NORMALS ARE LEFT ALIVE; THAT'S ALL

Needed Appropriation Fails; Senate Kills House Referendum Plan; House Kills Senate's Bill to Relieve and Abolish.

(By Journal Leased Salem Wire.)

Salem, Or., March 17.—Oregon's normal schools, by virtue of the negative action of the normal school forces in the house, are still alive, though unprovided with funds. The legislature adjourned last night a short time before 9 o'clock and immediately after the balky tactics of the normal band in the house had practically killed the bill of Senator Smith of Marion, appropriating $8000 for each of the three normals for maintenance until the end of the year and providing for the abolition of all the schools after July 1 and for the reconveyance of the property to the donors or the school districts.

This action of the house leaves the normal school question exactly as it was at the close of the regular session. The schools are alive under previous legislative acts which remain on the statute books. They have no funds. Their friends, having dug down into their pockets for the money necessary to carry on the normal work at Ashland, Weston and Monmouth, will come back to the legislature of 1911 asking not alone for that money to be refunded, but for an appropriation for each of the schools for the ensuing two years, or for a continuing appropriation.

New Life Through Initiative.

During the afternoon session yesterday, when the friends of the normal schools in the house and made their last stand for the Barrett bill appropriating $120,000 for the maintenance of the three schools and had gone down to defeat under the inability to muster votes sufficient to suspend the rules and send their bill to final passage, different members of the house served notice that the normals would not die, but would be given new life through the initiative at the election of 1910. Friends of Monmouth are already planning to bring that institution before the people. Friends of Ashland and of Weston are planning the same thing in regard to their schools.

Advantage With Normal Men.

As a matter of fact the normal school men have won the advantage in the fight with the legislature. They have defeated all legislation which might be hostile to the schools and have the situation now in hand in such a way that when the normal question is put up to the people at the general election the chances will be in favor of the three schools under a proposition drawn for that purpose. Undoubtedly the people will be asked to decide whether Ashland shall be continued or abolished; whether Monmouth shall live or die; whether Weston shall be retained or cut off. At the election the friends of Weston will rally to Weston's support, of Monmouth to the backing of that institution, and of Ashland for the continuance of that school. Friends of each school will aid the cause of the other in return for similar favors and the odds will be for the perpetuation of all three schools. Unless the friends of one-normal plan and the advocates of the no-normal plan get busy there will be no opportunity to say by ballot whether there shall be one school or none.

Senate's Eleventh Hour Bill.

Contrary to expectations, the senate came forward with a normal school bill late yesterday afternoon, offered as a means of settling the normal question. Earlier in the day the senate had refused to consider the house resolution providing for the submission of the question to the people, on the ground that it was new legislation. The senate bill, introduced by Smith of Marion, provided for appropriations of $10,000 each for the maintenance of Ashland, Weston and Monmouth until the close of the school year; provided that at that time all normal school statutes should be wiped off the books and that the board of regents should be abolished.

The first draft of the bill failed to make any disposition of the property of the normals and it was sent to the senate committee on judiciary to be "fixed up."

Motion to Postpone Lost.

Smith of Umatilla declared the friends of the normals would not favor any bill abolishing the schools. He insisted this was new business, and he moved that the measure be indefinitely postponed. The motion failed, 10 to 17.

After the bill was sent to the judiciary committee there came a glimmer of hope that it would be passed. Speaker McArthur came over to the senate with the assurance that the house would pass it, and the committee hastily fashioned the new creation into shape. The amount for support of each school to the end of the present term was fixed at $8000, and it was provided that the property of the normals should be returned to the donors or to the school districts in which the normals were located.

At the night session of the senate the bill went through without debate and with only four votes in opposition, cast by Albee, Johnson, Smith of Umatilla and Wood. Merryman, Mulit and Norton were absent. With this strong indorsement the bill went to the house to meet its fate.

House Kills It Quickly.

The house gave the bill short shrift. The entire senate followed the bill across the hall to watch the house execute it, for the word had gone out that it would be shown no quarter.

Brady moved the indefinite postponement of the bill. Other members who were clamoring for recognition sat down, satisfied with the motion.

McKinney took the floor in defense of the bill and in denunciation of house inaction. "I am not here to uphold the hands of the senate, but we are in a glass house and should not throw stones. During all of the latter part of the regular session, and during the last two days, the normal's friends have said, 'Let's put it up to the senate.' I have been a friend of the normals, and I have done it at a sacrifice to myself and my constituents. If, in the beginning of the session the normal schools had been reasonable they would have been provided for. But they were not reasonable; they demanded their way or none.

"What are you going to do if you don't provide a settlement of the question?" McKinney asked. "You are going on record as showing yourselves incompetent. You are going to sidestep a knotty problem and you were sent to the legislature because you represented to your constitutents that you were capable of solving such problems.

"Here you stand with a frameup before the bill passes the senate, waiting to kill it as it came into the house. You have adopted the old system. You are playing politics. You always have played politics. You never have done your duty. If you can not get your own propositions through you do nothing. But if you kill this bill, do not think you will go on record as having done anything creditable. The people will know that you have shirked your duty, and they will remember it."

Jones of Polk, replied to McKinney. He said he was not afraid of his reputation or of his standing with his constitutents. The house had submitted all sorts of fair propositions up to the senate and they were refused and insulted. Now the senate came in with a paltry $8000 and asked the normal schools to sell their birthrights.

"We will not do it," said Jones. "We will go down in our jeans and put it up to the people and they will settle the question justly and fairly."

The motion to indefinitely postpone was lost, 22 to 28, with 10 absent.

Yeas—Barrett, Beals, Belknap, Bonebrake, Bones, Brady, Brooke, Buchanan, Calkins, Clemens, Couch, Hawley, Jones (Lincoln), Leinenweber Mahoney, Mann, McDonald, Meek, Miller, Patton, Purdin and Rusk, 22.

Motion was then made to suspend the rules and read the bill the second time. The motion required a two thirds vote and it was evident the normal forces would defeat it, dealing out to the friends of the bill the same medicine that they as opponents of the Barrett $120,000 appropriation bill had dealt to Barrett and the normals earlier in the day. The vote on the suspension of the rules which made its consideration impossible, although a majority of the house favored the measure, was: Yeas 25, nays 16, absent 16.

Immediately following this vote the house adjourned sine die, and the senate immediately did the same.

CITY HONORS ST. PATRICK

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address. The music is under the direction of Miss Elizabeth Holden who will also act as accompanist. The following program will be given:

Music, "An Irish Medley," Weinberger's orchestra; Irish selections on the bag pipes, Piper James Moon and Mr. Jack; soprano solo, "'Tis the Last Rose of Summer" (Moore), Mrs. Catherine McCord; dance, reel, Jessie Pottage, Jennie Best, Mr. Hood and Mr. Rennie; selections by the famous Scotch and Irish comedian, Jock Coleman; violin solo, "Her Bright Smile Haunts Me Still, Miss Cornelia Barker; lecture, Rev. Father Lawrence Jago, O. P.; dance, "Sailors' Hornpipe," Jessie and Agnes Pottage; reading, "The Liberty Statue," FRrank Motter; tenor solo, "Killarney" (Balfe), John Lloyd Gibson; piccolo solo, fantasie of Irish airs, James Rudiman; contralto solo, "Sweet Is Tipperary" (Denis), Miss Rosaina MacIntosh; specialties, Nordstrom Brothers; grand finale, "Sing, Sweet Heart" (Moore), Columbia Choral society, Miss Fraley accompanist. Tenors, John Shields, James E. Bannon, Scott Kent; contraltos, Rose Fridle, Mrs. L. Hammond, Mrs. E. Monte; sopranos, Veta Hollister, Eva Welles, Ada Larson; bassos, Joe Tauscher, Ben Winneman, Will Sheehy. Directoress, Miss Catherine Covach; accompanist, Miss Elizabeth Hoben.

In addition to these leading affairs several smaller events will commemorate the day. A St. Patrick's tea will be given at the home of Mrs. Luther R. Dyott, 620 Main street this afternoon and evening by the House Circle ladies of the First Congregational church. Miss Nona Lawler has charge of the musical program and will sing two solos, Wayne and Earl Coe will play an instrumental duet, Miss Louise Bayce and Miss Adele Dyott will play selections and Mrs. Numano, wife of the Japanese consul, will appear in Japanese costume and give vocal and instrumental solos.

The young womep of the Y. W. C. A. will give a St. Patrick's party in the auditorium. Each member is asked to bring a guest. At the Y. M. C. A. auditorium a St. Patrick day entertainment for the members of the boys' department and their friends will be given, commencing at 8:15, under the direction of Warren Jackson. The program is as follows:

Opera comique, Harry Divilbiss and Warren Jackson; Irish monologue, Cecil James; Irish character songs, Larry Larrimore; "Rube" monologue, Richard Carroll; posing and hand-to-hand balancing, Penson and Hale; comedy baseball act, "Blivers," Warren Jackson; song, Harry Davis.

No admission fee will be charged and all members of the boys' department and their friends are invited to be present.

EAST SIDERS MAY WALK BRIDGES

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Wakefield, the engineer who examined the bridge at the request of the county commissioners, stated emphatically that an expenditure of $2000 would make the bridge safe for the time in which we wish to use it. Of course, in the report of the engineers who have been examining the bridge recently is adverse, we will bow to their ultimatum, and will never make another effort to obtain the use of the bridge. But for a decision that the bridge is unfit for use to be reached because some decayed piling has been found, is absurd.

Safety of Bridge.

"The maximum of safety in bridge construction is so great that many timbers could decay and the bridge yet be safe. Piling is driven under the piers in such great quantities that fully half of it would have to rot before the bridge would be unsafe for use. I do not know whether it is true in the case of the Madison street bridge, but most structures of the kind have their piers surrounded by concrete, doubling their stability, and making the danger from possible decay extremely small."

Speaking of the use of the Burnside bridge, Mr. Josselyn said: "The bridge tender yesterday sent word that the bridge was ready to be used again and was open to streetcar traffic. We discovered that a number of the upper members of the truss have not been repaired, the bridge tender depending upon the stiffness of the span. We did not think it was safe to jeopardize the lives of our passengers under such a condition, and hereafter we will accept only the word of our own inspector relating to the safety of the bridge.

Make Their Own Inspection.

"Previous to this time the county commissioners have volunteered to decide for us when a bridge was safe. We shall take the privilege of herafter making our own decisions regarding the safety of property utilized for streetcar transportation."

Mr. Josselyn declared that the Portland Railway, Light and Power company is the victim of the wave of corporation criticism, which in some cases amounts to rightful prosecution, but in their case, he says, amounts to persecution.

"I think the investigation of the methods by which many of the corporations of the country are administered is timely," he asserted, "but we fear no investigation. Let the lightning strike; let the clamor proceed. Our skirts are clean. We do not fear any investigation that may be instituted. We are conducting a legal enterprise for the good of the people of this city and for our profit. We are put to it to extend our lines to accord with the growth of Portland. What we deserve is not hindrance but assistance in our ambition to give the people of this city a satisfactory urban and interurban service."

POSSE PURSUES BROKER BROWN

Los Angeles Operator Is Believed to Have Cleaned Up $50,000 Crookedly.

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Los Angeles, March 17.—An armed posse is speeding toward the Mexican line in an automobile today in an effort to apprehend Harry D. Brown, a broker, who vanished from his offices late Monday afternoon leaving debts said to aggregate $200,000. Brown is believed to have more than $50,000 in cash in his possession.

Brown, who promised a return of 300 per cent upon investments, had a large number of Japanese in his clientele as well as many white persons of considerable standing, among them many women. He is accused of having cashed fictitious checks amounting to several thousands of dollars and felony warrants have been issued for him.

His wife, whom he left behind, said today she thought he had gone to San Diego but she was not certain of his whereabouts.

Officers at San Diego, San Francisco, Fresno, El Paso, Yuma and Detroit have been warned to watch for Brown and as he weighs more than 200 pounds and is little more than five feet in stature it is believed he will be easy to locate, unless he escapes across the Mexican border and makes his way to Honduras. Creditors knew for several days before Brown's disappearance that he was in financial difficulties. He obtained time from them by saying he would soon have everything straightened out and expected to receive money from Walls and Lewis, brokers at San Francisco.

SPEAKER M'ARTHUR BENSON'S SECRETARY

(By Journal Leased Salem Wire.)

Salem, Or., March 17.—Immediately after adjournment last night Miss Flossie Shambrook, who has been acting private secretary to Governor Benson, resigned and Speaker McArthur of the house of representatives, was sworn in to succeed her. The speaker had previously handed in his resignation as member of the house of representatives from Multnomah and Clackamas.

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HOW BENSON BALKED GAME BILL'S RECALL

(By Journal Leased Salem Wire.)

Salem, Or., March 17.—Merely by transferring the duck amendment to the game code from the governor's pocket in his coat to the secretary of state's pocket Governor Benson last night executed a neat little coup on the legislature when he learned the house was about to recall the bill for further discussion and riot. The governor was anxious that the legislature complete its work and did not believe in allowing a little thing like a duck to interfere.

Before the messenger from the house could arrive the governor took the bill from his (governor's) pocket, indorsed it as follows: "Filed March 16, 1909. F. W. Benson, secretary of state," and placed it in his secretary of state's pocket.

When the messenger from the house arrived and made request for the bill, the governor said:

"You are too late; the bill has just been filed with the secretary of state."

A farmer near Yamhill last Sunday discovered that dogs had killed eight head of lambs and wounded 11 others and two old sheep.

CLEARING HOUSE RECORD IS BROKEN

Portland's clearing house broke records today with a total of $2,116,416.93. This great sum is due to the payment of taxes, $1,000,000 having been received by the sheriff during March 15, a great part of which was in checks on various banks. The sheriff in depositing the money caused the stream of checks to flow through the clearing house, raising its receipts for today to the total named.

Espee Is Mandamused.

(By Journal Leased Salem Wire.)

Salem, Or., March 17.—A mandamus proceeding has been filed in the circuit court by Marion county to compel the Southern Pacific to reconstruct its bridge over the Santiam river between Tallman and Crabtree on the Natron branch. The proceeding was filed by District Attorney McNary at the instance of the railroad commission.

The bridge has washed out several times. After holding a hearing last summer the commission found that the traffic merited a reconstruction of the bridge, but the railroad company has refused to comply with the order.

FIRST MILWAUKEE TRAIN TO TACOMA

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Tacoma, Wash., March 17.—The first train on the Chicago, Milwaukee & Puget Sound railroad to enter and leave the city over the road's own tracks, was a freight which today hauled a trainload of coal from the head of the bay to Seattle. The locomotive was a big 10 wheeler with Engineer Hamilton at the throttle. If the present rate of progress in the work of tracklaying continues it is estimated that in less than 10 days regular freight train service will have been inaugurated on the new transcontinental line throughout the state of Washington.

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