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SESSION LAWS OF 1891.

A Condensed Statement of all General Acts.

(From the Daily Oregonian.)

ELECTIONS REGULATED.

The provisions of the Australian ballot law apply to the smallest precinct in the state. Briefly, elections are to be held hereafter under these rules:

RAILROAD LEGISLATION.

Powers of the Commission.—The Miller law to increase the powers of the railroad commission requires all railroad corporations within ninety days after the passage of the act to furnish to the commission with a schedule of charges for transportation.

To Encourage Railroad Building.

Any railroad company building a line over thirty miles in length within three years from date shall be entitled to contract with the state for the transportation of coal, iron ore and bituminous coal, and shall be paid therefor for five years a sum equal to the amount of taxes which such company will pay annually for that time.

FOR THE PROTECTION OF LABORERS.

Wages Preferred Claims.—Senator Cogswell's bill, the passage of which was urged by the Federated Trades Assembly of Portland, received the approval of the governor, but not having an emergency clause, will not become a law until the expiration of ninety days.

Debts of a Dead Man.—Section 1183, Hill's Code, relating to the order in which claims against a decedent's estate are to be paid, is amended so that immediately after liens upon estate existing prior to death, there must be paid the debts due employees of decedent for wages earned within the ninety days immediately preceding his death.

Laborers' Lien on Land.—Laborers employed clearing or improving any land may have a lien on such land for their wages, and such lien shall be preferred to every other lien, mortgage or encumbrance of a subsequent date.

TO COMPLETE THE CAPITOL.

The governor, secretary of state and state treasurer are empowered to expend \$20,000 for the purposes of building a dome, providing sufficient heating apparatus for the entire capitol building, and making such alterations in the hall of representatives as may be necessary to improve its acoustical properties.

TO DIVERT NATURAL WATER-COURSES.

An act of great importance to Oregon and Southern Oregon is the following:

The use of the waters of the lakes and running streams of the state for general rental, sale or distribution for purposes of irrigation and supplying water for house hold and domestic consumption, and watering live-stock, upon dry lands of the state is declared a public use, and the right to collect rates therefor a franchise.

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owner. If compensation cannot be agreed upon with the owner, suit must be brought in the circuit court. No riparian owner shall, without his consent, be deprived of water for household or domestic use, or for the purpose of watering his stock, or of water necessary to irrigate his crops.

All existing appropriations of water shall be respected to the amount of water actually appropriated. Water shall be furnished to owners of land along the line of the ditch at reasonable rates.

For Municipal Purposes.—Any incorporated city is given the right to appropriate water courses for water works or other municipal uses, provided that in cities of less than 15,000 inhabitants, a majority of the taxpayers must authorize such action at a special election before it can be taken.

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Pharmacists Must Be Registered.—Ninety days after February 21 the following law will be in effect:

Every person conducting a pharmacy, drug store, apothecary shop, or dispensing medicines or poisons, must be a registered pharmacist; and no person not a registered pharmacist may compound, physicians' prescriptions or dispense poisons.

Within sixty days the governor shall appoint five competent pharmacists as a board, which shall examine applicants and issue certificates, the fee to be \$5 in each case.

Any person is entitled to be registered who is either a graduate in pharmacy or engaged in the business at the time this act takes effect.

The latter class may, upon satisfactory proof, obtain certificates upon payment of a \$2 fee.

Clocks, who have been a service two years may obtain a certificate as registered assistant, upon payment of a \$1 fee.

Registered pharmacists will hold responsible for the quality of their drugs and medicines, and must be held responsible for records kept of the persons to whom they were sold.

A law of \$100 may be levied for violation of this act, and the name of the pharmacist may be stricken from the register.

REMARKS TO SCHOOLS.

Magistrate Normal School.—The governor is authorized to appoint, by and with the advice and consent of the senate, nine persons who shall, in connection with the state board of education, constitute the board of regents of the normal school of the state of Oregon.

This board is to have complete control of the education and financial affairs of the school, and employ all teachers needed.

All graduates of this school are authorized to teach in any public school in the state.

The regents shall not receive any compensation for their services, but are allowed their expenses for attending meetings of the board.

Voters at School Elections.—In districts with a population of 1000 or more only taxpayers may hereafter vote at school meetings.

State Agricultural College.—The sum of \$353,500 is appropriated to make up a deficiency now existing in the college for other new buildings.

Collection of School Taxes.—When any district tax is levied in accordance with the present school laws, and the clerk has made out the assessment roll, the directors of the district shall sit as a board of equalization, and may increase the assessment of any person whose property has been undervalued, upon giving him notice to show cause why it should not be done.

Delinquent taxes shall be reported to the sheriff in the same manner as county taxes, and if the property is sold, to give a deed therefor.

Election of School Clerk.—In cities of 10,000 inhabitants the school clerk shall be deemed an officer of the board of directors, who shall elect him, fix his compensation and prescribe his duties.

The governor's approval has already been given to this act.

Preparation of Teachers.—All persons graduating from any college or university, incorporated or chartered under the laws of this state shall be entitled to receive state diplomas as teachers, and after six years of successful teaching in the state shall be entitled to lie diplomas.

Teachers' Examinations.—The county board of examiners shall hold quarterly examinations on the second Wednesday of February, May, August and November.

School Funds Not Used.—If any school district does not use the money received from the county and state during the same year it shall be returned to the county school fund.

State Board of Education.—All persons holding diplomas or certificates from the state board shall have them registered by the county superintendent in the county in which they are going to teach; and such holders of diplomas must attend institutes and assist in institute work.

Refusal to do this may be punished by revocation of the diploma.

(Continued next week.)

A few days ago while sitting in Elder Ems' drug store at Tingley, Iowa, Mr. T. L. Dyer, a well known citizen, came in and asked for something for a severe cold which he had.

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