

Oregon State Archives Oregon Legislators and Staff Guide 1850 Regular Session (2nd Territorial): December 2, 1850 – February 8, 1851

**1850** 

## Territorial Government Legislators and Staff

This was the last session held at Oregon City. On February 1, 1851 an act was passed making Salem the seat of government of the Territory of Oregon. Yam Hill was used as two words in many of the early records. This session created Pacific County, North of Columbia River, Umpqua County, South of Benton, and Lane County.

Council

Legislator	County	District	Officers & Staff	Party <sup>1</sup>
Buck, W. W.	Clackamas	2	President	
Hall, Lawrence	Washington (was	8		
	Tualatin)			
Humphries, A. L.	Benton	1		
Maley, W. B.	Linn	4		
McBride, James	Yamhill	9		
McKean, S. T.	Clatsop, Clarke, Lewis	3		
Miller, Richard	Marion	6		
Parker, Samuel	Marion	5		
Waymire, Fredrick	Polk	7		
			Buck, Heman H Sergeant-at-	
			arms	
			Coffey, Nebuzaradan -	
			Doorkeeper	
			Curry, George L Chief Clerk	
			Turner, James D Assistant Clerk	

House

Legislator	County	District	Officers & Staff	Party <sup>2</sup>
Allphine, William	Linn	7		D
Avery, J. C.	Benton	1		D
Campbell, Hector	Clackamas	5		
Deady, Matthew P.	Yamhill	18		D
Gilmore, S.M.	Yamhill	17		
Harding, B.F.	Marion	9		D

<sup>1</sup> No party affiliation found

<sup>2</sup> D = Democrat; W = Whig; blank = no party membership found

Holmes, H. N. V.	Polk	12		
King, William M.	Washington	15		D
Matlock, W. T.	Clackamas	3		W
Parker, William	Marion	11		
Payne, Aaron	Yamhill	16		
Powers, Truman P.	Clackamas, Lewis &	6		
	Clark			
Shaw, William	Marion	10		
Simpson, Benjamin	Clackamas	4		
St. Clair, W.	Benton	2		
Thorp, John	Pok	13		
Walters, Elias L.	Linn	8		
Wilcox, Ralph	Washington	14	Speaker	
			Bush, Asahel - Chief Clerk	
			Genois, B - Assistant Clerk	
			Heulat, Septimus - Doorkeeper	
			Holmes, William - Sergeant-at-	
			Arms	

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