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THE LEGISLATURE

The Primary Election Bill Passed in the Senate.

A VETO MESSAGE READ.

The House Considers Nearly the Entire Day on the Big Assessment Bill - A Divided Opinion.

SALEM, Feb. 5.—The tax and assessment bill occupied the attention of the house to the exclusion almost of other business, the consideration of the bill being carried on in the committee of the whole. Late in the afternoon an animated discussion sprang up, the particular point under consideration being the exemption for indebtedness clause. A great diversity of opinion prevailed and many able arguments were made. The result will probably be that the bill will be amended and discussed until the time is exhausted and will finally be defeated.

IN THE SENATE.

The senate, morning session, met at 10; prayer by Rev. J. Bowersox, of Salem.

The journal reading was dispensed with. Cresson's bill to assent to the purposes of the grants of congress to agricultural colleges, being the special order for this morning, a motion to recommit the bill was lost; passed, 27 yeas.

New bills: Hilton offered a new bill, relating to the boundaries of Gilliam county; second reading; to senators from Grant, Morrow, Wasco and Gilliam counties.

By Cameron, amending the acts incorporating Jacksonville; second reading; to corporations.

By Hirsch, amending the charter of Woodburn; second reading; to third reading.

By Cross, new bill for the appropriation of \$5000 for aid of the deaf and dumb school, Salem, in the purchase of a new site; second reading; to education.

The committee on elections reported on the Cogswell bill, recommending certain amendments. The amendments were voted on separately; ordered engrossed and to be made a special order for 3 P. M.

The special committee to examine the deaf mute school reported, recommending a new and larger site for the same, and new buildings, and that it would be proper to appropriate \$5000 for new grounds, etc., placed on file.

This afternoon a communication from the secretary of state was read concerning the return of senate bill 135, of the 15th session, regarding the fishing industry on the Columbia, stating that Governor Penroyer had refused to sign the same. The message of the governor was laid on the table; also senate bill 154, with the governor's objections. The bill is for \$9000 for a fish hatchery on the waters of the Columbia; laid on the table.

Bills, for state and life diplomas for college graduates; passed. Report of the joint committee to confer with the same from the Washington legislature was read.

Two new bills were offered as a result of the conference, one to protect salmon and other fish in Oregon; to first and second reading; to third reading on Friday.

Fulton's new bill to regulate salmon and sturgeon fishing, second reading; third reading Friday.

Cogswell's bill for holding and regulating primary elections, being a special order for 3 o'clock, was taken up and passed, 29 yeas, unanimous.

Substitute for Cross' road bill reported by the committee on roads and highways, first and second readings.

Tongue's bill regarding suits for a portion of real property; read third time; passed.

Raley, payment of sheriffs for board of prisoners in their custody; passed.

Tongue, punishing persons assaulting an officer in the discharge of his duties; passed.

Sinclair, exemption of homesteads from attachment or execution; passed.

Adjourned till 7:30 o'clock. At the evening session the following senate corporation bills were passed: North Brownsville, Anderson, Jefferson, Portland, Brownsville, La Grande, Dallas City; house bills: Astoria, Milton, Union, Mitchell, Vernonia.

IN THE HOUSE. The house opened with prayer by Rev. E. S. Bollinger, of Salem; the veto message of the governor on the fish commission bill, of the session of 1889, was read. The message and bill were ordered printed and the matter made a special order in the committee of the whole house, next Monday evening.

The house then went into a committee of the whole on the big assessment bill, with Barrett in the chair. The committee arose and reported progress, after considering all but three sections.

After much wrangling a motion was made by Butler for a commit-

tee to report a substitute for section 18, which allows deductions for real estate mortgages only.

Chairman Butler desired to make this a test vote, and it was 32 yeas, 25 nays, 3 absent, so he appointed Butler, Hall and Jennings a committee, favorable to deductions for indebtedness. They will report Friday.

At the evening session the house passed Welch's bill appropriating \$17000 for a wagon road from Olney, Clatsop county, to Greenville. Fox's bill for a road in Clatsop county to second reading; referred to special wagon road committee to report at any time.

CHALLENGE TO FITZ.

Hall, the Australian, Wants to Meet His Countryman.

Chicago, Feb. 5.—Barney Allen, an Australian, and book-maker, known as "Gold King," is in the city. In spite of the fact that he is said to have lost \$60,000 on the Melbourne cup, Alen has an abundance of money to wager on Jim Hall, in a match with Fitzsimmons. Hall claims still to be the champion middle-weight of Australia, though Fitzsimmons claims to have defeated him in three and one-half rounds. Allen asserts that the meeting between the two was simply a glove contest, and was not a defeat for Hall.

Hall will meet Fitzsimmons for any amount from \$1000 to \$5000, and under any condition, and battle for the middleweight championship. If Hall is unsuccessful in having this meeting, he will go to England and meet the victor in the coming Burke-Pritchard contest.

RECIPROCITY.

PRESIDENT HARRISON ISSUES A PROCLAMATION.

Brazil Has Made Important Tariff Concessions to the United States by Way of Reciprocity.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—This afternoon President Harrison issued a proclamation, setting forth that the Brazilian minister has communicated to the secretary of state the fact that in due reciprocity and for the consideration of the admission in the United States, free of all duty, the articles enumerated in section 3 of the tariff act, to-wit: sugar, molasses, coffee and hides, the government of Brazil has by legal enactment authorized the admission from and after April 1, 1891, into all established ports of entry of Brazil, free of duty, merchandise named as follows, provided such be the product and manufactures of the United States: wheat, wheat flour, corn and maize and manufactures thereof, including corn meal and starch, rye, rye flour, buckwheat, buckwheat flour, barley, potatoes, beans, hay, oats, pork salted, including pickled pork and bacon, except ham, fish salted, dried or pickled, cotton-seed oil, coal, anthracite and bituminous, rosin, tar, pitch and turpentine, agricultural tools, implements and machinery, including stationary and portable engines, and all machinery for manufacturing and industrial purposes, except printing machines, instruments and books for the arts of sciences, railway construction material and equipments.

The government of Brazil has also further authorized the admission with a reduction of 25 per cent of the existing tariff duty in Brazil, the following named articles produced or manufactured in the United States: tar, and substitutes thereof, bacon, hams, butter and cheese, canned and preserved meats, fish, fruits and vegetables, manufactures of cotton, including cotton clothing, manufactures of iron and steel, single or mixed not included.

The government of Brazil has further provided that the laws and regulations adopted to protect its revenue and prevent frauds in declarations and proofs, etc., shall place no undue restrictions on the importation, nor impose any additional charge or fees therefor, on the articles imported.

The proclamation states further that the secretary of state has by the president's direction given assurance to the Brazilian minister that this action of his government in granting exemption of duties to products and manufacturers of the United States is accepted as due reciprocity for the action of congress, as set forth in section 3 of the tariff act.

Therefore President Harrison has caused the above stated modifications of the tariff law of the United States to be made public for the information of the citizens of the United States.

BURNED TO DEATH.

Terrible Holocaust in an Orphan Asylum.

WATERVILLE, Me., Feb. 5.—The city poor-house was burned this morning. One nurse, a girl of 15 years, was burned to death. Thirteen escaped.

Moscow, Feb. 5.—A terrible fire occurred in an orphan asylum in this city last night. Nine children were burned to death and a number of others seriously injured, and their lives are despaired of.

THE DAY IN CONGRESS

The Pension Bill, as Amended, Passed in the Senate.

A STATEMENT FROM INGALLS.

He Is Unalterably Opposed to the Election Bill—Other Important Measures.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—Among the bills reported and placed on the March calendar was one increasing the pension of Gen. Custer's widow to \$100 a month. Ingalls, rising to make a personal statement, said he had been absent from the sessions of the senate during the past two weeks, in which interval action had been taken on the cloture and on the election bill. His attitude on both these subjects had been subject to comment and censure and of inadvertence. He was unalterably opposed to the adoption of cloture for many reasons, and the election bill appeared to him cumbersome, complicated, obscure and difficult of application.

The pension appropriation bill was taken up. It appropriates for pensions for the year \$133,173,083; for fees and expenses for examining surgeons, \$500,000; for salaries of eighteen pension agents, \$72,000; and for clerks' hire, \$30,000.

Cockerell offered an amendment providing that hereafter no pension should be allowed or paid any officer, non-commissioned officer, or private in the army, navy or marine corps, either on the active or retired list; agreed to. All the committee amendments having been agreed to the bill then passed, Stewart not offering the amendment of which he gave notice, to take a free coinage bill as a part of the pension appropriation.

Among the bills taken from the calendar and passed were the following: House bill for cancellation with the United States engineer for the delivery of stone for the improvement of the mouth of the Columbia river.

Senate bill to establish a marine board for the advancement and interests of the merchant marine.

Senate bill authorizing the secretary of war to cause an exploration and survey to be made of the interior of Alaska and appropriate \$100,000 for this purpose.

IN THE HOUSE. The house, on motion of McKinley, of Ohio, by unanimous vote, ordered that during the remainder of the session the house shall meet at 11 A. M.

The house committee on foreign affairs had under consideration Morrow's bill, to incorporate the "Pacific Cable Co.," to day, which is to establish a cable from San Francisco to the Hawaiian Islands, thence via Samoa to New Zealand and to Japan. It was finally decided to instruct the committee to prepare a new bill on the lines proposed in the present bill, but which will strengthen it in various ways and keep the proposed cable under the control of the United States government.

INDIANS AGAIN DANCING.

Settlers Near Fosston, Minnesota, Threatened With Their Lives.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 5.—A letter was received at the secretary's office yesterday, from the citizens of Fosston, Polk county, stating that the Indians were again dancing and boasting that in a few weeks there would not be a white man left alive in the thirteen towns near Red Lake reservation. The writer said that the settlers are abandoning their farms and stocks, and ask that two or three companies of militia be sent up there to aid the settlers in case of an outbreak.

A WICKED PREACHER.

Bishop Engle Expelled for "Indiscreet Financialing."

ABILENE, Kansas, Feb. 5.—The elders of the church of United Brethren of Kansas at a meeting today expelled Bishop Engle from the ministry for "indiscreet financialing." The bishop recently speculated in Kansas real estate and failed with liabilities of \$50,000.

An English Opinion.

New York, Feb. 5.—Sir Charles Tupper and Sir Donald Smith arrived from London to-day. Sir Charles speaking of the Canadian proposals on the question of reciprocity said he thought the proposition of the most practicable and satisfactory character ever submitted.

The Fight Postponed.

New York, Feb. 5.—Owing to the issuance of warrants for the arrest of Dixon and McCarthy, the Puritan Athletic Club has decided to indefinitely postpone the fight.

WINDOM'S SUCCESSOR.

Banker Cannon, of New York, and General Bacheiler Suggested.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—It has leaked out that the friends of Henry W. Cannon, president of the Chase National bank of New York, are urging President Harrison to confer upon him the vacant

treasury portfolio. Ex-Senator Thomas C. Platt is one of the New Yorkers who has brought the matter to the president's attention, and other influences equally strong are being exerted in his behalf. Cannon was formerly comptroller of currency, and like the late Secretary Windom, a native of Minnesota. It was also reported at the capitol that the personal friends of the dead secretary are asking the president to call General Bacheiler, of New York, who was recently appointed to the Portuguese mission, and place him at the head of the department of which, it will be remembered, he was till recently one of the assistant secretaries. Part of this plan would be to confer the mission to Portugal upon William Windom, jr., the ex-secretary's son.

A FATAL SNOW SLIDE.

Four Miners Overwhelmed and Meet Their Death.

OCRAY, Col., Feb. 5.—Several miners started from the Virginia mine last night to help bring in the body of a man killed by a blast. While going up the mountain a snow slide occurred and Sam Byron, L. Phillips, Allen Tyre and John Sunderland were killed.

A Hopeless Task.

HARLETON, Pa., Feb. 5.—The water in the Janesville pit was lowered about 3 feet to-day. At this rate the bodies may not be reached for a month.

Fullman Car Shops Burned.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 5.—Fullman's palace car shops were burned to-night; loss, \$250,000.

A GROSS OUTRAGE.

INSANE PATIENTS CRUELLY TREATED.

A Woman Scalded to Death—The Inhuman Treatment to Be Investigated by the Legislature.

KALAMAZOO, Mich., Feb. 5.—The management of the Michigan insane asylum, which the legislature is about to investigate, will have to explain the deals which occurred there Tuesday night. For years it has been claimed that the most cruel practices have been in vogue there.

Mrs. Jennie Barth, of Spring Lake, Mich., was received a week ago, a raving maniac. It has been necessary to bathe her frequently, and, being a large woman, it required three attendants to do it. Tuesday Miss Roth Smith, supervisor of the hall, Annie Van Vleet and Minnie Irving gave her bath. After it was over, in some unaccountable manner, a stream of hot water shot out of a two-inch pipe and enveloped the unfortunate maniac. Attendants were unable to get her out, and she was frightfully scalded, lying from the effects. Only yesterday did it become known, and a rigorous investigation has been instituted.

THE DAY AT OLYMPIA.

Superior Judge Sachs Charged with Being a Gambler.

OLYMPIA, Wash., Feb. 5.—The senate broke the record this afternoon and passed twenty-five bills. They all related to the Hill code and were such as were drawn and suggested by Mr. Hill to correct defects and conflicts in existing laws.

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A state ball was given by the city of Olympia to the state officers and members of the legislature to-night at the Hotel Olympia. It was the most brilliant event of the present social season in the state capitol.

STABBING AFFRAY.

A Young Man at Linkville Fights in Self-Defense.

LINKVILLE, Or., Feb. 5.—This afternoon Fred Clift was seriously stabbed by John Fairchild, the nineteen year old son of John Fairchild, of Siskiyou, California. Clift was intoxicated and sought a quarrel with Fairchild, who tried to escape him. Clift pursued him, when Fairchild called out to the bystanders: "Stop him, boys, if he catches me, I'll kill him." No effort was made to stop Clift. He caught Fairchild, who stabbed him with a penknife in the arm, neck and head. Clift was placed under arrest. No blame is attached to Fairchild who acted only in self defense.

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STATE AND COAST:

The Water Way Convention in Session at Walla Walla.

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Stabbing Affray at Linkville, Oregon—The Washington Legislators Attend a State Ball.

WALLA WALLA, Feb. 5.—Delegates to the water-way convention assembled here this afternoon. F. W. Paine, of Walla Walla, was chosen temporary president, and C. T. Trenchard, of Astoria, temporary secretary. "The Columbia and Snake River Auxiliary Waterway Convention" was chosen as the name of the organization. Permanent organization was effected by the election of W. P. Gray of Pasco, president; S. G. Cosgrove, vice president; C. F. Trenchard of Astoria, secretary; J. E. Erick, of Arlington, assistant secretary; John Gill of Portland, treasurer. The following executive committee was then selected: N. G. Blackock of Walla Walla, A. C. Dickenson of Walla Walla, G. Wingate of Astoria, George Pope of Portland, Harry Krutz, of Walla Walla. A dispatch was sent to Senator Watkins of Wasco county, endorsing his bill for portage railways at the Cascades.

Huntington of The Dalles, offered a memorial to congress asking that body to pass the Dolph bill, making an appropriation for finishing the work on the Cascade locks.

The convention spent the next hour in listening to five minute speeches by the delegates. Strong speeches were made, all of them advocating the asking of that body to pass the Dolph bill, making an appropriation for finishing the work on the Cascade locks.

The convention adjourned till 10 o'clock to-morrow.

The committee on resolutions will present a report to-morrow. The report will contain a memorial to the legislatures of Oregon and Washington, asking for separate appropriations of \$100,000 for construction at the Cascades and The Dalles of incinerators and railroads, and to build cars and engines, besides making laws controlling trackage charges to be collected by the companies owning the railroads. This is a plan of 'captain Gray, of Astoria, who says this is a cheap means of giving temporary relief.

A memorial to congress asks that the Dolph bill pass, also the senate bill providing for a portage railway around the dalles.

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