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Press Dispatches.

HILTON GETS HIM
The "interview with Senator Hilton,
published in the Timee Mountaineer of yesterday, whatever may have been its
object, leaves unimpeached every state-
ment made by the editor of this journal, concerning the eenator's action, during
the meeting of the legislature. The fact
is we related ouly what wes. is we related only what we saw with our
own eyes and knew to be true, and the
senator's statement is a tacit confession that it is so. We charged him with hav--
ing tried to pass the water bill, during
the absen practically admits that he did so, and
this same senator, who could so far forgeas the whole blame of Mr. Moody's
lame being placed on the portage bill, which if it had been retained would un the shoulders of Representative Johns-
ton. It may be true that Mr. Johnson was
wholly to blame, we have no means of wholly to blame, we have no means of
knowing, but we are free to confess we
don't believe a word of it. Mr. Johneton don't believe a word of it. Mr. Johnston
was ured as a catspaw, and now he is
made a scape goant. little importance to usor our readers, one way or other. Facts that transpired in
the sunlight can never be contradicted
by anything alleged to have happened in the darkness of a committee happened or But the senator would make the
Dalles lobby" ridiculous and in this he had better have left out. tion had en tion had endangered the passage of the portage bill, by placing the name of
Mayor Moody in the bill, as one of the Governor Pennoyer distinctly and em-
phatically swore that he would veto the
bill if the name of was if in it, name of any private citizen
was but one thought only thing within our power to save the ill, as we supposed namely, petition
the legislature to insist, that the
name of secretary McBride be put no private person whatever be placed
here." The name of Mr. Moody was not mentioned. Was there anything
wrong in this? If so Mr. Moody has truer friends in the Dalles than aresom
of those who perpetrated the wrong

 this action of the people of The Dalles be Mr. Moody's name by Senator Hilton? biin. The Whaseo dalegation put and their the
abettors had, on the floor of the the indignantly resented ita being taken out.
The governor had vowed he would veto the bill if the name was retained. The know lobby could not and did not
kney anying further. They acted as they did on the knowledge they had and peop would have been traitors to the interests and their own ha
they acted otherwise. If it was
then and no man who signed the petition under the circumstances has anyting to
be ashamed of his action. be ashamed of his action.
Moreover The Dalles lobby had tried on railroads, before they would leave for home. They were refused. Senator
Watkina made a special
 was Thursday. The house would ad-
journ next day, noon, until Monday at two o'clock. By that time, the three
days during which a reconsideration could be had would have passed. Next
morning (Friday) Mr. Farley morning (Friday) Mr. Farley went to
Representative Johnston, and asked him to move a reconsideration, so that the secretary of state might be substituted
for thie name of Mr. Moody. Mr. Johns ton said, "Mr. Farley, Mr. Moody's
name remains there or nothing." There was nothing left, but for the ""lobby" to seek an ontsider to make the motion. Our own representative would do nothing. Senator Watkins went to Paquet
of Clackamus, The motion was made and MeCoy and Johnston fought it with all their might, saying that the committee was amply able to take care of thc bill. The statement that "Mr. Moody
had been before the committee and re-

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alse. It was under these cireumstances the lobby came back from Salem and
circulated the petition, before referred
to.
One thing more and we leave this mat-
ter for the present. Mayor Moody never the rates dictated to them by the U.P. onvenes,-Long Creck Eagle.
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