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GOVERNOR WILLIAM P. LORD ADMINISTRATION

Record Descriptions

Summary of Records

The records of Governor Lord consist of correspondence, executive appointments, Argentine Ministry correspondence, legal, and legislative records. These records date from 1881 when Lord was chief justice of the Oregon Supreme Court to 1911 upon his death.

The records of Lord's office are predominately the incoming and outgoing administrative correspondence while Governor. Topics include fisheries, legislation, appointments, Oregon National Guard, and education.

Administrative correspondence, 1881-1905

.25 cubic feet

Arrangement: alphabetical by name

Series documents the communications and activities of Governor Lord's office. Series includes correspondence, reports, telegrams, legal and legislative records.

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Argentine Ministry Correspondence, 1899-1903

.1 cubic feet

Arrangement: unarranged

Series documents activities of William P. Lord, a citizen of the United States, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary of the United States to the Argentine Republic. Lord was appointed by President William McKinley to fill this position. Records include expense reports, correspondence, and special passport.

Executive appointments, 1894-1899

1 cubic feet

Arrangement: chronological by name of board, commission or appointed office

Series documents petitions, recommendations and endorsements to the governor regarding appointments to positions within Oregon State government.

Memorial records, 1911

.1 cu. ft.

Arrangement: chronological by date

Series documents memorials for William P. Lord including a transcript of memorial exercises held March 2, 1911 by the Marion County Bar Association and a memoir and resolution of the Supreme Court of the State of Oregon on March 6, 1911.

Mrs. Lord's correspondence, 1899-1903

.1 cu. ft.

Arrangement: chronological by date

Series documents correspondence dealing with the flax industry in Oregon. Mrs Lord was the president of the Oregon Women's Flax Fiber Association.

Photograph, 1895

.1 cu. ft.

Arrangement: chronological by date

Series documents Governor Lord vacationing at the Oregon coast.

Scrapbook, 1896-1900

.25 cu. ft.

Arrangement: chronological by date

Series documents newspaper clippings from The Morning Oregonian, the Oregonian Statesman, Astoria Daily News, and New York Journal. Articles include issues dealing with the Nicaragua canal Bill, protection of fisheries, fruit growing, bimetallism, and annexation of the Hawaiian Islands.

Administrative Correspondence Container List

Container 1

Administrative Correspondence, 1881-1905

Correspondence, 1881-1905
Nomination Telegrams, 1894

Speech, no date

Secretary of State Audit Report of Treasurer, 1897

Report of Board of Education, 1897

15th Legislative Session (1889) membership roster

Legislature, 19th, Messages from House and Senate, 1897

Legislature 19th, Nominations of University Regents, 1899

Horticulture Commissioner Act, 1895

Salem Charter Amendments, 1903

Legal files, J.D. Spreckles and Brothers vs R. A. Graham

R.A. Graham vs. Beaver Hill Coal Co.; R.A. Graham vs J.D. Spreckles Bros. Co, 1899

Legal files: J.L. Morrow and W.H. Cooper vs Warner Valley Stock Co, 1900

Legal files: Notes on case involving Ladd & Bush

Argentine Ministry Correspondence, 1899-1903

Executive Appointments

Adjutant General A-S, 1894-5

Adjutant General, F.S. Barnes, 1894

Adjutant General, M.G. Butterfield, 1894

Adjutant General, R.W. Mitchell, 1894-95

Adjutant General, D.C. Sherman, 1894-95

Adjutant General, B.B. Tuttle, 1894-95

Adjutant General, H.L. Wells, 1894-95

Agricultural College Petitions and Letters, 1896-97

Boatman at Astoria, 1895-97

Dental Examiners, 1895

District Attorney, 6th Dist., J.H. Lawrey

District Attorney, 9th Dist. B-R, 1895

District Attorney, 9th Dist, J.N. Brown, 1894-95

District Attorney, 9th Dist, Charles W. Parrish, 1895

District Attorney, 9th Dist., A.W. Waters, 1895

Engineer of Irrigation, Cleveland Rockwell, 1895

Fish and Game Commissioner, B-W, 1894-95, 1898

Fish and Game, Frank C. Froman, 1895, 1898

Fish Commission, Hollister D. McGuire, 1898, 1895

Fish and Game, Joseph Paquet, 1895

Fish and Game, W.A. Storey, 1894-95

Fish and Game Commission, C.W. Watts, 1895

Food and Dairy, Charles Holeman, 1895

Container 2

Executive Appointments (continued)

Health Officer, Astoria, 1894

Health Officer, Coos Bay, C.W. Tower, 1894

Health Officer, J. L. Elwood, 1894-95

Health Officer, Yaquina Bay, 1894-96

Horticulture Commissioner, 1894-95

Judgeship, 4th Dist. Multnomah, 1895, 1897

Judgeship, 4th Dist., Charles H. Carey, 1895

Judgeship, 4th Dist., M.C. George, 1897

Judgeship, 4th Dist., H.E. McGinn, 1895

Judgeship, 4th Dist., J.E. Watson, 1895

Judgeship, 4th Dist., S.A. Lowell, 1895

Judgeship, 8th Dist., R. Eakin, 1895

Judgeship, Lincoln County, A-H, 1895-96

Judgeship, Lincoln County, Charles B. Crosno, 1896

Judgeship, Lincoln County, J. O. Stearns, 1895-96

Land Agents, Applications for, 1895

Medical Board, 1895

Medical Board, B.E. Miller, 1895

Miscellaneous Applications

National Guard

Penitentiary A-Z, 1894-95

Penitentiary, E.M. Croisan, 1894

Penitentiary J.C. Johnson, 1894

Penitentiary, A.D. Leedy, 1894-95

Penitentiary, Joseph Minto, 1894

Penitentiary, H.W. Shipley, 1894

Penitentiary or Asylum Physician, 1894-95

Pilot Commissioner, 1894-96

Printer, 1894-95

Railroad Commissioners, 1894-95

Soldier's Home, Applications for

Southern Oregon Board of Agriculture, 1896

Stenographer Applications. 1895

U.S. Senate Appointment for H.W. Corbett, 1897-98

Veterinary Surgeon, Stephen J. Carney

Memorial records, 1911

Mrs. Lord's correspondence

Treatise, Agriculture Board by Mrs. William P. Lord

Letter to U.S. Congress from Mrs. William P. Lord, 1920

Photograph of Governor Lord vacationing at Oregon Coast, 1895