

SENATE PARES
OVER \$20,000

Goes Over Salary Appropriations—Cuts Out \$21,400; Adds \$600.

(By Journal Leased Salem Wire.)
Salem, Or., Feb. 19.—The senate microscope, personally supervised by Hingman, Bowerman, Bench and Selling, with occasional assistance from other senators, swept over the general salary appropriation bill last night. When the inspection was finished the senate had cut out items aggregating \$21,400 and had added \$600 in one spot, making a net saving of \$20,800.

The appropriation for the salaries of the supreme court, the court's clerical help and et cetera, was reduced from \$28,000 to \$26,000. Help in the state treasurer's office was reduced from \$17,000 to \$15,000. Six thousand dollars for the domestic animal commission was stricken out, with the understanding that the commission would be abolished. The pilot commission was also to be decapitated, as Bench and others said they could see no use for it under the amended deposit. The senate struck out \$2,000 for its members, and also struck out \$1,000 for expenses of the state biologist.

On request of Senator Albee the senate tacked on \$600 to buy new instruments for the convict band at the penitentiary. Senator Selling tried to reduce the expense item for secretary of state, \$22,000, to \$20,000, but failed to carry the point. He also tried to reduce the railroad commission from \$30,500 to \$40,000, but other senators argued that this might cripple valuable departments of the state and the motion gained little support. Selling also failed in an effort to cut off \$10,000 on the \$40,000 allowance for the home for the feeble minded.

INSURANCE BILL
UP TO GOVERNOROnly Three Senators Oppose
Bean's Measure—First
Revenue Producer.

(By Journal Leased Salem Wire.)
Salem, Or., Feb. 19.—The Bean insurance bill, creating an insurance commissioner, reducing the premium from \$50,000 to \$25,000, and permitting the filing of a surety bond, passed the senate this morning with only three negative votes, those of Albee, Miller of Linn, and Muller.

The bill was passed just as it came from the house, with the salary of the commissioner fixed at \$3,000. No voice was lifted against the bill on the floor. The provisions were explained by Miller of Linn, and Lane and Hart.

Miller remarked that this was the first revenue producing measure with which the house had favored the senate since the session began. He said it would produce a net revenue of not less than \$20,000 to the state, and that the reduction in the deposit would permit growth of the business and be for the benefit of the insured.

The bill now goes to the governor for his approval.

HOUSE INDORSEMENT
OF MILITARY CODE

(By Journal Leased Salem Wire.)
Salem, Or., Feb. 19.—W. E. Finzer, adjutant general of Oregon, was handed a life job yesterday by the passage of the military code by the house in the form in which it was originally drawn. Forty-eight votes were given to the bill to carry it through the house.

When the bill was originally drafted, out of consideration to the present adjutant general it was provided that he should remain in office until he should be removed for cause or by court-martial, according to the provisions of the law. It not being expected that General Finzer would violate any of the provisions of the law, it was practically for life.

When the bill was up for consideration in the senate the matter was pressed out there and it was decided that inasmuch as the governor of the state is the commander in chief of the militia and the adjutant is subject to his commands, it would be conducive to discipline to have the minor office appointive and directly under the control of the governor.

The military code came into the house with the appointive amendment on it, but the house switched it and provided for the retention of General Finzer.

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zer. This change was opposed vigorously by several members of the house, some of whom afterwards voted for the bill but under explanation that they did not like the life tenure feature. Among the who were Campbell and Mahone, both of whom are veterans of the Spanish-American war and both of whom contended that the governor should make the appointment of the adjutant general.

"I have not explained my vote before at this session," said Mahoney, "but I think the boys of the Second Oregon are making a mistake. They have a good code, but I think the governor should appoint the adjutant general. However, if they want the code the way it is I will vote for it."

After the house had amended and passed the code the senate concurred in the amendment. The vote in the house on the passage of the bill was as follows:

SENATE APPROVES
TAX COMMISSION

(By Journal Leased Salem Wire.)
Salem, Or., Feb. 19.—The house bill creating a state board of tax commissioners, framed by assessment experts to meet the requirements of the situation created by the decision of the supreme court in the Yamhill tax case, was passed by the senate last night without opposition. A few minor amendments were made in committee of the whole. The measure carried an appropriation of \$20,000 and provides for equalization of taxes by a board to be composed of the governor, secretary of state, state treasurer and two commissioners appointed by the governor. It is claimed by members of the assessment and taxation committee that the law will add \$10,000 to the tax rolls on public service and protection and franchises that now escape their share in part or in whole.

BAILEY TIDE LAND
BILL VERY DEAD

(By Journal Leased Salem Wire.)
Salem, Or., Feb. 19.—With only one member of the house, McDonald of Multnomah, voting in its favor, the Bailey tide land bill was put to sleep in the house last night. There was some discussion on the subject, but it was decided that Bailey did not know what tide lands were, but thought that they were covered with fir trees. He said Bailey said it was his bill and he was interested in it, but by his conversation he disclosed the fact that he did not in reality know much about it, showing the bill had been put in for some one else.

Calkins explained the bill, contending it was a joke.

Jones of Polk said it was a measure to steal the oyster and fishing grounds from the fishermen who went out on the river and earned their living at night.

Abbott, Brady, Brooke, Clemens, Davis and Orton were absent when the vote was taken.

CREATES THIRTEENTH
JUDICIAL DISTRICT

(By Journal Leased Salem Wire.)
Salem, Or., Feb. 19.—A bill that had already passed the senate was passed by the house last night creating the thirteenth judicial district. The bill does not provide for an additional judge. It merely divides the first district, making two.

There were already two judges in the district.

The first judicial district is constituted by Josephine, Jackson, Klamath and Lake counties. Because of poor transportation facilities the district for a number of years has been divided into two divisions, designated as the first and second judicial districts, which Josephine and Jackson will be the first district and Klamath and Lake will be the thirteenth district.

At present Judge Hanna and Judge George Nolan are the judges in the district and the former will be judge of the first district and the latter in the thirteenth until successors are elected.

READY TO AID
STATE ROAD CAUSE

(Continued From Page One.)

owned the state he would build several railroads. As the people own the state why should not they have power to build it?

Leave it to People.

Mr. Mears thought the people of Oregon should be trusted to build a railroad without graft. Dire predictions of graft were made when the Port of Portland was initiated, but they were not justified.

Mr. Teal closed the argument with a forcible plea for submission of the amendment. He said there was an irrepressible conflict between the railroad interests and the people of the state. The railroads have adopted the policy of developing the lines already built to the highest state of efficiency and of getting all they can from them, but making no extensions until forced to do so.

This is an accepted policy of railroad managers of America and the head exponent of this policy is the one acclaimed as the greatest from the standpoint of the stockholders.

Among those attending the hearing, besides those who spoke, were: F. S. Stanley, Jesse Starnes, E. F. George Lawrence, S. Herrmann, A. T. Huggins, Frank Kerr, C. F. Adams, William Haggley, G. K. Wentworth Jr. and C. S. Jackson.

MINISTER ORDERED
TO THE PESTHOUSE

North Yakima, Wash., Feb. 19.—Rev. D. McInture, who has been conducting evangelistic meetings in this city for some time, has been ordered to the city pesthouse by City Health Officer Newton. He has been suffering from diphtheria, and it was thought best to place him under quarantine for a time.

An officer was detailed this afternoon to carry out the instructions, but Rev. McInture promised to take a bath and submit to examination. He was not placed in the pesthouse.

JONES ASKS FOR
NAME OF MEMBERSeeks Information Regarding
Person Said to Have
Given Out Bribe Story.

(By Journal Leased Salem Wire.)
Salem, Feb. 19.—Jones of Polk precipitated a sensational scene in the house last night when he arose in his place to a question of personal privilege and denounced in no unmeasured terms the authority for a story printed in The Journal of last night to the effect that some lobbyist had offered a member of the Multnomah delegation \$200 if he would aid in the passage of the region appropriation bill providing for the reimbursement of the Indian war veterans.

Jones Makes Defense.

Jones contended that he was actuated by the purest motives in introducing the bill, and that he did not believe that anyone had ever made such an offer. He demanded that the member of the delegation from Multnomah who had made the statement either arise and explain, or be branded as a coward and a liar.

Several members of the delegation soothed the feelings of Mr. Jones. Mr. Jones also denounced The Journal for printing the story. This morning, however, having made an investigation, however, he dictated the following statement to a stenographer for publication, explaining before doing so that he was not making any paper, but after the man who had offered the money.

The statement is as follows:

"At the request of many of the old Indian war veterans, I introduced a bill yesterday in the house which should pay these men for the use of their horses, according to their contract with the territorial government.

"After a fight lasting over a month, the bill finally passed the house with only five votes against it. Yesterday morning when the bill came up in the senate, Senator Ben Selling killed the measure by making the statement that he had been informed that all of these claims had been bought up by speculators, and if the bill should pass the Indian war veterans would receive no benefit from it. He also stated that a member of the Multnomah delegation had been offered the sum of \$200 to vote for the bill.

"The bill itself provided that no one could draw this money but the veteran himself, not even his widow, or his assigns. Therefore this statement was false upon its face.

"After a fight lasting over a month in the state of Oregon to publicly deny or confirm this statement of Senator Ben Selling, I have been reliable in forming that the member of the Multnomah delegation who made the statement that he had been offered \$200 for his vote was Robert Robey, Farrell of Multnomah. It is now up to Mr. Farrell to deny or confirm the same.

Will Resent Action.

"I think that every good citizen in the state of Oregon will resent this method of killing a bill that was introduced in good faith for the benefit of these old veterans, and which simply carried out the law and the contract entered into by the territory of Oregon and sealed with the best blood of Oregon's pioneers and home builders."

Jones introduced a resolution in the house this morning demanding that Farrell make public the name of the man who is alleged to have made the offer to him.

"Was Not Me."

Davis of Multnomah, author of the prize fight bill, was one of the delegation who arose and said, "Mr. Jones it was not me." He also took the occasion to attack C. S. Jackson in unmeasured terms, calling him "A thing in the shape of a man," and saying that all he did there was "Not a bigger braggart or a bigger liar in the state of Oregon than him."

The only comment of Mr. Jackson, who was in the lobby at the time, was the following quotation from Goethe, "What can you expect from an ass but a bray."

BRILLIANT YOUNG
SINGER TO APPEAR

—Photo by Moore.

Miss Bessie Kelly, who sings in "A Night in Bohemia," among the 75 local amateurs who are in the case of "A Night in Bohemia," the merry musical comedy, to be produced at the Heille theatre Monday and Tuesday evenings by the Portland Lodge of Elks, Miss Bessie Kelly, a 17-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John E. Kelly of 738 Kearney street is to play an important part.

Miss Kelly, who is to make her initial appearance behind the footlights Monday night in the soprano role, is being produced at the Heille theatre Monday and Tuesday evenings by the Portland Lodge of Elks, Miss Bessie Kelly, a 17-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John E. Kelly of 738 Kearney street is to play an important part.

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FISHERMEN FIGHT
OVER JOINT BILLUpper and Lower River Interests
Clash in House—Measure Passes.

(By Journal Leased Salem Wire.)
Salem, Or., Feb. 19.—After an hour's discussion and some personalities the house this morning passed the joint fish bill prepared by the committees for the Oregon and Washington legislatures, and it is now in the hands of the governor for his approval or rejection.

McCuie and Linsenweber of Clatsop led the fight against the bill, alleging the measure as reported and passed by the senate did not protect the fish, that it gave the state of Washington the best of it and that it was all around bad legislation.

Farrell came back at McCuie by saying he did not want to impugn the motives of anyone, but the idea seemed to be to kill the bill and leave the fishing in the hands of the lower river men. He said he believed in perpetuating the fishing industry. The lower river men seemed to want to hog the whole thing. They wanted to cut down the open season. He wanted to make the season longer and give the fish a chance to spawn.

Brooke was for the bill and read the signatures to an agreement signed by the joint legislative committees promising to report the same bill and pass it in the legislature of Washington and Oregon, and he charged McCuie, who had signed the report, with now showing bad faith by opposing the bill.

Linsenweber objected to the bill and also to Farrell being allowed to vote on the question, alleging that he was interested in the fishing industry and had an interest in the passage of the bill. The house by motion allowed Farrell to vote.

Jones of Polk also took a knock at the measure. He said it was the most vicious bill ever introduced in the legislature. It practically put the small fisherman, who went out on the river and worked through the night, out of business, while it protected the cannerymen and the wheel owners.

Miller made a vigorous fight on the bill. He said it was simply a question of who could hog the most fish. It was a fight between fishing interests, and he believed in protecting the fish and not the fishermen. The cannerymen and the other fishermen did not have as much sense as Indians, he said, for the Indian knew that unless the fish was allowed to spawn the supply would lapse.

The vote on the bill was as follows:

Yeas—Abbott, Applegate, Barrett, Beale, Beall, Belknap, Bonebrake, Bratton, Brooke, Campbell, Calkins, Clemens, Couch, Davis, Dimick, Dorda, Farrell, Hattberg, Hawley, Jackson, Jaeger, Jones (Douglas), Jones (Clackamas), Mahoney, Mann, Mariner, McDonald, Meek, Orton, Purdin, Richardson, Rusik, Smith, Mr. Speaker—35.

Nays—Albee, Bennett, Bones, Brandon, Bryant, Calkins, Conyers, Eaton, Greer, Hughes, Linsenweber, Libby, McCuie, McKinnis, Miller, Muncy, Munkers, Patton, Philpott, Reynolds—20.

Absent—Brady, Buchanan, Corrigan, Jones (Lincoln and Polk), Mahone—5.

\$19,574,544 TO
THE WATERWAYS

Washington, Feb. 19.—The largest items in the sundry appropriation bill, reported in the house today, were \$19,574,544 to be used in continuing rivers and harbors work.

The bill contains a clause granting the secretary of the interior \$1,000,000 for the detection and prevention of frauds on the public domain. Five hundred thousand dollars was granted last year. Secretary Garrison asked for an increase to prosecute land fraud cases now pending.

The bill carried a total appropriation of \$135,022,000.

One clause authorizes the president, with the consent of Cuba, to invite proposals for the removal of the battleship Maine from Havana harbor. Congress can then decide whether the battleship shall be removed and the cause of the explosion definitely determined.

Two and one half millions was appropriated for the construction of a building in Washington city to house the general land office, the geological survey, the Indian affairs office and the offices of the reclamation service. An appropriation of \$15,618,846 was made for the construction of public buildings and \$1,092,000 to maintain public buildings already erected.

Three hundred and thirty thousand dollars was appropriated to carry out the provisions of the Hapburn act, authorizing the examination of railroad accounts.

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BESIEGES COURT TO
FORCE ROAD GRANT

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Tacoma, Wash., Feb. 19.—Because the county commissioners will not order the building of a road a mile and a half in length for the benefit of himself and five neighboring families, Frank Coffel

of Roy has taken up his quarters at the courthouse, and declares he will remain in the corridors during the nights and in the office of the commissioners during the day, and make himself such an intolerable pest by his continued applications for the road that the commissioners will either have to order it built or else have him arrested. When the office closed yesterday afternoon Coffel took up a beat in the hallway outside

the door, and was on hand this morning to resume his demand for the road.

The second largest masonry arch in the world, recently completed for an Austrian railroad, is 278 feet six inches long and has a rise of 18 feet.

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