

THE LEGISLATURE.

The Last Day of the Fifteenth Biennial Session.

THE RAILROAD COMMISSION.

Both Legislature and Governor Select a Full Board.

NO HOMESTEAD LAW.

The Legislature Bids Immigration Stay out of Oregon.

This morning when Hunter's name was called in the house, he asked unanimous consent to introduce a new bill. A smile crept over the face of every member in the House, at any one trying to introduce a bill at the last House of the session, but he stated the bill was a substitute to a similar bill that had passed both houses and become a law for the incorporation of the town of Grant, but by an overlook there was no enactment clause in the bill passed. No opposition was made to the bill and it was passed.

The joint convention of the two houses last evening was of considerable interest and excitement. The republicans supported their nominees almost to a man, but the democrats were angry, or more definitely speaking were mad, and voted blank. They declared that it was the arrangement and agreement that they were to be allowed to choose one man on the railway commission, and at the last moment the republicans had chosen their own candidates and elected them without extending to them the courtesies looked for. Senator Watts made an eloquent speech of short duration, which made the walls of the House of Representative ring as they never rang before. On speaking of the railway commission, he said: I see by the report of the commission that last year they were instrumental in lessening the net proceeds of freights, etc., "over \$300,000, and if two commissioners can do that why cannot three do still better." [Applause.] In closing his remarks he said: As a member of that "Grand Old Party," it gives me honor to vote for Hons. J. B. Faul, G. W. Colvig and Robert Clow."

SENATE.

THURSDAY P. M. SESSION.

McCoy's bill creating county of Sherman; passed.
Legislative assembly does not indorse the removal of the railroad commissioners.

HOUSE BILLS SECOND READING.

Waldo, providing against bribery in elections.
Harrington, providing for crimes committed on Columbia and Snake rivers.

Thompson, establishing a paid fire department in Portland.
Fell, creating county Morrow.
Miller, protecting pheasants.
Harrington, providing for incorporation of religious societies.

Hume, authorizing appointment of stenographers in circuit courts; passed.

Gilbert, bill fixing salary of librarian at \$1000; passed.

Smith, bill establishing state normal school at Dalles City; passed.

Geer, bill providing that supervisors shall remove road obstructions and repair bridges; passed.

Hume, bill amending code of criminal procedure, relating to domestic animals; passed.

Northrup, bill for relief of indigent Indian war soldiers; passed.

Jennings, bill defining voters at school meeting; passed.

Apperson, bill regulating rates of adulterated food; passed.

Strowbridge, bill for prevention of enticing seamen from ships; passed.

FRIDAY A. M. SESSION.

The attention of the senate was largely occupied with the general appropriation bill, H. B. 241 which passed with some few amendments of no great importance. The whole sum appropriated is over seven hundred thousand dollars.

Messages from the House announced the passage of S. B. 153 and 88; to enrolled bills.

BILLS CALLED UP.

H. B. 147. Cronso, to amend section 3542, general laws, to pay health officers at Coos Bay, Yaquina and Gardiner; passed.

H. B. 137. Amending section 2321 of laws, fees of clerks of school districts of 4000 inhabitants and more; passed.

H. B. 121. To prevent sheep and cattle from being driven on public lands or on any lands without the owners permission; postponed.

H. B. 241. General appropriations, House concurred in Senate amendments and so notified the Senate.

HOUSE.

THURSDAY P. M. SESSION.

House concurred in senate amendments to Maxwell's bill to fix time of holding Tillamook county courts, and Ladd's military bill; also to Thompson's bill protecting government surveyors; and McCoy's bill creating Sherman county; also Hume's bill to punish stealing of stock, adding the word "dog," also to Harrington's, bill to discharge mortgages by affidavit.

McCoy, bill to fix time of holding court in Seventh district; passed.

Norval, S. B. granting Oregon & Washington railroad right of way through state lands; passed.

Wager, bill exempting homesteads from execution; lost.

Eakin, bill to authorize construction of Siuslaw & Eastern railroad; passed.

Irvine, bill to protect railroad laborers, contractors and sub-contractors; lost.

EVENING SESSION.

Apperson moved rules be suspended and H. R. 241 for appropriations be considered; adopted; passed.

Report of committee on enrolled bills.

Goodnough called for S. B. 111 by Cogswell to authorize county courts to declare unnavigable streams highways for floating logs; passed.

Report of Com. to investigate the books, etc., of secretary of state, reported favorably; adopted.

Amendment to Jennings' bill concerning school laws, adopted; and amendment to Apperson's bill against the sale of unwholesome food was concurred in; and Paquet's educational bill was amended and concurred in.

Layman moved a reconsideration by which Irvine's S. B. protecting railway laborers, contractors and sub-contractors, was lost; motion prevailed and placed on final passage and became a law.

The following are the officers elected at the joint convention last evening:

LIBRARIAN.

J. B. Putman received 83 votes.

PILOT COMMISSIONERS.

F. C. Wilson, A. Montgomery, J. Brown. Received 71 votes each.

RAILWAY COMMISSIONERS.

J. B. Faul, G. W. Colvig and Robert Clow.

FISH COMMISSIONERS.

T. C. Reed, R. C. Campbell and E. E. Thompson.

BOATMAN.

J. D. Gray.

FRIDAY A. M. SESSION.

Com on enrolled bills reported H. B. 12, 18 and 240 correctly enrolled.

Hunter introduced a new bill No. 242 for the incorporation of Grant. Passed.

Moore called up S. B. 29 by Tongue to amend Hill's Code relating to descent and distribution of property of deceased persons. Passed.

Morelock called for S. B. 8 by Wait to cure defects in deeds and judicial sales. Passed.

House concurred with amendment offered by senate to H. B. 32 by Strowbridge, for the prevention of enticing or harboring seamen.

Howard called for S. B. 65, by Sinclair appropriating money land to reimburse I. Hacker. Passed.

Moss called for S. B. 153 for the incorporation of the town of Linkville. Passed.

Roberts offered a resolution to allow committee clerks five dollars per day after they are sworn in until adjournment; adopted.

Haskill by request called for S. B. 82 relating to the settlement of the sheriff with the treasurer; passed.

Hume called for S. B. 81 by Hilton for the location of the county seat of Gilliam county. Passed.

Harrington called up S. B. 81 by Gray for the relief of Clatsop county. Lost.

Hahn called for S. B. 194 by Gray to amend an act authorizing county courts to build armories. Passed.

H. J. R. 13 by Wilson instructing the Secretary of State to improve the Hall of Representatives; adopted.

Northrup by request called up S. B. 196 by Wait, to prevent nuisances. Passed.

Goodnough called for S. B. 172 by Wager, to provide for the cancellation of warrants over seven years old. Passed.

Paquet called up S. B. 88 by Tongue, relating to district atty's. Passed.

H. B. 241 was returned from the senate with amendments; amendments were concurred in.

Parker called for S. B. 138 by Eakin, relating to ware-houses, etc. Failed to pass.

Gilbert called for S. B. 31 by Cogswell, for re-entry upon lands. Lost.

Paulsen called for S. B. 37 relating to the acknowledgement of deeds. Passed.

Geer called for S. B. 107, by Looney making it a misdemeanor for any person to request for himself or another to be placed upon any jury, read first and second time by title only and placed upon final passage; passed.

Pope by request called up S. B. 179 by Tongue to increase the efficiency of our common schools.

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—AT SALEM ON—

Monday, March 4th, 1889.

Seven thirty p. m., for the purpose of hearing reports of directors and clerk, to levy a tax for the purpose of the school and payment of interest on bonds and to transact any other business proper to be done at said meeting.

DAVID SIMPSON, Clerk.

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