



Multnomah County Abstract of Votes 1908

ABSTRACT OF VOTES

Cast at a General election held in Multnomah County, Oregon, on the First day of June, A. D. 1908 on all Measures "Referred to the People by the Legislative Assembly," "Referendum Ordered by Petition."

Total number of Ballots cast as shown by poll books	
For an amendment of Section 28 (evidently intended to be section 29) of Article IV of the Constitution, changing the compensation of members of the legislature to \$400 for each regular session and \$10 per day for each extra session instead of \$3 per day and mileage. (Section 28 provides the time when laws take effect, and the proposed amendment is, therefore, wrongfully numbered.)	
For an amendment of Section 3 of Article XIV of the Constitution, to permit the location of State institutions elsewhere than at the seat of government by act of the legislature and vote of the people.	
An amendment to Article VII of the Constitution by increasing the number of judges of the Supreme Court from three to five, until otherwise provided by law, and authorizing the Legislative Assembly to provide by appropriate legislation for the exercise by the circuit courts, of the probate jurisdiction theretofore exercised by the county courts, and for the transaction of county business by and before some appropriate body or tribunal.	
For amendment of Section 14 of Article II of the Constitution, changing the time of holding the regular general biennial elections from the first Monday in June to the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November.	
An act providing that in all counties, the sheriff shall have the custody of prisoners committed to or confined in the county jail and such prisoners shall be worked at such places and for such time and in such manner as the county court may direct, and that in counties of over one hundred thousand inhabitants, the salaries of guards and jailors shall not exceed \$90.00 per month and the price of meals furnished prisoners shall be 12 ½ c each.	
For an act requiring railroads and other common carriers to grant free transportation to State officers and county judges and sheriffs, as a condition precedent to acquiring land for corporate purposes by the exercise of eminent domain, and to prohibit the payment of mileage for such free transportation.	
An act to appropriate twenty-five thousand dollars annually for four years, to be used in purchasing grounds and building armories for the use of the Oregon National Guard, the money to be expended under the supervision of the State Military Board at any time during the four years, the Board not being required to use each appropriation the year it is appropriated. The Oregon National Guard is required to pay to the State Treasurer such rental, for the use of said armories, as may be fixed by the State Military Board.	
An act to amend Section 3529 of Bellinger & Cotton's Annotated Codes and Statutes of Oregon by increasing the annual appropriation for the support and maintenance of the University of Oregon.	
For equal suffrage constitutional amendment, permitting women to vote on equal terms with men.	
For an act prohibiting fishing for salmon or sturgeon on Sunday from January first to October first, also in the Columbia River only from October first to December thirty-first, also in the navigable channels of Columbia River at night, also at any time in Sandy River and in Columbia River west of west line of range nine west, near Astoria, and east of west line of range sixteen east, near Celilo, and limiting seines anywhere in the State to one hundred and fifty fathoms long and four and one-sixth fathoms deep, and providing penalties.	
For constitutional amendment, giving additional and exclusive power to cities and towns, within their corporate limits, to license, regulate, control, and tax, or to suppress or prohibit theatres, race-tracks, pool-rooms, bowling alleys, billiard halls, and the sale of liquors, subject to the provisions of the local option law of the State of Oregon.	
For constitutional amendment providing that all dwelling houses, barns, sheds, out-houses, and all other appurtenances thereto; all machinery and buildings used exclusively for manufacturing purposes and appurtenances thereto; all fences, farm machinery, and appliances used as such; all fruit trees, vines, shrubs, and all other improvements on farms; all live stock; all household furniture in use; and all tools owned by workmen and in use, shall be exempt from taxation in addition to exemptions now authorized by the Constitution.	
For an amendment to Article II of the Constitution, giving the voters power to call a special election at any time to discharge any public officer and elect his successor.	

Number		300 YES	301 NO	302 YES	303 NO	304 YES	305 NO	306 YES	307 NO	308 YES	309 NO	310 YES	311 NO	312 YES	313 NO	314 YES	315 NO	316 YES	317 NO	318 YES	319 NO	320 YES	321 NO	322 YES	323 NO	324 YES	325 NO	
1	208	42	135	78	88	81	81	132	36	120	57	55	119	91	89	129	42	34	141	85	82	71	97	74	109	99	77	
2	288	63	163	131	80	92	118	152	65	155	69	88	135	97	134	145	80	67	168	119	95	129	96	141	87	169	59	
3	264	46	152	94	92	81	108	143	53	149	54	106	97	87	111	112	70	47	168	98	82	118	83	117	81	154	48	
4	196	41	116	71	79	68	80	106	45	110	56	59	103	63	99	101	54	34	136	78	75	87	71	78	76	110	47	
5	207	47	76	74	49	61	58	96	23	94	36	54	72	53	69	77	44	33	99	65	61	72	55	72	56	100	35	
6	227	54	127	83	88	72	97	118	56	126	59	71	112	87	95	119	53	41	149	94	83	111	73	88	91	135	43	
7	226	38	146	80	92	74	98	127	46	127	55	54	124	95	83	145	37	40	152	88	88	78	101	79	99	101	83	
8	443	113	290	152	223	189	188	295	86	284	110	127	264	223	153	348	54	85	312	186	177	201	183	113	260	173	206	
9	296	44	143	92	76	81	97	123	58	136	47	81	104	88	97	133	48	42	158	110	73	106	82	92	90	136	54	
10	371	69	239	121	178	130	170	209	86	212	101	85	226	171	143	285	37	64	268	160	144	157	163	115	201	154	154	
11	251	56	101	101	51	79	70	127	28	122	45	68	90	82	75	107	37	48	118	82	73	94	70	104	60	140	22	

12	263	63	154	105	107	107	97	151	55	167	51	81	133	110	106	171	47	33	190	121	88	119	96	108	107	147	66	
13	280	61	172	112	112	116	112	157	65	157	78	74	164	131	107	181	53	44	201	118	108	127	112	102	134	134	107	
14	147	41	86	58	70	66	58	88	38	104	23	36	95	77	53	114	17	23	106	59	62	60	62	37	90	56	72	
15	247	54	110	94	65	72	55	111	48	137	42	80	88	81	89	107	58	41	144	108	75	102	79	103	74	130	92	
16	179	37	76	49	62	46	61	79	32	89	26	54	63	64	51	92	26	25	97	58	50	65	54	51	65	72	40	
17	167	32	96	67	52	53	60	101	23	100	24	58	65	71	52	94	28	26	105	70	49	79	49	58	61	76	46	
18	300	68	170	111	113	127	114	155	70	187	66	117	130	116	91	179	55	98	197	128	101	195	93	118	99	165	68	
19	174	42	87	62	64	62	58	85	35	103	28	52	76	72	52	87	38	30	101	80	51	76	56	55	77	68	61	

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TRANScribers NOTE: This transcription covers only part of the Abstract of Votes for Multnomah County for June 1st 1908.

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County, Oregon, on the First day of June, A. D. 1908, on all Measures "Referred to the People by the Legislative Assembly," "Referendum Ordered by Peti-

A N A C T

for carrying into effect the initiative and
referendum powers reserved by the people in
Article 1 and section 1a of article IV of the
Constitution of the State of Oregon on general,
special and municipal legislation, etc.—
See section 226, Laws of 1907.

9.—The votes on measures and questions
ounted, canvassed, and returned by the
ards of judges, clerks, and officers as
andidates are counted, canvassed, and
nd the abstract made by the several
ks of votes on measures shall be returned
tary of State on separate abstract sheets,
ner provided by Section 2833 of Bellinger
s Annotated Codes and Statutes of Oregon
s of votes for State and county officers.

TOTAL NUMBER OF BALLOTS CAST AS SHOWN BY POLL BOOKS		Amendments to the Oregon Constitution																											
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ES AND NUMBERS OF PRECINCTS		300	301	302	303	304	305	306	307	308	309	310	311	312	313	314	315	316	317	318	319	320	321	322	323	324	325	326	
Number		YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO
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2	288	63	163	131	80	92	118	152	65	155	69	88	135	97	134	145	80	67	168	119	95	129	96	141	87	169	59	18	
3	264	46	152	94	92	81	108	143	53	149	54	106	97	87	111	112	70	47	168	98	82	118	83	117	81	154	48	15	
4	198	41	116	71	79	68	80	106	45	110	56	59	103	63	99	101	54	34	136	78	75	87	71	78	76	110	47	12	
5	207	47	76	74	49	61	58	96	23	94	36	54	72	53	69	77	44	33	99	65	61	72	55	72	56	100	35	90	
6	227	54	127	83	88	72	97	118	56	126	59	71	112	87	95	119	53	41	149	94	83	111	73	88	91	135	43	14	
7	226	38	146	80	92	74	98	127	46	127	55	54	124	95	83	145	37	40	152	88	88	78	101	79	99	101	83	133	
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12	263	63	154	105	107	109	97	151	55	167	51	81	133	110	106	171	47	33	190	121	88	119	96	108	107	147	66	16	
13	280	61	172	112	112	116	112	157	65	157	78	74	164	131	107	181	53	44	201	118	108	127	112	102	134	134	107	15	
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16	179	37	76	49	62	46	61	79	32	89	26	54	63	64	51	92	26	25	97	58	50	65	54	51	65	72	40	6	
17	167	32	96	67	52	53	60	101	23	100	24	58	65	71	52	94	28	26	105	70	49	79	49	58	61	76	46	8	
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19	174	42	87	62	64	62	58	85	35	103	28	52	76	72	52	87	38	30	101	80	51	76	56	55	77	68	61	8	