

RECORD PRICES PAID AT AUCTION LIVESTOCK SALE

Many Bidders on Hand and Keen Interest Is Shown—One Steer Brings Its Owner \$1533.

(Capital News Special Service)
Lewiston, Dec. 12.—With record prices prevailing at the auction sale conducted under the auspices of the Northwest Livestock show and with many bidders, the stockmen and exhibitors were well paid today when the sale of fat stuff was opened. Keen interest was displayed and was manifested by the sharp lines drawn on the cattle. A record for this show was established when the E. P. Stanton Packing company, of Spokane, purchased a 14-month-old steer, bred and raised by Robert Jones, of the Big Hole basin of Montana. The steer brought \$1.05 per pound. The animal weighed 1460 pounds and brought its owner \$1533. A Duroc Jersey cow raised by George W. R. Feeblee of Clarkston, was sold to Grant Lowe of Dayton, Wash., for \$107.30.

So extensive is the livestock exhibit at the Northwest Livestock show that it was necessary yesterday to postpone the fat stock sale until today. The judges were engaged all day yesterday in completing their decisions on the exhibits.

Busy Scene at Fair Grounds.
The show grounds yesterday presented a busy scene. Grooms were industriously engaged in preparing their animals for the show ring, which yesterday held a large crowd of interested spectators, who stood in the snappy breezes watching the high class stock as it came in to be passed upon.

repeatedly gave the northwest bred and raised stock first place over imported stock.
"We now have to realize with what we are to contend with next year," said Dr. B. B. Nelson, "I am convinced that we have to deal with approximately twice as many stock next show. We shall be better enabled to care for them with improved buildings."
Prominent Men Have Exhibits.
The prominent stockmen who are exhibiting are: J. H. McCroskey, Sprague, Wash., shorthorns; Canfield brothers, Big Hole Basin, Mont., white shorthorns; Jones Land & Cattle company, Wisdom, Mont., Herefords and shorthorns; Sweet & Overman, Grangeville, shorthorns; August Schroeder, Cottonwood, Herefords; University of Idaho, white shorthorns and Herefords.
The big horse exhibitors are: George M. Wilson, Wilbur, Wash., clydesdales and shires; A. L. Pierce, Granger, Wash., J. L. Mayer, Uniontown, draft horses; J. L. Wilson, Spokane, draft horses; L. H. Lowery, Moscow, clydesdale; E. B. Coppock, Ellensburg, percherons; Cammille D'Hondt, Sprague, Rosenbaum & Philpott, Spokane, percherons and shires; University of Idaho, clydesdale; Brown & Mood, Moscow.

PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. D. N. Dutton of Roswell are guests at the Pacific hotel.
J. P. Cleek and J. W. Cleek, ranchers of Star, were transacting business here yesterday.

Fred Henderson is in the city from his ranch on Castle creek, attending to business and buying supplies.
Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Kivette of La Grande are spending a few days in the city and have taken rooms at the Owyhee hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Sullivan and child left this morning for Scranton, Pa., where they will spend the holidays visiting Mrs. Sullivan's relatives. They will visit New York before returning and will be away for a month.

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RULING AGAINST THE GOVERNMENT

Land Office Dismisses Contests Brought Against Lavenson and Hyde.

The failure of the government to prove that William Allen and A. B. Floyd were fictitious persons resulted in the dismissal of the cases brought against James H. Lavenson and F. A. Hyde & Co., before the register and receiver of the land office yesterday.

After reviewing the testimony in both cases, the land officers decided that the government had failed to prove in either complaint that there had been fraud or that the persons in whose name the entries were filed were fictitious in any way.

In the case against Lavenson, D. J. Shields, assistant state surveyor general of California, testified to the records of his office, showing the selections as they appear there. Percy Smith, a special agent, said that he had hunted through the poll lists and directories and had been unable to locate William Allen, who had filed the application for the lands constituting the base of the selection. M. Greenblatt, a notary, testified that he had been in the habit of taking and verifying signatures without having the person present, that he did not know William Allen, and that if an application had come in with what purported to be Allen's signature, he would have verified it at once.

In the case against F. A. Hyde & Co. over the forest reserve selection made by F. A. Hyde, it was claimed that the application for the base land in California was made by a person who did not exist, A. B. Floyd. The notary in this case did not know whether Floyd had appeared before him, but it was his general rule to have persons present themselves before he verified their signatures. He would have verified them, however, if Hyde had given him assurance that they were all right. Smith, the special agent, said that he would not declare Floyd a fictitious person, but that he could not find him. Because the government could not prove the original applications fraudulent, the register and receiver dismissed the cases and held the applications valid.

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