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PERSONALS

Mrs. J. B. Waldo returned to Macleay today.
 Nye Kern, of Portland, is in the city today.
 Miss Olga Hewitt is in the city visiting friends.
 Roy Saltmarsh, of Albany, is in the city on business.
 Mrs. John F. Miller is visiting at Portland for a few days.
 Mr. and Mrs. Charles Freeland were Harrisburg visitors today.
 Prof. J. F. Jameson has arrived, and is stopping at the Eldridge.
 Mrs. Jane Scollard, of Gervais, is in the city today for a short visit.
 Mrs. O. P. Coshow, of Roseburg, is visiting her husband for a few days.
 Mrs. J. F. Beggs went to Turner this morning for a short visit with friends.
 Mr. and Mrs. Chester Parvin returned this morning from a few days' visit at Portland.
 Miss Josephine Chase returned this morning from a visit with friends at Portland.
 State Dairy and Food Commissioner W. W. Bailey is in the city attending the legislature.
 Archie Johnson, Editor Irvine, Dr. Wythecombe and J. B. Wagner, of Corvallis, are in the city.
 Mrs. Margaret Glymer returned to her home in Jefferson this morning, after a visit with relatives.
 Miss Edna Purdy went to Newport today for a two weeks' vacation. She will be a guest at the Damon cottage.
 Ex-Senator R. M. Veatch returned to his home in Cottage Grove today, after a business visit in this city.
 Mrs. R. D. Hume returned to her home in San Francisco this morning, after visiting in the city the past ten days.
 State Game Warden J. W. Baker and Jack Howard returned to Cottage Grove this morning, having been in this city on business.
 President Jefferson Myers, of the Lewis and Clark fair, and his private secretary, Geo. O. Goodall, arrived from Portland last night, and will remain for several days while the books are being expeted.
 C. J. Howard, who was recently appointed postmaster at Cottage Grove, and Mrs. Howard have been in the city for the past two days on lodge business, returning home this morning. Mr. Howard is an ex-newspaper man of Salem, having worked on the Statesman and Salem Daily Talk, about 20 years ago.

Sawmill Men Fernist.
 House bill No. 21 seems to have attracted the hostility of the sawmill men of the state. They say it compels proprietors of such establishments to put in a great many contrivances and change their plants and overhaul their machinery in ways that are useless and unnecessary. The bill looks like one to expand the powers and duties of some official.

Some grocers sell Schilling's Best tea, baking powder, spices, coffee, flavoring extracts, soda. They have their reasons both ways.

ONE NORMAL SCHOOL BILL IS KILLED

Senator Miller's Bill to Abolish Schools Meets With Little Favor

Senate—Wednesday A. M.
 S. B. 134—Miller's normal school bill was a special order at the opening hour. By unanimous consent Senator Miller was allowed to amend his bill to such an extent as to make a substitute bill.
 Senator Brownell was called to the chair, when Senator Miller proceeded to touch off his oratory in behalf of his bill in particular and "education of the masses" in general.
 Pierce opposed the bill, but favored a flat appropriation of \$50,000 annually for the several normal schools. His speech was one of the ablest of the session, and his chief argument was in favor of distributing the work, rather than centralization.
 Senator Kuykendall then spoke against the bill, and favored the present policy with some modifications, rather than to do away with it. He said he would rather favor adding to than taking from the present educational equipment of the state. The senator stated that in the past ten years he had visited all the normal schools, and unqualifiedly insisted that in no department of our state is so much done for the money expended.
 Senator Haines spoke for the bill, but admitted that there were several features of the bill that he could not approve. He developed the parallel that it would be just as desirable to have several agricultural colleges and several state universities as to have a number of normal schools.
 Coshow next opposed the bill and made a very rational argument for normal schools.
 Senator Hodson gave some information about the normal schools and their work, but took no part in the discussion.
 Senator Wheelton spoke against the bill, but explained that, from a selfish point of view, it would have been to his interests to vote for the bill. He arose above the selfish view, and made a patriotic speech for education.
 Senator Howe asked for a call of the senate before the vote was taken. The bill was lost by a vote of 12 yeas and 17 noes. Those voting aye were Brownell, Coke, Croisan, Haines, Hobson, Hodson, Holman, Howe, Malarkey, Miller, Nottingham, Wright. Those voting no were Avery, Booth, Bowerman, Carter, Coe, Coshow, Farrar, Laycock, Langbery, McDonald, Pierce, Rand, Siebel, Smith, Tuttle, Wheelton, Kuykendall.
 In casting his vote Senator Brownell explained that he voted for the bill for the reason that the constitution provides that all state institutions must be located at the seat of government, and that, inasmuch, as these normal schools are not so located he favored wiping them out.
 H. B. 245—Amending Medford charter. Passed.
 Adjourned to 10 a. m. Thursday.

House—Wednesday Forenoon

The house was opened with prayer by Rev. Huffman. The regular order of business was the third reading of house bills. A number of bills were recalled from committees and rereferred. Two insurance bills, Nos. 98 and 264 were taken from the committee on banking and insurance, and referred to the committee on revision of laws.
 Senator Holman's bill for the punishment of parents and others responsible for the delinquency of children, was taken from the table and referred to the committee on judiciary.
 Senator Malarkey's bill relating to corporations refusing to pay license was taken from the table and referred to the committee on revision of laws.
 House bill No. 322, by McLeod, to regulate the practice of osteopathy, was recalled from the committee on medicine and pharmacy and rereferred to the committee on revision of laws.
 The following bills were read the third time and passed:
 H. B. 294—By Dobbin. To prevent the spread of noxious grasses.
 H. B. 163—By Hudson. To amend code relating to homestead exemptions.
 H. B. 160—Hermann. To amend code

LIEUTENANT BOWMAN.



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relating to earnings of judgment debtors.

H. B. 187—Welch. To regulate the hours of female employees.
 H. B. 197—Kuney. To compel relatives of indigent persons to contribute to their support.
 H. B. 104—Mayer. To amend the fish laws.
 H. B. 299—Gray, by request. To prohibit officers from issuing licenses to gambling houses.
 H. B. 204—Linthicum. To amend code relating to tax sales.
 House bill 135, by Killingsworth, to provide for the interchange of freight cars, was taken from the table. Bingham moved that the bill be made a special order for tomorrow at 11 o'clock, but the motion was vigorously opposed, and finally defeated after a division had been called for. It was the first order of business when the house reconvened at 2 o'clock this afternoon.
West's Bill Recalled.
 West's bill, No. 302, to empower municipal corporations to condemn water works and systems, was recalled from the senate and will be reconsidered this afternoon. The bill is very drastic in its terms, and a number who voted for the measure did not understand its provisions.
House Bill "104" Passed.
 When house bill 104 was placed on final passage this morning, there was a general raffle of laughter. It was a fish bill, and the members looked dry.
 Upon motion of Linthicum there will be a session this evening at 7:30 o'clock for the consideration of local bills.

Senate—Tuesday Afternoon. Third Reading of House Bills.

H. B. 53—Smith, of Baker. To regulate the use and sale of blasting powder and fuse. Passed.
 H. B. 233—Mayer. To transfer the balance in the swamp land fund to the general fund. Passed.
 H. B. 63—Muir. To amend section 743 of Bellinger and Cotton's code, relating to proving records. Passed.
 H. B. 105—Mayer. To amend section 2926 Bellinger & Cotton's code, relating to the compensation of district judges. Passed.
 H. B. 89—Welch. To regulate the collection of taxes by the sheriffs. Passed.
 H. B. 131—Linthicum. To provide for a form of acknowledgement by corporations. Passed.
 H. B. 172—Newell. To provide for transportation of insane patients. Referred to medicine and pharmacy, with the right to report at any time.
 H. B. 208—Bailey. To punish a husband to connive at the prostitution of his wife, etc. Passed without opposition.
 H. B. 185—Sitz. To relieve the Malheur Water User's Association. Passed.
 H. B. 32—Kay. To fix the salary of state officers. Made a special order for 11 a. m. Wednesday.
 H. B. 25—Dobbin. To provide for

fire-proof jails. Re-referred to committee.

H. B. 72—Dobbin. To incorporate Lostine. Passed.
 H. B. 249—Caldwell. To amend the charter of Newberg.
 H. B. 154—McLeod. To create the eighth judicial district. Passed.
 H. B. 155—McLeod. To create the tenth judicial district. Passed.
 H. B. 83—Crang. To amend the code relating to terms of court in the fourth judicial district. Passed.
 H. B. 31—McLeod. To provide for uniform eighth grade examinations. Made a special order for 11:30 a. m. Wednesday.
 H. B. 251—Mile. To amend the charter of Sheridan. Passed.
 H. B. 56—Linthicum. To amend section 5054 of Bellinger and Cotton's code, relating to corporations. Passed.
 H. B. 214—Caldwell. To amend charter of Dayton. Passed.
 H. B. 37—Shook. To reincorporate Klamath Falls. Passed.
 H. B. 111—Hermann. To amend the charter of Myrtle Point. Passed.
 H. B. 106—Mayer. To incorporate the town of Houlton. Passed.
 H. B. 102—Vawter. To amend section 1783 of Bellinger and Cotton's code, to define the crime of arson. Passed.
 H. B. 210—West. To authorize Tillamook county to levy a special tax to build a court house. Passed.
 H. B. 20—Smith, of Josephine. To amend section 926, Bellinger and Cotton's code, relating to taking depositions. Passed.
 H. B. 110—Cooper. To regulate the shipment of livestock by transportation companies. Passed.
 H. B. 153—Capron. To reimburse L. H. Mendell for injuries received at American Lake encampment. Passed.
 H. B. 33—Steiner. To authorize the employment of special officers by the governor to detect criminals and appropriating \$10,000 therefor. Passed without opposition.
 S. B. 13—Tuttle. To amend code, relating to fish and fisheries. Read third time and passed.
Introduction of Senate Bills.
 S. B. 253—Laycock. To provide for

THEORIES ABOUT FOOD.

Also a Few Facts on the Same Subject.
 We hear much nowadays about health foods and hygienic living, about vegetarianism and many other fads along the same line.
 Restaurants may be found in the large cities where no meat, pastry or coffee is served and the food crank is in his glory, and arguments and theories galore advanced to prove that meat was never intended for human stomachs, and almost make us believe that our sturdy ancestors who lived four score years in robust health on roast beef, pork and mutton must have been grossly ignorant of the laws of health.
 Our forefathers had other things to do than formulate theories about the food they ate. A warm welcome was extended to any kind from bacon to acorns.
 A healthy appetite and common sense are excellent guides to follow in matters of diet, and a mixed diet of grains, fruits and meats is undoubtedly the best.
 As compared with grains and vegetables, meat furnishes the most nutriment in a highly concentrated form and is digested and assimilated more quickly than vegetables and grains.
 Dr. Julius Remmon on this subject says: Nervous persons, people run down in health and of low vitality should eat meat and plenty of it. If the digestion is too feeble at first it may be easily corrected by the relief of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets after each meal. Two of these excellent tablets taken after dinner will digest several thousand grains of meat, eggs or other animal food in three hours, and no matter how weak the stomach may be, no trouble will be experienced if a regular practice is made of using Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, because they supply the pepsin and diastase necessary to perfect digestion, and every form of indigestion will be overcome by their use.
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the location of county seats.
 S. B. 254—Haines. To allow Washington county to expend \$3000 for the Lewis and Clark Fair. Read three times and passed.
 S. B. 255—Holman. To regulate the sale of stock of corporations.
 S. B. 256—Malarkey. In regard to the apportionment of school funds.
 S. B. 257—Coe. To amend code in regard to insurance.
 S. B. 258—Coe. In regard to fire insurance.
 S. B. 259—Loughary. To amend charter of Monmouth.
 S. B. 260—Coke. To amend code relating to the boundary between Coos and Curry counties.
 S. B. 261—Coke. To amend code relating to time of holding circuit court in second judicial district.
 S. B. 262—Wheelton. To make an appropriation of \$30,000 for the extension of the Portage railroad at Celilo.
 S. B. 263—Carter. In regard to normal school graduates.

A Revenue Bill.
 Representative Bingham hopes to secure a favorable report in the senate on his bill to exempt unproductive mines from the Eddy tax bill. It was favorably reported from the committee on assessments and taxation in the house, not from mines and mining, as reported.

Hides for Albany.
 Harry Shea, of Albany, who has been in the city for several days buying hides for the Star tannery, of that city, returned home last night on the steamer Pomona, with a shipment of hides weighing over 3000 pounds.

He Takes a Tumble.
 Customer—How is it, Mr. Jones, that you have no bicycle rack? I see your neighbors have them.
 Mr. Jones—W-e-l-l, or w-e-l-l, to tell the truth, that is just why I have none.
 Customer—But, Mr. Jones, don't you think it is very unfair to compel your customers to occupy your neighbor's rack, and some times force his patrons to go to another store, in order to have a place to put their wheels?
 Jones—You are right; I never before saw it in that light. I understand that that man Sherwood has five different styles of his rack now, and that he will be out about the 20th of February showing them to the public, I shall order one without further delay. I thank you Mr. Smith for calling my attention to this matter; call again.

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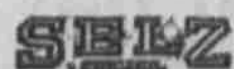
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