

IDAHO'S GOVERNMENT RADICALLY CHANGED

State Department Consolidation Bill Goes to Governor.

PRIMARY TO BE ELIMINATED

Bill, Which Passes Senate, Due to Encounter Stormy Weather in House of Representatives.

BOISE, Idaho, Feb. 12.—(Special).—Passage of the administration state department consolidation bill, as amended in the house, by the senate and approval by the latter of the amendatory direct primary act eliminating the state-wide primary in Idaho, featured the interesting developments in the legislature today.

The administration bill goes to the governor, where it will be approved by the chief executive, who advocated it. The primary bill goes to the house of representatives, where it is due to encounter stormy passage.

Important Legislation Completed.

Passage of the administration bill moves out of the way the most important piece of legislation before the 10th legislature. It was accomplished with little debate or conflict. Only clerical adjustments were necessary for the conference to agree on the amendments tacked on by the house.

Both houses adjourned at noon out of respect to Lincoln's birthday.

The senate also passed house bill No. 80, by Monson and Hunt, authorizing farmers to charge those backing up on holding estray stock; house bill No. 25, reimbursing owners for cattle condemned and killed when found diseased with tuberculosis.

Wildcat Promoters Hit.

The house of representatives struck at wildcat promoters in agricultural enterprises in Idaho by passing the Hall bill, which requires those backing up such promotion schemes to first put up a bond with the director of farm markets before proceeding with their respective enterprises.

The lower assembly also recorded as introduced a memorial to congress in which Secretary of War Baker is criticized for his action in permitting the honorable discharge of conscientious objectors at the disciplinary barracks, Fort Leavenworth, on full pay. It is held that this act "encourages disloyalty."

The White-Drake bill, which proposed greater power for the secretary of the state board of health in dealing with contagious epidemics, was defeated.

PRIVATE CONTROL DESIRED

Return of Utilities Asked in Joint Resolution Introduced.

STATE CAPITOL, Salem, Or., Feb. 12.—(Special).—Representatives Kuhl and McFarland today introduced a joint resolution memorializing congress to provide for immediate return of the railroads, telegraph, telephone and cable lines to private control. The resolution recites that government mismanagement has resulted in the waste of millions of dollars.

Children's Trade Schools Wanted.

STATE CAPITOL, Salem, Or., Feb. 12.—(Special).—Establishment of part-time schools in the interests of children between the ages of 16 and 18 who are

Dandruff Surely Destroys the Hair

Girls—if you want plenty of thick, beautiful, glossy, silky hair, do by all means get rid of dandruff, for it will starve your hair and ruin it if you don't.

It doesn't do much good to try to brush or wash it out. The only sure way to get rid of dandruff is to dissolve it, then to destroy it entirely. This is done by about four ounces of ordinary liquid arvon; apply it at night when retiring, use enough to moisten the scalp and rub it in gently with the finger tips.

By morning most, if not all, of your dandruff will be gone, and three or four more applications will completely dissolve and entirely destroy every single sign and trace of it.

You will find, too, that all itching and digging of the scalp will stop, and your hair will look and feel a hundred times better. You can get liquid arvon at any drug store. It is inexpensive and four ounces is all you will need, no matter how much dandruff you have. This simple remedy never fails.—Adv.

OUCH! RUB OUT RHEUMATIC PAIN

Rub Pain, Soreness, Stiffness, Sciatica Right Out With "St. Jacobs Liniment."

Count fifty! Pain gone. Rheumatism is "pain only." Not one case in fifty requires internal treatment. Stop drugging! Rub the misery right away! Apply soothing, penetrating "St. Jacobs Liniment" directly upon the "tender spot," and relief comes instantly. "St. Jacobs Liniment" is a harmless rheumatism liniment which never disappoints and cannot burn or discolor the skin.

Lumber up! Stop complaining! Get a small trial bottle of "St. Jacobs Liniment" at any drug store, and in just a moment you'll be free from pain, soreness, stiffness and swelling. Don't suffer! Relief awaits you. "St. Jacobs Liniment" has relieved millions of rheumatism sufferers in the last half century, and is just as good for sciatica, neuralgia, lumbago, backache, sprains and swellings.—Adv.

DON'T CHANGE YOUR HUSBAND

Portugal mines less coal than any other European nation, the annual production being about 22,000 tons.

compelled to work is proposed in a bill introduced today by Chairman I. S. Smith of the senate educational committee. It is proposed that industrial subjects shall be taught in these schools and children who work are compelled to attend classes a part of each day.

HOUSE POLICY IS UNCHANGED

Salary of Corporation Commissioner Increased to \$3600.

STATE CAPITOL, Salem, Or., Feb. 12.—(Special).—No change was made in the policy of the house today as to salary bills, and it passed a measure by Representative Graham of Lane increasing the salary of the corporation commissioner from \$3000 to \$3600 a year. An effort by Representative Lewis to have the referendum clause tacked onto the bill failed, as did a move to have the bill sent to the ways and means committee by the same member. Representative Dodd, chairman of the salaries committee, stated that the bill, which provides a grant amounting to but \$8050 a year. Representative Smith of Baker requested imputations that the house was attempting to put over "salary grabs" declaring that any increases offered were based on merit solely, and declared the legislators were "displaying cowardice to refer the salary bills. The senate is sending all salary bills to the ways and means committee. The house also passed a bill by Representative Burdick increasing the state engineer's salary from \$3000 to \$3600 a year.

AUTO THIEF PAROLEE CURBED

Senate Passes Farrell Measure by Vote of 17 to 12.

STATE CAPITOL, Salem, Or., Feb. 12.—(Special).—Unexpected opposition to Senator Farrell's bill to prohibit the granting of paroles to persons convicted for the second time of stealing automobiles almost caused the defeat of the measure when it came before the senate on final passage today. After an extended debate in which Senator Orton fought the measure on the assumption that it is a slap at juvenile delinquents, the bill was passed by a vote of 17 to 12.

Senator Huston asserted that the judges of Oregon look upon automobiles as "lightning rods" for the passage of the bill, which compels jurists to send second offenders to prison.

"About all the punishment automobile thieves get now is for the judge to tell them they are naughty boys and to slap them on the wrist if they do it again," he argued.

The bill was transmitted to the house this afternoon for consideration by the lower branch of the assembly.

PARTY TICKET ADVOCATED

Bill Re-establishing Straight Ballot Passes House.

STATE CAPITOL, Salem, Or., Feb. 12.—(Special).—Provision for re-establishment of the straight Australian ballot system in the state, with party candidates segregated on the ballot, and the voter given the right to vote a straight ticket by checking the circle at the top of the ballot over the party of his choice in the ballot, was passed by the house today.

Parties were drawn both in debate and the voting, democrats holding out against a change in the ballot as now framed which shows no regard to party lines as far as arrangement of the names on the ballot is concerned.

Frantic efforts of the handful of house democrats to prevent the measure from passing were unavailing. Friends of the measure say it has a good chance of passing the senate.

ELMORE BILL RECONSIDERED

Regulation of Social Evil Again Referred to Committee.

STATE CAPITOL, Salem, Or., Feb. 12.—(Special).—The house today voted to reconsider the Elmore bill providing for the regulation of social evils along the lines of the measure introduced in an effort to meet objections raised in the house.

John McGeer of Portland was here in connection with the move to pull the bill from the bone-pile and inject some new life into it. An effort by Representative Gallagher to secure indefinite postponement of the measure failed to gain sanction of the house.

ROGUE FISH BILL DEBATED

House to Give Further Consideration to Measure Today.

STATE CAPITOL, Salem, Or., Feb. 12.—(Special).—The pet skeleton of the Oregon legislature closed rattled its bones and stuck its head through the door this afternoon, when the house received a majority and minority report on the Rogue-river fish bill. The majority favor its passage to close the river.

The appearance of the bill started off a fire of oratory this afternoon, but it did not close the proceedings, and as a result further debate will be held tomorrow.

TEACHER PAY RISE LOOMS

Delegation Agrees to Report Favorably on Multnomah Measure.

STATE CAPITOL, Salem, Or., Feb. 12.—(Special).—The Multnomah delegation in the senate today agreed to report favorably on Representative Richards' bill proposing to levy an additional five-cent tax to provide increased salaries for school teachers in Multnomah county.

The bill will be presented tomorrow to the senate on the calendar for final passage.

Meat Inspection Bill Defeated.

STATE CAPITOL, Salem, Or., Feb. 12.—(Special).—Representative Thrift's bill to provide for county meat inspectors only received 28 affirmative votes from the house today and failed to pass. The measure was backed by livestock men and by the state veterinarian. Opposition developed on the ground that the state veterinarian would count and deputize to the counties for making inspections.

Few Favor Richards Bill.

STATE CAPITOL, Salem, Or., Feb. 12.—(Special).—Only 26 house members favored passage of a bill by Representative Richards which would extend the time for an employee injured under the factory inspection act in which notice of contemplated action for damages. The bill would enlarge the time from six months to two years.

Naturopathy Bill on Table.

STATE CAPITOL, Salem, Feb. 12.—(Special).—The bill of Representative Hughes providing for regulation of naturopathy, which failed to pass yesterday in the house, was put on the table today to wait action on the blanket bill of Representative Moore, which will provide regulation of the practice of medicine generally.

GRAY'S Half Price Sale of Ladies' Fine Suits

No need to tell you how good the style or quality, which are always good at Gray's.

We are going to close out stock on hand to make room for new arrivals.

You who buy will get the best values of your lives.

Think of getting fine suits at the following price reductions:

- \$40 Suits at \$20.00
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- \$60 Suits at \$30.00
- \$70 Suits at \$35.00
- \$75 Suits at \$37.50
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Don't miss this opportunity to secure the suit you'll need. Terms cash.

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 366 WASHINGTON AT WEST PARK

ARREST IS EXPECTED SOON

POLICE ON TRAIL OF SUSPECT IN DUWELL MURDER.

Officers Still Maintain That Jealousy and Not Robbery Was Motive for Slaying.

Jones of Lincoln and Folk asked unanimously consent that he be heard. The Rogue river fish bill was under discussion, and when that consent was obtained someone else moved to put the whole matter over until tomorrow. At that time Mr. Chenoweth will make his maiden speech.

ROBBERY IS CONFESSED

Jacob Adler, of Portland, Arrested for Crime at Oregon City.

OREGON CITY, Or., Feb. 12.—(Special).—Jacob Adler, suspected of the robbery of the Swartz store here, was arrested Tuesday evening in Portland by Sheriff Wilson and is held here under bonds. He has confessed and told how the crime was done. Monday he visited at the home of Swartz and early Tuesday morning he entered the store by a key he possessed. He knew the combination of the safe and had a key for the inside door of the safe. This was found on him when arrested.

WHY MAKE THE ANNUAL STRUGGLE WITH RHEUMATISM?

Nature Gives a Cry for Help That S. S. S. Can Answer With the Right Treatment.

This is the season when the damp, cold, changing weather of winter intensifies the pains and other disagreeable symptoms of Rheumatism.

Rheumatism never comes by accident. It is in the blood and system before pain is felt.

The symptoms of this disease are almost unnoticed at first, so insidiously do they steal over the body, gradually the little pains and stiffness increase until they develop great inconvenience day by day, and if neglected or improperly treated will become chronic.

Not only is rheumatism the most painful of all diseases, with its swollen, stiff joints, throbbing muscles, and stinging nerves, but it is a formidable and dangerous trouble.

Every day the poison remains in the system the disease gets a firmer hold, and the patient is soon left a helpless cripple.

Of course, if this painful disease was the source only, you might reasonably expect to get relief by the use of lotions, liniments and other local applications. But the source of the disease is in your blood, the tiny disease germs

SCOUTS WOULD SAVE LAKE

Resolutions Are Adopted Indorsing House Measure No. 276.

If the Boy Scouts of Portland have their enthusiastic young want about it the lakes of Malheur and Harney will be set aside forever as refuges for the winged wanderers—ducks, geese, cranes and other aquatic fowl—which seek them each season. For the Portland council of the organization has by resolution voiced its approval of house bill 276, which provides that Oregon relinquish its right to those waters, granting perpetual suzerainty to the United States.

The resolutions adopted at a recent meeting and in which every Boy Scout in Oregon will be invited to concur, strongly indorse the measure submitted by Representative McFarland, which provides "that the state of Oregon relinquish to the United States any possible rights and jurisdiction over the waters and land of lakes Malheur and Harney, that the same be kept as a preserve and protection for the breeding, feeding and resting places of native birds."

Sidelights of Legislature.

STATE CAPITOL, Salem, Or., Feb. 12.—(Special).—Representative Wright, who has been a more or less silent member in the session, turned up today a couple of speeches today which gave the house an idea of why he was selected. He proved to be a regular talker.

"Jim" Stewart and D. C. Lewis are running neck and neck for first place among the house wags.

Today Mrs. Thompson took a fling at Lewis in regard to some remarks he had made during the 1917 session.

"I don't remember what I said during the 1917 session," remarked Lewis. "But whatever it was I am sure it was full of sound, sensible remarks."

Jay Upton of Prineville, president of the Oregon irrigation congress, is attacking around the lobby a bit this year.

In the 1913 session Upton was a member of the house and had control of one of the most famous house organizations in Oregon's legislative history.

George Chenoweth, the silent non-voting member from Coos and Curry, sitting for Representative Stannard, deceased, almost made a speech today. He got as far as "Mr. Speaker," but the speaker didn't hear him. Then

Louis and would have left Portland at 5:30.

Over \$800 was taken from the store and most of this was recovered.

DAIRYING FUTURE ASSURED

Portland Delegate Urges Boycott of Margarine Dealers.

BOISE, Idaho, Feb. 12.—That the future of dairy industry was assured in irrigated alfalfa-growing sections of the country was the feature of the address of Dean H. Norman of the University of California, president of the National Dairy association, at this morning's session of the Western Dairy Products show and convention here.

Guarantee Measure Postponed.

STATE CAPITOL, Salem, Or., Feb. 12.—(Special).—Representative Gallagher's plan for providing for state guarantee of irrigation districts, which was postponed after an adverse committee report.

TODAY COLUMBIA TODAY

Here's the Place to Go If You're Looking for
Portland's Best Show



AND SMILING BILL PARSONS

IN "POOR INNOCENCE"



The questions answered below are general in character, the symptoms or diseases are given and the answers will apply in any case of similar nature.

Those wishing further advice, free, may address Dr. Lewis Baker, College Bldg., College-Hillwood streets, Dayton, Ohio, enclosing self-addressed stamped envelope for reply. Full name and address must be given, but only initials will be used in my answers. The prescription can be filled at any well-stocked drug store. Any druggist can order of wholesaler.

promptly. Obtain a 25-cent bottle of Essence Mentho-Laxene, mix it with a home-made sugar syrup or honey as per directions on bottle.

Mr. D. asks: "Can you prescribe a reliable treatment to get rid of dandruff, itching and feverish scalp?"

Answer: I know you can get instant relief and permanent results by using Plain Yellow Minoxol as per directions which accompany each 4-oz. jar.

Beckel writes: "I find my natural strength and nervous system falling me, I do not recuperate as of yore. My food and rest seem not to benefit as they should. Am weak, despondent and unable to perform the duties which were assumed earlier in life, while my ambition for work and pleasure is slowly going."

Answer: I think a powerful, harmless and reliable nerve medicine will regenerate and restore the functions of digestion, assimilation and elimination by invigorating the nervous system. Obtain Three-Grain Cadomene Tablets, packed in sealed tubes, and take as per directions accompanying.

"Thankful" writes: "I have suffered a chronic cough for almost a year, and nothing will cure it every few weeks. Nothing the doctor gives me helps, so I write to you."

Answer: You need a thorough laxative cough syrup, one that not only relieves, but surely drives it from the system. The following regularly used will outlast any curable cough or cold.

CADOMENE GOOD FOR OLD PEOPLE

Read This Voluntary Letter.

The Blackburn Products Co., Dayton, Ohio: Dear Sirs: I just bought another tube of Cadomene Tablets. My wife and I have used one tube and find them as you state, the best I have ever used. I am now getting well along in years, although we do not feel old since taking Cadomene Tablets. They surely made us feel like new people all right, etc. Yours respectfully, Hugh Kelson, 219 E. Broadway, Muskogee, Okla. Cadomene Tablets is the best medicine for nervous, run-down systems. Sold by druggists everywhere.—Adv.

FOR THE MIDDLE-AGED

WE believe that letters like the following from Mrs. David Henry, 65 So. Lincoln Ave., Washington, N. J., tell the story of what Foley Kidney Pills will do better than in any other way:

"I tried a sample of Foley Kidney Pills, and they did me good. So I went to my drug store and bought them and began to take them and I found that they were just what I needed. My kidneys and the rheumatism. They took all the dreadful soreness out of my limbs so that I hardly feel it and I can walk good. I have taken five bottles of them and I will be pleased to give the following information about what they have done for me, if they choose to write me."

We have many letters like the above in our files, written from men and women who are all genuine and tell in simple, honest, straightforward language the benefits derived by the writers from taking Foley Kidney Pills.

The work of the kidneys and bladder is to filter and excrete from the blood certain waste products that are as poisons when permitted to remain in the blood. Men and women past middle age, the old, and even the young who work at indoor, sedentary occupations, are prone to have weak, inactive or sluggish kidneys that fail to properly perform their functions. Puffiness under eyes, salivaceous, flowing spittle, loss of memory, nervousness, backache, rheumatic pains, swollen or stiff joints, sore muscles and other symptoms of kidney trouble are likely to develop.

Foley Kidney Pills strengthen and invigorate weak, inactive, sluggish kidneys. When the kidneys and bladder properly perform their functions, poisonous waste is removed from the system and the road to good health is made easy. For sale everywhere.

Small Pill Small Dose Small Price

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have stood the test of time. Purely vegetable. Wonderfully quick to banish biliousness, headache, indigestion and to clear up a bad complexion. Genuine bears signature. Read The Oregonian classified ads.

PALE FACES

Counters indicate a lack of iron in the blood. Carter's Iron Pills Will help this condition.