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## ANOTHER DAY AT SALEM

Two Bills Passed and Eight Introduced in the House.

## A HOT FIGHT THIS AFTERNOON

Bill to Reduce the Salaries of District Attorneys Has Been Made a Special Order for Four O'clock and Its Opponents Are Preparing to Make Things Interesting for Its Promoters.

SALEM, Feb. 2.—The greater portion of the forenoon session of the house today was given up to hearing reports of standing committees. In addition to this, two bills were passed and eight new bills introduced.

The bills passed were those by Curtis, amending the salmon-fishing laws passed at the special session so as to conform with the regulations agreed upon by the joint fisheries committee, and by Myers, to apply to the military fund all moneys that may be received from the government for transportation and equipment of the Second Oregon volunteers.

Bills were introduced as follows: By Ross, to prohibit the destruction and injury of records or property on public lands; by Butt, to amend the code relative to the sale of liquors so as to require a license for the sale of any quantity, whether less than a gallon or more; by Young, to authorize the levy of a district road tax not to exceed 10 mills in road districts not embraced in incorporated towns of 2000 population or over; by Brattain, to restrict number of witnesses in criminal actions before justices of the peace to be paid by the counties to five for each side unless otherwise ordered by the county; by Freeland, to incorporate the town of Heppner; by Maxwell, to authorize Tillamook county to purchase the little Nestucca toll road; by Whitney, to empower Indian war veterans to sue the state upon claims for services, horses or equipments; by Virtue, to provide for condemnation of a right of way for conducting water for mining purposes.

The Curtis bill to fix the salaries of district attorneys was reported with amendments by the judiciary committee this morning, and the bill was made a special order for 4 o'clock this afternoon. There promises to be a lively time over the passage of the bill, as the salaries paid are considered exorbitant.

In the Senate.

In the senate this morning a resolution to authorize the exchange of the old blind institute site for a block adjoining the present site of the blind institute, owned by J. H. Albert, was the special order, and, after a vote carrying the resolution was nearly completed, it was recommitted on a statement from Selling that he had just heard something about it that needed investigation.

Smith's constitutional amendment to provide for a vote on the initiative and referendum was adopted after a brief discussion by a vote of 20 to 8, those who objected doing so because they believed the scheme impracticable. Some favored submitting it to the people, who frankly said they would vote against it on such submission.

Fulton's bill relating to negotiable instruments, the one recommended by the American Bar Association, was made a special order tomorrow at 2:30 on request of Daly of Lake.

Kuykendall's bill to permit precincts to determine the matter of livestock

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running at large, instead of counties as now, was passed.

Selling introduced a bill to reduce the fee of the secretary of state for certified copies from 25 cents to 10 cents per folio, and Fulton, on request of Morrow, a bill to incorporate the town of Heppner.

## NERVOUS DYSPEPSIA

To Gain Flesh, to Sleep Well, to Know What Appetite and Good Digestion Means.

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tion of food. I heartily indorse them in all respects, and I keep them constantly on hand.

## GOMEZ AN ALLY OF AMERICANS

Cuban Commander-in-Chief Pledges Himself to Aid in Securing the Disbandment of the Army.

REMEDIOS, Santa Clara, Cuba, Feb. 1, via Havana, Feb. 7.—Maximo Gomez, commander-in-chief of the Cuban army, placed himself squarely in a position today as an active ally of the United States government in the work of reconstruction in Cuba.

As the result of a conference which Robert P. Porter, special commissioner of President McKinley, has had with Gomez, the latter cabled to President McKinley this afternoon assuring him of his co-operation in disbanding the Cuban army and distributing among the Cuban soldiers \$3,000,000 appropriated for the purpose of enabling them to return to their homes. Gomez also telegraphed to Major-General Brooke, saying he would accept the latter's invitation to go to Havana.

The success of Porter's mission greatly simplifies the returning of military Cubans to pursuits of peace. In view of Gomez' supposed prior attitude of hostility toward the United States, Porter came here clothed with absolute authority and his tender of \$3,000,000 was practically a verbal ultimatum. Had it not been accepted no more proposals would have been made.

In brief, the compact is as follows: First—The Cuban officers in each province shall assist the American officers in distributing the funds.

Second—These officers shall at once meet at some convenient point and devise when and where settlements are to be made and arrange any other details.

Third—The sum paid to each man shall not be regarded as part payment of salary or wages due for services rendered but to facilitate disbandment of the army, in relief of suffering and to aid in getting people to work.

Fourth—The Cubans shall surrender their arms to the Cuban assembly or to its representatives.

Fifth—The committee on distribution shall use its best endeavors to distribute the money among the population so all may secure work.

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## THE FILIPINOS GREW INSOLENT

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## HE FEARS A TORPEDO ATTACK

And He Does Not Propose to be Taken In or Shaken Out by the Indignation of Barbarians—Manila Patrolled Day and Night and No Officers Venture Outside.

HONG KONG, Feb. 2.—The Filipino members of the joint commission at Manila have demanded the release of the launches seized by the Americans; also that they be allowed to float the Filipino flag in the waters of the Philippines. Gen. Otis is said to be in favor of granting these concessions, but Admiral Dewey has refused, not wishing to be compelled to keep a continual outlook for the smuggling of arms into the islands. He also wishes to avert, if possible, a torpedo attack. The use of the Filipino flag will be permitted on shore. The military and the police almost daily seize quantities of rifles and ammunition.

The city is thoroughly patrolled, especially at night. The Filipino telegraph office has been closed by the Americans, having learned that the wires were being used to transmit Gen. Otis' secret orders to the Filipino leaders.

Two guns of a Utah battery have been mounted. There is no evidence that the Filipinos intend to begin hostilities, but it is practically a certainty that they will resist if the Americans attempt to force matters.

The radical independence element now dominates the Filipino government. Since the killing of the Filipino officer by a Minnesota soldier, American officers have not ventured outside of Manila. Foreigners are not permitted to travel in the interior without a pass from Aguinaldo.

## WASHINGTON LEGISLATURE

Senatorial Fight Out of the Way, Both Branches Settle Down to Routine Work.

OLYMPIA, Feb. 2.—House routine progressed undisturbed. Four bills were killed, accepting the committee's report that they would be indefinitely postponed.

These bills were passed by the house: By Sheller, for appointment of guardians for insane persons; by Pratt, authorizing municipal corporations to provide for acceptance of warrants upon local improvement funds for local improvements; by Daniels, admitting Indian war veterans to the state soldiers' home.

In the senate the morning was spent in discussion of the capitol building bill carrying an appropriation of six hundred thousand dollars.

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