for the Secretary of State, including constitutional salary and annual salary.

EXPENSE OF STATE PRINTING AND BINDING

Table listing printing and binding expenses, including appropriations for state printer and various departmental printing costs.

SUMMARY OF FIVE OFFICES

Table listing summary of salaries and allowances for the five principal state officers.

Table listing ANNUAL EXPENSE OF FIVE OFFICES, including Governor, State Treasurer, State Superintendent of Schools, Secretary of State, and State Printer and Binder.

OPINIONS OF THE STATE PAPERS

No Argument is Produced Against a Business Program.

State Officials on Flat Salaries Would be More Apt to Check the Legislature

Extravagant Appropriations are Not Authorized or Demanded by the People.

THE PEOPLE KNOW THE JOURNAL IS RIGHT. Aurora Bulletin.

SHOWING UP THE BIG GRAFTS. Jefferson Review.

CERTAIN TO BECOME A CAMPAIGN ISSUE. Astoria Bulletin.

THE SALM JOURNAL HAS A PLAN TO PUT THE STATE OFFICIALS ON A SALARY AND SAVE \$50,000 TO THE TAXPAYERS.

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gaining by its hot-and-cold expose of the fees and expenses of certain state officials. It could with equal justice take the same position as to the state insane asylum, penitentiary and deaf mute and reform and blind schools.

PUT ALL OFFICIALS ON A FLAT SALARY. Eugene Guard.

The Salem Journal has done a good work in compiling the salaries and fees of Oregon State officials. While the emoluments fixed by the constitution are ridiculously inadequate, the fee system intended to supplement the salaries has been abused and in some instances carried to the other extreme.

The most notorious instance is that of the secretary of state, who during the last fiscal year drew \$14,683.01 in fees besides the annual salary of \$2,850. During the same time the state paid \$8,983.55 for clerical aid in the office.

The Journal makes no mistake in demanding that all state officials be put on a flat salary and that fees be covered into the state treasury.

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JOURNAL VOTING BLANK advertisement with text: \$200,000 TAXES IN FOUR YEARS. Do You Favor Fixed Salaries vs Unknown Fees and Emoluments for State Officials? Cast your moral influence in favor of this Reform by Ordering The Daily Journal on this blank at Special Rates and your vote will be Recorded.