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# SALEM, OREGON, SEPTEMBER 18, 1874.

SENATE

MORNING SESSION.

Senate met at 10 A. M., and after the read-ing of the Journal proceeded, on motion of Mr. Dolph, to ballot for permanent officers. Senators Cornelius of Washington, and My-

For Van Cleave-Mr. Barrin. Bianks-Mesars Cornelius, Jowell, Myers

AFTERNOON SESSION.

After which the Senate adjourned.

### and Mr. Cochrane was declared elected and LEGISLATURE OF OREGON.

# HIGHTH REQULAR SESSION.

MOUSE.

SALIN, Sept. 14, 1574. At dieven A. M. the House was called to

order by S. A. Clarke, Chief Clerk for session of 1672.

On motion of W. J. Plymale of Jackson, J. C. Drain of Douglas was unanimously elect ed temporary Speaker.

On motion of Henry Shelton of Linn, Col. W. L. White of Olackamas was unanimously elected temporary Clerk.

On motion of W. W. Fidler of Josephine. that Chair appointed a Committee of Five on Credentials. The following gentlemen were so appointed: Fidles of Josephine, Dufur of Wasco, Reed of Marion, Wright of Union, Butler of Polk.

On motion of James Chembers of Benton House adjourned to 2 o'clock r. M.

### AFTERNOON SESSION.

Report of Committee on Credentials was received to the effect that the following named persons either presented certificates of election or the Secretary of State furnished evidence that they were duly elected members of the House:

- Baker-J. C. Wilson, G. C. Chandler. Benton-James Bruce, James Chambers

- bers of the House:
  Baker-J. C. Wilson, G. C. Chandler. Benton-James Bruce, James Chambers,
  W. J. Kelly.
  Clackamas Henry MoGugin, J. M.
  Reed, P. S. Noyer, S. P. Lee.
  Columbia-J. S. Rineamon.
  Coos-J. D. Dully.
  Coos and Ourry-H. Blake.
  Douglas-Geo. Riddle, J. C. Drain, D. W.
  Stearns, Thomas Ledgerwood.
  Grant-Bart Curl.
  Jackson-J. P. Van Riper, W. J. Ply-male, Thomas Wright.
  Josephine-W. W. Fidter.
  Lanc-Harvey Skelton, A. W. Stannard,
  G. F. Crawford, Frank Shedd, Joseph
  Joseph Lame, Jonathan Wassou.
  Matlock, John H. McClung.
  Linn-Harvey Skelton, A. W. Stannard,
  G. F. Crawford, Frank Shedd, Joseph
  Joseph Lame, Jonathan Wassou.
  Matlon-F. X. Mathleu, David Simpson.
  William Darst, C. A. Reed, W. Ccanston,
  A. N. Gilbert.
  Multnomab-Jacob Johnson, R. S. Jew-ett, Raleigh Stott, William Cornell, J. M.
  Gearin, E. P. Kelly, J. M. Scott.
  Polk-W. C. Browa, S. L. Butler, David
  Sinasp.
  Claisop and Tillamoek--W. Dean.
  Unaon-D. Wright, W. W. Hoss.
  Umatilla-W. M. Steen, J. A. Florence.
  Wasco-Robert Maya, E. B. Dufur.
  Yamhill--William Galloway, E. C. Brad-shaw, Lee Langhlin.
  And they further reported that there was

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took the Chair as temporary President. John Myers of Clackamas placed in nom instion Syl C. Simpson for temporary Chief Clerk.

Joseph Engle of Marion placed in nomina tion T. McF. Patton. Simpson received 14 votes, Patton 10 votes

and Simpson was declared duly elected temporary Chief Clerk.

E. Davis, Henry Docey and R. M. Gurney were placed in nomination for temporary Sergeant-of-Arms, and the vote stood as follows: Davis, 11; Docsy, 10; Gurney, 4. No election. After various motions which failed to carry, on motion of Mr. Dolph it was re-

solved that a plurality vote shall elect; and on a second ballot Gurney received 16 votes and was declared elected. Nominations were made for temporary

Doorkeeper, and the vote was taken as fol-

Doorkeeper, and the vote was taken as fol-lows: J. C. Head, 53; C. P. Chapman, I; R. A. Barker, 11; and Head having recived a plurality vote was declared elected. Mr. Dolph moved to appoint a Committee of Three on Credentials, which carried, and Chair appointed Dolph, L. M. Savage of Ma-rion, W. F. Owens of Douglas. Sonate thereupon adjourned until after-noon.

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### AFTERNOON SESSION.

Committee on Credentials made their re-port of members entitled to seats, including those holding over end those newly elected, as follows:

- Baker County-J. W. Wisdom. Benton-J. B. Lee. Clackamas-John Myers, Jas. W. Offield.
- Clatsop, Columbia and Tillamook-8. H
- Smith. mith. Coos and Curry-G. Webster. Douglas-J. F. Watson, W. F. Owens. Grant-W. H. Clark. Josephine-E. N. Tolen. Jackson-J. S. Herrin. Lane-W. W. Birstow, R. B. Coobran. Linn-S. D. Haley, Thomas Munkers. P. Goodman.

- T. P. Goodman. Marion-M. L. Savage, Joseph Engle, J. A. Richardson. Multuomah-J. N. Dolph, J. S. M. Van Cleave, Sol. Hirsch. Polk-R. S. Crystal. Union-Sam Hauus. Umatilia-C. L. Jewell. Washington-T. R. Cornelius. Wasco-E. Barnes. Yambill-Wm. Townsend, J. C. Brally. Benton and Polk-A. M. Witham. And mentioned the contestant from Wash. And mentioned the contestant from Washington, Buford, who claims the seat of Cor alios.
- nellus. The report was adopted. On motion, Buford, contestant from Wash-ington, was invited to occupy a sest within the bar. Senate adjourned, thereupon, until to-mor-
- row 10 A. M.
- Cochran of Lane. The first vote was then taken with the fol-lowing result: For Cochran-Mesers. Barnes, Braly, Bris-tow, Clark, Goodman, Haley, Herrin, Jewell. Munkers, Myers, Offield, Owens, Tolin, Townsend, Van Cleaves, Wisdom-18. For Cornelius-Mesers. Cochran, Crystal, Dolph, Engle, Hannah, Hirsch, Lee, Rich-ardson, Smith, Walson, Webster, Witham -13.
  - 12.

    - -13. Mr. Cornelius voted blank and Mr. Sav-sge was absent. Mr. Cochran was declared duly elected President of the Senate, and was duly installed in the chair. e Syl. C. Simpson and T. McF. Patton were placed in nomination for Chief Clerk and the first ballot resulted in the election of Mr.
    - Simpson. The President and Chief Clerk are both The Freshent and Chief Cherk are both Democrats, but the next vote resulted in the election of C. C. Royce for Assistant Clerk, who is a Republican, the Independents hav-ing carried out their idea of a division of positions by assisting the Rapublicans to elect their man this time. Six votes were taken before this matter was finally disposed of

On the first vote taken for Sergeant at Arm

to a choice 30 votes, Drain, 27; Reed, 17; Fidler, 15; no election." Same as the last vote taken in the morning. Then came a motion to adjourn, which was voted down and the House squared itself for the next vote for Speaker, and the dull mo-notony of the operation was unrelieved by a single change. Drain still had 27, and after the announcement came a motion to adjourn which was rather poorly responded to, but the negatives came with a weak sound, and the speaker pro tem quietly announced that the House stood adjourned until to-morrow morning at ten o'clock. the House concluded not to invest in any-thing but stamps, and fually concluded to ask for three dolars worth of stamps. Mr. Stott offered a Joint Resolution to have the vote for Governor counted, which passed, and then, having made very a good days

work, The House adjoured until 9 A. M. to-mor-

row.

### SENATE.

WEDNESDAY, Sept. 16. After roll call and reading of Journal it was resolved that the Senate adopt rules of

hast session. Mr. Cornelius called attention to the con-Mr. Cornelius called attention to the con-test for his seat, saying that he wanted the matter decided and his opponent wanted to go home if the case went against him. On motion, of Mr. Myers the coutest for Washington county was made the special order for afternoon, at 3 o'clock. Mr. Van Cleave moved that copies of the new code be called for, to supply each Sena-tor with one, which motion was tost. On motion of Mr. Watson the usual coar-tesies were extended to the representatives of the press.

ers of Clackamas, being placed in nomina-tion as caudidates for the Presidency of the Senate. The first ballot for President of the Senate stood: Cornelius, 13; Myers, 14; Scattering, 3; a full vote being cast. The second ballot stood: Cornelius, 11; Myers, 13; Scattering, 6. The third ballot was in full as follows: For Cornelius-Messra. Crystal, Dolph, Engle, Goodman, Hanna, Hirsch, Lee, Rich-ardson, Watson, Webster, Witham-11. For Myers-Messra, Brudy, Bristow, Clark, Cochran, Haley, Herrin, Munkers, Offield, Savage, Tolin, Townsend, Van Cleave, Wis-dom-13.

- of the press. On motion of Mr. Dolph the Clergy were invited to open the sessions with prayer. Senate then adjourned to 2 r. M.

AFTERNOON.

Senate then adjourned to 2 P. M. APTERNOON. The Senate proceeded to the election of page and on the 7th vote taken Frank Me-Connell was declared duly elected. The Senate then proceeded to the election of Enrolling Clerk, which resulted : Sheri-dan, 18; Halorook, 9; Day, 2, and Sheridan was declared elected. A Joint Resolution by Mr. Dolph, was adopted appointing a Joint Committee to in-form the Governor of the organization of both Houses. Dolph and Myers were ap-pointed Senate members of and Committee. The special order for 3 o'dlock being the cortest between Cornelius and Buford, that matter was taken up, and then, ou motion, was laid upon the table. On motion of Mr. Richardson a Joint com-mittee was provided for to draft joint rules. Richardson and Yan Cleave were appointed to such Committee on the part of the Senate. A resolution was adopted provide each of the Senator with § 00 worth of powage each of the Mr. Dolph from Joint Committee appointed The Sensts met at half-past one and the election of permanent Speaker being in order, Mr. Meyers withdraw his name as a candidate, and placed in nomination R. B. Cochran of Lane.

ted. Mr. Dolph from Joint Committee appointed

to wait on the Governor, reported that his Excellency would make no communication until the vote cast for Governor at the last ejection was counted and declared in the Legislature. Senate adjourned to 10 A. M. to-morrow.

# STATE TEMPERANCE UNION.

# Third Annual Convocation.

Sept. 15, 1874. Pursuant to a call issued, the Oregon State Temperance Union mot ycaterday afternoou at two o'clock at Reed's Opera House. The meeting was called to order by Mrs. M. E. Hoxter, Vice President, the President, Mr. Syl. C. Simpson, being necessarily absent.

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# SECOND DAY.

Prayer by Rev. G. C. Chandler.

The Committee on Credentials reported a number of additional delegates. The new delegates came forward and took

the obligation of membership.

A letter was read from Mr. W. B. Carter expressing regret at not being able to attend. and urged determined action by the Untor

Tilman Ford, Charles Handley, B. H. Allen. E. Hays, Mrs. D. D. Briggs, E. Turner and W. R. Dunbar were appointed a Com-

mitte on a State Temperance Paper. Resolutions were introduced asking the Legislature to pass a Local Option Law and

to allow females over 18 years of age to vote on the question; referred. The Union was addressed by Rev. Neil

Johnson, David Newsom and Rev. C. Kelly. on political action.

E. Turner, Clinton Kelly, Dr. J. W. Watts, W. R. Dunbar and Tilman Ford were appointed a committee on political organization.

Constitution amended so as to specify what Societies could send delegates to the Union. Speakers limited five minutes.

Additional delegates reported by the Committee on Credentials.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

and report adopted.

and W. Cranston.

Convention came together at 114 o'clock, Mr. T. B. Handley in the Chair. Committee on Order of Business reported

The Committee on Political Action present-

ed the following : Mr President: Your Committee on Legis-lative action beg leave to submit the follow-ing report to wit: The adoption of a Local Option 1aw, simi-lar to the Local Option law of California, with the necessary changes to bring it with-in the purview of the Constitution of this State, also the adoption of the civil damage law of the State of New York, and your Com-mittee woul 1 further recommend the appoint-ment of a Committee by the Union to pro-pose a bill as above indicated for action by the Legislature of our State now in session. All of which is respectfully submitted. W. F. Owars, Chairman.

Report adopted and the following persons vere appointed as the Committee recom-

mended: Hons. W. F. Owens, J. H. McClung

Mrs. Dr. Thompson, Mrs. D. D. Briggs and Rev. Clinton Kelly were

appointed a Committee to draft a Prohibitory

The Temperance Star of Portland was des-ignated, the Organ of the Union.

law to report at evening session.

evidence of a contest for the seat of Bart Curl of Grant county, by George Reynolds of that county, also that Clatsop county had elected Joseph Jeffers, considering that they were entitled to further representation, and recemmended same be referred to Select Committee.

The report was signed W. W. Fidler, Chairman.

Report was adopted.

Mr. Gilbert of Marion,"moved that a Committee of Three be appointed to wait on the Secretary of State. Carried, and the Chair appointed Van Riper of Jackson, Ledserwood of Douglas, Stott o Multhomah, as such Committe

coretary Chadwick appeared, members rose, and oath was administered and then signed by them severally.

Wright of Union, moved to proceed to peron motion Mr. McIntyre was appointed

temporary Bargeant at Arms.

Nominations being in order, for Speaker,J C. Drain of Douglas, C. A. Reed of Marion and W. W. Vidler of Josephine, were placed in nomination and House proceeded to vote The first vote was:

For J.C. Drain-Bruce, Rinearson, Led perwood, Stearne, Curl, Fidler, Lame, Warron, Shedd, Jewett, Johnson, Stott, Gearin, Rump, Brown, Steen, Plorance, Roe, Jack son, Partlow, Dufar, Mays, Butler (23).

For W. W. Fidler-Chaudler, Wilson Noyer, J. M. Reed, Plymale, Van Riper Wright of Jackson, Donk, Matlock, Shelton Crawford,Stenard, Mathieu, Dunbar, Wright adahaw, Hays, Galloway, McGugin, (19

For C. A. Reed-Kelly, Chambers, Dully Blake, Dean, Simpson, Cranston, Darst, Gilhert, Cornell, Scott, Kelly, Boss, Laughlin, MeChang, Lee. (16 )

There was one scattering vole. After three ballots taken vith no material variation the House adjourned until to-morrow at 10 A. M

### SENATE.

Sena's was called to order by W. W. Bris tow of Lone, who placed in nomination R. B. Cochrane of Lone for temporary President. J. N. Do, oh of Multsomah placed in nom-nation J. F. Weisson of Douglas.

The vote stand: Cochran, 15; Wate

TUESDAY, Sept. 15. House met at 10 A. M. and Journal of yes-

terday was read by Clerk. Mr. Davis, of Yambill, on motion of Mr.

Galloway, was elected temporary Assistant Clerk.

On motion of Mr. Steen, the House adopted the rules of last session.

House proceeded to vote for permanent of ficers, and the fourth ballot for Speaker was taken with the following result: Drain, 26; Reed, 17; Fidler, 15.

Four ballots (making seven in all) were taken, the last standing: Drain, 27; Reed. 17; Fidler, 15. Drain voting for Fidler, and Riddle, Independent, from Douglas county, being absent.

The changes from the vote taken yesterday were that the following names recorded then for Fidler, were to-day counted for Drain. McGugin and Nayer of Clackamas: Sheton Stannard and Crawford of Linn.

House adjourned.

AFTERNOON SEALON.

The House met at 2 P. M., and, on motion proceeded to elect a Page protem.

Johnny Dougherty, Claude Gaich, Carl Linsley, Walter Wade, George Hernander and Willie Savage were placed in nominafon.

The temporary pageship occupied the at tention of the grave and reverend seigniors for about an hour, and the balloting was of especial interest to the small boys-probably little politicians whose career is or with this candidacy-who hung on the rag ged edge of despair in the lobby,

The vote stood: Dougherty, 25; Gaich 19 and the rest scattering.

Mr. C. A. Reed moved to reconsider the rote to elect temporary Clerk, and the auxiety to be a Page was aggravated by the vote to reconsider. It was rather a brank thing to try to elect a page at all, for all the ambition of small boys looks that way and the candidates are neither few nor far between.

So the House shouldered its response albitter and commanced again to vote for Speaker. The Clark called of the list, the vote war

duly recorded and man

R. M. Gurney was elected to that position. Mr. Gurney is a staunch Independent. The first ballot for Door Keeper resulted in the election of J. C. Head. There were four unsuccessful votes for Page of Senate, and after Wearing out that important matter the Senate adjourned. The Senate has elected as its President Mr.

The Senate has elected as its President Mr. R. B. Cochran, who is well known and uni-ve. "ally respected as an houset man. He was always a view strong partisan but we have no doubt that he "all make a good officer, and political feeling does "of run so high now a days that he need necessa." way obstructed by political projudice.

Wey obstructed by pointer prejudice. WEDNESDAY, Sept. 16. The eleventh vote for Spasker was then taken and stood as follows: For Mr. Drain.-Messer. Bruce, Brown, Butler, Cornell, Crawford, Curl, Dean, Dufur, Florence, Gearin, Hays, Jackson, Jewett, Johnson, Lame, Lee, Ledgewood, Mays, McGugin, Noyer, Partlow, Reed of Clackamas, Rinesarson, Roe, Scott, Sheld, Shelton, Steen, Stearne, Stott, Stump, Wassom.-32. For Mr. Fidler.-Messes. Blake, Brad-shaw, Chandler, Cranston, Darse, Doak, bully, Galloway, Gilbert, Matlock, Mathieu, McClung, Plymale, Roed of Marion, Ross, Simpson, Stannard, Van Riper, Wilson and the two Wrights-21. The rest scattering.

the two Wrights-21. The rest scattering. Nest came the voting for Chief Clerk and on the first vote Col. White of Oregon City, was elected, receiving 35 votes, to 11 each for C. W. Parrish and J. M. Patterson. Quite a contest ensued over the election of Bargeant at Arms, but our old friend K. C. Hadaway, who was Sargeant at Arms in 1872, was reelected and will make a good officer.

officer. A secolution to ask foil session laws since 1856, and code, and the journals of last ses-siou, was much argued and then made special order for to-morrow 11 A. M. A message from the Senate announced the organization of that hody. On motion of Mr. Mays the rules of last session were adopted. Lawy of absence was granted to-morrow to Mr. Dufur.

Mr. Dufur. Members of the press on motion of Mr. Fidler, were invited to occupy sense within the bar.

the bar. On motion of Mr. Gilbert, which carried to appoint joint committee to inform the Gov-ernor that the House Assembly was organ-ized, the Speaker appointed Meanra. Gilbert, Partiew and Fidler as such Committee on part of the House. Then the House took up a resolution to provide postage stamps, \$3,00, to each mem-ber, which was voted down and these sprang up at 25 cents and wast up and down, and floadly Hart Corl took the ground that they utgit as well ask for eightre and tobacco, but

absent, Prayer by Dr. S. C. Hull. Roll of officers called. Present as follows : Mrs. M. E. Hozter, Vice President; Wm. R. Dunbar, Secretary; R. Reid, Corresponding Secretary; Mrs. Helen McCiane, Tressure, Absent, Syl. C. Simpson, President; Rev. J. Wilson, Chaplain; Peter Prenet, Sergent at

Arms. The following persons were appointed a committee on Credentials : W. R. Dunbar, R. Keid and Helen McLane. On motion, Mr. E. Turner of the Temper-

ance Star was chosen Assistant Sec pro tem.

On motion, Convention adjourned until "he to give theCommitte 3% o'diu nrt.

The Convention w. President, In the o'clock. Syl C. Simpson, Chair.

Chair. The Committee on Credentials 1. "Gorled representatives from forty-four different." Cieties. Number of delegates reported 153. The new delegates then came forward and signed the pladge of the association. Mr. Syl C. Simpson owing to other duties resigned his office as President. A resolution to refer all resolutions looking to legislative action to the Standing Commit-ties on political action, adopted.

to togistative action to the Standing Commit-tee on political action, adopted. The following Committees were appointed; On Legislation.-W. F. Owens, J. H. Mc-Clung and W. Cranston. Ways and Means.-Q. G. Buford, L. Bron-son and Mrs. C. A. Hayes. On Resolutions.-Rev. J. Hoberg, Dr. Watta

Order of Business.-J. L. Parrish, E. Hayes

Order of Business.-J. L. Parrish, K. Hayes and Charles Handley. On Music.-Dr. C. H. Hall, Mrs. R. M. Colinson and Miss Albertine Mitchell. On motion, Mr. Scriber was appointed Sargeant at Arms. Rav W. R. Siewart was elected Chaplain. On motion, Revs. G. C. Chandler and Nael Johnson wars invited to participate in the discussions of the Union. Convention adjourned until 7 o'clock r. M.

Convention adjourned until 7 o'clock P. M. EVENUES assession an emendment was offered to the Constitution, to make clear what organizations should be represented at the meetings of the Union. Referred to the Committee on Resolutions. Another resolution was referred to the same Committee, in reference to a Temper-ance paper.

same Committee, in reference to a Temper-ance paper. But little other business was transmoted. A number of short, spiry and interesting addresses were made, when the Convention adjourned to the usual hour this morning. We segret that our space prohibits us giv-ing as full a report of this Convestion as we wish, but we will find reom to sum up the result of this effort of the men and women of our State to effect a great good.

A resolution was off-red by the Committee on Political action, which was adopted, to ap-point a State Central Committee, one from ach conney.

A resolution was offered by Dr. J. W. Watta asking the Legislature to remove the politi-cal disabilities of women and allow them to Vole on the liquor question. Referred to Committee on Resolutions. The Convention then proceeded to

lection of officers for the ensuing year, with

Hochoff of olicers for the chains year, with the following result: President, Rev. W. R. Stewart; Vice Pres-tiont, Mrs. J. S. Briggs; Secretary, R. Reid; Assistant Secretary, E. Turner; Correspond-ing Secretary, Mrs. M E. Hoxter; Treasurer, Holen McClane; Chaplain, Rev. P. M. Starr. EVENING AESSION.

A large attendance of outsiders listened to an interesting debate between the Optionists" and "Prohibitionists." of matter forbids us giving 54 extended or lotalled report of the meeting.

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### SUPREME COURT.

SUPREME COURT. H. C. Dray assignee of Wm. MoIntyre plaintiff and respondent vs.George Mayer and W. H. Musgrove defendant and appellant. Judgment in Court below reversed, Opin-ion by Judge McArthur. City of Portland appellants vs. O. N. Dep-my respondent; Judgment below affirmed, opinion by Juge Prim. L. Delishmader *et al.*, appellants vs. D. Frag, Ally *et al.*, respondents; decree below affirmed. Opinion by Judge Bonham. Moore vs. Packwood and Virtne; motion heretofore filed for an affirmance of Judge-ment with ten per cent damages. Argued by N. B. Knight, Esq., for the motion and S. Elisworth against. Taken under advise-ment by the Coart. Joseph Knott respondent vs. James and

ment by the Conri. Joseph Knott respondent vs. James and Elizabeth Stephens appellant. Argued and submitted. David R. Lewis and Mary Lewis Plaintiffs and appellants vs. Delis B. Lewis and F. G. Lewis defendants and respondents; affirmed and decreed that this cause be remanded to to the Court below for further proceedings seconding to have

to the Court below for further proceedings according to haw Gold Hill Mining Co. vs. Jacob Ish ; order-ed that a mandate do now issue to the Court below in this cause. Loyd Brooks vs. Charles Warren; motion heretofore filed to set aside the indigment ren-dered at this term in this 'cause; agreed and anhantited

dered at this term in this cause; agreed and aubmitted. D. A. Biobards, plaintiff and appellant, vs., C. O. Famming, defend out and respondent; motion filed herocolore by coursel for re-spondent to dimites the appeal in this case, overrelief. Opinion by Judge Shattack. D. A. Richards, plaintiff and appellant, vs. A. W. Nys, defendant and respondent, ar-

gued and submitted.