CONVENTION PLAN PASSED BY SENATE

Some Republicans Find Fault "To Follow Directions of Oregon With Olympia Bill and Call It Primary Blow.

HOUSE FOR WHITNEY BILL

Caucuses to Supplant Elections Are Proposed, Wet and Dry Fight Continues and Eight-Hour Law Is Amended.

OLYMPIA. Wash., March 2.—(Special.)—The Senate today completed its election revision programme, passing by vote of 25 to 17, the Sharpstein bill, authorizing a partial return to the convention system of gelecting candidates, but the measure was adopted only after six regular Republicans and all Progressives who have been affiliating with them had left the majority.

As a result, the measure is the first of the election bills passed by either house failing to obtain a two-thirds vote, and may be stopped by executive veto.

In mediately the Governor of the State of Oregon the action taken by said legislative body."

Governor Lister transmitted the resolution to the Legislature and his secretary, Irvin W. Zlegaus, wrote Secretary of State Olcott, of Oregon, that the Governor would "take pleasure in following the directions given him by the Oregon Legislature."

MISSING HEIRS IN SWEDEN

Country Must Be Searched to Settle Estate of Rourne ex-Councilman.

Parties May Elect Method.

andidate.

If 20 per cent of the convention elegates favor a candidate other delegates favor a candidate other than the one procuring the majority nomination, his name will follow as "first minority candidate" while, if 10 settled until they are found.

The cstate is valued at \$6500, half being in Portland property. The question of administrator will not be settled until after the funeral. Bourne Lodge of Eagles will send a delegation under the head of "individual filings."

Limit Called "Gag Rule."

In attack upon this measure the Democratic and Progressive minority was reinforced by a group of Independent Republicans, who made the bulk of the fight. Senator Iverson, exceeding the five-minute speech rule, put in force today, was called to order and responded with a denunciation of "gag rule" tactics. All of the numerous speakers opposed to the bill called it an attempt to kill the direct primary.

Senator Sharpstein, who drafted the bill originally, defended the measure at some length, pointing out that the bill merely prescribed a voluntary course which parties might adopt, and did not compel any party to follow the new method.

MR. FRENCH LIKELY TO RUN

North Idaho Without Representation in Congress.

LEWISTON, Idaho, March 3.—(Special.)—That Burton L. French, of Idaho, who lost his seat in the lower House of Congress by reason of his susuccessful campaign for the United States Senate, will be a candidate for the lower House again in two years, is reported in this section of the state. Confidential advices to this effect have been received repeately from Wash-

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The final vote showed 23 Republicans and two Democrats, Senators Bethel and Flummerfelt, for the bill, Opposed were six Republicans, Senators Brown, Iverson, Leonard, Metcaif, Nichols and Steiner, the remaining four Democrats and the entire Progressive delegation of seven, including the Buil delegation of seven, including the Bull Moose who have been participating in

of the Republican election revision programme to reach the Democratic Governor. It is anticipated that the Governor will use the veto power on several mits of the Republican programme. this body can easily repass a measure over the executive disapproval. The senate vote on the Sharpstein bill does not hold out such hope, for that meas-

The House passed one other bill, an

The bill, when introduced, virtually amounted to a repeal of the eight-hour

trict elections, which, prohibitionists say, would afford a chance for sub-mission of a bill to repeal the state-wide prohibition law.

Jitney Regulation Passed. The fight of yesterday on this bill

was largely repeated, drys insisting that the measure still bore evidence of the hand of the wets and the House finally adjourned to take the bill up again tomorrow.

The Senate, on the other hand, passed

19 bills, including a measure placing jitney busses and automobile stages under the supervision of the Public Service Commission, a bill prohibiting pledging of legislative candidates, a measure allowing state banks to come under the Federal reserve plan and several other important banking and insurance measures.

LEGISLATURE AT OLYMPIA VOTES DOWN EMERGENCY VETO.

Clarke County Delegation Asserts That Haste Means Money-Savings and Clause Is Repussed.

OLYMPIA, Wash., March 2. - (Special.)-Both houses today repassed over Governor Lister's disapproval, the years a little missionary chapel. emergency clause attached to substi-tute House bill No. 56. Representative Marshall, of Clarke County, secretary of the Portland-Vancouver Bridge Commission, says this action will en-able contractors to obtain bonds and begin work upon the Interstate span immediately.

Governor Lister signed the bill but vetoed the emergency clause, which would have left the bill to take effect June 10. Representative McCoy, of Clarke County, who, with Mr. Marshall, spoke for the bill in the House, asserted taxpayers would lose \$25,600. ed taxpayers would lose \$35,000 a month in interest, through delay in the bridge work, and an additional \$59,000 paid to a Portland traction company for use of the present structure. Governor Lister later took issue with Mr. McCoy's statement on the bond in-

for overriding the veto. The bill was rushed to the Senate, where the vote was 25 to 7, against the veto.

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Several Democrats and Progressives
voted against the veto. In the House
three Republicans of the "wet" faction, plqued because the House control
has withheld the liquor bills from presentation, voted to sustain the veto.

LISTER ANSWERS REQUEST

Legislature" Called "Pleasure."

OLYMPIA, Wash., March 3.—(Special.)—Governor Lister is willing to stand the Washington Legislature for 60 days and to take orders from it if necessary, but he is inclined to resent the Oregon Legislature's action in get-ting into the game and handing him instructions also.

At least, the Governor so indicated

upon receiving yesterday from Salem a copy of House concurrent resolution No. 15, of the Oregon Assembly, providing for the transfer of 250 square miles of land in Southeastern Washing-ton to Oregon. The concurrent reso-lution asks the Washington Legislature to take favorable action and provides;
"Further, that the Governor of the
State of Washington shall notify immediately the Governor of the State of
Oregon of the action taken by said leg-

Estate of Bourne ex-Councilman.

Parties May Elect Method.

The Sharpstein bill authorizes political parties electing to do so to choose candidates for office at county, district and state conventions to be held in advance of the primaries, the names of these candidates to head the primary ticket with the designation of "Majority candidate."

BAKER, Or., March 2.—(Special.)—

A search of Sweden must be made to find the heirs of Gustav Anderson, excouncilman of Bourne, who died here of pneumonia. A. H. Brown filled his application for position of administrator of the Anderson estate. He says Anderson's relatives live in Sweden, in the House yesterday during the debate on elimination of second choice primary voting. that Anderson was born near Borose, that search must be started from there

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North Idaho is displeased now at hav ing no representative after March 4 in either the Senate or House. Robert G. McCracken, who succeeds Mr. French in the House, is from Boise, while Representative Smith Is from Twin Falls.

LAMBERT WHEALDON DEAD

ASTORIA, Or., March 2.—(Special.)— February was an unusually dry month nme in this section. According to the that records in Local Weather Observer Gli-sure more's office the rainfall during the The past month was 6.97 inches, or 2.23 corresponding months of previous years. The greatest precipitation dur-ing any 24 hours was 2.03 inches, on the amendment to the women's eight-hour law, to allow laundry employes to work 10 hours two consecutive days, but not more than 48 hours a week.

Labor Wins Amendments.

mounted to a repeal of the eight-hour law, but labor representatives put up a sharp fight for amendments which were adopted, striking out objectionable points of the measure. It finally was passed, 52 to 23, although notice of reconsideration later was given.

After passing its second bill, the House broke into the wet and dry fight over substitute House bill 179, to provide uniform dates for city and district elections, which, prohibitionists say, would afford a chance for submission of a bill to repeal the statewide prohibition law.

Man Palling From Train Loses Hand

JUNCTION CITY, Or., March 3.—
(Special.)—Fred Day, general claim agent of the Southern Pacific, loct his left hand today as the result of falling under a moving train. Mr. Day had decided to stop off here. When he alighted he saw that the Junction City hotel block had been burned so he decided to go on to Eugene. As the train was pulling out he attempted to board it and slipped.

Superior Court Opens at Pasco.

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(Special.)—Fred Day, general claim agent of the southern Pacific, loct his left hand today as the result of falling when dogs were set on it the coyote began to fight.

Northrup and Powell joined in the flight and while the others were trying to get near a gun, the animal appeared at the Northrup farely drove the animal appeared at the Northrup farely drove the animal away by the libuting drove the animal away by th

Superior Court Opens at Pasco. PASCO, Wash., March 2 .- (Special. -Judge Bert Linn, of Prosser, is hold-ing a short term of the Superior Court in Pasco this week. L. W. Quick, who is charged with forging several checks on Louis Kleeb, was caught in Milton Or, and will have a hearing tomorrow. A housebreaker who was caught last night while attempting to work his way through a door with skeleton keys also will be arraigned.

WHITE SALMON, Wash., March 3.— (Special.)—Rev. O. B. Whitmore, of the Bethel Congregational Church, preached his farewell sermon Sunday. He has accepted a call to Ritzville, Wash. He has been in White Salmon 16 months. Bethel Church is the oldest church in this part of the country, being for

Dr. Foster to Speak at Corvallis. OREGON AGRICULTURAL COL-LEGE, Corvallis, Or., March 3. —(Spe-cial.)—President William Trufant Fos-ter, of Reed College, will be the speaker at the regular convocation of students and faculty of the Oregon Agricultural College to be held Thurs-day, at noon.

(Special.)—At a special election held here for the bonding of school district No. 94, the issue of \$35,000 was carried

RIVALS ENTER FIELD CASCARETS KEEP Washington Democrat After

Gubernatorial Seat. LISTER NOT CONSIDERED

Judge Black, of Everett, Is Seeking Nomination-Candidacy of Bob Hodge, of Seattle, Likely Progressive, Is Announced.

OLYMPIA, Wash., March 3 .- (Special.)-Not to be outdone by the Re-

According to current report from Democratic sources, Judge Black has arranged to seek the Democratic gubernatorial nomination, whether Governor Lister seeks re-election or not. In this probably he will have the support of Judge Turner, of Spokane, who will be a capdidate for United States Senator next year. The Turner forces, it is said, would have preferred making a combination with Governor Lister, but the executive gave no encouragement to

tion day. A vigorous personal cam-paign against Hodge defeated him and elected Governor Lister, but Hodge this year joined the "come backs" by being

RURAL SCHOOL STANDARD

Sunnyside in Marion County Wins Coveted Distinction.

TURNER, Or., March 3 .- (Special.) Sunnyside Rural School, six miles south of Salem in District No. 96, has been classified as standard. Mrs. M. L. Glibert is the teacher, and she has the full support of the School Board and an active Parent-Teacher Association.

Some of the improvements which brought shout standardization are: Mosse who have been participating in the Republican caucus.

The Whitney election bill legalizing county and state conventions and pledgreath platforms, already passed by the Senate, was passed by the House today, with amendments, by the partisan vote of 77 to 15. The amendments provide caucuses instead of primaries in May of each even numbered year, to select delegates to the county conventions, which will in turn select delegates to the state convention.

Gevernor's Veto Expected.

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nastics are given and other work in and out of the school room is under-

FAIR CLUB WIELDER WINS

Coyote Chases Woodchopper Into Cabin; Woman Liberates Him.

BAKER, Or., March 3 .- (Special.)-Held prisoner in his cabin by a coyote held six years. A friendly suit was until liberated by Mrs. F. W. Northrup, the six years. A friendly suit was until liberated by Mrs. F. W. Northrup, the held six years. A friendly suit was until liberated by Mrs. F. W. Northrup, the held six years. A friendly suit was until liberated by Mrs. F. W. Northrup, the held six years. A friendly suit was until liberated by Mrs. F. W. Northrup, the held six years. A friendly suit was until liberated by Mrs. F. W. Northrup, the held six years. A friendly suit was until liberated by Mrs. F. W. Northrup, the held six years. A friendly suit was until liberated by Mrs. F. W. Northrup, the held six years. A friendly suit was until liberated by Mrs. F. W. Northrup, the held six years. A friendly suit was until liberated by Mrs. F. W. Northrup, the held six years. A friendly suit was until liberated by Mrs. F. W. Northrup, the held six years. A friendly suit was until liberated by Mrs. F. W. Northrup, the held six years. A friendly suit was until liberated by Mrs. F. W. Northrup, the held six years. A friendly suit was until liberated by Mrs. F. W. Northrup, the held six years. A friendly suit was until liberated by Mrs. F. W. Northrup, the held six years. A friendly suit was until liberated by Mrs. F. W. Northrup, the held six years. A friendly suit was until liberated by Mrs. F. W. Northrup, the held six years. A friendly suit was until liberated by Mrs. F. W. Northrup, the held six years. A friendly suit was until liberated by Mrs. F. W. Northrup, the held six years. A friendly suit was until liberated by Mrs. F. W. Northrup, the held six years. A friendly suit was until liberated by Mrs. F. W. Northrup, the held six years. A friendly suit was until liberated by Mrs. F. W. Northrup, the held six years. A friendly suit was until liberated by Mrs. F. W. Northrup, the held six years. A friendly suit was until liberated by Mrs. F. W. Northrup, the held six years. A friendly suit was until liberated by Mrs. F. W. Northrup, the held six yea

Knapp, on a neighboring farm.

LA GRANDE FOLK TO DINE Home-Product Banquet Is to Further

Club Campaign.

LA GRANDE, Or., March 3. — (Special.)—About 250 La Grande folk will attend a unique banquet Friday night. Idaho to Debate on Friday.

UNIVERSITY OF IDAHO, Moscow.
March 3.—(Special.)—Idaho will meet Gonzaga U. in a dual debate Friday night on the question of Government ownership and operation of railways. Idaho will be represented at home by Alvin Beckman, Charles Owens and Will. Boekell on the affirmative, and will be represented at Spokane by Bertram Dingle, A. J. Priest and Melvin Ison on the negative.

White Salmon Pastor Leaves.

WHITE SALMON, Wash, March 3.—
(Special.)—Rev. O. R. Whitmore, of the

He JAIL BEHIND DRUG STORE

Halfway Hunts for Most Suitable Place for Peripatetic Lockup.

BAKER, Or., March 3.—(Special.)— Halfway, in this county, has a movable jail. Sometimes it is in a store and sometimes it has no home. Just now it is back of the drugstore and local wags are having their jest at the possibility of keeping it there when the state goes dry, so it would be handy. This will probably not be, because the City Jall is placed in any vacant location and thus the officials are able to save the rent. The plan is to put it in a vacant store and as soon as the store is reated move it to another store. is rented, move it to another store,

week will be observed in Walla Walla

AND CURE COLDS

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Colds—whether in the head or any part of the body—are quickly overcome by urging the liver to action and keeping the bowels free of poison. Take Cascarets tonight and you will wake up with a clear head and no doubt you will wonder what became of your cold. Cascarets work while you sleep; they clease and regulate the stomach. they clease and regulate the stomach, remove the sour, undigested food and foul gases; take the excess bile from the liver and carry off the constipated waste matter and poison from the

publicans, who are bringing out a host of gubernatorial candidates, Democratis and Progressives have developed a candidate each this week.

The Democratic candidate is Judge Black, of Everett, who defeated Ernest Lister, present Governor, for the Democratic nomination for Governor in 1912, but who was disqualified by the Supreme Court. He subsequently ran for the Supreme bench and was defeated to the liver and carry off the constipated waste matter and poison from the waste matter and poison from the supremer the quickest way to get rid of colds is one or two Cascarets at night to clease the system. Get a 10-cent box at any drug store. Don't forget the children. They relish this candy Cathartic and it is often all that is needed to drive a cold from their little systems.—Adv.

lows: East Wenatchee, Grange Hall

the executive gave no encouragement to WAR BARS HOOD RIVER MAN

Sherman Buck Not Permitted to Go to Canada to Take Position.

during the debate on elimination of second choice primary votting.

"There are 40 candidates for Governor in the Senate, I understand," said Mr. Murphine, "and probably half a dozen in this House. There is also Bob. Hodge in Scattle, and I warn you gentlemen now, that if you eliminate second choice voting and there are five or more candidates in the field, no force on earth can keep Bob Hodge from being the next Governor of this state."

Hodge was the Progressive candidate for Governor in 1912, and seemed certain of election a month before election day. A vigorous personal camtile properties of the possition in Canada on account of the canada on account of the possition in Canada on account of the properties of the possition in Canada on account of the properties of the possition in Canada on account of the properties of the propertie HOOD RIVER, Or., March 3 .- (Spetransferred from Hot Lake, where he has been agent of the American Express Company, to Vancouver, B. C., where he was to have been employed as a cashier in the company's office, was not allowed by the Canadian government to take the position. The officials stated, according to Mr. Buck, who was refused the position, that no foreigners would be allowed to take such positions in Canada on account of the possible danger of spies.

Mr. Buck, who entered the employ

Mr. Buck, who entered the employ of the express company here on his graduation from the Hood River High School, while at Hot Lake, was the youngest agent of the company in Ore-

WALLA WALLA FIXES FETE

Celebration of Celilo Opening to Be at Historic Wallula.

WALLA WALLA, Wash., March 3. (Special)-The Commercial Club yesterday decided that Walla Walla's cel-ebration at the opening of the Celilo Canal on May 4 will be at Wallula, on the site of historic old Fort Walla

LA GRANDE, March 3 .- (Special.) LA GRANDE, March 3.—(Special.)—
Ending litigation and political battles
that have continued since the campaign
prior to the election last Fall, Frank
Phy, ex-Sheriff, yesterday took the
oath of office as County Judge. He
succeeds J. C. Henry, whose term of
office, it was contended, should continue two years more.

tinue two years more.

County Clerk Wright refused to grant a certificate of election, on the ground that there was no vacancy, in view of the fact that County Judges

MUMPS MAY SHUT SCHOOL

Pine and Eagle Valley Children Are Victims of Spreading Epidemic.

BAKER, Or., March 3 .- (Special.)-So large has grown the epidemic of mumps in Pine and Eagle Valleys that there is now serious talk among the people of having the schools closed. The epidemic started a few weeks ago and stopped a prize fight because one of the fighters had swollen jaws. of the fighters had swollen jaws.

The epidemic spread about the two valleys. In the home of Otto Schmidt, Pine Valliey, six children are affected, while there are other cases of three and four in a family being ill. In Eagle Valley nearly a score of families are afflicted and at Richland and New Bridge people have talked of closing the schools.

BABY POKES FATHER'S EYE

John Day Man Loses Sight as Result of Play With Little Son.

BAKER, Or., March 3 .- (Special.)-As the result of playing with his baby son, L. E. Pratt, of John Day, may lose the sight of his left eye. The child in play poked his finger into the optic so strenuously that it broke a blood

A doctor was instantly called and it is possible that the sight may be saved, but the chances are small.

CLARKSTON, Wash., March 3.—(Special.)—The first tangible demonstration of the certainty of the electric street railway which is to connect this city with Lewiston and its environs was the unloading today of 200 ties to be used in the construction of the line.

Walla Walla to Have Cleanup.

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LAND OFFICE DECISION GIVEN ON CLAIM NEAR SPARTA.

Libert Peterson Wins Two-Year Contest Over Emil Dierenfeld for Property Near La Grande.

LA GRANDE, Or., March 3.—(Special.)
—After two years of bitter animosity, trials and counter-trials, arrests and counter-arrests in the courts of Baker County and in the Land Office, a dispute over a homestead in Baker County is but one step removed from final adjustment, as the Commissioner of the General Land Office has just rendered a decision in favor of Albert J. Peterson for the disputed homestead claim son for the disputed homestead claim near Sparta, Baker County, in which Emil Dierenfeld is contestant.

The land originally was filed upon by Leslie Barton, now an inmate of the Feeble-Minded Institute at Salem. In 1912, while Barton's entry was on rec-1912, while Barton's entry was on rec-ord, Dierenfeld attempted to file entry but his application was rejected. Later, in the same Fall, Peterson filed a con-test against Barton, and served his papers on Barton but did not file his showing in the Land Office soon enough to prevent the dismissal of his

The following Spring the father o Leslie Barton filed a relinquishment, signed by Leslie Barton, before a no-

Beware of a Cold.

You often see it stated that one should "beware of a cold," but you know of dozens of people who have contracted severe colds and recovered from them without giving them any special attention. If you will call the roll of your departed acquaintances, however, you will find that a large share of them have died from diseases that usually start with a cold. That is why physicians regard a cold as the most dangerous of the minor allments. That a cold can be cured easily and Walla Walla Man Heads Conference.

(Special.)—Elder W. F. Martin. of College Place, has accepted the presidency of the Southern California conference of Seventh-Day Adventists and will leave Saturday night. Mrs. Martin and two daughters will remain at College Place till the close of school.

Place till the close of school.

Walla Walla Man Heads Conference.

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Have you tried Chamberlain's Tablets for stomach troubles, biliousness and constipatary, in the Land Office at La Grande, and on the same day Peterson filed his homestead entry. After Peterson moved nomested entry. After Feterson moved onto the place, Dierenfeld filed a con-test against Peterson's entry and also one against the entry of Barton. The local officers, in an opinion written by Receiver Skiff, upheld the contentions of Dierenfeld and held the contentions of Dierenfeld and Peter-OPEN NOSTRILS! END A COLD OR CATARRH How To Get Relief When Head

relinquishment to be void and Peter-son's entry to be fraudulent in law. Upon appeal to the Commissioner, that official held the relinquishment of Les-******* lie Barton was not absolutely void, and for that reason, Dierenfeld, not having instituted any contest within 90 days after the time Peterson's entry went on record and not until after Peterson established a residence under his homestead entry, he had no standing as a Get a small bottle of Ely's Count 56! Your cold in head or

and Nose are Stuffed Up.

freely. No more gnuffling, hawking mucous discharge, dryfiffs or headache; no struggling for breath at night.
Get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm from your druggist and apply a little of this fragrant antiseptic cream in your nosirils. It penetrates through every air passage of the head, soothing SALEM, Or., March 3.—(Special.)—
Governor Withycombe has made requisition for Gus Pfender, under arrequisition for Gus Pfender, under arrest in California, who is wanted in like magic. Don't stay stuffed-up and Multnomah County on a charge of miserable. Relief is sure.—Adv.



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