Long List of Dead Bills.

A bill introduced by the Marion county delegation raising the salary and expenses of the Marion county assessor is yetoed on the same grounds, as are also bills as follows:

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By Representative Miller, increasing the salary of the school superintendent of Jackson county.

By the Lane county delegation, placing the justice of the peace and constable in the Eugene district on flat salaries.

By Senator Parrish, increasing salary of the county assessor of G

Yesterday's Vetoes.

wember elections having been already made by an act of the people last June, when they changed the election from June to November. The last is vetoed because the need for the exemption of public bonds seemed doubtful to the

started out to find the missing miner,

INJUNCTION SUIT

City Can Now Resume Work

on \$80,000 Municipal

Electric Power Plant.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Ashland, Or., Feb. 24.-Judge Hanna, in the circuit court at Jacksonville, today issued a decree dissolving the tem-

ADDITIONAL FEDERAL

JUDGE FOR OREGON

Governor Files Fifteen Additional Vetoes With Secretary of State and Gives Reasons for Action-Sal-

Reasons for Action—Salary Grabs Get Setback.

By Willard Witrz.

(By Journal Leawed Salam Wire.)

Salem, Or., Feb. 24.—Governor Chamberlain today filed 21 bilis with the secretary of state with his disapproval and which he returns to the next legislature with his veto. Eight were filed 'yesterday, which makes a total of 29 vetoed bills filed within 24 hours. Fifteen of the vetoes today were salary-grab bills, as were four of those returned yesterday. The policy toward these bills was plainly outlined early in the session by the governor so that the members that introduced the bills knew perfectly well what to expect from the executive and can have no "For reasons stated in my message to fine to or the people are fully advised as to their rights in the premises by publication of the acts of the legislature the act, will become soperative.

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reason to complain.

The vetoed bill which may be considered by some to be the most impostent, related to the depositing of state funds. The grounds for vetoing the bill are set forth as follows:

"Section 2 of the bill, which is senate bill number 144, amends section 16 of chapter 135 of the general laws of Oregon for 1907, and has the effect to remove an ambiguity in the original act which if it stood alone the bill would meet my approval; but inasmuch as section one of the bill proposes to amend section ten of the laws referred to and vests in the governor, secretary of state and state treasurer the power of approving the securities which may of state and state treasurer the power of approving the securilles which may be offered for deposits made by the treasurer with the different banks, and concludes by releasing the state treasurer from personal liability on his official bond for any moneys that might be lost by reason of the failure or insolvency of any bank which becomes a depository under this act, in my opinion it might have the effect of invalidating the treasurer's bond.

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"This clause is in the law as it stands at present, but I question if it would have the effect to release the personal liability of the treasurer on his bond where he is vested with the duty of approving securities which are offered to him for deposits made in the different banks. If that power is taken from him and vested in the governor, secretary of state and state treasurer there is no question but that it would then have the effect to release the treasurer from any personal liability upon his bond. Any set which has the effect of releasing an official on his bond is against a sound public policy."

The bill was introduced by Senator Parrish.

Senate bill 154 requiring that all books wherein deeds and mortgages are recorded must be sewed books, introduced by Schator Bailey, has also been vetoed. A similar bill requiring that all county records be put in sewed books was killed in the senate. It was also introduced by Bailey.

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A bill introduced by Senator Bingham providing for the publication of taxes which may be delinquent upon real erty in the several counties of the are set forth in the following toed.

statement:
Too Much Expense.

ion or trust company doing business in his ciate or to wilfully and maliciously ounsel, aid, procure or induce another o start or circulate any such statement r rumor is another.

The governor believes it is class legis-ation and founds his action on those rounds.

Vetoes Coos-Curry Line Bill:

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A bill introduced by Senator Chase defining the boundary line between Coos and Curry counties is vetoed, regarding which the governor states:

"This bill purports to fix definitely the boundary line between Coos and Curry counties, but the county judge of the latter county advises me that the bill is not satisfactory to the people of his county and that it is unfair to them. I am not in a position to know what, if any merit there is in this contention, but assuming that the county ludge understands the situation, I deem it best to disapprove the bill and leave it to the authorities of the two counties, before the convening of the next session of the next legislature, to agree on the form of bill, so that the boundary line may be definitely fixed at the next session."

Balary Bills Under the Ax.

Salary Bills Under the Az. The remaining bills that were vetoed relate to salaries or other emoluments of county officials. Two of these bills aspecially are given particular attention

Same for the Benton Bill. The reasons given in vetoing senate bill No. 143, which was returned early in the session, were the general ones that the governor would not sanction any increase in the salaries of county officers that would take effect during the incumbents present terms of of-

The Bonebrake bill is similar to the The Bonebrake bill is similar to the Johnson bill, except that its purpose is to increase the emolument of the offices of county judge, county clerk, sheriff, recorder, treasurer and school superintendent in Benton county. It also provides for the use of the referendum and is vetoed on the same grounds as the Johnson measure.

Tillamook Salaries Suffer.

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Representative Beals' bill increasing the emoluments of certain county officials of Tillamook has gone the veto route with the rest. The governor gives reasons as follows:

"Under the law as it stands at present, the assessor of Tillamook county is allowed such deputy hire as the county court may allow. The present bill takes the power from the county court and permits the assessor to have a deputy at an annual salary of \$500 per annum and increases the emoluments of the deputy county clerk.

"I am inclined to believe that whenever the assessor needs assistance the county court is in a position to say whether or not such assistance should be allowed, and the present bill increases the emoluments of the officers of the two offices during the term for which they have been elected."

Wallowa Bill Bowled Over.

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Representative Rusk had got a bill through the legislature increasing the salary of the county school superintendent of Wallowa county during his term of office. It is vetoed, despite the fact that there was a provision in the act that attempted to refer the matter of increase to the people of the county. Regarding this the governor states:

"It purports to submit the act to the voters of Wallowa county, but the referendum therein contained is imperfect and the bill will become operative at the expiration of 90 days after the adjournment of the session unless vetoed."

Against Sound Policy.

"This law was in force a few years ago and entailed upon the taxpayer such a heavy expense that it was deemed best to repeal it. I cannot see that any good can come of the reenactment of the law, but on the contrary it will be instrumental in entailing additional burden upon the taxpayers of the state."

A bill introduced by Senator Mulit which makes it a misdemeanor for anyone to wifully and maliciously instigate or circulate or transmit to another or others any statement utrue in fact, derogatory to the financial condition or affecting the selvency or financial standing of any bank, banking institu-

ble in the Eugene district on flat salaries.

By Representative Bedillion, increasing the salary of the county judge of
Coos county.

By Senator Morryman, increasing the
compensation and allowances of the
sheriff of Klamath county.

By the Marion county delegation in
the senate, to increase the compensation and salaries of the sheriff's office
during terms of incumbents.

By Senator Merryman, increasing the
salary of the assessor of Klamath
county. By Senator Johnson, increasing the salary of the school superintendent of Benton county during his term of of-Establishes Board of Control, Provides Methods of Appropriation of Water county.

All have gone the veto routs on the general principles laid down by the governor early in the session. for Irrigation or Power -Effective Next Season.

By Carl Smith.

Yesterday the governor vetoed four salary bills, one increasing the salary of the school superintendent of Columbia county; introduced by Representative Convers; another increasing the salary of the assessor of Coos county, which was introduced by Representative Bedillion, and the third and fourth increasing the selection of the treasurer The water code bill, practically as framed by the conservation commission, became a state law today. It was one of 17 bills filled by the governor. It establishes a board of control, provides the method of appropriation of water for irrigation or power use, enables specify determination of discontrol. creasing the salaries of the treasurer and the school superintendent of Har-ney county, both introduced by Senator

Parish.

The governor also vetoed yesterday the following:
Senator Cole's bill providing for the physical examination of all male applicants for marriage licenses.
Senator Albee's bill defining vagrancy.
Senator Nottingham's bill fixing the time for registration of voters.
Senator Mulit's bill exempting public bonds from taxation.

The first the governor terms an insult to the young manhood of the state. The second he vetoes because many innocent men temporarily out of employment might suffer. The third falls because the bill is deemed superfluous, provision for registration for the November elections having been already water code was also filed. This is Representative Eaton's bill fixing a charge of 25 cents to \$2 per year per horsepower on water hereafter appropriated when put to beneficial use. horsepower on water hereafter appropriated when put to beneficial use.

The insurance commissioner bill is another brand new faw. It reduces the deposit required of fire insurance companies from \$50,800 to \$25,900 and its friends predict that it will bring many companies into the state, as safe as the old ones, and will tend to make Portland an insurance center. The emergency clause is on the bill by mistake, and the governor has and nounced that for this reason he will not appoint the commissioner for which the bill provides, leaving that duty to his successor.

Bean Tax Commission.

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SILL MISSING

The Bean tax commission bill is one of the important measures filed. This is the law framed to meet the decision of the supreme court in the Yamhill tax case, resorting to the state board of equalization as a solution. The Oregon national guard will get \$40,000 for armories, the bill appropriating this amount being filed. The money will be expended and sites selected by the military board. Half the sum to be spent for an armory must be subscribed by the community where it is located, so \$80,000 is the amount that will really go into the armories, half coming from the state.

Other bills that have become laws are those of Senator Cole abolishing secret; societies in the public schools of the state, the bill licensing peddlers and McCue's bill amending the banking act to permit warehouse receipts to be regarded as cash.

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Charles Hall, although more than a week has elapsed. L. H. Alkins and Scotty Cosgrove left here February 12. The last word from them was when they phoned in from the Imperial mines saying they were starting for the Ophir mines, thinking possibly Hall might have gone there. Bills Filed. S. B. 65 (Cole)—To abolish secret so-cieties in public schools. S. B. 77 (Miller of Linn and Lane) —Water code. S. B. 125 (Military affairs committee)
-Appropriating \$40,000 for armories.
H. B. 48 (McCue)—Amending the

Ophir mines, thinking possibly Hall might have gone there.
Otto Simons and Joe Chappeller, two miners who are thoroughly familiar with that section of the country, started out this morning to try and locate the missing searchers. About all hope has been given up of finding Hall alive as it is thought he has met with some accident, and that his body is covered with snow, which has been falling almost constantly since he disappeared.

Appropriating \$40,000 for armories.

H. B. 48 (McCue)—Amending the banking act.
Substitute H. B. 86 (Bean)—Establishing a state tax commission.

H. B. 97 (Bean)—Creating insurance commissioner, reducing deposit to \$25,-000.

H. B. 139 (Altman)—Prohibiting liver in Multnomah county.

H. B. 148 (Bryant)—Protecting clams, crabs and crawfish. O00.

H. B. 139 (Altman)—Prohibiting livestock running at large west of Sandy river in Multnomah county.

H. B. 145 (Bryant)—Protecting clams, crabs and crawfish.

H. B. 175 (Jones of Douglas)—Relating to salmon fishing in Umpqua river.

H. B. 192 (Eaton)—Imposing tax on water power franchises.
Substitute H. B. 196 (Brattain)—To pay claim of George H. Small.

H. B. 188 (Belknap)—For acceptance of certain land by state. in Rogue river.
H. B. 244 (Muncy)—Fixing salary of assessor of Curry county.
H. B. 257 (Brattain)—To reimburse

artha S. Lane. H. B. 305 (Brooke)—Amending irrigaon laws. H. B. 328 (Greer)—To regulate and

Analysis Shows New Creations Few and Generally Needed.

day issued a decree dissolving the temporary injunction against Ashland in the suit of the Ashland Electric Light company to prevent the city from putting in a municipal power plant, and the city is relieved of interference in prosecuting the work. The case involved an \$80,000 bond issue by the city. The hearing on the motion to dissolve consumed three days last week. Colonel Wood of Portland and Ed Briggs of Ashland were attorneys for the city and Hough of Grants Pass and Reames of Jacksonville for the light company. By Willard Wirtz.
(By Journal Leased Salem Wire.) creation of several additional circuit

Salem, Or., Feb. 24.—Aside from the creation of several additional circuit judges. because of which some criticism has secured the amendment of the house bill authorizing the appointment of additional federal judges in western Washington, so as to provide for the appointment of an additional judge for Oregon.—His amendment does not create a new judicial district in Oregon, but, provides that in addition to the regular terms of court at Portland, court shall be held once each year at Pendleton and Medford. The bill now goes back to the house for action on the Fulton amendment.

PROPS GONE

(Continued from Page One.)

\*\*Troe new circuit judges were added.\*\*

\*\*Multinomah county and Judge J. S. Cake in Coos and Curry counties, are already on the bench. A judge to assist Thomas A. McBride in the Fifth district, composed of Washington, Clackamas, Columbia and Clatsop counties, is, previded in a bill introduced by Senator Hedges and filed by the governor yesterday. Each of these judgeships carries a salary of \$3000.

The new office of insurance commissioner has been created. The law is to go into effect at once. The position has attached a salary of \$3000.

Two water commissioners were created by the passage of the water code, at a salary of \$200 each.

Besides these positions, totaling \$16.
\*\*Soo in salaries, the others are of little consequence.\*\*

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tices receiving the same salaries as before.

The railroad commission was also created two years, ago. There are three members of the commission. They are paid a salary of \$4000 a year; so, with the commissioners of the supreme court, these creations of the 1907 legislature alone amounted to \$21,000 in additional salaries.

Among the minor offices created by the Twenty-fifth legislature are two deputy district attorneys for the Fourth prosecuting attorney district, a division of the Second judicial district, at salaries of \$400 cach. Benton, Lane and Lincoln counties constitute the Fourth prosecuting attorney district.

Also, by a bill introduced by Representative Brattain, an additional deputy prosecuting attorney, at a salary sentative Brattain, an additional deputy prosecuting attorney, at a salary of \$400, has been created for the Second prosecuting attorney district, composed of Kiamath and Lake counties, a division of the First judicial district. By an act of the legislature this district has now been transferred into the Thirteenth judicial district, leaving the other two counties of the original First judicial district. Josephine and Jackson alone, to comprise the First district.

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normal and they will raise sufficient funds to carry it through this school year. This is assured. Arrangements are being perfected to that end, and it is very probable, too, that funds will be provided to maintain the school until a definite settlement can be had either by the initiative or by the next legislature. Foremost citizens say there is no thought of allowing the school to close at all until the matter is disposed of by the state on fair consideration.

Two additional justices of the supreme court were provided, at salaries of \$4500 each, but these were not in every sense new officers, as the legislature. Foremost citizens say there is no thought of allowing the school to close at all until the matter is disposed for the supreme court, and the last session only turned those commissioners into full fledged justices receiving the same salaries as before.

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