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SATURDAY

Mrs. Ellis' Last Day in Salem.

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These examinations are given verbally and in charts, with all the candor and faithfulness of confidential communications.

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Friday evening at the Christian church Mrs. Ellis will give a private lecture to ladies on health and dress improvement. Lecture begins at 8:15 p. m.

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DEADLOCK MAY BE RESULT

House Sends Speaker to Demand Reasons of the Senate

The strong rivalry which has developed between the two branches of the legislature within the closing hours of the session cropped out anew yesterday afternoon when, acting presumably under authority of joint rule No. 11, which provides that no bills shall be introduced in either house nor any bills received from the senate by the house during the last five days of the session, and has been construed to apply also to house bills finding their way into the senate, the senate returned a batch of newly adopted house bills to the house, declining to receive them. The house refused, however, to accept such an interpretation upon the rule, and, through courtesy of the senate, Speaker Davey was delegated a committee of one to wait upon the senate and explain the situation to which the membership of that body, which was done, and the upper branch of the legislature agreed to take the question up and pass upon it later.

This action on the part of the senate is looked upon by the house members as being of a retaliatory nature for the manner in which the house, in holding up the Whealdon portage road extension, forced the senate to pass upon the Port of Columbia bill favorably, and the Multnomah delegation in the house is still holding the Hood River county bill over the heads of the members of the Wasco delegation, to keep them lined up. Senator Whealdon and Representatives Knowles and Hendrick, of Wasco, are very indignant over the situation of affairs, and, if the thing keeps up much longer the Eastern Oregon delegates may be forced to form a combination and fight it out with their tormentors.

Among the Eastern Oregon measures that were literally thrown into the waste basket of the house yesterday afternoon, on reading of reports of committees, was that of Senator Smith, of Umatilla, providing for the license of embalmers; that of King, of Harney and Malheur, appropriating $25,000 for aid in the construction of a bridge across the Snake river near Ontario and on the old immigrant trail, and that of Senator Hart, of Baker county, providing for the establishment of a law library at Pendleton, all of which were reported back unfavorably and indefinitely postponed by the house. When the house took recess last evening 51 senate bills had been passed to third reading, and Speaker Davey feels almost certain that the work of the house will have been practically finished by tomorrow night.

A Stitch in Time

Will save nine. So will a bottle of Ballard's Horehound Syrup always kept on hand save many a spell of sickness. A sure cure for coughs, colds, bronchitis and whooping cough. Mrs. S—, Hot Springs, Ark., writes: "I keep a bottle of Ballard's Horehound Syrup in my medicine chest, and thank my forethought many times. It has prevented many severe spells of sickness."

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TOO MANY GIRLS IN PUBLIC

Mrs Ellis Delivers Her Last Public Lecture to Large Audience

Mrs. Ellis, the noted phrenologist, gave her last public lecture last night in Tioga hall to a moderately large audience notwithstanding the fact that an admission was charged.

The subject of Love, Courtship and Marriage was handled in a masterful manner. Among some of the ideas advanced was that too many girls enter public life and thereby the homes of today are losing their instrinsic value as factors in character building. The girls, being thrown into the business world, lose the sweet innocence and refinement which every true, loving man admires and are incapable of making home a haven of rest and contentment. "When more appreciation is shown for home building and for the care and training of children, thre will be fewer lady bachelors."

Mrs. Ellis will remain in Salem for the balance of the week, giving private readings, and on Friday evening will lecture to women at the Christian church on the subject, "Parental culture, heredity and kindred subjects." The fact that the use of this church was tendered to Mrs. Ellis by the ladies of the congregation, who desire as many as possible to hear her lecture, shows how well she has been received in Salem, and how she is recognized as accomplishing fireat good for her fellowmen as she goes along. She has ben besieged with applicants for private readings almost beyond her expectations, hence speaks highly of Salem and her reception here.

THE HOP SITUATION UNCHANGED

Market Remains Quiet-Values Favor Growers- Few Local Buys

The hop situation seems to remain practically unchanged. The eastern buyers are out of the market and the demand is quiet with no apparent pressure on the grower to sell. There are about 30,000 bales in the hands of the Oregon growers. Choice hops are scarce and the market seems to be in the growers favor although no change is looked for in the near future. It is reported that Walt Miller a few days ago disposed of two lots at Dayton amounting to something over 100 bales at 10¼ cents and E. C. Horst bought a small lot to fill out a shipment. It is also said that several growers near Dallas, among whom are Grant & Guy, Campbell Bros. and Foster have formed a pool and have shipped a consignment of 60 bales to London. The English market according to the last issue of the Waterville Times is dull and has in no way responded to the expectations of a better trade with the dawning of the new year. Owing to the very little press of the dealers to clear, and the lack or confidence in the market the values there have declined. The dealers seem to fear that the market will be flooded with low grade Pacific hops and "really," says the Times, "choice Oregon hops have been sold here at 75s and it is reported that Horst Bros. have been offering hops to country brewers for 60s and 63s (13 and 13½ cents)." This it is said has seriously affected the market, for English merchants can not compete with these figures and as a natural consequence they give Pacific hops a bad name. The prices in New York, according to the last week's issue of the Times, are as follows:

New York State, 1906—
Prime to choice.....21@23c
Medium to prime.....18@20c
Pacific Coast, 1906—
Prime to choice.....14@15c
Medium to prime.....12@13c

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

Willamette.

James Pelton, Gold Hill.
Jas. S. Bridges, San Francisco.
Chas. Horn, San Francisco.
Theo, Babcock,
Mrs. Babcock,
Thos Grady,
C, Bayer,
Grace Ramino,
W. Gorman,
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E. Hofer, Salem.

Salem.

Stephen Jewell, Grants Pass.
Miss Midgley.
Jos. Daley.
E. Yale.
Miss Newell.
Miss Coomey.
Mr. Nathans.
Mr. Clermont.
Al Hyams.
Geo. R. Caine.
Chas. A. Burke.
E. Prather.
W. S. McClain.
R. C. Hall.
C. H. McClain.
W. R. Lett, San Francisco.
H. L. Westbrook, Ely, Nevada.
Wm. Carmichael, Eugene.
E. H. Anderson.

PICKUPS UNDER THE BIG BRONZE DOME.

W. I. Vawter played a difficult hand, with some credit to himself. As defeated candidate for the speakership he has been the minority leader on the floor, and, to his credit be it said, he has not engaged in demagogic methods. He has never attacked property interests, and with a normal school on his hands has steered between the breakers which beset his path, showing that he is a man capable of shouldering considerable responsibility. There is a political future for Mr. Vawter. He has a combination of dignity and affability that is never marred by incoherent conduct or loud brawling. Perhaps this is in part due to the fact that he has Mrs. Vawter at his side a great deal of the time.

After all of Senator Johnson's (Benton) strong partisan stands in his debates in the senate this session he was forced to bow in recognition to the power of the governor when his personal interests in the enactment of the agricultural college appropriation bill were in jeopardy. Senator Johnson called upon the governor before the bill, which had passed the house, came up for consideration in the sente and, in order to save his bill from annihilation at the hands of the chief executive he chose to abide by the latter's suggestion to cut the amount from $150,000 down to $125,000, and the measure is now in the hands of the governor and will, in all probability, meet with his approval as amended.

Because the house saw fit this morning to exempt Clatsop and Tillamook counties from the operation of the provisions of the Bingham bill, making it compulsory for the logging interests to burn all slashing and debris in the forests during certain seasons of the year, it is understood the governor is inclined to veto the message on the ground that these exemptions worked upon the other counties in which the law would become operative.

Senator Hart's re-apportionment of state senators' bill, which passed the senate last week by a close vote was given a slight set back in the house this morning when it came up on the favorable report of the committee on apportionment recommending that the bill do pass when the effort was made to make it a special order for this afternoon failed. The bill, however, was laid on the table, which makes it possible to take it up at any time and it is quite probable that it will be ordered up this afternoon and fought out on the floor of the house to a final issue. The strongest opposition to the bill in its present form comes from Multnomah whose senatorial representation in the original bill was cut down from eight to six by the senate and the Multnomah delegation in the house will make an effort to raise the number back again.

There is a lively scramble on for the lucrative position of secretary of the newly created railroad commission, which carries with it an annual salary of $2000, and the multiplicity of candidates for the job makes the situation most interesting and gives promise of even more interesting developments later on. It is conceded that eastern Oregon is entitled to the job and the fight has dwindled down to between three candidates: George Goodall, of Pendleton; J. E. Burdette, of Tualatin, and Dr. Hamilton, of La Grande, and the present prospects are that the first mentioned stands highest in favor of the eastern Oregon delegates and in good position to receive the choice of the commission. The delegates from eastern Oregon will hold a meeting this morning and make an effort to arrive at a decision upon the choice.

Mr. Goodall is a young attorney and seems well fitted for the position, as may be said of the other candidates. He has been the private secretary to and stenographed for former Justice T. G. Hailey, of the supreme court and is still employed in that capacity in the services of Justice Aiken, who succeeded Justice Hailey to the bench. Mr. Burdette, of Tualatin, is also an attorney and hase received the favorable support of the delegates from his section of the state who will make a hard fight for him. Dr. Hamilton was a former member of the old railroad commission and is making a strenuous campaign for the position.

Klinger Grand—

The play in the little theater last night was presented to a large audience considering the counter attractions. Miss Fisher in her difficult roles is really excelling the expectations of her friends. Her costumes are among the finest that have ever been seen in the theater and harmonize well with the beauty of the wearer. The specialty numbers were good and the audience was more than pleased. "Down on the Farm" will be presented Friday evening.

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TERRIBLE WRECK

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broke in two. The passengers gathered on the after part, the fore part sinking. It is understood that one passenger was saved.

Possible Survivors.

Life savers report signs of life on the floating wreckage, but the gale is driving and there is a heavy mist. Efforts are being made to reach the wreckage and rescue the possible survivors.

Road Law May Be Vetoed.

The Johnson road bill that has passed both houses is said to be in danger of a veto. It is a bill to unite the state, county and abutting property in building main highways, to the extent of one-half mill per annum state tax.

Armory Dance Off—

Company M, O. N. G., wish to correct an article previously published in regard to a dance being given in the armory this evening. There will be no dance this month.

Dr. J. B. Olmsted, supreme medical director of the United Artisans, who has been the guest of Mrs. C. L. Watt, left today for Brownsville on official business.

Young married people and old ones too,
That have no children to laugh and coo,
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