

THE LEGISLATURE.

Long Dry Sessions are Livened By Warm Debate.

SCORES AND SCORES OF BILLS.

A Member's Success Gauged By His Capacity to Introduce Bills.

EVERY MAN DOES HIS DUTY.

Many Measures Go to a Third Reading and are Passed.

SENATE.

TUESDAY AFTERNOON SESSION.

Dimick, for the extirpation of the Canada thistle; passed.

Tongue, for the distribution of real property of deceased persons; that the property of a married woman shall at her death descend to her husband unless otherwise provided for by will; passed.

Cogswell, providing for time of holding court in Klamath county; postponed.

Steel, duties of clerk of circuit and county court of Multnomah county; passed.

Tongue, that a married woman may give conveyance of real property without special affidavit from her husband; passed.

Cogswell, that county clerks be instructed to send abstracts of votes cast to the secretary of state; passed.

H. J. M. by Northup, relief of Sgt. Robert Williams; concurred in.

H. J. R. by Jennings, that the secretary of state be directed to forward a copy of senate and house journals to each member of the house and senate; concurred in.

H. J. M. by Bean, that the secretary of the interior be instructed to take further steps to enforce laws relating to allotment of lands on the Umatilla Indian reservation; concurred in.

Harrington, defining magistrates; to second reading.

Thompson, that U. S. surveyors may enter upon lands; to judiciary.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Roberts, to change name of Averill to Bandon; passed.

Maxwell, changing dates of holding courts in Tillamook county; passed.

Petition amending charter of Roseburg; to corporations.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Judiciary reported favorably on Wager's bill providing for curing defects in judicial sales of real property; recommended that Wager's bill No. 10 regulating foreclosures of mortgages pass; Cogswell's bill against re-entry upon lands by persons legally ejected; engrossed.

Wager's bill, that every householder shall be allowed property valuation of \$2000 exempt from execution, engrossed. Steel's bill, that U. S. surveyors may enter upon lands; engrossed. Moore's bill for punishment of trespassers; engrossed.

Moore's bill making illegitimate child an heir to its mother; engrossed. Fullerton's bill, that supreme courts be held at Pendleton and Salem; engrossed.

Judiciary returned Dawson's bill, which was recommitted, and the amendment was adopted; engrossed.

Maxwell's bill, for the changing of circuit courts of Tillamook county to second Monday of September; engrossed.

WEDNESDAY FORENOON SESSION.

S. B. 59 of last session returned with Governor's disapproval; ordered printed with veto of governor for use of senate.

S. B. 116 by Gray, Bill to allow Astoria and South Coast Railway Co. to construct a railway across Young's Bay and Skipanon Creek, in Clatsop county; to third reading.

S. J. R. 7 Committee on judiciary recommended its adoption, with amendments.

S. B. 70 Ordered engrossed yesterday was reconsidered.

S. B. 5 Relating to holding Supreme court offered as a substitute for 79; amended to insert Grant's Pass for Jacksonville; on motion ordered engrossed for third reading to-morrow.

Report on elections. S. B. 19 Reported for passage, with several slight amendments. Report as amended adopted; ordered for third reading to-morrow.

Report on claims. S. B. 6 For relief of Joel J. Hanberry; advised amendment reducing the sum to \$478; ordered engrossed for third reading to-morrow.

Report of committee on corporations.

S. B. 55 Recommended for passage; ordered engrossed for third reading to-morrow.

S. B. 5 with amendments. This refers to licensing sale of liquors; referred to select committee of Linn county senators, it being a local act.

S. B. 47 Reported for passage with amendments; adopted with amendments; ordered for third reading.

S. B. 14 Reported against passage. On motion postponed indefinitely as No. 17 has absorbed it.

S. B. 51 Reported against; further consideration postponed.

S. B. 62 Reported for passage with amendments; ordered for third reading.

S. B. 35 Reported for passage; adopted and for third reading.

S. B. 15 Reported for passage with amendments; adopted and for third reading.

H. B. 17. Referred to same committee on corporation and reported for passage; passed to third reading in order.

S. B. 67. Reported for passage; adopted for third reading.

S. B. 68. Reported for passage with amendment; adopted for third reading.

S. B. 61. Reported for reference to committee on R. R.; adopted and re-referred.

S. B. 11. Reported for passage with amendment; adopted for third reading.

HOUSE.

TUESDAY AFTERNOON SESSION.

No. 2, for survey of timber land, and S. J. R. No. 3, reimbursing settlers for excess of money paid for land on line of the Oregon Central railroad; concurred in.

S. J. M. for condemnation of strip of land in Washington territory at Cello for portage railway; concurred in.

Senate bill to complete wagon road from Pendleton to Canyon City; to commerce.

Dimick's for the extirpation of the Canada thistle; to agriculture.

Tongue's providing for descending of property of deceased persons; first reading.

Steel's defining duties of clerks of circuit courts; first reading.

Tongue's separate acknowledgement of married women in making deeds; first reading.

For forfeiture of Northern Pacific land grant between Wallula and Portland; concurred in.

SECOND READING OF BILLS.

Earhart, to regulate insurance companies; ways and means.

Paulsen, for precinct assessors; assessment and taxation.

Fell, to amend law on injunctions; judiciary.

Cogswell's S. B. to provide for abstracts of election returns; first reading.

Northup, to amend law regarding wills; judiciary; for the relief of indigent soldiers and sailors; committee of the whole.

Jennings's memorial for a department of agriculture and the election of a United States senator by a direct vote. First proposition adopted; second lost.

SECOND READING OF BILLS.

Thompson, for a postage railway around The Dalles and Celilo; to commerce.

Condon, to abolish free scholarships in the State University; to education.

Powell, to amend road laws; to roads and highways.

Paquet, to furnish assessment blanks to school clerks; to third reading.

Hahn, to amend Astoria charter; to corporations.

Bean, to amend Pendleton charter; to third reading.

Thompson, to increase salary of assistant chief engineer of Portland paid fire department; passed.

WEDNESDAY FORENOON SESSION.

The Speaker announced the following special committee to act on H. J. R. 2. Messrs, Hahn, Crook and Bowditch.

SECOND READING OF BILLS.

110. Hume. To amend Sections 383 and 805, of Deady's Code relating to procedure, in equity suits. Jud.

111. Thompson. To provide for analyzing mineral waters and other liquids. Com. on Agriculture.

112. Thompson. To protect the nests of certain birds. To com. on Commerce.

113. Jennings. To regulate the practice of Medicine and Surgery. To com. on Elections.

114. Condon. To amend Section 877, Title 2, Chapter 11. To third reading.

115. Condon. To incorporate Eugene. Engrossed and passed to third reading.

Message from the Senate. That H. J. R. 7. had been considered.

116 Hume. To amend Sec. 3101, Title 3, Chapter 28, Hill's Code. Com. on Jud.

117 Jennings. To amend Sec. 2795, Title 6 Chapter 17, Hill's Code. Com. on assessment and taxation.

Jud.

119 Moss. To amend Sec. 3553, Title 1, Chapter 38, Hills Code. Com. on agriculture.

120 Fell. For a wagon road from Pendleton to Canyon City. Withdrawn by consent.

121 Williamson. To prevent sheep being driven over lands of another in certain cases. Committee on counties.

122 Haskell. To amend Sec. 3423; committee on agriculture.

123 Napton. To amend Sec. 3587, relating to interest. Committee on assessment and taxation.

124 Napton. To change the name of Bully Creek in Malheur county. Passed to third reading.

125 Paulsen. To regulate toll on bridges across Willamette river at Portland. Com. on railway and taxation.

126 Layman. To incorporate Woodburn in Marion county. Com. on corporations.

127. Layman To prevent adulteration of food, drugs, etc. Committee on agriculture.

128. Gambee. To provide for the assessment and collection of taxes. Com. on assessment and taxation.

Message from senate that H. B's 69 and 12 had been engrossed.

129. Armstrong. To amend Section 2598, chapter 14, of School Laws. Bill ordered printed.

230. Price. To amend Sections 3002, 3003, 3011, 3015, 3025, 3026, 3027, Hill's Code. Com. on judiciary.

131. Belknap. Relating to duties of Supt. of Public Instruction; and concerning text books; amending Sections 2575, 2576, 1577, Title 1, Chapter 16, Hill's Code. Com. on assessment and taxation.

131. Napton. To incorporate Vale. Committee on Corporations.

133. R. A. Miller. A bill for an Act entitled an Act to amend Section 2304, Chapter 7 of the Miscellaneous Laws of Oregon relating to fees of District Attorneys. Committee on Military Affairs.

134. Blundell. An act to authorize the State Treasurer to pay to Douglas county moneys in his hands known as the "North Umpqua Bridge Fund." Com on Ways and Means.

135. Powell. To incorporate the town of Independence. Com. on Corporations.

136. C. G. Fisher. An Act to regulate the practice of medicine and fix the fees of physicians of this state. Com. on Elections.

137. Geer. To amend Section 2621 of the General Laws of Oregon providing for pay of School District Clerks. Com on Education.

138. Napton. To amend Section 2853 of Chapter 18, Title 1. of the Laws of Oregon relating to marriages Com on Jud.

139. Price. To incorporate the town of Central Point, Jackson county. Special Committee from Jackson county.

140. Ross. For the relief of Union county, Oregon. Com. on Jud.

141. Harrington. To amend the Civil Code in relation to appeals. Com. on Jud.

142. Thompson. To establish the office of State Examiner of Stationary and Portable Engines. Further consideration of the bill indefinitely postponed.

143. Condon. To provide for the improvement of Fall creek in Lane county, Oregon. Com. on Jud.

144. Gilbert. To amend Section 4078 of Codes and General Laws and provide for the creation of special road districts in lands subject to overflow. Com. on Roads and Highways.

145. Gilbert. To amend Section 2316 in relation to salary of Librarian. Com. on Ways and Means.

146. Hume. An act to amend the Criminal Code of Procedure as compiled by Hill, in relation to bail. Com. on Jud.

147. Grosno. To amend Section 3542, General Laws, relating to health officers at Gardiner and Yaquina City. Com. on Commerce.

148. Short. To protect the citizens of this State from the sale of intoxicating liquors. Com. on Alcoholic Traffic.

149. Geer. To amend an Act to create and establish a Board of Railroad Commissioners. Committee on Railway and Transportation.

Would There Were More Such.

The Albany Democrat and Umpqua Herald are strictly honest papers which give due credit to articles they reprint from others. It is not that we object to the stealing done by some papers, but what makes us feel so badly is the fact that the articles stolen from us are finally credited to some thief by the honest journalist who, seeing them for the first time in the thief's columns, reprints and gives credit to the reprobate, who then dances through newspaperdom in all the glory of stolen property.

WORK FOR THE GRAND JURY.

Nine Men in Jail Awaiting the Action of the Jury.

Sheriff Croisan has just nine boarders, all of whom are bound over until the grand jury meets and makes an examination of the charges against them. Of those confined, several are mere boys, better subjects for tuition in a reform school than for incarceration among vile criminals. Reform in them is not impossible and there is hope that they may yet become useful citizens. Those in jail are:

Vernon Osborn, aged sixteen, charged with the larceny of \$70 from the dwelling of the North Salem dairyman.

Charles Cowan, aged eighteen, to answer to a bestial crime—sodomy.

Al and Willis Jordan, aged respectively sixteen and eighteen, for assault with intent to kill Tate, a man-animal who permitted his relative, a half witted girl, to enter and remain in a house of prostitution.

Chas. Atwood and William Hottzclaw, assault with deadly weapon upon Robt. Krebs, at Gervais.

George Lawton, for robbery, he having drugged and gone through the pockets of his friend Asa Corwin while taking him home in a cab.

Daniel Rodgers, for the robbery of \$7.50 from the defunct demi-monde Dora Blake.

George Scott, on two charges of assault. He comes from Mills City, where the difficulty occurred.

Aside from these cases, Frank Gorman is out on bail, and stands accused of having stabbed Bill Hiatt. Also J. S. McDonald and Jones are bound over with the charge of gambling set opposite their names, and Jack Hallwell for permitting unlawful gaming in his house.

LOCAL SUMMARY.

—E. M. Waite spent yesterday at the metropolis.

—Painless dental operations at Dr. T. C. Smith, 92 State street. tf.

—M. Sherman, the merchant at Mehama, lost a very fine horse at that place this week.

—Thomas Nicholson, for being drunk and disorderly, is serving a four days' sentence in the bastle.

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