



SOLONS BURN MIDNIGHT OIL

Or at Least the Lawmakers Hold a Night Session.

SOME WORK WAS DONE

Four Bills and the Senate Woman's Suffrage Resolution Passed—The Sugar Beet Bounty Bill Goes Through—Joseph's Medical Bill is Doomed.

SALEM, Feb. 1.—In view of the fact that this day has been set aside as a sort of a holiday, nearly all the members of the legislature having gone to Corvallis to accept the hospitality of the citizens of that place, both branches of the legislature held night sessions last night. In the house four bills were passed, besides the senate resolution paving the way to a vote by the people upon the proposed woman's suffrage amendment.

The most important bill passed in the house yesterday was the Sherwin bill, providing for an annual bounty of \$50,000 for four years for the encouragement of the sugar beet industry. The bill had a close call, passing by thirty-one votes, just enough to carry it through, but the friends of the bill can thank McCourt of Marion county that it passed at all. Had not McCourt changed from no to aye before the result was announced the bill would have been defeated for want of a single vote. His change of heart at the eleventh hour carried the day for the bill.

What fate is in store for the bill in the senate remains to be seen, but its friends claim they are assured of seven votes, and if this be true the bill will only require the signature of the governor to become a law.

The Joseph medical bill is conceded to be dead as a mackerel. There have been a number of physicians here lobbying in the interest of the bill, but their words have fallen upon deaf ears. The members of the house want just one crack at the bill. They guarantee to effectually put it to sleep.

The bill to create a state board of barbers' examiners and providing for the registration of all barbers in the state, did not have the close shave in the house that some predicted for it. Although Roberts declared that it was a somewhat "barbarous" thing to heap on the legislature, the bill passed by a vote of 33 to 23. If it becomes a law all resident barbers will have to register at \$1 per register, and newcomers will have to undergo an examination to determine their qualifications. The bill also provides for an apprenticeship of three years for beginners.

By the provisions of the Curtis bill passed in the house yesterday, the graft of attorneys in connection with state legal work has been shut off. Under the old system, while the attorney-general was drawing a salary for attending to the legal business of the state, more has been paid private attorneys who have been unemployed. The Curtis bill provides that all the legal work of the state shall be done by the attorney-general, who is paid for such service, and the practice of employing private attorneys for the state be abolished.

The bill to regulate sleeping car rates was made a special order for Thursday at 10:12 a. m.

Hill made an eloquent appeal in behalf of his bill to prohibit the maintenance of armed bodies of men, and secured its passage by an almost unanimous vote. The bill provides that only the state shall maintain armed bodies of

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A POSTOFFICE ROBBER CAUGHT

Hilton, Convict Wilson's Confederate, Arrested at Boise City.

UNION, Or., Feb. 1.—Word has just been received of the capture of Jack Hilton, who, with Albert Wilson, robbed the postoffice at Lakeview, Or., about two years ago. Wilson was shot at the time of the robbery, and was captured shortly afterward and is now serving time in the Oregon penitentiary.

The circumstances leading to the capture of Hilton are as follows:

Some time ago a warrant for his arrest was placed in the hands of D. Y. K. Deering, sheriff of Union county, who had been tracing him from place to place from that time until his arrest. He first located him in Montana, and from there traced him to Idaho, and finally located him at Boise City, and immediately took steps for his capture by telephoning to Chief of Police Francis of that place. Francis arrested him and turned him over to United States Marshal Ramsey, who is now holding him awaiting the arrival of Marshal Houser, of Oregon.

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S. H. FRAZIER.
The Dalles, Oregon, Jan. 31, 1899.
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IMPRISON- MENT FOR LIFE

C. C. Cunningham, Murderer of Oliver C. Young, Sentenced at Pendleton.

PENDLETON, Feb. 1.—C. C. Cunningham, murderer of Oliver C. Young, was sentenced yesterday by Judge Lowell, in the state circuit court. Having been convicted of murder in the second degree he received under the statute a sentence of imprisonment for life at hard labor.

Cunningham's defense was insanity, that plea and the testimony adduced by the witnesses subpoenaed in his behalf being effective in reducing the severity of the verdict from the first to the second degree. Strange to say, Cunningham was the only person who expressed himself as dissatisfied with the verdict, and he said aloud in court that he wished it had been a verdict of guilty as charged in the indictment. He would then be hanged, he remarked, and would be out of all his troubles. Under the sentence Cunningham will be taken at once to the penitentiary at Salem.

Mrs. Julius J. Worcester, the woman whom Cunningham shot the same time he killed Young, lies a helpless cripple, and will in all probability never again be able to leave her bed. The bullet remains lodged near the spine, and she is afflicted with paralysis.

Teachers' Examination.

Notice is hereby given that for the purpose of making an examination of all persons who may offer themselves as candidates for teachers of the schools of the county, the county superintendent thereof will hold a public examination at The Dalles, Oregon, beginning Wednesday, February 8, 1899, at 1 o'clock p. m.

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DANGER OF TROUBLE IS NOW REMOVED

Germany Has Agreed to Investigate the Conduct of Her Agents in Samoa.

REPARATION WILL BE MADE SOON

Officials to Be Recalled If Found Guilty of Treaty Violation—Administration at Washington Much Gratiified at This Concession Which Has Scarcely Been Hoped For.

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—A special from Washington says: In reply to the representations of Ambassador White, Germany has assured the United States that she will investigate the conduct of her agents in Samoa, and should it be shown that they have acted in violation of the treaty of Berlin, she will recall them.

By this assurance Germany has removed the Samoan question from the dangerous position it occupied. The authorities here anticipated that Germany would decline to accept responsibility, from representations recently made by Ambassador von Holleben the German representative here, who informed Secretary Hay that he felt satisfied that the German consul and Herr Rafael had acted without authority from Berlin.

Secretary Hay is quite willing to give Germany all the necessary time to investigate, and it is expected that by this time she has taken action. That there may be no doubt of the facts and to protect the American representatives, Rear-Admiral Kautz, who left San Diego on board the Philadelphia, will make a thorough investigation, and report the facts without delay.

The state department has received from Apia by mail copies of proclamations issued by the American and British consuls for the protection of Chief Justice Chambers and his family. A proclamation by the German consul is conspicuously absent, and the reason it was not issued is explained by dispatches sent by Mr. Chambers.

The German consul, it was reported, promised to hoist his flag over his residence simultaneously with the American and British representatives, and issue a proclamation declaring that an attack on the chief justice would be an attack on the German flag, but sent to the chief justice a tattered emblem which he requested him to hoist. He failed to issue the proclamation and did not come to the chief justice's residence for the purpose of witnessing the hoisting of the flag. In view of these facts, the flag was returned to him.

The reports of the chief justice also contain a statement of the trial of Matafa verzas Malietoa, the former being represented by a German naval officer named Van Boelov, who is said to be in Samoa on leave. Unfortunately the steamer which carried the mail to Australia left before December 31, and consequently the departments has not received the chief justice's decision, which by cable, has been announced to be in favor of Malietoa Tanus.

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