

## TWAS MALARKEY WHOSE VOTE KEPT HOME RULE ALIVE

Fifteen Senators Vote Repeal and 16 Are Needed; Senators Favoring Continuance Vote Well but Talk Little.

(Staff Correspondence.)  
Salem, Or., Jan. 28.—All standing room was taken yesterday afternoon while the senate debated home rule. Once or twice there was applause as the tide seemed to be swinging in favor of the dry, and there was a suppressed sigh of disappointment when the final vote showed one vote less than was needed to pass the repeal resolution.

President Malarkey cast the deciding vote against the resolution. On the first test, the substitution of the minority report of the committee for the majority, the result was 15 to 13, with Malarkey voting and Hollis absent. When it was seen that Malarkey's vote was needed to carry the resolution on the main question interest centered in the way he would cast it.

The second roll call proceeded as the first, and when Malarkey's name was reached the vote was again 15 to 13. He promptly answered "No," and a moment later announced that the resolution had failed, receiving 15 votes to 14, whereas 16 votes were necessary to win.

How the Senate Lined Up.  
Those voting in favor of upholding the question of home rule to the people by legislative action were Bean, Calkins, Day, Farrell, Hawley, Hoskins, Joseph, Kiddle, Lester, McCulloch, Miller, Neuner, Ragsdale, Smith of Coos and Stewart.

Against it were Barrett, Burgess, Butler, Carson, Dimick, Kellaher, Moser, Patton, Perkins, Smith of Josephine, Thompson, Von der Hellen, Wood and President Malarkey.

Bean led the debate on the resolution in a short speech setting forth the conditions in Lane county. Eugene is a strongly prohibition, the county votes by, but Springfield, in the same county, is connected by trolley with Eugene, is permitted by the home rule amendment to stay wet. A large number of arrests are made in the cars between the towns, and the Eugene police court is said to be largely occupied with cases that can be traced to the Springfield booze.

Little Talk, Only Votes, Against.  
Bean read letters from the district attorney in support of his statements, and for a time he revelled in statistics. Then there was a riot of oratory. Miller, McCulloch, Joseph, Kiddle and Calkins making earnest speeches in favor of the resolution. Butler opposed submission because the amendment was adopted by the people. Carson, in explaining his vote, made the only statement in opposition.

"I am not in favor of resubmitting the question," he said, "first, because we are told that it was passed by compromise between the church element, headed by a well known divine, and the brewers; secondly, because I am not in favor of tinkering with laws passed by the people. Much more important legislation is pending. Mr. President, the minimum wage bill for women workers is a thousand fold more important. We should not fritter away our time with these liquor bills."

Despite Carson's opinion, other senators seemed to think the matter of some importance. McCulloch and Calkins were especially vigorous in assailing the liquor traffic.

What Liquor Does to State.  
"The liquor traffic has no vested rights," said McCulloch. "I am not in principle a prohibitionist, but we find that when the liquor people have gained some vantage ground they will take more, and never give it up. They fill our prisons and other state institutions, and the cities are not entitled to put this burden upon the state unless they will pay their part in taking care of the victims."

Calkins declared that large numbers of voters were deceived by the way the home rule amendment was worded on the ballot, and he denounced the saloon with energy. He said it will be on the ballot, anyway, in 1914, and that the legislature should take the lead in a movement for the betterment of the state.

## PROPOSES TO PENALIZE FIRE UNDERWRITERS

(Staff Correspondence.)  
Salem, Or., Jan. 28.—A blow at insurance boards of underwriters, the so-called "trust," is aimed in a bill presented in the senate today by Farrell of Multnomah. He provides that in the case of any insurer who belongs to an underwriting board or similar organization, whatever the name, the insured shall collect 25 per cent of his loss in addition to his actual loss, any provision in the contract notwithstanding, any plan for arbitration is not to affect the right of the insured to recover his extra stipend from any firm that is a member of the "trust."

## COUNTY GRANGE BILL, ROADS, PASS HOUSE

(Staff Correspondence.)  
Salem, Or., Jan. 28.—Disregarding pleas by Hoopes and others that the house and senate roads and highways committees meet to harmonize differences between their county road bonding bills, the house adopted the report of the house committee that house bill No. 263, the county grange measure, be passed.



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## SCHOOL PROBLEMS OF MULTNOMAH GIVEN DELEGATION

Tacit Understanding With the Other Members of Legislature That Portland Is to Leave Rest of State Alone.

(Staff Correspondence.)  
Salem, Or., Jan. 28.—Problems in the reorganization of the Portland public school system contained in several bills before the present legislature will be left to the Multnomah county delegation to solve.

The decision to put the question entirely in the hands of the Multnomah men, with the tacit understanding that in turn Multnomah county will keep its hands off school legislation affecting the rest of the state, was reached at a meeting of the education committee of the house last night. Three bills were referred to the delegation.

Two of these bills, which would change the school system to a considerable extent, are conflicting in several ways. One of them, H. B. 131, introduced by Olson, is understood to be aimed at the power of the school board. It limits the board's power, putting much of it in the hands of the school superintendent, and makes it a criminal offense for any member of the board to have any interest whatsoever, directly or indirectly, in any contract or claim against the school district.

It provides for a modified civil service, with examinations for appointment and promotion, and requires that after teachers have passed through a probationary three-year period they must be engaged for terms of three years at a time.

H. B. 136, by Applegren, was introduced at the instance of the Portland Grade Teachers' association. It, too, provides a modified form of civil service. After two years of probation no teacher could be dismissed at all except after charges in writing and a formal trial by the board, if it passes. The power of the superintendent is considerably restricted by this bill, though, except that it may not diminish the power of the board by the bill remains about as at present.

H. B. 94, by Latourette, is especially favored by the education committee of the house, of which Representative Blanchard is chairman. It would eliminate Multnomah county to choose its own textbooks, with its own textbook commission.

Mr. Blanchard is particularly willing that this should be permitted, as he has a textbook bill in preparation that will involve sweeping changes of the present system, but which would be complicated in execution, at first, perhaps, if it included Multnomah.

## BEAT WIFE, ILL IN BED, IS CHARGE

Mrs. Albert Pryne, Mother of 11-Day-Old Baby, Is in Critical Condition.

Albert Pryne, 11½ Union avenue, will remain a prisoner in the city jail for ten days, pending the recovery of his sick wife from a beating he is said to have administered while she, too, helpless to leave her bed, begged him not to strike her.

The condition of Mrs. Pryne, the mother of a 11-day-old baby was so critical when the case was called in municipal court yesterday afternoon, that she could not appear. As a result, the case was continued ten days, and Pryne, a stalwart fellow, was remanded to jail in default of bonds.

Pryne was arrested on the telephonic request of Mrs. Pryne, who asked Chief of Police Slover to take her husband into custody. Patrolmen Sherwood and Miller first investigated the case and then arrested the man.

Pryne's only excuse for beating his wife was that "she was too lazy to get up and work." He apparently overlooked the fact that she had become a mother only a few days before. In court he had nothing to say when the charge was read.

According to Mrs. Pryne, she was in bed and her husband was seated near by writing a letter. She asked to whom he was writing and he refused to reply. When the man insisted on an answer, the man rushed across the room and raised his fist and threatened to strike her, despite her shrieks for mercy.

The afternoon Pryne was arrested, a letter addressed to him, was received from a woman in Albany, a former sweetheart, in which she asked him to come and board with her. The letter is now held as evidence.

Pryne was recently before the county court on a charge of nonsupport. Bonds were given at that time to insure his support of his family. He is a strong, healthy man and about 35 years of age.

## WILSON SEES HUGHES ELECTED U. S. SENATOR

(United Press Special Wire.)  
Trenton, N. J., Jan. 27.—With President-elect Wilson among the spectators, Congressman William Hughes was formally declared elected United States senator today by the New Jersey legislature, meeting in joint session.

Cheyenne, Wyo., Jan. 29.—The reelection of Francis E. Warren as United States senator from Wyoming was ratified by the state legislature here today, meeting in joint session.

Topeka, Kan., Jan. 29.—The Kansas legislature today unanimously elected William Thompson United States senator. Thompson, who is a Democrat, defeated Governor W. R. Stubbs, Progressive, for the senatorship at the November election.

## HUNT MORE VENIREMEN FOR DARROW'S TRIAL

(United Press Special Wire.)  
Los Angeles, Jan. 29.—Defendant, attorneys and permanent jurors in the Darrow trial are making time today while court officers are scouring the county for citizens drawn in a fifth venire, by which an attempt will be made to complete the jury that will try Darrow on a charge of bribing a juror.

## BLOW IS AIMED AT INSURANCE BILL BY BUSINESS MEN

Local Citizens Take Petition to Salem; Claim Measure Designed to Increase Rates in This State.

To protest against the enactment of senate bill No. 38, known as the insurance code, a number of Portland business men went to Salem this morning. They expect not only to appear before the committees of house and senate to which the bill has been referred, but to obtain a hearing before the two bodies meeting as a committee of the whole, if possible.

The business men bore with them a petition addressed to the president of the senate and signed by several hundred prominent business men and property owners. The petition asserts that, if passed, the result will be immediate increase of insurance rates, since it will give the board of underwriters at San Francisco power to dictate the rates, which under the proposed law would then be the legal minimum for the state, and violation of the schedule—selling insurance for less—would be a punishable misdemeanor.

Bill Is Condemned.  
Among the business men who went to Salem this morning were: H. C. Wortman, Olds, Wortman & King; H. J. Frank, Blumauer-Frank Drug company; Harry W. Mitchell, Mitchell, Lewis & Staver; R. D. Carpenter, Meier & Frank company; I. N. Fleischner, Fleischner-Mayer company; Fred W. Graves, Graves Music company; Harry Clark, Northwestern Mutual; Manager Johnson, Portland Seed company.

The East Side Business Men's club has adopted a resolution condemning the bill, disapproving its passage, and declaring that insurance cost would be increased in a five year period from \$13,000,000 to \$24,000,000 by reason of the increase in rates possible. This resolution reads:

Resolved, that the East Side Business Men's club look with disfavor upon the insurance bill known as senate bill No. 38, now before the state legislature, for the reason that it discriminates against the fair and honest mutual insurance companies, which are giving value received at a reasonable rate, and in favor of the insurance trust, as the present combination of old line and certain other companies are now popularly known. The prime object of the bill is to eliminate the competition now possible and which has benefited the people of Oregon heretofore, by the non-board and mutual companies' low and reasonable rates.

Could Raise Insurance.  
"We believe it the duty of the state legislators to require that all insurance companies doing business in the state are duly qualified to indemnify all contracts which they issue, but it is not their duty to ally themselves with any organization putting a minimum price on insurance and depriving the citizens of Oregon of any rights of competition."

"Whereas the citizens of Oregon paid \$13,000,000 while less than \$5,000,000 was paid on losses, leaving a surplus paid to insurance companies of over \$8,500,000 above the risks incurred, this bill if passed would allow the trust to raise the insurance to \$24,000,000 and shut out competition by the mutual companies, which has kept the rates down to a fairly reasonable rate in the past. We therefore think senate Bill No. 38 should not be passed."

## REQUEST THAT STREET BE MADE PASSABLE

Letters have been sent to Mayor Rosalight Councilman Menefee and City Engineer Hurlburt asking that at least one of the streets from Thirty-seventh to Forty-third streets and from Sandy Road to Beaumont be made passable at once. The letters are signed by prominent residents of that district.

It is stated that when sewers and water pipes were laid in the streets of the district the pipes were covered over with dirt far above the level of the street. This dirt settled during the recent rains leaving holes in the street, in some places two and three feet deep. These were then filled up and with more rain the thoroughfares were soon impassable. This condition exists throughout the district.

One letter states that delivery men in delivering groceries and other necessities have to drive on the sidewalks. Another reads that in going to and from home the owners of automobiles have to drive their machines on the ties of the streetcar tracks, as it is utterly impossible to drive through the mud.

Another instance to show the condition of the streets in the Rossmore district is cited. At East Thirty-seventh and Brasse streets, the foundation of a house was put in and then construction work stopped, because it was impossible to deliver material to this place.

At a meeting of the members of the Rossmore and Hancock Improvement club last night it was asked that the city engineer's department do something at once to relieve conditions now existing in that district.

## BABY HOME IS NOW NEW INCORPORATION

Dissolution of the former corporation and incorporation of "The Baby Home" was accomplished by articles of incorporation, filed with County Clerk Coffey. The former corporation was capitalized, while the new corporation will be without capital stock and will be more in the nature of a charitable society. The money and property belonging to the corporation is estimated at \$50,000. The incorporators and officers of the new corporation are: Elizabeth P. Burns, president; Mrs. Tessie Fleischner, vice president; F. S. Akin, secretary; A. L. Keenan, treasurer; Mrs. George B. Cellars, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Fred Johnston, Charles H. Dodd, L. E. Kern. The home is located on the Waverly car line.

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## BILL TO SHUT OUT PORTLAND GAS CO. AGAIN INTRODUCED

Kellaher in Senate, Murnane in House, Present Identical Claim That Corporation Has No Rights in Oregon.

(Staff Correspondence.)  
Salem, Or., Jan. 28.—Senator Dan Kellaher and Representative M. J. Murnane introduced identical bills in the senate and house today to repeal the gas franchise granted to Henry D. Green, passed in 1859, when Oregon was a territory.

This is the franchise which has passed by assignment and purchase to the Portland Gas & Coke company of the present day, and if enacted it would repeal the right of that corporation to do business in the state of Oregon.

The bills introduced by Kellaher and Murnane, which are practically copies of a bill proposed by Kellaher two years ago, declare that the terms of the franchise granted to Green have been violated, and it is expressly declared that it is not intended to recognize that the franchise to Green conferred any rights beyond the period of 15 years from 1859. The bill found little favor in the senate two years ago.

## WANTS WESTON NORMAL GIVEN TO PUBLIC SCHOOL

(Staff Correspondence.)  
Salem, Or., Jan. 29.—The Weston state normal school in Umatilla county is formally abolished by a bill presented in the house by Hinkle of Umatilla, and the buildings and about 10 acres of property deeded to the public school district. The school ceased to live four years ago when the legislature refused an appropriation.

## HOUSE DECIDES TO CUT DAILY POSTAGE BILL

(Staff Correspondence.)  
Salem, Or., Jan. 29.—Because the cost of mailing out copies of bills has been nearly \$12 a day, the house today passed a resolution that hereafter only the daily calendar is to be sent out, except when there is a specific request for a certain bill.

## MEDICINE HAT GROWING RAPIDLY IN POPULATION

That Medicine Hat is one of the most progressive cities in Alberta, Canada, and is growing by leaps and bounds, is the report brought here by L. A. Dobbin, ticket agent at that place for the Canadian Pacific. Mr. Dobbin is here en route to San Diego on a pleasure trip.

"An abundance of natural gas is the contributing factor in the rapid upbuilding of Medicine Hat," said Mr. Dobbin yesterday morning. "Attracted by the inexpensive fuel, manufacturing plants are being established there at the rate of one every week. The city has a population of 13,000, but we expect it to increase to 30,000 before the end of this year."

Mr. Dobbin says Alberta has had a very open winter this year, with comparatively little snow.

## MERCHANT APPARENTLY ROBBED, THROWN IN BAY

(United Press Special Wire.)  
Seattle, Wash., Jan. 29.—The body of E. A. Klinger, wealthy merchant, was found floating in the bay today about 1000 yards off the foot of King street by T. A. Peterson, a fisherman, who

## ITEM WELCOMED BY MANY MEN

This recipe can be filled at home, so that no one need know of another's troubles, as the ingredients can be obtained separately at any well stocked drug store. They are in regular use and many different prescriptions are constantly being filled with them.

This will prove a welcome bit of information for all those who are overworked, gloomy, despondent, nervous and have trembling limbs, heart palpitation, dizziness, cold extremities, insomnia, fear, without cause, timidity in venturing, and general inability to act naturally and rationally as others do, because the treatment can be prepared secretly at home and taken without any one's knowledge.

Overworked office men and the many victims of society's late hours and dissipation will, it is said, find the restorative they are in need of.

If the reader decides to try it, get three ounces of ordinary syrup sarsaparilla compound and one ounce compound fluid balmwort; mix and let stand two hours; then get one ounce compound cod liver oil and one ounce tincture cadomene compound (not cadomene), mix all together, shake well and take a teaspoonful after each meal and one when retiring.

A certain well-known medical expert asserts that thousands of men and many women are suffering all because of dormant circulation of the blood and a consequential impairment of the nervous force, which begets the most dreadful symptoms and untold misery.

## A LITTLE HERPICIDE WILL DO WONDERS FOR THE HAIR

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was coming to Seattle from Harbor Island. Klinger, who was about 55 years old, was proprietor of the Table Supply company. Tuesday afternoon he came down

town and deposited \$75 in the National Bank of Commerce. It had been his intention to visit commission houses on Western avenue, but inquiries today show he went to none of those houses.

When the body of Klinger was found, his watch and chain were missing. Some money he had carried in his pocket was also gone. He is believed to have been straggled and robbed.



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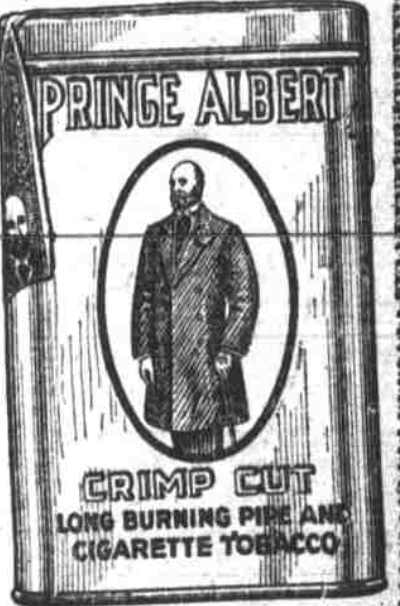
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