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SENATE PASSES

General Appropriation Bill.

Torrens Land Registration Bill Defeated.

House Takes Notice of the Whalley Incident.

Senator Howe offered a resolution to correct what may have led to future trouble. It seems that when J. W. Bailey was elected dairy commissioner, the law creating his office had not been signed by the governor, hence the necessity of a joint resolution re-affirming the election, which was done.

The district attorney's bill was brought up, and after several amendments being adopted the bill was passed by 16 to 11, those voting no being Senators Bates, Clem, Daly of Lake, Daly of Benton, Haines, Haseltine, Howe, Josephi, Mackay, Porter, Selling.

The general appropriation bill was passed by 24 to 5, those voting no being Senators Bates, Clem, Daly of Lake, Daly of Benton, Haines, Haseltine, Howe, Josephi, Mackay, Porter, Selling, Smith, Wade.

H. B. 3, Flagg, providing for all executions of capital punishment to be held at the state prison. Daly of Benton, and Kuykendall spoke in favor of the bill. Driver objected to making a state butcher of the prison superintendent, and raised the objection that it would be dangerous to bring criminals from distant counties to the capital for execution. Fulton and Brownell spoke against the bill on constitutional grounds. Upon motion of Brownell the bill was indefinitely postponed.

H. B. Myers, to apply funds received from the federal government to military fund. Passed.

H. B. 139, Myers, to restore to military fund certain moneys. Passed.

H. B. 140, Myers, for more efficient organization of national guard. Passed.

HOUSE--FRIDAY A. M. Nine o'clock was somewhat too early for the members who had worked until midnight, but half an hour later the House had settled down to business for the last day's work. Speeches were limited to five minutes and considerable business was cleared up.

The longest discussion was on Senator Kelley's bill to put the Torrens system of title registration into operation in this state. Butt, McCulloch, Whalley and Stewart, spoke for the bill; McCourt, Frelund and Flagg against it. The last named gentleman claimed that it was an act of confiscation, as it would ruin the business of the abstract companies. This is the only ground of objection to the proposed system, but it seems to have been sufficient to defeat the bill.

Flagg introduced a resolution to clear up some ambiguity of the journal records, and to distinctly state that the vote of censure passed on Wednesday was directed at the private citizen and not at the member of the House. Roberts aired his inability to understand plain English and moved to insert the name of the person censured, which was done.

This relapse may seem like exceedingly small business with which to take up the diminishing time of the legislative body. But it must be said in extenuation that a plain record of the incident would certainly give the impression that the vote of censure should have been directed at the member who took advantage of his position to make an unwarranted and scurrilous personal attack, on the floor of the House, upon a citizen present, who had no opportunity to properly defend himself. It was therefore proper that the House should clearly define its position.

Senate joint resolution, confirming the election of J. W. Bailey as food and dairy commissioner, was adopted. Williamson's resolution was adopted, limiting speeches to five minutes in length.

BILLS PASSED. S. B. 109, Daly of Lake, to provide for the sale of agricultural college lands.

S. B. 88, Fulton, to authorize county courts to allow the construction of logging roads upon county roads.

S. B. 22, Daly of Lake, providing when and in what kind of money taxes may be paid.

S. B. 224, Fulton, submitting constitutional amendments. S. B. 164, Smith, to release surties, upon bonds, undertakings and surties. S. B. 97, Mulkey, to change amount and character of fees charged by county clerks. S. B. 96, Mackay, to amend section 1804 relating to trademarks. S. B. 185, Haines, to fix the salaries of the county clerk, sheriff and recorder of Washington county. FAILED TO PASS.

S. B. 69, Josephi, to amend section 3567 general laws.

S. B. 261, Michell, relating to reclamation of arid lands. S. B. 16, Kelly, concerning lands titles and registration of the same.

President Faure Dead. PARIS, Feb. 17.—President Faure died at ten o'clock last night, from apoplexy.

It had been known for some time that his health was weak, but the first intimation that he was sick was given at half past 6 this afternoon, when a messenger was dispatched to the premier, M. Dupuy, announcing that the president was ill. M. Dupuy immediately repaired to the Elysee. All medical efforts proved futile, and the president died at 10 o'clock.

The report spread rapidly throughout the city, and large crowds soon assembled in the vicinity of the palace. About 6 o'clock M. Faure, who was then in his study, went to the door of the room of M. Legall, his private secretary, which is contiguous to the study, and said: "I do not feel well. Come in."

M. Legall immediately went to the president's aid, and led him to a sofa, called General Balaound, secretary of the president's household, and Dr. Humbert. The president's condition did not appear dangerous, but Dr. Humbert, on perceiving that he was getting worse, summoned other physicians.

Though M. Faure remained conscious, the doctors soon recognized that the case was hopeless, but it was not until nearly 8 o'clock that the members of the family were informed of the real state affairs. They then came to the sofa where the president lay. Soon after he began to lose consciousness and, despite all efforts, expired at 10 o'clock, in the presence of the family and M. Dupuy.

PARIS, Feb. 17.—At a meeting of the senators, M. Loubet, president of the senate, was unanimously nominated president of the French in succession of Faure.

PARIS, Feb. 17.—Premier Dupuy has fixed the meeting of the national assembly in which the senators and deputies will unite in voting for the president of France, for tomorrow afternoon at Versailles.

The national assembly met this afternoon and adjourned out of respect for the dead president. All is quiet in the city and country.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17.—Hay in name of McKinley cabled Paris sympathy at death of Faure.

Grip is slaying thousands of victims. Dr. Miles' Nerve is curing thousands.

MANILA NEWS

Insurgents Are Seeking Refuge.

Intense Heat Affecting the Men Seriously.

Light Skirmishing Is Reported Along the Lines.

By Associated Press to the Journal.

MANILA, Feb. 17.—11:50 a. m.—Ex-Consul of the United States G. F. Williams is in receipt of an application from a member of the insurgent congress at Malolos, requesting a pass through the American lines for a family of 12 persons, who are desirous of taking refuge in Manila. This is regarded as significant as showing the most intelligent rebels realize their families are safe only within American territory.

With the exception of a few shots, fired into a small body of rebels, who were attempting to destroy a railroad bridge near Calocan, all has been quiet along the line.

Last night the heat affected the men in the country to a considerable extent, but otherwise the troops have shown a marked improvement since the beginning of hostilities.

That Portland tax collector bill is more of a joke on Harvey Scott than anything else. It's an economy joke. Harvey has been cracking economy at everybody and when he gets a dose of his own medicine everybody enjoys it. The worst of it is, the bill will cost the people of Multnomah county more than it will the Oregonian. Experience has shown in nearly all states that public sale of lands for delinquent taxes, after proper advertisement in newspapers, is the safest, most economical, most expeditious and just method.

The New York Racket has just received a large lot of trimming cotton and lemon lace, also other laces and fine embroideries, with a large lot of all kinds of notions, hosiery, collars, shirts, and many other items. Call and see us. 2-17 2t

Free Methodist. Rev. P. B. Williams will preach at the Free Methodist church, North Salem, this evening at 7:30, and each night until the close of next week.

Don't fail to call and see our line of all kinds of rubber boots and shoes. We have reduced all lines at the New York Racket. 2-17 2t

EXTRA: 4 O'CLOCK LATE DISPATCHES.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17.—The administration has determined as rapidly as possible to extend the jurisdiction of the United States over the Philippine group in its entirety, acting on the theory that delay is dangerous and anarchy and general paralysis of such interests as the islands support will be brought through a failure promptly to replace Spanish sovereignty by that of the United States: This decision involves the necessity of a naval campaign and this will be instituted as soon as Dewey receives his reinforcements in the shape of the gunboats now at Manila.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17.—The house today sustained the decision of the chair that the motion to recommit the sundry civil bill, with instructions to incorporate the Nicaraguan bill, was not in order. Several railroad right of way bills passed. Among them one to authorize construction of the Clear Water Valley road through the Nez Perces reservation. The census bill was sent to conference.

Smelter Trust Formed. By Associated Press to the Journal.

NEW YORK, Feb. 17.—The Wall Street Journal says: Options have been secured on all the principal smelter companies of the country for the purpose of consolidation with the exception of those located in Mexico, Perth Amboy, N. J. Pueblo, Colo. It is stated that as soon as final details are reached, New company will be formally organized.

DAWSON NEWS.

Thawing Machines Will Be Introduced Immediately. SEATTLE, Feb. 17.—Advices from Dawson announce the death of Father William H. Judge, a well-known Catholic missionary.

Not Much Damaged. By Associated Press to the Journal.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla. Feb. 17.—Report received from all sections of the orange belt indicate that the cold wave did not do much permanent damage.

Dr. Babbett Dead.

The funeral of Dr. Walter Babbett, of Independence, a partner of the late Dr. T. J. Lee, will be held Sunday at 2 p. m. at the Auditorium, with Masonic honors. He was a native of Ontario, locating here in 1892. He was ill 13 days of pneumonia and was attended by Dr. Gillis and Cartwright of Salem, and Butler and Ketchum of Independence.

Another Pioneer Gone.

The body of Louis Lemery who fell dead on the street in the city of Salem Thursday was taken to his late home at St. Louis, Gervais precinct, by train Friday. Mr. Lemery was one of the pioneers, having driven his horse team from Michigan in 1852. Of his family of fourteen, six sons and five daughters survive him. One daughter resides at Spokane falls. She has been notified and the funeral will be delayed until Sunday or Monday, awaiting her arrival.

Memorial Services.

The Willard Memorial meeting will be at 7:30 at the W. C. T. U. hall this evening. Remember the date.

The 6-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. West, who has been sick for several weeks with malaria fever, is still very low. Friends of the family will hope and pray for her recovery.

BRITON VS. TEUTON

Annexation of Samoa Is the Only Practical Solution.

Prompt Response of the Captain of the British Warship, When Called Upon to Restore Order.

By Associated Press to the Journal.

NEW YORK, Feb. 17.—Dr. Porter Chambers, of this city, has received a letter from his brother, William L. Chambers, chief justice of Samoa, under the Berlin treaty, dated Apia, January 23. Justice Chambers speaks of the trial of the contest for kingship between the two rival factions, and says: "After 11 days of patient investigation, two days session each day and a hard study every night of Samoan genealogies, titles and practices, I came to the conclusion from a legal and conscientious point of view based upon the treaty and the laws and customs of Samoa that Tanus, the son of the late King Malietoa, and who by the gift of the people had been endowed with the name of Malietoa, was the duly elected king."

"The natives during the delivery of my decision exercised a discretion which was the better part of valor. Things were exceedingly quiet and respectful on the surface, and the crowd dispersed peacefully. The United States consul-general, Judge Osborne, of Nebraska, a man of fine character and legal ability, and the British consul, Mr. Maxse, a nephew of Lord Salisbury's wife, and a man of 15 years' experience in England's foreign service, both immediately accepted the decision for their respective governments. "The German consul general, Rose, who also attended the trial, refused to accept the decision for his government, although his government had already agreed with America and England that it would accept and abide by the decision, whatever it might be. "A meeting of the consuls and the captains of the English and German men of war was held within an hour. The American and English consuls and Captain Sturdee reported that the king in whose favor I had decided the consuls calling upon him and the warships giving him a royal salute. This the German consul and the captain of the German warship refused to do. If it had been done there is no doubt that he would have been firmly upon his throne that very day. Within two hours the German consul, for the defeated side, and the other German sympathizers were leading the armed troops of the Mataafa faction into the streets of the municipality. The president, who is a German, threw all his influence on that side, and the Mataafa people, realizing that they had the support of the German consul, of a German warship and of the entire German population, got ready with amazing quickness for the violent attack which followed. "The Malietoa people, when it became known that the Mataafas were going to make war, got together all the men they could in Apia and the surrounding country. They had no time to gather their supporters from the different islands. They succeeded in mustering about 2000 men, indifferently armed and provided with miserable ammunition. The rebels, who had been preparing for the situation for several weeks, perhaps mustered about 3500 men, and as afterwards shown, had much better

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guns and were well supplied with ammunition. "As an American expansionist, I would naturally like to see the Stars and Stripes run up over these islands, but I am not certain that it would be best. The English outnumber us here ten to one, and their commerce with the islands is vastly greater than ours. I believe the majority of the Americans would be just as content with British annexation as American. "Our Pango-Pango rights should in any case be insisted upon, and in any arrangements that England and America might arrive at there is no question that England would fully guarantee all we wish. The likelihood is even that, contrary to her traditions and practice elsewhere, England would prefer that our government take over the island."

Flew for Paris Unknown.

TACOMA, Feb. 17.—Prof. John L. Tait, former county superintendent of schools, left Tacoma last night, after having been charged with conspiring to the murderer his wife. It was tried to be made out that Tait was insane, but his family physician and friends deny it.

Three Killed Five Hurt.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 17.—While a dozen firemen were working on the ruins of the Emerson shoe store, which burned last night, a mass of debris fell, three men were killed, five were killed.

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WHEAT MARKET.

By Associated Press to the Journal. CHICAGO, Feb. 17.—May 72 1/2; cash 2 red 72 1/2.

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