

# SPECIAL SESSION OF LEGISLATURE IS CALLED BY THE GOVERNOR

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gained in countries foreign to the United States for the year 1905, and to allow the said companies from penalties provided by section 1611 of the Political Code.

16.—To amend subdivision 11 of section 1676 of the Political Code by adding an additional clause thereto, providing that bonds of high school districts may be issued and sold for the purpose of repairing, restoring and rebuilding any high school building damaged, injured or destroyed by conflagration or other public calamity.

17.—To amend an act entitled "An act relating to revenue and taxation, providing for a license tax upon corporations, and making an appropriation for the purpose of carrying out the objects of this act," approved March 20, 1905, so as to increase the license tax on said corporations and the penalty for failure to pay the same, and to provide for the revival, under certain conditions, of corporations which have not paid said tax, and to make provision for settling the affairs of corporations where said license tax has not been paid, also to amend the provisions of this act heretofore illegality collected.

## DELAYING PUBLICATION OF DELINQUENT TAX LIST

18.—To amend section 3764 of the Political Code so as to extend the time for publication of the delinquent tax list of the fiscal year 1905-06 for a period of not exceeding twenty days.

19.—To amend section 3765 of the Political Code so as to enable the State Board of Equalization, in the event of conflagration or other public calamity to extend, not exceeding forty days, the time within which county and city officers shall perform official duties relating to revenue and taxation.

## AMENDING ACT CREATING STATE BANK COMMISSION

20.—To amend section 3716 of the Political Code, fixing the rate of taxation and amount required for the several funds.

21.—To amend laws authorizing the transfer to the United States of America of rights of navigation, under the State or by the Commissioner of Public Works for a diverting canal to protect the city of Stockton from flood tides, making navigable river approaches, and also authorizing the transfer to the United States of America of certain tidelands in San Diego Bay for a quarantine station.

22.—To amend sections 337 and 338 of the Code of Civil Procedure so as to extend the limitations prescribed therein, not to exceed six months beyond the time now allowed in each of said sections respectively, and also to amend section 184 of the Code of Civil Procedure so as to enable judges of the Superior Court to extend time in civil actions and proceedings for a period not exceeding ninety days.

23.—To add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to enable the courts or justices of the peace to stay execution not exceeding ten days on any judgment rendered by such court, and also to amend section 847 of the Code of Civil Procedure so as to provide that undertakings on attachments filed in justice courts may be personally approved by the justice and fixing the amount of such undertaking.

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24.—To amend section 12 of the act creating a Board of Bank Commissioners, approved March 24, 1905, so as to authorize such board to assume control of and manage certain banks when by the board deemed necessary for a period of six months without commencing suit.

25.—To amend an act entitled "An act to authorize cities to acquire and operate a joint system of systems of water supply," approved March 24, 1905, so as to include within the provisions

of said act territory intervening between any two or more cities, cities and counties, towns or municipalities.

26.—To amend the existing statutes and enactments relating to moneys collected by the Board of State Harbor Commissioners so as to increase the amount of money that may be retained and used by said board each month for urgent repairs.

27.—To consider and enact laws extending the time for the performance of taking of any act or proceeding of a certain nature, appointed or required or limited by or pursuant to law or pursuant to any contract to be performed or taken on any days in the month of June, 1906, prior to the last day of said month.

28.—To consider and act upon propositions to amend section 825 of the Code of Civil Procedure and section 830 of the Political Code.

## CONCERNING LAWS DEALING WITH MECHANICAL LIENS

29.—To amend the laws concerning liens of mechanics, laborers and others upon real property for the sole purpose of providing that where legal holidays have been declared by the Governor for more than thirty days the time within which said persons shall be required to file their claims of lien with the County Recorder shall be extended beyond the time when they would otherwise have been entitled to file the same.

30.—To consider and propose an amendment to the Constitution of the State of California by repealing Section 5 of article 13 thereof, relating to contracts for the payment of taxes or assessments on money loaned or mortgages, deeds of trust or other liens, so that the borrower may be free to make a contract for a net rate of interest.

31.—To consider and propose an amendment to be submitted at the next general election, to section 8 of article XI of the constitution so as to facilitate, for the period of two years, the amendment of the charter of the city of San Francisco and the charter of the city of San Jose, without ratification by the Legislature.

## PROVIDING FOR THE SALE OF SAN FRANCISCO LANDS

32.—To consider and propose an amendment to be submitted at the next general election, to article XI of the constitution of the State of California by adding a new section thereto conferring, for a period of two years, certain powers and rights on the city and county of San Francisco relative to streets, parks, boulevards, reservoirs and lands owned or hereafter to be acquired by it, and to the uses thereof; provided that said section shall contain a provision that no lands now owned or hereafter to be acquired by said city and county of San Francisco shall be sold or exchanged unless such sale or exchange shall first be authorized by a majority of the votes of said city and county voting thereon, at a special election called for the purpose of such authorization, but this shall not be construed to prevent any exchange of lands acquired by said city and county after the adoption of this amendment by the Legislature for street purposes; and provided that said amendment shall contain the further provision that no existing public park or square, or any part thereof, shall be sold or exchanged under the provisions of said amendment, and that said amendment shall contain the further provision that no existing public park or square, or any part thereof, shall be sold or exchanged under the provisions of said amendment, and that said amendment shall contain the further provision that no existing public park or square, or any part thereof, shall be sold or exchanged under the provisions of said amendment, and that said amendment shall contain the further provision that no existing public park or square, or any part thereof, shall be sold or exchanged under the provisions of said amendment.

## FUNDS TO RECONSTRUCT RUINED STATE BUILDINGS

33.—To consider and propose an amendment to be submitted at the next general election, to Article sixteen of the Constitution of the State of California, so as to provide necessary funds, through state indebtedness and the issuance of bonds in excess of

the amount which may be incurred under the provisions of Section one of said article, for the purpose of rebuilding, repairing, replacing and restoring the buildings and property of the State destroyed or damaged by conflagration or otherwise public calamity, and to provide funds for meeting any deficiency in the revenues of the State for the fiscal years commencing July 1, 1907, and ending June 30, 1912.

34.—To consider and propose an amendment to be submitted at the next general election, to Section eighteen of Article eleven of the Constitution of the State of California, so as to enable counties, cities and counties, towns, townships, boards of education and school districts to incur indebtedness and issue bonds to run for a period not exceeding one hundred years, and to provide for interest and sinking funds in connection therewith.

35.—To confirm such nominations as may be sent to the Senate.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed hereunto the great seal of the State of California, at my office, the State Capitol, this first day of June, 1906, in the year of our Lord the one thousand nine hundred and sixth, and of the admission of the State of California the fifty-sixth.

(Signed) GEORGE C. PARDEE, Governor of the State of California. Attest: C. CURRY, Secretary of State.

## SEEK A CONFERENCE

Southern Legislators Want Consolidation Act Provided For.

SACRAMENTO, June 1.—While the final sections of the call for the special session of the Legislature were in preparation members of the delegation from the county of Nevada endeavored to arrange for a meeting in the office of Governor Pardee in order that a final effort be made to agree upon an article providing for the consolidation of the city and county under a single government.

Assemblyman P. A. Stanton, representing the city, and Assemblyman W. W. Thompson of Albemarle were the first to arrive and were hopeful that an agreement involving the water supply question could be reached. Assemblyman Stanton said: "We are in this position: The city desires the consolidation and a part of the county does not. If this article fails to go into the call it will be because the conflicting interests from Los Angeles County cannot agree. Governor Pardee has intimated that the subject will be included in the call if an agreement is reached."

When the remainder of the call was finally issued the members waiting were informed that the Governor had included the recommendation of the committee of forty, which provides for consideration of the consolidation question only inasmuch as it affects the water supply.

Judge Davis, who assisted Governor Pardee, explained that the proposal to issue State bonds for the reconstruction of the San Francisco water front had been omitted because it was otherwise provided for. An important recommendation omitted was the amendment to do with the collateral inheritance tax.

## SPEAKERSHIP IN DOUBT

Atkinson and Stanton in the Fight for House Leadership.

SACRAMENTO, June 1.—The Speakership of the Assembly has been declared in doubt by members of the Southern California delegation, who state that Assemblyman P. A. Stanton is a candidate for the speaker. Stanton is man T. E. Atkinson of San Francisco is said to be the choice of the members from that city. Assemblyman Stanton refuses to state whether he will be a candidate.

## SUPPORTS STAND OF THE MAYOR

Labor Council Condemns the Abuse of the City's Executive.

At a largely attended and representative meeting of delegates from the various labor unions affiliated with the city municipal administration was upheld in its action in granting the Union Railroads the franchise for an overhead trolley system.

At the meeting of the Council a week ago, when there was only a bare handful of delegates present, a resolution was passed extending sympathy to the people who suffered from earthquake and fire, and interdicted a clause condemning the Mayor and the Supervisors for giving the streets over to electric lines.

As soon as the gravity of this resolution was discovered a counter resolution of which the Mayor and the Council was framed and last night presented and adopted.

Whereas, There is now in operation a concerted effort on the part of a certain local journal and some delegates in this council to make it appear that this council is dissatisfied with the present city administration; and Whereas, The election of the Union Labor party and Mayor E. E. Schmitz has proven of inestimable value to the power of organized labor and the common people of this city; therefore be it Resolved, That this council hereby rescinds and repudiates any attempt to destroy the well earned reputation of Mayor E. E. Schmitz, whose administration has brought industrial peace to this city and be it further Resolved, That this council hereby declares as false the articles which appeared in a local paper on May 26, 1906, the headline of which read as follows: "Labor Council denounces the present city administration"; further be it Resolved, That this council hereby warns the public against similar journalistic misrepresentation in the future; and be it further Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be at once sent to the Honorable Mayor E. E. Schmitz, the Board of Supervisors, be published in the next issue of the Labor Clarion and that copies be at once given to the local papers for publication.

## ROYAL MOURNERS ATTEND THE FUNERAL OF IBSEN

Demonstration of Popular Sorrow Is Shown for the Late Poet and Dramatist.

CHRISTIANIA, June 1.—The body of Henrik Ibsen, the Norwegian poet and dramatist, was buried today with every demonstration of popular sorrow in the cemetery attached to the Church of the Holy Trinity.

The mourners included King Haakon, the Cabinet Ministers, the members of the Norwegian Parliament and representatives of artistic and scientific societies, home and foreign.

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## Redke & Co.

Formerly of 118 Sutter st. and 65 Geary st. now running full blast at 315 Devisadero st. near Bush. Their stock of watches, diamonds, jewelry, rings and presents of all kinds are very valuable and well selected. saved from the great fire of April 15.

# PROPOSALS ADOPTED

Protests From the Heads of Departments Are Unavailing.

Administration Eager to Make a Record, Says Gallagher.

Sheriff O'Neil Demands More Money but Is Squelched.

The reduced budget was passed to print unanimously yesterday by the Board of Supervisors. Evidently there was the intention on the part of heads of the different departments to protest against the reduction in appropriations. Only one tried to get more, Sheriff Thomas P. O'Neil. He received a curt lecture from Supervisor Gallagher, who acted as chairman of the board, and the rest refrained from reciting their supposed grievances.

This is the time to try to save, not to spend," declared Supervisor Gallagher. He proceeded to announce that the finance committee had thoroughly considered the wants of all the departments and announced that it would be hard to concede them that any more money would be needed absolutely. When he had concluded, heads of other departments apparently decided that the statement meant business and refrained from pleading for more.

O'Neil, however, persisted. He declared that when the saloons were open the County Jail would be overcrowded and that he would need more deputies when the business of the courts began to increase. Gallagher retorted that there were now a smaller number of prisoners in the custody of the Sheriff than there had been on an average for some time.

## WANT TO MAKE A RECORD.

Supervisor McGushin suggested that O'Neil might hold men by detaining at the Police Department and the Fire Department were doing, laying off part of his force for one or two months out of the year. This was the best consolation that the Sheriff received.

Supervisor Gallagher burst into a glowing oration on what the Union Labor administration would do to show to the world that they were able to meet the situation. The hall was packed with job holders, but when the speech concluded there was a death of applause. Only a faint hand-clapping of a perfunctory sort among the Supervisors was heard.

Supervisor O'Neil said in part: "It is hard to impress on the heads of some of the departments that a great calamity has befallen the city. We are confronted not with theories, but with conditions. The finance committee asked for every cent to do his duty and to keep expenses down to the last dollar for the people. I have no patience with people who will not realize the conditions that face us."

With few exceptions the heads of departments have been coming to the members of the finance committee declaring that they need more. The needs of each department were taken into consideration and the best that could be done for it was done. The finance committee showed its confidence in the officials in putting each appropriation in a lump sum and allowing them to expend the money where it is doing most good.

## SHERIFF DISCOURAGED.

The finance committee reported that the assessment roll has been curtailed over \$200,000,000, nearly forty per cent, yet some are complaining because their appropriations have been cut. I want to say that this is the time we want to know how to save money, not how to spend it.

If the finance committee is met in the proper spirit the work of the department will be able to proceed without much detriment to efficiency. It will not be necessary to cut down wages. The men may be laid off for a month or two to make appropriations meet.

"We need a competent, able, painstaking, economical administration in all departments. We want to show to the world that competent men from the ranks of Union Labor are able to cope with what is before us and to give a competent, honest administration to a great municipality."

"If that budget is passed I don't know where the Sheriff's office will get off," declared Thomas P. O'Neil. Supervisor Gallagher has to lay before the Sheriff a few facts and figures concerning his office and he subsided. Supervisor Boxton briefly announced that the reduction in the appropriation could not be avoided and moved that the budget be passed to print as it stood, avoiding the form of taking it item by item. The motion was carried unanimously.

## HILL AND HARRIMAN MAY COME TO TERMS ON TRACK PROBLEM

PORTLAND, June 1.—There is a prospect that the Hill and Harriman interests will come to an agreement over the trackage rights along the north bank of the Columbia River and that a double track line from Wallula, Wash., to Portland will result. During the recent visit of President Howard Elliott of the Northern Pacific he was approached by a Harriman official with a view to such an arrangement and it is understood that he did not look upon the idea with disfavor and will probably submit the plan to President Hill of the Great Northern. If this arrangement matures it will mean an easy entrance into Portland for the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul, whose officials have been puzzling for months for a means to reach this city.

## Slight Quake in Seattle.

SEATTLE, June 1.—Seattle felt a slight earthquake shock shortly after 5 o'clock this morning. There was one tremor only. No damage was done, and but few knew anything about it.

# PRESIDENT PURSUES PACKERS

Will Publish the Report of the Federal Agent.

Rigid Inspection of All Meat Will Be Insisted Upon.

WASHINGTON, June 1.—President Roosevelt decided today to make public the report of Professor Charles P. Neill, Commissioner of Labor, and James B. Reynolds of New York concerning the conditions of the meat packing establishments as they found them on an inquiry instituted by the President primarily for his own information. The report of Commissioner Neill and Mr. Reynolds will be sent to Congress next Monday. It will be accompanied by a special message of President Roosevelt, in which he will take strong ground in favor of immediate and drastic legislation to correct the evils which are exposed in the report.

The President had not expected to make public the report of Neill and Reynolds. He felt that its publication might injure the meat packing industry in this country. Primarily the information contained in the report was obtained to be used as a basis for the legislation proposed in the amendment to the agricultural appropriation bill by Senator Beveridge of Indiana.

The President did not imagine there would be serious opposition on the part of the packers to a proposition to afford such inspection of such meats prepared for domestic consumption as is afforded to meat products intended for shipment abroad. The meat packers, however, rose in arms against the Beveridge amendment, being insistent in opposition to it not only in principle, but in the question of paying for the proposed inspection.

Representative Wadsworth of New York called on the President today. He is chairman of the agricultural committee of the House, to which the proposed amendment will be referred. He indicated to the President the intention of the committee to consider the amendment proposed by Senator Beveridge and adopted practically without division by the Senate and to prepare a substitute for it that "would be fair to all parties concerned."

The attitude of Wadsworth was not satisfactory to the President. In view of the facts reported to him by Neill and Reynolds, the President is of the opinion that immediate legislation of a drastic nature is necessary to cure the evils which have been developed. He decided therefore to make public the Neill-Reynolds report.

# WARDALL ALIVE BUT A LUNATIC

San Josean, Missing a Week, Is Found Unconscious in Street.

Recovers and Darts Away From Lad Who Tried to Save Him.

Special Dispatch to The Call. SAN JOSE, June 1.—Ben Wardell, the well known young San Jose business man whose mysterious disappearance two weeks ago gave rise to rumors of foul play and for whose remains sheriff's officers have been dragging the creeks of the county, is alive but demented and probably starving. He was seen but a half block away from his home today by his distressed wife.

Haggard, gaunt, his clothing torn, Wardell was found lying senseless on the corner of Eighth and Santa Clara streets at 8 o'clock this evening. He was recognized by a woman, who immediately notified a nephew of the unfortunate man and the latter, a boy of twelve, managed to get Wardell started toward his home. He had gone only a block when the madman roughly shook himself free and hobbled away in the darkness. Feeling sure that he could locate his uncle again, the boy ran for help. He returned with several neighbors, but Wardell had disappeared as mysteriously as he suddenly as he did on May 23.

To night fifty Garden City Wheelmen, a club of which the unfortunate young man was a member, are searching the city on bicycles looking for the missing man. The case has aroused great interest in this city.

## LARD OF HUMAN BEINGS!

Coroner Scouts the Latest Story of the Stock Yards.

CHICAGO, June 1.—The stories circulated that human beings have fallen into vats in packing town and have been rendered into lard without their cases ever coming to the notice of the authorities was scouted today by Coroner Hoffman, who designated all such rumors as fables.

"I do not think it possible for such things to occur at any of the packing plants without coming to the knowledge of the Coroner," he said. "I am sure that they would be impossible now, and I believe that they were equally impossible eight or ten years ago. However, if either Mr. Simons or any one else can supply me with any information on which to base an investigation I shall try to open up the case and find out the truth about the matter."

A. M. Simons, former district superintendent of the Bureau of Charities, who corroborates Upton Sinclair's descriptions of packing town conditions, said today that he would make a trip out to the stock yards district and endeavor to learn the names of the three persons who were said to have fallen into the vats.

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# MAKE BIG STRIDE IN SURGERY

Chicago Doctors Transform Arteries Into Veins.

Circulation After Operation Is as Active as Before.

Special Dispatch to The Call. CHICAGO, June 1.—As the result of experiments which have been conducted for nearly a year by Dr. Alexis Carrel and Dr. C. C. Guthrie at the University of Chicago, discoveries have been made that promise to revolutionize surgery.

While all the experiments have been performed on dogs, the object was to ascertain methods of surgery that could be used on human beings to transform veins into arteries, transplant organs and even to substitute the arteries and veins of an animal for the diseased arteries and veins of a man.

At the present time Doctors Carrel and Guthrie are watching half a dozen dogs who are apparently thriving with their veins and arteries transposed in various ways.

Among the facts discovered by the surgeons are these: The transplantation of veins on arteries produces, from a functional point of view, the transformation of veins into arteries.

Transplanted veins adapt themselves to the new functions imposed. The new arteries transmit the blood indefinitely. After ten months the circulation through the arteries is apparently as active as on the day of the operation.

The ascertained facts are insignificant compared with what the experimenters hope to accomplish by applying their method to human beings. In a scientific treatise they have included in speculation to only a moderate extent, but their hypotheses are decidedly startling to the lay mind.

If the discoveries are carried to their logical conclusion various affections of the heart, now considered incurable, will be quickly remedied. If your heart is not in the right place it will be transplanted. If your kidney or liver is not hitched to the proper kind of machinery, your veins and arteries will be dissected and grafted together in odd ways that will give new and healthy life to the diseased organ.

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# BLINDING FIRE IN THE SUBWAY

Blaze in Passenger Train Causes the Wildest Kind of Panic.

Special Dispatch to The Call. NEW YORK, June 1.—Fire in a passenger train and a stalled train in the subway at the height of the rush hour this evening caused the wildest kind of a panic among the passengers. The firemen were unable to get into the subway because of the dense smoke. They were driven back staggering and choking and had to be content to pour volumes of water down through the ventilators.

The fire was caused by a crossed circuit. It started in the passenger train. One of the cars filled with smoke and the passengers in it made a wild rush for the others. The motion continued on to the station at 110th street and the guards opened the doors. Instantly there was a terrific crush among the passengers and they threw themselves into the doorways in the frantic haste to get out. By this time several cars were blazing and in order to get out quickly some of the passengers in them broke windows and crawled out that way. In half an hour or so the firemen's fight had begun to tell and the smoke lessened in volume. Then the firemen went down through the station opening and found the unconscious forms of two policemen who had been overcome while making ineffective efforts to get near the trains. As far as could be ascertained all the passengers got out safely. The entire subway system was tied up.

There are times when an actor doesn't egg-actly like to see things coming his way.

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# ALASKA RIVERS ARE BANK FULL

Melting Snow Causes the Yukon and Klondike to Rise Rapidly.

Special Dispatch to The Call. TACOMA, June 1.—Fast melting snows have raised the water in the Klondike and Yukon rivers to the highest point ever known except in the spring of eight years ago. The water is rising two inches daily and the hills are still filled with snow. Two feet more will cover principal wharves and streets in Dawson. Klondike flats are covered with water and the railway track has been washed away in places.

It is impossible to reach points on Hunker or Bonanza creeks from Dawson with teams. Stages are now starting from Ogilvie Bridge and have been abandoned on the lower creeks. Orr & Tutty's stage, with nineteen passengers and \$40,000 in gold, got into deep water at Cliff House and was saved only by the horses swimming out with the rig. O'Brien's stage was wrecked at the same place and was lost and one horse drowned, the passengers being rescued with a small boat.

The first steamer from Dawson for Whitehorse started Monday with twenty passengers, including W. A. Webb, who will start in business in San Francisco. The steamer Monarch sailed from Dawson Tuesday for Fairbanks with thirty passengers and a full load of freight. The first steamer from Fairbanks was due in Dawson Wednesday.

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