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tect himself. To relieve Mr. Lacy, he said, would establish a dangerous precedent. If it was not done it would cause future Treasurers to take bonds for self protection.

The bill was finally re-referred, Senator Webb first named the Finance Committee, but on suggestion of Senator Burton that some legal points might be at issue named the Judiciary Committee.

A little fun was had during the day when Senator Reinhardt's bill concerning "spurious, venomous, and milt liquors" was read as was also the case when a House bill substituting "public" in place of "private" concerning fines for drunkenness in Madison county was taken up. Senator Gilliam remarked that the prohibition county of Madison had trouble, both with drunkenness and Republicans.

SENATE—TWENTY-NINTH DAY.

The Senate met yesterday at twelve o'clock and was led in prayer by Rev. D. P. Goode. The reading of the journal of Saturday was dispensed with, on motion of Senator Reinhardt.

Reports of standing committees were submitted, these being considered as the Calendar was taken up. The only opposition to a favorable report was the minority recommendation of Senator Welborn that the Winston-Saur-Turnpike bill do not pass.

Following the report of the committee Senator Welborn presented the notice of the earliest of Senator W. L. Griffith of the 36th Senatorial District by W. M. Buckner. It was referred to the Committee on Privileges and Elections.



Physicians are calling attention to the fact that influenza of grip has come to stay. In the larger cities there has been a marked increase in diseases affecting the organs of respiration, which increase is attributed to the prevalence of influenza. Persons who are recovering from grip or influenza are in a weak condition and peculiarly liable to pulmonary disease.

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SENATOR G. H. BELLAMY, Brunswick. Chairman Committee on Agriculture. Whose Bill With Regard to Taxing Festivals Will Create Interest.

Rowan county to prohibit the manufacture and sale of spirituous liquors within three miles of South River Methodist church, Hart school house, etc., in Rowan county.

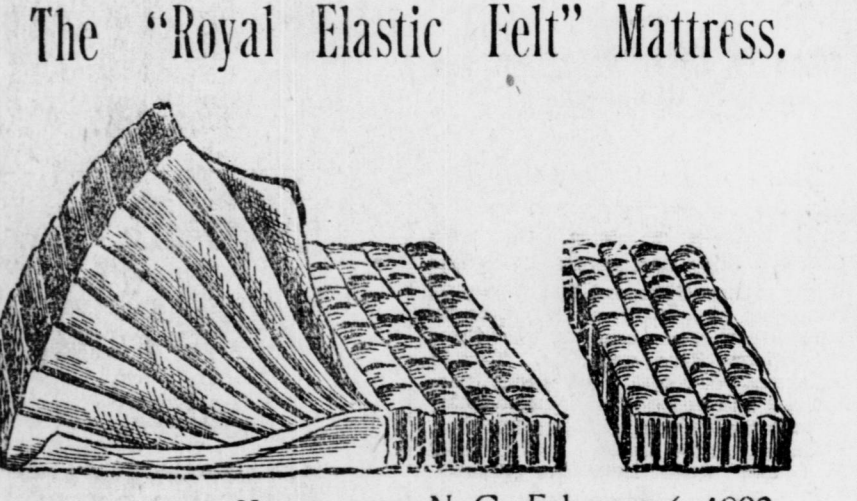
Senator Milton: From citizens of Cabarrus and Stanly counties asking for temperance legislation and favoring London bill.

Senator London: From citizens of Richmond county for the London bill.

Senator Hoey: From Cleveland county for temperance legislation.

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county to levy a special tax. To Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS INTRODUCED.

Bills and resolutions introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 477, Holton, of Yancey: To allow P. H. Holcombe to sell books without license. To Committee on Finance.

S. B. 478, Lamb, of Cumberland: To appoint W. C. Troy and Jno. Smith Justices of the Peace for Cumberland county. To Committee on Justices of the Peace.

S. B. 479, Ballenger, of Polk: For making and working the public roads of Henderson county. To Committee on Public Roads.

S. B. 480, Marshall, of Surry: To place Geo. W. Lawrence and G. E. Hooker on third class pension roll. To Committee on Pensions.

S. B. 481, Mann, of Hyde: To allow Benjamin Eastwood, a disabled Confederate soldier, to peddle without license. To Committee on Finance.

S. B. 482, Bellamy, of Polk: To provide for license to be paid for holding festivals in the county of Brunswick. To Committee on Finance.

S. B. 483, Gilliam, of Edgecombe: To authorize the removal of actions where Justices of the Peace die or become incapacitated before final determination of action. To the Judiciary Committee.

S. B. 484, Justice, of McDowell: To provide for a tax and penalties on railroad companies, and for an adjustment of such tax with such companies as do not discriminate against North Carolina shipping points in matters of freight charges. To the Judiciary Committee.

S. B. 485, Walker, of Caswell: To amend section 3784 of the Code relating to holidays. To Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 486, Justice, of McDowell, for the Committee on Federal relations, Joint resolution favoring passage of the Appalachian Park by Congress.

ROLL CALL BILLS.

The following roll call bills were considered on second and third readings:

H. B. 271, S. B. 276: The substitute to allow Sampson county to apply residue of jail tax to expenses of small pox epidemic and to levy a special tax. Passed final reading 28 to 0, and sent to the House for concurrence.

H. B. 290: To permit Guilford county to issue bonds for road-making and road improvement. Passed third reading 37 to 0. Sent to House.

H. B. 538, S. B. 424: To provide for working the public roads in Smithfield township, Johnston county. Passed final reading 37 to 0. Ordered enrolled.

H. B. 449, S. B. 394: To authorize the levy of a special tax in Jackson county. Passed final reading 35 to 0. Ordered enrolled.

H. B. 426, S. B. 396: To incorporate the town of Stokes, in Pitt county. Passed final reading, 28 to 0. Ordered enrolled.

H. B. 378, S. B. 298: To amend chapter 155, Laws of 1899, relating to the charter of Red Springs, allowing an increased tax levy. Passed final reading, 28 to 0. Ordered enrolled.

S. B. 416: To enable the commissioners of Cleveland county to levy a special tax for roads and bridges. Passed third reading, 36 to 0. Sent to House.

S. B. 417: To authorize county commissioners of Tyrrell county to levy a special tax. Passed third reading, 36 to 0. Sent to House.

S. B. 418: To incorporate the town of Lawndale, in Cleveland county. Passed third reading, 34 to 0. Sent to House.

S. B. 428: To empower commissioners of Lenoir county to levy and collect a special tax. Passed third reading 37, to 0. Sent to House.

S. B. 43: To change the corporate limits of the town of Marion, McDowell county. Passed third reading, 37 to 0. Sent to House.

S. B. 426: To establish graded schools in Fremont, Wayne county. Passed third reading, 37 to 0. Sent to House.

S. B. 292: To authorize commissioners of Clay county to hold election on question of subscription to the stock of the Hiwassee Valley Railroad Company. Passed second reading 32 to 0. On calendar.

S. B. 303: To authorize Murphree township, Cherokee county, to subscribe to the stock of the Hiwassee Valley Railroad Company. Passed second reading, 37 to 1. On Calendar.

S. B. 454: To amend the charter of the town of Concord, passed second reading, 25 to 0. On Calendar.

Work on the calendar was continued with the following bills:

H. B. 396, S. B. 196: To protect certain

birds in Lincoln county, upon concurrence in amendment by the House of Representatives. Amendment was concurred in and the bill ordered enrolled.

H. B. 395, S. B. 192: To prohibit hunting game on the lands of or in Robeson county without permission of the owner, upon concurrence in the amendment by the House of Representatives exempting portion of the county. The amendment was concurred in and bill ordered enrolled.

H. B. 398, S. B. 196: To prevent hunting in the enclosed or fenced lands in certain counties, upon concurrence in amendment by the House of Representatives the amendment was concurred in and bill ordered enrolled.

H. B. 349, S. B. 313: For the relief of sheriffs and tax collectors, upon second reading. Amendment reported by committee was adopted.

Senator Hicks, of Granville, moved to amend by adding at the end of section 2: "Provided that this act shall not authorize the sale of any land for taxes which has been sold since such taxes were levied. Amendment was adopted. Passed second and third readings and ordered engrossed.

H. B. 48, S. B. 347: To incorporate the Winston-Stuart Turnpike Company. Passed second reading.

H. B. 401, S. B. 423: To authorize the Taxway Company to furnish wines and liquors to the bona fide guests of its hotels in Jackson and Transylvania counties. Passed second and third readings and ordered enrolled.

S. B. 49: To establish "A Prison Parole Commission." Passed second and third readings and ordered sent to the House.

S. B. 387: For the relief of B. R. Lacy, State Treasurer, of payment of \$374.84, embezzled by W. H. Martin, former clerk. Passed second reading. Upon motion of Senator Webb, bill was referred to the Judiciary Committee.

Upon motion of Senator Marshall:

H. B. 45, S. B. 347: To incorporate the Winston-Stuart Turnpike Company, was placed upon its third reading. Passed third reading and ordered enrolled.

H. B. 193, S. B. 259: To amend chapter 208, Public Laws of 1899, relating to public drunkenness in Madison county.



SENATOR THOS. MCBRYDE, of Robeson. A Member of Important Committees and a Force for Temperance Legislation.

Passed second and third readings and ordered enrolled.

H. B. 389, S. B. 399: To repeal chapter 607, Laws of 1901, making certain parts of Chowan and Perquimans counties a stock law district. Passed second and third readings and ordered enrolled.

H. B. 205, S. B. 406: To protect game in the county of Tyrrell. Passed second reading.

S. B. 415: To amend chapter 439, Public Laws of 1901, in so far as same relates to Jones county, upon second reading. Passed second and third readings and ordered engrossed.

CHANGES IN BILLS.

A message from the House asked that:

H. B. 575: To amend section 3122 of the Code, in relation to the practice of medicine, be recalled to the House. The bill was ordered returned.

Upon motion of Senator Vann, the vote by which:

H. B. 242, S. B. 343: To incorporate the town of Abbottsburg, in Bladen county, passed third reading was reconsidered and the bill was ordered to be recalled from the office of the Enrolling Clerk, and referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

Upon motion of Senator Vann, the vote, by which:

H. B. 241, S. B. 362: To incorporate the town of Bladenboro, in Bladen county, was reconsidered, and the bill is ordered to be recalled from the office of the Enrolling Clerk and referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

Upon motion of Senator London:

S. B. 225, S. B. 282 and S. B. 455: Relating respectively to incorporation against sale of liquor within two miles of Lenoir School House, Polk county, within four miles of Smith Chapel Methodist church, Wayne county, and within three miles of Salem church in Lincoln county were all re-referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances with recommendations that they be included in an omnibus bill.

ENROLLED BILLS.

The following bills were announced as enrolled and ratified:

H. B. 673, S. B. 458: To regulate the times of holding court in Jackson county.

H. B. 419, S. B. 398: To allow commissioners of Montgomery county to sell part of the jail lot.

H. B. 228, S. B. 55: To provide for a tax to be paid on acts amending the charters of corporations, by requiring that double the amount be paid the General Assembly than the Secretary of State.

H. B. 413, S. B. 291: To protect fish in Scuppernon River, Tyrrell county.

H. B. 112, S. B. 341: To amend the charter of the town of Mount Airy.

H. B. 337, S. B. 258: To provide for

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