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THE NOTORIOUS MOSER BILL IS SIGNED BY GOV. WITHCYCOMBE

EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTES OF STATE PLACED UNDER SPOILS SYSTEM.

Governor Issues Defense of Measure But Makes No Reference to the Principal Point on Which the Bill Has Been Attacked—artisan interests, he says.

SALEM, Ore., Feb. 26.—Governor James Withycombe yesterday signed the now notorious Moser bill which has been under much criticism because it places the big state educational institutions under the spoils system. The governor issued a statement in defense of the bill but makes no reference to the principal point on which the bill has been attacked. The governor's statement is as follows:

In signing senate bill No. 312 I am fully aware that it has been the subject of bitter, if purely partisan, criticism. I am also aware that this criticism, while so framed as to charge that the referendum rights of the people in this particular instance are being abused, has in reality nothing to do with the welfare of the people or of the public service, but rather finds origin in selfish and partisan interest. I most firmly believe now, as I always have, that the laws of the people must be defended, safeguarded and upheld. The emergency clause should not be used to defeat the legitimate purposes of the referendum, but neither should the referendum be abused as an agent for crippling a competent administration of those very laws.

In the particular case of senate bill No. 312, the legislature has held that an emergency exists owing to the necessity of creating and maintaining efficiency in the various state departments. I believe that the facts justify such an interpretation of existing conditions. The public weal actually is affected, or may well become affected, under the existing system, with many subordinate officials exercising important functions of state government without real responsibility to the power which appoints them, and which power, in turn, is held responsible by the people for the satisfactory administration of the people's laws.

Tight of Removal Needed.
Loyal co-operation and assistance, as well as competency, economy and industry, are essential to proper administration, and where such is lacking the appointive power, whether it be a board or the executive, should have the power of removal, and I feel that such additional authority would work for the very best interests of the public and will not be opposed except by those whose political positions may be jeopardized, and by their friends, who, under one pretense and another, will attack its immediate operation.

There has been, it is needless to print out, a general demand for a stricter economy in state administration. This demand has grown, in no small measure, from the extravagance of a multiplicity of commissions and departments which have sprung up. I believe the operation of this act will eliminate possibility of any repetition of the tactics of office holders, whose pernicious lobbying embarrassed the legislature's efforts for economical consolidation.

Lastly, the removal power can be abused and over-used, but that is true of every power. In this particular instance I intend to exercise ev-

er precaution against its abuse, and I believe its very existence will have such a salutary effect that it will be necessary to employ it seldom.

The governor vetoed house bill 357 because of its conflicting with house bill 195. Corporation Commissioner Watson asked that it be vetoed. It related to the regulation of cooperative associations. Bills signed by the governor yesterday are as follows:

H. B. 477, committee on assessment and taxation, relating to assessment of public service corporations.

H. B. 248, Weeks—Amending public road laws.

H. B. 279, Childs—Providing time when assessor shall deliver tax rolls to treasurer.

H. B. 473, game committee—Creating fish and game commission.

H. B. 178, Olds—Relating to state board of horticulture and county inspectors.

H. B. 437, Blanchard—Requiring milk feeds to be sold by weight.

H. B. 329, Stott—Creating small claims department in Oregon district courts.

H. B. 461, game committee—Amending laws.

H. B. 341, Huston—Transferring state authority over interstate bridge to Multnomah county.

H. B. 29, substitute, Huston—Amending "blue sky" law.

H. B. 227, Childs—Amending law relative to number of members on election boards.

S. B. 312, Moser—Making appointive offices subject to recall by appointive power.

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TEXAS AUTHORITIES PUT QUARANTINE ON CATTLE

FOOT AND MOUTH DISEASE CAUSES DRASTIC ACTION TO BE TAKEN.

AUSTIN, Texas, Feb. 25.—A cattle quarantine against Canada and Mexico and every state in the union on account of the foot and mouth disease was ordered by the Texas authorities. The quarantine also includes stock, fowls, fodder, cottonseed, straw and hay.

Governor Stops Riders

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Feb. 25.—A majority of the able-bodied men of Lake county have been appointed deputies under Sheriff Hall and authorized to make arrests in the night-riding outbreak in that section. It is said, will order the militia company that plan falls, Governor Rye, is to be at Union City to proceed to Tiptonville and place itself at the disposal of Sheriff Hall.

For the past week nightriders have directed their acts against the negro population in the neighborhood of Tilton and Phillip, where many have been ordered to leave the country. A leading planter in the vicinity, it is said, has been told to dismiss all of his negro tenants.

The object of the nightriders seems to be an effort to drive negroes from that section in which the renting of lands to negroes is carried on.

An old bachelor says that matrimony is the best cooking school.

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FARMERS GLAD TO SEE THE RAIN COME AT PILOT ROCK

SHOWERS THE PAST FEW DAYS BRING THE BROAD SMILE TO FACES.

(Special Correspondence.)
PILOT ROCK, Ore., Feb. 24.—The farmers are all wearing their "big smile" again, because of the good rains that have been falling off and on for the last few days. It also gives the sheepsman a chance to smile.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Boylen were visitors here Wednesday.

Mrs. Bert Hunter and children of Pendleton spent Sunday here with her sister-in-law, Mrs. A. C. Cooper.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Russell of Nye were here Wednesday doing some trading.

Rev. Harry Galvin was called away this week on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver and children of Missouri are visiting friends here. Dr. Gilliland and family for a few days.

Dr. Gilliland was a visitor at Pendleton Wednesday.

Harry Whittaker of Nye was here Wednesday on business.

James Whittaker spent Tuesday evening at Pendleton.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mathews of Stewart creek, were in town Wednesday doing some shopping.

Dr. Gilliland and wife and Mr. and Mrs. Oliver took dinner Wednesday at the home of William Kidwell.

Vienna Censors Supreme.

BERLIN, Feb. 25.—A dispatch from Vienna to the Vorwaerts throws some light on the press censorship in Austria.

Since the outbreak of the war the entire contents of all newspapers have been subject to the approval of the censors, who have absolute power to suppress any article, without regard to their nature.

The newspapers must be submitted to the police authorities two hours before they are published, and the censors may then suppress the whole paper or order the removal of objectionable paragraphs. The result is that the newspapers frequently appear with great parts of the pages blank.

BILLS ARE APPROVED.

SALEM, Ore., Feb. 26.—The following bills were approved by Governor Withycombe:

H. B. 329, by Stott, to create small claims department in the district courts of Oregon.

ITCHING ECZEMA COVERED ENTIRE BODY, RESINOL CURED

Could Not Sleep, 8 Remedies had Failed, Resinol Stopped Itching Immediately.

Boston, Mass., Aug. 11, 1914.—"My entire body, even my eyelids, was completely covered with blisters as large as a pea. When one would burst water would come from it, and then it would turn into a very painful sore. The burning and itching were something terrible, and I COULD NOT SLEEP nor rest. I think I had one of the worst cases of eczema a human being ever had. I used eight different kinds of remedies without success. I then tried Resinol Ointment and Resinol Soap and it stopped the itching IMMEDIATELY. I gradually noticed a change for the better. Now I am entirely cured, and am without a pimple or blemish on any part of my body." (Signed) Edward F. McCullough, 249 River St., Mattapan. Resinol Ointment and Resinol Soap heal skin eruptions, clear away pimples, and form a most valuable household treatment for sores, burns, etc. Sold by all druggists.

H. B. 242, by Horné—To compel employers who withhold employees wages to account for money as collected, etc.

H. B. 437, by Blanchard—Requiring that mill feeds be sold by weight.

H. B. 341, by Huston—Empowering authorities to collect tolls from interstate bridges.

H. B. 461, by committee on game (Sub for 16, 234, and 258)—To amend sections 10 and 16, chapter 232, general laws Oregon, relating to game.

H. B. 187, by Risley—Authorizing and regulating the practice of chiropractic in the state of Oregon.

H. B. 227, by Childs—Relative to the number of members on an election board.

H. B. 29, by Huston—Amending blue sky law.

Governor Withycombe yesterday afternoon approved the following bills:

H. B. 469, by committee on ways and means—making an appropriation for the state industrial school for girls.

H. B. 481, by committee on ways and means—making an appropriation for the Oregon national guard.

H. B. 485, by committee on ways and means—making an appropriation for the soldiers' home.

H. B. 486, by committee on ways and means—making an appropriation for the state tuberculosis hospital.

H. B. 489, by committee on ways and means—making an appropriation for charitable and benevolent institutions caring for foundlings and orphans.

S. B. 198, by Smith of Coos and

Curry—Amending law relating to road districts.

Parents of Bride Sue.
OREGON CITY, Ore., Feb. 25.—When Nellie Ruth Bolton, 16 years old, returned home several days ago after eloping with Robert Guy Smith, 19 years old, and informed her parents that her name was Mrs. Smith, they promptly became indignant and they filed a suit in the circuit court to have the marriage annulled.

The girl's parents are Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Bolton, of Portland. In their suit they aver that neither the bride nor bridegroom is of age and that the marriage of the young couple has not been harmonious.

Loss of Appetite is also loss of vitality, vigor, tone. To recover appetite and the rest take Hood's Sassa-parilla—that strengthens the stomach, perfects digestion, makes eating a pleasure. It also makes the blood rich and pure, and steadies the nerves.—Adv.

27 Road Districts Levy.
OREGON CITY, Ore., Feb. 26.—Twenty-seven road districts in Clackamas county will levy special taxes to raise \$64,012.21 and increase the amount to be spent on roads in 1915 to almost \$300,000, according to a fax sheet made public by J. E. Jack, assessor.

The tax in the county levied for all purposes is \$784,378.64 and the taxable property is \$20,275,138.81. The state tax in Clackamas county will be \$118,463.05; the general county tax, \$97,200.46; the school, general and library, \$103,275.50 and the general road, \$243,001.14. A 10-mill tax will bring Oregon City \$28,747.87.

Rabid Badger Slain.

BAKER, Ore., Feb. 26.—Meeting a rabid badger in his field near Malheur W. N. Whitworth, a rancher, fought the animal and finally killed it. Whitworth was collecting his horses when he encountered the badger, which was ready for battle.

Grasping a halter from a horse the man struck at the frenzied animal and kept it from him until he secured a stake from a fence and killed the animal. Cutting it open he found the meat filled with froth.

Within the last week two cows belonging to F. W. Smith and Elmer Moltham, near Ironsides, have died of hydrophobia and several rabid coyotes have been around recently.

ALL HIS MONEY GOES FOR A BIG FUNERAL

OAKLAND, Cal., Feb. 26.—Robert A. Stevenson, owner of the tracks of the Oakland Traction company, for 20 years, had lived alone in an humble cottage out on San Pablo avenue but he certainly had some funerals.

For a time the downtown traffic of Oakland was halted completely while a score of costly limousines wound slowly through the street behind a big brass band playing dirges. Followed several wagonloads of flowers and a long line of uniformed car company employees brought up the rear.

Stevenson had been a member of the Carmen's Social and Benevolent society and the Carmen's union and at his death he had accumulated benefits aggregating more than \$1000. He left not a relative in the world and these organizations decided to spend it all on his funeral.

Sweden Asks for Copper.

LONDON, Feb. 25.—The seizure of a considerable quantity of unwrought copper for Sweden, which was brought over in two neutral and three British ships, came up before the prize court. The counsel for the Swedish company said he was authorized by the Swedish minister to say that the copper was urgently needed in Sweden to fill the government contracts. He asked for an undertaking by the British government that the government which had requisitioned the copper would not use it before a legal settlement was reached.

The attorney general said the British government, while it was prepared to act reasonably in the matter could not give such an undertaking. The case was adjourned on the application of the attorney general.

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