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Senates and Houses Effect Organization in Two States.

ALL THE SESSIONS WERE SHORT

Jones and Falconer Will Handle the Gavels in Washington, and Haines and Davey in Oregon.

Salem, Or., Jan. 15 .- Organized by the election on the first ballot in each house of E. W. Haines, of Washington hours. county, for president of the senate, and In all 118 cases of contagious disof Frank Davey, of Marion, for speaker of the house, the Oregon legislature made itself ready vesterday for law. made itself ready yesterday for law- theria, against 107 reported the pre-

Multnomah, by a vote of 17 to 7, four Democrats, Caldwell, Yambill; Smith, Umatilla; Hedges, Clackamas, and Mulit, Jackson, joined the 13 support- ers of Haines, and Haines voted for the city at present and 2,000 cases of scarlet fever in the city at present and 2,000 cases of diphtheria. In Evanston and Oak Park there were probably 1,000 additional cases. Bowerman, one of his followers. Hod-Deposits, \$13,000,000 Einn, voted for Coshaw, and Coshaw for liam R. Parkers, of the Evanston board Smith, of Umatilla.

and Rothschild, the lone Democrat of that more than 25,000 pupils were kept that body, who nominated himself, re- home from schools in Chicago yesterceived one, each voting for the other.
In the Republican nominating caucus,
Davey, had 44 votes, one of his supporters, Reynolds, being absent. and Vawter, 14. There was no contest and the voting was perfunctory, all knowing what the result would be.

Haines was elected at 2:30 o'clock and Davey a few minutes later. George E. Chamberlain's second in-

augural as governor will be held at 1:30 p. m. today. The two houses will meet in joint convention to canvas the vote for governor, and as soon as the vote has been announced the oath of office will be administered by one of the justices of the Supreme court. Governor Chamberlain will then read his mee-

There will be no ballot on United States senator until Tuesday, Jan. 22, when the formal election of F. W. Mulkey for the short term and Jonathan Kingston under water. Bourne for the long term will take No bay is reported left, and the place. It was thought that the election whole coast line is reported sinking. ly, for the reason that the appointment of Gearin was only "until the next meeting of the legislature," but an investigation shows that even in filling a vacancy the election must be held on the second Tuesday after organization.

Olympia, Wash., Jan. 15 .- Washington's tenth legislature spent about 60 minutes in organizing yesterday and then took a rest until this morning.

The senate proceedings were out of the ordinary for the most part. Thus Nichols of Scattle nominated Jesse S. Jones of Tacoma for president pro tem, and Jones, a new member here, for the first time was selected by acclamation to a position which heretofore has always gone by seniority. J. Will Lysons was named for secretary, which was a concession to the desires of President Coon, who wanted Lysons chosen again because of his experience as secretary of the past two sessions. W. T. Laube, SURPLUS 725,000 of Seattle, was nominated for assistant secretary, and Billy Conner for ser-geant at arms. Both were elected by unanimous vote.

> The house session ended almost as soon as it began. A. J. Falconer was elected speaker by acclamation, Reid of Tacoma making the nemination and terill for sergeant at arms were elected by acclamation.

A joint committee of the house and senate called the governor and arranged clusion of Aoki from the school. The that the message be read in joint session at 2 o'clock today.

Each house provided for a special

committee on employes, the senate limiting the number to 33 and the house to 38, all at salaries based upon ordinary pay, which will cut the gross em-ployes' payroll to less than half of that of last session.

Farmers Raid a Coal Car

Pendleton Jan. 15 .- Farmers in the track there yesterday. The car of fuel was bound for the Potlatch Lumber 30 or 40 miles from wood, and as a mental clearing house. consequence the farmers depend upon coal for fuel altogether. This winter they have been compelled to almost do without any and consequently took matters into their own hands.

Ice Blockade Solid.

The Dalles, Jan. 15. - The blockade

EPIDEMIC IN CHICAGO.

Scarlet Fever and Diphtheria Rampant Among Children.

Chicago, Jan. 18 .- With 6,000 school children in Chicago and suburbs pros trate with scarlet fever and diphtheria and the announcement from the state capital last night that smallpox and Recommendations Made by Chamber- question of railroad commission, rate scarlet fever are practically epidemic throughout Illinois, the health authorities have awakened to the most serious condition they have experienced for afternoon to both houses of the legisla-years. Radical steps were taken at ture in joint session. His recommen-center in the sensate, and that foes of once in closing many schools, and, if dations follow: the disease continues to spread, it may result in the closing of all places of encongregate in large numbers.

Reports of new cases flooded into the health office with increasing rapidity. Seventy-six new cases of scarlet fever

Dr. Herman Spalding, the city's contagious disease expert, declared there

In Evanston 4,550 pupils were barof health. In Oak Park 3,500 more In the house, Davey received 59 votes children were barred. It is estimated

SINKING INTO SEA.

Rulned City of Kingston in Danger of Being Engulfed.

St. Augustine, Fla., Jan. 18 .- Wireless messages received at the station on Anastasia bay today by Chief Electrician Elkins say that Kingston is sinking gradually; that many holes and cracks 100 feet deep were formed by the earthquake, and that grave fears are felt that the entire city will slip into the bay.

Havana, Jan. 18. - Rear Admiral Evans, in a message to the cruiser Co-lumbia here, states that a huge tidal wave has changed the coast line of Jamaica, leaving the entire south side of

ands of persons were killed in the earthquake and the dead bodies are being taken from the debris by hundreds. The whole town is in ruins and the greater portion is still smoldering in ashes. The smell of burnt flesh pervades the nir.

The carthquake came as a sudden oscillation, not from any particular direction, but up and down. Thousands of persons were on the streets of Kingston at the time and great numbers of them were crushed.

Many Americans in Kingston were killed and have been buried.

TEST CASE FOR JAPANESE.

Boy Will Demand Admission to White School and Be Refused.

San Francisco, Jan. 18 .- The initial step in the international test case between Japan and the United States over the exclusion of Japanese children from the public schools of this city attended by whites will be taken this morning. Kechi Aoki, a ten-year-old Japanese boy, accompanied by his father, will appear at the Redding primary school behalf of the Democrats that it be unanimous. L. O. Meigs of North Yakima for chief clerk and Glenn Cotterill for several of the Democrats that it be ground that she is notice to the content of the Democrats that it be unanimous. L. O. Meigs of North teacher, Miss M. F. Deane, on the ground that she is notice to the mittee. state law and under the instructions from the school board. Witnesses will be on hand to make affidavits to the exissue having thus been declared, suit will at once be filed in the Federal court by the United States district attorney.

Plan Car Clearing House.

New York, Jan. 18.-Local officials of the American Railway association said yesterday that the reports from Chicago that many of the large railway systems of the country had agreed to a vicinity of Vansycle, a small station on the line of the W. & C. R., in the northern part of this county, raided a lishment of a freight clearing house, carload of coal, left standing on the with the object of increasing the efficiency of the standing on the with the object of increasing the efficiency of the standing on the with the object of increasing the efficiency of the standing of the sta ciency of car service. The railroads entering Chicago have already consentcompany, in this city. Vansycle is ed to the establishment of an experi-

Japanese Spies at Fort Clark.

El Paso, Tex., Jan. 18.—Three Jap- o'clock. ancse who had been employed as serv-ant by the officers at Fort Clark have mysteriously disappeared. Their ac-tions in examining the fort and equipof ice in the Columbia has become solid almost to Three Mile rapids, and crossing is possible in many places along the city front.

PROCEEDINGS OF OREGON LEGISLATURE

GOVERNOR'S MESSAGE

lain to Legislature. Salem, Jan. 15 .- Governor Chamberlain delivered his biennial message this

Election of Jonathan Bourne and Frederick W. Mulkey to the long and tertainment and resorts where people short terms, respectively, as United States senators, in accordance with the

result of the direct primary election. Passage of a law creating a railroad commission, following generally the measure prepared by the Portland chamber of commerce.

Enactment of laws to make the tax burden fall more evenly on personal

tional clauses to make evasion impossi-

A graduated tax on incomes from

\$3,000 up.

Decided increase in cost of commissions to notaries public. Withdrawal from sale for 10 years of

the remaining state tide lands. Purchase of the Willamette locks. Appropriation to operate the portage railway until the 1909 session. A new personnel for the board of portage

commissioners. Appointment of an expert accountant to audit the books of all state officers. Creation of the office of expert ac-

countant, with duties to make uniform all state and county bookkeeping and check funds of state and county officials. Enactment of an anti-pass law, with an appropriation to pay expenses of public officers on public business.

A reciprocal demurrage law. Continuance of the library commis-

Investment of compulsory visitorial power in some state authority to cover private asylums for insane.

A law providing for supervision of banks in Oregon. A stringent anti-lobbying law.

Deposit of surplus state funds in banks at interest, the deposit to be safeguarded by bonds or other collateral. Escheatment to the state of funds in banks where the depositors have not

Prompt action to establish an institute for feeble-minded and epileptic Publication of itemized statements of

been heard from for over seven years.

Kingston, Jamaica, Jan. 18.—Thous- hibition of campaign contributions by corporations. Compulsory lectures to their classes

> by public school teachers on tubercu Measures looking toward eradication

of scabies in sheep. Punishment of wildcat mine promot-Flat salary for the state printer and

erection of a state printing office build-Board of control for normal schools, with the normal school appropriations

in one fund, to be distributed by this New apportionment of senators and representiatives.

Transportation of convicts to the pententiary by penitentiary officers. Conservative legislation for employment of convicts in new fields, without abandonment of the present system at

Appointment of a state engineer to supervise construction of new roads.

Appropriation for state representation at the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition, At 9 o'clock in the morning Kei and some kind of represestation at Jamestown. A new irrigation code. Extreme

caution should be used in changing the

Tuesday, January 16.

Salem, Jan. 15.-The senate was called to order at 10 o'clock a. m. by President Haines. There was but a short session in order that both houses might attend the inauguration of Governor Chabmerlain and listen to his message. In the brief time, however, a large number of bills and resolutions were introduced. Among those presented was one to provide for the lending of surplus funds in the state treasury and the state to receive the interest thereon.

Salem, Jan. 15 .- Having perfected pooling arrangement for all their freight organization yesterday, the house today gave evidence of great capacity for business. Although the session of the house this morning was not convened until nearly 11 o'clock about 40 resolutions were offered, the report of the committee on apportionment of clerks was received and approved, and more than a dozen bills were received and passed to second reading—this in time to admit of an adjournment at 11:50

A large number of investgating committees and junketing trips are already in prospect.

A railroad commission bill, including ment, their close attention to the drill- reciprocal demurrage was among the measures introduced.

Wednesday, January 16.

railroads in the house, and none in the ness; mohair, choice, 26@28c.

senate, indicates the apparent difference between those two bodies on the regulation and reciprocal demurrage.

"Apparent difference" means there are plain signs that opposition to the that plan will not spend energy in the house, unless they shall perceive growing sentiment there in their favor.

It is rather too early yet to measure up sentiment on this important question, obviously the most important before the lawmakers. Not yet have the lawmakers taken sides on the railroad

Both the house and the senate effectually put an end to the calendar graft, and in doing so the state's lgeislators had the cheerful co-operation of State Printer Duniway, who recommended and materially aided in accomplishing this reform.

Clerkship graft was reduced to a minimum in both houses today. Each house adopted the report of its committee on resolutions, in which it was recomended that no clerks be employed on any of the various joint investigating and junketing committees that may be created, unless it is shown that the services of such clerks are essential.

More than \$650,000 will be asked of the legislature by educational institutions this session-an increase of \$300,-000 over what they received at the last session for the biennial period. Demands of the four normal schools will be more than double the total sum allowed by the last legislature.

Demands of the several institutions are as follows: Monmouth normal, \$110,000; Drain normal, \$40,000; Ashland normal, \$60,000; Weston normal. \$70,000; Argicultural college, \$125,000; Experiment station at Union, \$15,000; State university, \$250,000; total, \$670,-

Both houses adjourned until Monday. Ther have now been 59 measures proposed in the house and 69 in the senate. A bill has been introduced in the senate to abolish the normal schools at Ashland and Drain.

A bill has also appeared in the senate appropriating money for the Third Eastern Oregon District Agricultural

May Refund Money.

Salem-Holders of fraudulently procured state school land certificates are to receive their money back, if the recommendation of Governor Chamberlain shall be carried out. At the request of the governor, Attorney General Crawford has prepared a bill, authorizing the state land board, in its discretion, to refund to a holder of such a certificate whatever money had been paid to the state thereon.

PORTLAND MARKETS.

Wheat - Club, 66@67c; bluestem, 68@69c;valley, 66c; red, 64@65c. Oats-No. 1 white, \$25@26; gray,

Barley-Feed, \$21.50@22 per ton; brewing, \$22.50; rolled, \$23@24.

\$24.50@25.

Rye-\$1.40@1.45 per cwt. Corn-Whole, \$26; cracked, \$27 per

Hay-Valley tim thy, No. 1, \$13@14 per ton; Eastern Oregon timothy, \$14 @16; clover, \$8@8.50; cheat, \$7.50@ 8.50; grain hay, \$7.50@8.50; alfalfa, \$11.50; vetch hay, \$8@8.50.

Butter - Fancy creamery, 30@35c per pound.

Butter Fat-First grade cream, 33 1/6 c per pound; second grade cream, 2c less per pound.

Eggs - Oregon ranch, 35c per dozen.

Poultry—Average old hens, 13@14 ½c per pound; mixed chickens, 12@13c; spring, 14@15e; old roosters, 10@11e; dressed chickens, 16@17c; turkeys, live.17@17 1/2; turkeys, dressed, choice, 20@22c; geese, live, 10@12c; ducks, 14@15c.

Veal—Dressed, 5½@9c per pound. Beel—Dressed bulls, 1@2c per pound; cows, 4@5c; country steers, 5@5½c. Mutton-Dressed, fancy, 8169c per pound; ordinary, 6@7c.
Pork—Dressed, 6@8½c per pound.

Fruits - Apples, common to choice, 50@75e per box; choice to fancy, \$1@ .50; pears, \$1@1.50; cranberries, \$11.50@12 per barrel; persimmons, \$1.50 per box.

Vegetables - Turnips, 90c@\$1 per sack; carrots, 90c@\$1 per sack; beets, \$1.25@1.50 per sack; horseradish, 9@10c per pound; sweet potatoes, 3c per pound; cabbage, 2c per pound; cauliflower, \$1.25 per dozen; celery, \$3.75@4.25 per crate; onions, 10@ 12% c per dozen; bell peppers, 8c; pumpkins, 2e per pound; spinach, 4@ 5c per pound; parsley, 10@15c; squash, 2c per pound.

Onions - Oregon, \$1@1.25 per hundred. Potatoes - Oregon Burbanks, fancy,

\$1@1.30; common, 75@90c. Hops-11@131/c per pound, according to quality.

Wool-Eastern Oregon average best, 13@18c per pound, according to shrink-Salem, Jan. 16.-Five bills curbing age; valley, 20@23c, according to fine-