

PACIFIC OCEAN



INTERSTATE COMMERCE COMMISSION  
BUREAU OF VALUATION  
PACIFIC DISTRICT

MAP SHOWING THE  
LEWISTON, NEZPERCE AND EASTERN RAILROAD

Scale (approx) 1 inch = 40 Miles June 30 1917

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## EXPLANATORY TEXT

### I. DESCRIPTION OF ROAD.

The Lewiston, Nez Perce and Eastern Railway is a single track standard gauge steam railroad extending from Lewiston to Tammany, Idaho, and from Vollmer to Nez Perce, Idaho.

### II. MILEAGE AND VALUATION SECTIONS.

Valuation Section	Description	Miles.		
		Main Line	Other	Total
A. <u>OWNED AND USED.</u>				
Idaho 1	Lewiston to Tammany	10.887	0.254	11.141
Idaho 2	Vollmer to Nez Perce	15.419	1.691	15.110
	Total	26.306	1.945	26.251

### III. CONNECTIONS WITH OTHER CARRIERS.

At Lewiston, Idaho - Oregon, Washington Railroad and Navigation Company  
 At Vollmer, Idaho - Northern Pacific Railway.

### IV. CHARACTERISTICS OF COUNTRY.

The carrier organized a company to construct a railway between Lewiston and Nez Perce, a distance of about 52 miles. The finished portion, however, is in two parts extending from Lewiston to Tammany and from Vollmer to Nez Perce, leaving approximately 26 miles of the central part of the project upon which no work has been done. The country traversed from Lewiston to Tammany is the valley of the Snake River and rolling rough bench lands. The character of the line from Vollmer to Nez Perce is a good farming country within the drainage of the Clear Water River. Fruit, grain, hay and stock are produced in this prosperous agricultural district, which furnishes the carrier its principal traffic.

The climate is temperate with severe winters.

### V. ROAD.

Grading is light except for a small portion of the line south of Lewiston where some heavy cuts of classified material are made. Maximum grades are 2.2% and maximum curves 3 degrees.

Timber trestles, corrugated pipes and wooden boxes take care of the drainage. Main tracks are laid with 56 lb. to 75 lb. Relay and 60 lb. New Rail. Other tracks are laid with 40 lb. to 75 lb. Relay, 60 lb. New Steel Rail and a small amount of 25 lb. Iron Rail.

### VI. EQUIPMENT.

The Lewiston, Nez Perce and Eastern owns two (2) steam locomotives, three (3) freight train cars, one (1) piece of work equipment and two (2) pieces of miscellaneous equipment.

## INTERSTATE COMMERCE COMMISSION

Owner: Lewiston Nez Perce & Eastern Railroad Company BUREAU OF VALUATION

Sheet No. \_\_\_\_\_ of this valuation section.

Val. Section No. Non-Allocated Miles Main Line, \_\_\_\_\_ Miles all Tracks, \*Approved: F. W. Johnston,  
Senior Mechanical Engineer.

LOCATION.	CHARACTER OF PROPERTY AND DESCRIPTION.	Condition Per Cent.	Per Cent of Cost New.	UNIT.	NUMBER OF UNITS.	COST OF REPRODUCTION.		
						Per Unit. (4)	New, Total. (5)	Less Depreciation (6)
Acc't. No. <u>51</u>	Title <u>STEAM LOCOMOTIVES.</u>					\$	\$	\$
<b>A. OWNED AND USED.</b>								
<u>Type 4-4-0 -</u>								
	No. 1; Baldwin; 1882; cylinders 16" x 24"; total light weight 46 tons; coal burning; purchased second-hand 1909	38	43	Each	1	2785.00	2,785.	1,200.
<u>Type 2-6-0 -</u>								
	No. 2; Baldwin; 1888; cylinders 18" x 24"; total light weight 60 tons; coal burning; purchased second-hand 1914	77	78	"	1	5214.00	5,214.	4,084.
	Total for Steam Locomotives	66					\$7,999.	\$5,284.

ACCOUNT 53 - FREIGHT TRAIN CARS.Caboose Car -

No. 10; wood body and underframe; 3-3/4" x 7" journals; purchased second-hand 1910	59	62	Each	1	429.00	429.	268.
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Flat Cars -

Nos. 1 and 2; wood underframe; 40000# capacity; purchased second-hand 1910	56	62	"	2	290.00	580.	358.
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Total for Freight Train Cars	62					\$1,009.	\$626.
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ACCOUNT 57 - WORK EQUIPMENT.Steam Shovel

Marion; 1902; Model "A"; 1-1/2 cu. yds. capacity; purchased second-hand 1914	63	64	Each	1	3140.00	3,140.	2,015.
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Total for Work Equipment	64					\$3,140.	\$2,015.
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ACCOUNT 58 - MISCELLANEOUS EQUIPMENT.Truck Automobiles -

25 passenger; General Motors Truck Co's model "30-B" chassis; 4-cylinder gas-engine 3-3/4" x 5"; 1916	86	85	Each	1	3096.00	3,096.	2,636.
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Trailer -

4-wheel, open-type; 2000# capacity; built 1917; from push car	90	90	"	1	50.00	50.	45.
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Total for Miscellaneous Equipment	86					\$3,146.	\$2,681.
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