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## WHAT THE BOYS BE A' DOIN' DOWN TO THE LEGISLATUR'

**First Aid Provision Stricken Out of 'Teats' Bill—Flopping of Certain Solons.**

OLYMPIA, Feb. 22.—The house of representatives yesterday was buffeted by the minority. Its members were fooled, tricked, and stampeded. Speaker Howard Taylor, employer and capitalist, led the successful attack on the first provision of the employers' compensation act and actually had the audacity to say that he was doing it in the interest of the working people of this state. And the house of representatives fell for it, notwithstanding the fact that not a single representative of labor had asked for the elimination of this clause.

The first aid provision in the compensation act meant that the state commission would take charge of a fund contributed to by employers and employees equal for their use in time of injury. And here is how Howard Taylor, ably assisted by those standard-bearers Representatives Beach of Mason county and Representative Sims of Jefferson, "worked" it.

**Their Sympathy.**  
"We are in sympathy with the principle involved in the compensation act," they loudly proclaimed, "but—" And they, Howard Taylor, lumberman; W. E. Beach, oysterman; Ed Sims, canneryman, all employers of labor, then and there pleaded to let them retain their private hospitals, because it was for the best interests of the laboring people, they said.

"We have always taken care of our injured and sick," they said. "This act only takes care of those injured, but not those who become sick." Therefore, they contended, the poor workmen would not get as good treatment under the first aid provision as they receive at present.

"This is not Mr. Teats' bill," ex-

claimed Speaker Taylor; "it is not the bill of the Hay liability commission."

Then he went on to tell that the lumber interests were really the originators of the compulsory idea because it would result in much benefit to the employers of labor.

And right on top of that he stated that he opposed the first aid clause on account of his solicitude for the workmen.

"But I am opposed to the first aid clause because the laboring people will not get as square a deal under it as we are giving them now," he said. "Employers have hearts, and they always take care of their injured." And there were enough gullible solons to swallow this, and to strike out the first-aid provision.

**Gullible Solons.**  
Gullible solons? Yes. For here is how Taylor showed that employers have hearts. When Ed Wright immediately afterward offered an amendment to compel employers to take care of their sick and injured at their own expense, and not on the fees they collect from their employees, and made it a misdemeanor for the violation of this obligation, Speaker Taylor actually guffawed at the very idea.

"Why not put us in the penitentiary for employing people at all?" he said. And again he and his confederates prevailed. From then on, the rout was perfect. All of which is very ludicrous in view of the fact that there is a normal majority in the house in favor of labor measures. On the first ballot the vote was a tie, 40 to 40. After Taylor had taken the floor, upon a reconsideration of the amendment, a large number

**WHO'S WHO AT OLYMPIA**



**HARVE H. PHIPPS, SPOKANE.**

When Congressman Victor Mardock was in Spokane, speaking for Poindexter, he got the treat of his life. He shook hands with a man who had as fiery hair as himself. It was Harve H. Phipps, who made the Poindexter nominating speech in the lower house. Though Phipps is a lawyer, he never made any laws before. But he likes the game, and he lands with both feet and all of his red hair when he gets busy. And he certainly got busy when he wanted to defeat the anti-death penalty bill.

of supposed labor sympathizers flopped, and first aid was killed by a vote of 53 to 35.

Those who flopped were: Alexander, Cameron, Ennis, Eshelman, J. A. Miller, Moody, Phipps, Rudene, Thompson and Webster.

Some tried to dodge the issue and had absent themselves on the first vote. On a call of the house, the following of the absentees recorded themselves against the first aid provision: Gandy, McKenna, Moren, A. M. Stevens. The following remained absent: Foster, Ghent, Locke, Minard, Smith.

Here are the 35 who stood by labor and the first aid clause from start to finish: Atkinson, Boyle, H. D. Buchanan, R. E. Buchanan, Campbell, W. P. Christensen, Davis, Deming, Denman, Dickson, Dow, Faulkner, Fritts, Garrecht, Gillette, Goss, Holmes, Horrikan, Hubbel, Jamieson, Laube, LeSourd, McClure, McCoy, Clyde Miller, Seales, Sgt. Straub, Teats, Todd, Tonkin, Woolridge, Wright, Zednick.

The bill as it now stands and stripped of its most important provision will come up for final reading tomorrow morning.

**Attack Like Tigers.**  
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### State News

(By United Press Leased Wire.)  
**SEATTLE, Feb. 22.**—A small vote was cast at the primaries yesterday to select the councilmanic ticket of 18 from the list of 68 who want the job. It will take a day or two to count the ballots, however, as the names are much mixed up on the ballots, each of the 68 having his name at the top on an equal number of tickets.

**RAYMOND, Feb. 22.**—The Lebam shingle mill is being repaired and will start up March 1. It has a capacity of 75,000 a day.

**RAYMOND, Feb. 22.**—Excavation has started for the erection of a new hotel here. A concrete foundation will be put in on piles.

**MANKATO, Minn., Feb. 20.**—Six weeks ago Herman Mattson of Amboy lost part of one of his fingers in a corn shredder, and three weeks later lockjaw set in. He was brought to Mankato and placed in a hospital, and solutions of Epsom salts were injected into his spinal column. He began to improve, the salts aiding his system in developing an antitoxin. The physicians say that Mr. Mattson will recover. This is the second case of lockjaw that has been successfully treated in Mankato. It is said that there have been but eleven cases so treated in the United States.

**BLOOMINGTON, Ill., Feb. 20.**—Asserting that disease germs lurk along the points of slate pencils, used in the public schools, the Bloomington board of education has established a system of fumigation. The pencils and other articles used by the pupils which might possibly contain germs are collected at the close of school each day and placed in the fumigation box, containing formaldehyde and permanganate of potash. The following morning they are removed from the bath.

### AGED 72, SUED FOR DIVORCE

Marriage may be a failure for old as well as young, according to the answer of James H. Stewart, 72, filed in court yesterday. He says he married Mary Stewart in September, 1910, put \$100 worth of furniture in the house and settled down to enjoy life. But a waterman assessment came on, and when he refused to pay it his bride threw him out.  
Drink broke up the happy home of Ida Parker, who got a divorce from W. W. Parke yesterday. Ida F. Greene also secured a decree from Pearl H. Greene, a city employe in the electrical department. His wife charges he squandered his \$125 a month in pool halls. She is to get \$50 a month alimony.  
Mrs. Christina Ostlund filed suit with the court yesterday to have the community property worth \$5000 turned over to her. She says her husband John is a slave to liquor and will squander the whole thing unless the court intervenes.

### Pretty Stenog. Badly Scared

Miss Mildred Cummings, a sweet faced stenographer from the office of the Northern Coast Timber company of Kapowsin, who did not like to come into court and testify in the case of Samuel J. Harry and Belle Long, arrested for immoral conduct in living together as husband and wife, was frightened out of a year's growth by the court yesterday.  
She had gone to Seattle to escape the trial. Judge Chapman had her brought before him on a bench warrant. The girl showed that no legal service had been made on her ordering her to appear and testify so nothing could be done about it. The court, however, lectured her and let her go.

### Seattle Man Under Arrest in New York

(By United Press Leased Wire.)  
**NEW YORK, Feb. 22.**—As a result of the row in the cafe of the Waldorf-Astoria hotel, in which he tried to clean up the head waiter and several of his assistants, E. W. Johnson of Seattle was arrested today on a charge of assault and battery and of disturbing the peace.

Every man should have his chance. How about our 'Bartoo' Printing Co.

### NEW CITY DOCK LOOKS FINE

The Tacoma municipal dock which will be opened for business next Wednesday will be the finest on the coast.

The city commissioners went down this morning and looked it over. Painters are putting the finishing touches on it now, and the waiting room is a revelation. With great big windows looking out on the sound, the dock will be a light and attractive place. It is all finished in slash grain-fir, and seats have been made

to match, local carpenters doing the work and making a fine job. The opening next Tuesday night with a fere luncheon on board the Indianapolis and Sioux will probably bring out a good portion of the city and a big time is looked for.

### HOLIDAY TO-DAY

Washington's birthday is being celebrated quite extensively today in Tacoma. All public buildings are closed, banks are dark, many business houses did not open and there is a general aspect of holiday celebration in town.

The annual plug hat parade by the Elks was called off on account

of the death of Harry Pincus, a prominent member. The banquet will be held tonight, however.

The annual parade by troop B was given. The Red Men, who generally parade, went to Buckley to a big lodge celebration there.

At the Y. M. C. A. open house is being maintained all day with a fine program of music and speeches tonight to which everybody in town is invited.

### COMMERCIAL CLUB SENDS COMMITTEE

A committee consisting of J. S. Whitehouse, W. A. Whitman, A. E. Grafton, A. H. Barnhiser and

E. D. Murphy will go to confer with Governor Hay tomorrow afternoon before he signs the Ennis bill for the opening of new waterways.

This bill empowers county commissioners to create improvement districts to open waterways when a majority of the property affected desires it.

The committee represents the Commercial club. It wants to be sure the bill is what is wanted before it finally becomes a law.

Because a lawyer's writing was hard to read, Walter R. Hodier, a deaf man, was cross-examined by a typewriter machine in a Newark court, before which he has a damage suit. The questions were written out by a court typist and submitted to the witness, who answered them orally.

# 3 DAYS MORE 3

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