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### Tuesday Night, Jan. 31.

Our Clearance Sale Closes. Take advantage of the remaining time. Everything at reduced prices. All Silk, Satin and Velvet Remnants.....25 cts a yard All Colors Saxony yarn.....5 cts a yard All Winter Underwear.....30 per cent discount

Men's Furnishings and Hats closing out entirely. All Winter Shoes greatly reduced.

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Standard Patterns—best and cheapest First Door South of Postoffice

## TUESDAY'S DEBATES

Afternoon Talks in the House and the Senate.

Interesting Discussion of the Several Commission Bills—Night Sessions.

### HOUSE—TUESDAY P. M.

The House apparently begins to realize that it has a lot of work before it, and that it will be necessary to put in full time. The afternoon session was prolonged until nearly five o'clock in spite of several attempts to adjourn. When adjournment was finally taken until 7:30 p. m., the eyes and noses were about equally divided, although the speaker got out the Meyer's club to intimidate the recalcitrant "noes".

Gray's bill requiring proposed charters to be submitted to a vote of the electors, was most vociferously sat upon when the roll was called, but immediately at the conclusion of the roll call, there was a stampede of about a dozen members who wished to change their vote to aye, giving the bill a good majority.

Curtis' bill for the protection of sturgeon, which was passed, prohibits the taking of sturgeon between March 1, and Nov. 1, the taking of any sturgeon under four feet in length, or the use of Chinese sturgeon lines; all in the tide waters of the Columbia river.

Curtis explained that his bill, relative to the office of attorney general, was intended to give that official something to do besides being elected and drawing his salary's. The lone member from Illinois, who voted against it, hastened to change his vote before the result was announced.

Moody's bill relating to criminal prosecution provides that the district attorney may file information in criminal cases, and prosecute without the intervention of the grand jury. It does not abolish the grand jury, but is intended to do away with the expense of convening that body, when it is not necessary.

Curtis withdrew his bill, 219, relative to pilotage on the Columbia river, saying that a bill had been passed covering the same ground.

### BILLS PASSED.

H. R. 122, Curtis, to regulate the driving of motor vehicles in the waters of the state.

H. R. 18, Gray, requiring towns and cities to submit proposed charters to a vote of the citizens.

H. R. 13, Curtis, to protect sturgeon.

H. R. 16, Moody, requiring the deposit of money for jury fees in civil cases.

H. R. 15, Moody, to provide for criminal prosecution upon information, without the intervention of the grand jury.

H. R. 25, Curtis, to amend the act creating the office of attorney general.

H. R. 92, Massingill, for the relief of Lake county.

### SENATE—TUESDAY AFTERNOON.

In considering the Loewenberg settlement, as advanced by the report of the special committee, Fulton's amendment was adopted to make settlement by payment of \$10,000 cash and secured notes for the balance, by February 10. Senator Mitchell moved a substitute report fixing date of settlement at March 1. Selling moved to amend making date February 10. Lost. The report as amended by Fulton was adopted.

### BILLS INTRODUCED.

S. R. 239, Adams, a bill for an act to assist in the erection of a building in Silverton, Oregon, to be known as a liberal university building.

The committee on the revision of laws reported S. B. 4 with amendments, S. R. 90, favorably; S. R. 119; S. R. 202.

The committee on education reported unfavorably upon the Daly bill, but substituted S. B. 194. Mulkey offered certain amendments and moved to have the same reannounced, adopted. The committee also reported in favor of the proposition to trade the present Salem hospital property for the block of land adjoining the blind school.

## \$50—The Stearns

Standard of the world.

We've described the \$25 "Special." And the \$30 Tourist. And the \$40 Tribune. And now comes the "edition de luxe." The "edition de la creme." The wheel with the individuality that makes it the always popular one among the class of riders who demand the thoroughbred, and are willing to pay the price for a strictly up-to-date wheel; one that's been up-to-date for years, and never lets a good feature pass.

Last season the Stearns was the only standard high grade, mid tier wheel that had the courage to cut the price to \$50 on regular models. This season finds other lines falling over themselves to establish a new list. We set the standard. We are still \$50. And have a wheel that has no peer among the many when it comes to quality coupled with style and up-to-date features.

44 inch tread, 21 inch drop, 3-16 chain, options on tires, gears, saddles, bars, etc. (Chain and seat included.)

The 30 inch special. With 4 inch tread, 4 inch drop, 14 inch tires, rawhide saddle, 10 by 20 tooth sprockets, 24 pounds exact scale weight. Come and see it. No wheel shown in the United States to compare in lines or style. A regular greyhound, \$55.

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Scott's Emulsion is based upon scientific principles. We digest the oil for you by mechanical processes, thus strengthening your digestive organs by resting them. It stops wasting, and produces energy, vigor and warmth. The hypophosphites in it invigorates the nerves, and brain tissues.

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The committee on revision of laws reported against Dufar's bill providing that the wives and widows of veterans be admitted to the soldier's home, for the reason that the home has no room for more inmates.

The committee on agriculture recommended a substitute for S. B. 55, providing for the office of dairy and food commissioner.

The hour having arrived for the consideration of the special order on the woman's suffrage amendment, Senator Fulton moved that the amendment be adopted. Thereupon Senator Mulkey moved that Mrs. A. S. Dunnway be invited to address the Senate. This was adopted, when the great suffrage leader spoke briefly and to the point. Upon roll call every Senator present, except President Taylor, voted in the affirmative.

### JOURNAL "X-RAYS."

The snow storm will make lots of business.

The Donnybrook Fair, at Portland, is catching a big rush.

Senator Fulton doesn't seem to consider the college professor as a good "general purpose animal."

Exchange:—It should not be forgotten that some doctors who do not advertise are as big quacks as some of those who do.

There is nothing wrong with the proposed medical practice bill. It is a blow at the liberty of the press, at individual liberty, and a few minor matters of that kind that people in a free country can get along without just as well as not.

Dr. Joseph showed great wisdom in disclaiming authorship, when he introduced the bill.

The state is to be congratulated upon the present possibility of a fair business settlement of the Loewenberg penitentiary contract through the actions of the joint legislative committee headed by Senator Haines. The report seems to provide a firm business solution, and although it is in a measure a compromise, it is believed by all to be an honest compromise.

Senator Reed regretted that he was forced to vote against the Daly school bill, but was pledged to give it his vote if it was needed to rid the state of that terrible monopoly. The senator has at the instance of the governor introduced a bill to abolish to soldiers' home commission, and while it isn't thin skinned about small matters, he is consistent and "square" all the time.

George McBride was sold out by some of his dear friends in the House, when the vote was taken on the re-appointment bill. Such is life. The Portland Times says: "For several days, it is said telegrams have been sent by United States Senator McBride, in Washington, to members of the legislature, advising them to defeat the bill; but this recommendation was received too late to prevent its passage in the lower house."

School Tax in Woodburn. At a special school meeting held at Woodburn yesterday, a tax of 8 mills was levied. The levy by the city is 4 mills, which together with the state and county tax, makes a total of 33 mills, the heaviest tax by several mills that this city has ever known.

## Those odd lots of shoes...

ON THE BARGAIN TABLE NEAR THE DOOR, CONTAIN A NUMBER OF GOOD THINGS YET.

SOME \$2.00 TANS, 41.50 SOME \$1.10 DONGOLAS, \$1.35 SOME 99c ONES, 70c

We will sell you any Mackintosh in the house, 20 per cent off. All of our Winter Underwear, 20 per cent off. Indian Baskets in clothes hampers, waste baskets, etc., one-third off. We always mark in plain figures so you know what you're getting.

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Are attracting lots of trade among the early buyers. We want you to see them and note the prices. Single pieces and sets of all kinds in Nain-sook and Cambrie, very choice patterns.

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On our bargain table inside. Maybe we can't fit you.

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## WIGGINS' BAZAAR

301 COMMERCIAL STREET

### SEVERE SNOW STORM.

Fine Snow and Wind Drifting it Block-ade Traffic—Some Suffering.

There have been heavier snow falls at Salem the past twenty years but no storm ever so quickly blocked traffic. By 10 a. m. Wednesday not a streetcar wheel was turning. The wind was due north and a steady fine easterly blizzard sifted down. There was a steady fall all day. In spite of the storm there was a crowd of about two hundred took in the special train to Corvallis to look over the State Agricultural college.

If the god of storms would be so considerate of the dear people of Oregon as to snow down his white plumes and bury the whole legislative assembly, barely leaving time for them to return and pass about four bills that are really needed, it would indeed be a meteorological godsend to Oregon.

The storm causes much distress among poor people in the city and suburbs. If the snow should continue several days the poorly housed and poorly provided will need help, both human and dumb brutes and each one should enquire after his neighbors. Many calls are made upon city and county officials that should be relieved by the charity organizations.

The forecast for Wednesday night and Thursday is more snow.

By use of snowplows and double motor cars the electric lines have been partially opened to traffic this afternoon. The sky has cleared but further falls of snow may be expected.

### Work of a Microscopist.

A mysterious case in East Salem has been brought to the notice of the chief of police. The home of B. L. Colvin has been ransacked four times within the past two years, everything moveable, including jewelry, bric-a-brac, china, being taken from its proper place and stowed away in the basement, under beds and everywhere a place of concealment could be found, during the temporary absence of the family. Nothing has ever been missed after a search of the house has been made. Although a careful watch has been kept, the trespasser has never been seen. The work was first charged to boys in the neighborhood, but it is now thought that the guilty person is an adult. The police expect to secure evidence to connect some person with the crime.

### A Social Judas Tonight.

A local entertainment of unusual excellence is being prepared. Last night a reporter was admitted to a dress rehearsal of a Social Judas, to be presented at St. Joseph's hall tonight. It is without question one of the finest presentations by local talent ever given in Salem. It is not our purpose to particularize today, but we would wish to see it given in the opera house. The scenery at the hall, although very good, is not what the merits of the play demand. The orchestra is directed by Mr. Poppa, assisted by academy ladies.

### DIED.

SLOPER.—At Los Angeles, California, at 6:30 o'clock, a. m. Tuesday, February 1, 1909, Austin F. Sloper, age 52 years.

Decedent was the eldest son of Mrs. Emily Sloper, of this city, and a brother of Mrs. N. J. Judah. He was a contractor and builder, and his sad death was the out-come of a distressing accident which occurred on Thursday of last week, when in the course of raising a building some part of the engine employed in the work, snapped suddenly, the cable swinging back violently striking Mr. Sloper and fracturing his skull. He never recovered consciousness and died as above recorded.

### ENGINEER DEAD.

He Was Pinioned Under His Engine Cab.

ALAMEDA, Cal., Feb. 1.—Engineer Henry H. Jones, who was injured by the derailing of the local train, connecting with the San Francisco ferry-boat, is dead. He was pinioned under the cab. The fireman Colson is expected to recover.

The Best Among the delicacies served at Strong's restaurant are oysters fresh from the shell.

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## SALEM'S NEW SEED STORE

We have purchased the business of the O. Dickinson Seed Co. and are now prepared to fill all orders to this line, our stock consists of new seeds which are of the best quality and we hope by fair and liberal treatment to receive your patronage.

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### The Emporium..

Are now closing out their entire stock. Every article in the store to go at prices

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Now is the time to secure some rare bargains in China, Semi-porcelain, Vases, Ornaments, Bric-a-brac, Rugs, Portieres, Lamps, etc.

Stock and fixtures for sale in whole or part.

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