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### THE WESTERN SCHOOL FOR TEACHERS UP

Western Training School Bill Comes Up On a Special Order

### SEVERAL NEW BILLS

New Bills Introduced—Bill by Senator Boyden to Provide Assistance of an Engineer for Counties Engaged in Building Roads—Bill by Senator Pharr to Provide for the Auditing of Books of Corporations—Lemmond's Bill to Prevent Monopoly Reported Unfavorably, Also Thomes Resolution to Discourage Use of Trust-made Goods.

President Pro. Tem Pharr convened the senate at 10 o'clock and Rev. R. T. Vann, D.D., of Meredith College, offered prayer.

**Bills Introduced.**  
Boyden: Provide engineer assistance to counties in the construction of public roads, the state to employ an expert road engineer, who is to give his advice and assistance to any county gratis.

Martin of Buncombe: Amend the compulsory school law of Asheville; also require auditor of Buncombe county to enter certain deeds on tax assessment records; also amend road law of Buncombe county; also (for the committee) make the appointment of members of the senate.

Pharr: Provide for auditing books of corporations.

Johnson (by request): Provide automatic gates on rural delivery routes in North Carolina.

Five or six bills relating purely to local matters were introduced.

**Reports From Committees.**  
Among the bills reported by committees was the Wall house bill making a 60-hour labor law in the state. It was reported without prejudice by the committee on manufacturing.

The judiciary committee reported unfavorably Senator Lemmond's bill to prevent monopoly and oppression by gas, electric light and power companies; also Senator Thorne's resolution to encourage the use of goods manufactured by independent concerns and discourage the use of trust-made goods; also Senator Cotten's bill to provide for the appointment of directors of the state's prison. Senator Cotten then moved to take this bill from the table and refer it to the committee on penal institutions, but his motion was laid on the table.

### PETITION FOR INCREASED PENSIONS.

Senator London presented a petition (Continued on Page Two.)

### CHICAGO HOLDING MAYOR'S ELECTION

(By Leased Wire to The Times.)  
Chicago, Feb. 28—With 1,500 watchers at the polls to prevent fraud Chicago today is nominating its candidates for mayor in its first direct primaries. The contest is expected to be a close one. With five republican candidates for the place and three democrats seeking a position on the ticket the campaign which has been waged for the last two months has been a hot one. Politicians today predicted that Carter H. Harrison, who for four terms was mayor of Chicago, will receive the democratic nomination again, over Andrew J. Graham, candidate of the machine. Edward Dunne, also a former mayor, the third in the race, has a good show for the nomination but is not considered formidable by either of the other two candidates, between whom the principle fight has been waged. Graham, it is alleged, is being backed by the corporations.

### PUBLIC HEALTH LAWS

#### Dr. W. S. Rankin Explains the Situation More Fully.

State Must Protect Its School Children in Plea of Medical Profession—Discussion of Position Taken by "National League for Medical Freedom"—Reply to Charges Against Pending Health Bill.

"The National League for Medical Freedom" through their attorneys in a hearing before the committee on appropriations objected to pending health legislation on the following counts: First, that the present public health laws discriminate unjustly in favor of the regular medical profession; second, that the state board of health is asking for oppressive power for the enforcement of quarantine; third, that the health laws, now pending, which provide for the medical inspection of school children in the public schools interfere with individual rights and are oppressive.

To their first charge we would reply: That the present public health laws of the state certainly discriminate in favor of the regular profession. These laws require for example: That the state health officer, four of the nine members of the state board of health, and every county superintendent of health shall be a regular registered physician. But what are these laws? Are they not the voice of the people as interpreted by those chosen to represent them? It is not the will of ninety or ninety-eight percent of the people of North Carolina that the principles of medicine enacted into health laws shall be the principles to the allopathic schools, and that members of this school should be chosen to enforce the principles in which they believe? Their criticism then of any unfair discrimination is a criticism of the right of the majority to rule.

To their second charge, that the state board of health is asking for an oppressive power to enforce the execution of the quarantine laws through local authorities, we reply: First, that life and death are dependent upon the faithful execution of quarantine in epidemics, and that five times as many people lose their lives through lax quarantine enforcement as are killed in homicide; second, that the control of contagion which recognizes no county boundary, must be to a certain extent within the power of the state. An example will make this plain: In one or two adjacent townships situated in different counties, scarlet fever begins to spread, and the county authorities refuse to properly execute the quarantine laws in the affected township; the result is that the neighboring township in another county is unprotected against the county negligent or careless in quarantine. Unless the state has some authority to impose penalties for neglected quarantine or to compel the county primarily attacked, to enforce quarantine, the second county is at the mercy of its careless and disease disseminating neighbor.

Last year, when smallpox was rife in North Carolina, at least a dozen counties reported to the state health officer that their counties were receiving the disease from a certain county against which they asked the state's protection. The present law gave the state no power to protect them. The people of North Carolina, the great majority of whom believe in quarantine enforcement, desire the state to have the power to protect them from a small minority of counties who from a small minority of counties who fail to realize their responsibility in the proper execution of quarantine laws. But "Doctor" Cook says it would be oppressive for the state to have this protective power.

To the third charge, that medical inspection of public schools by a public officer chosen by the people interested in the schools is an interference with individual liberty and is oppressive, we reply: First, that when the public invests its money in the educational development of children it has a right to investigate the physical basis of its investment, that is, the health of the children upon which the wisdom of its investment depends. Of course the public would be justified in doing this only by virtue of its expenditure for the child; second, that such a physical inspection of school children is not oppressive, but on the contrary most humane is the conclusion justified by the results of the examination of over a million school children of the United States. This examination showed that 25 percent of these children had defective eyes, 6.3 percent had defective ears, and 10 percent had defective throats. To educate these children and to disregard their physical condition, upon which their mental development largely rests, means that many of them by the time their education is about complete—if in fact they can last so long—would break down with nervous exhaustion or later in life make up some of the dope fiends or criminal classes. But, "Doctor" Cook says to investigate the physical basis of the child's future usefulness, that for the public to take precaution that its expenditure for education shall not be wasted in later physical deterioration, is oppressive. We believe if the state were going to buy \$200,000 worth of horses every year that it would provide that thorough examination of the horses by experts be made prior.

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Gen. Manuel Bonilla, (above), leader of the revolution in Honduras and President Miguel R. Davis, (below), to whom he has yielded. Bonilla gave in to the conservative element of the country and has withdrawn his demand to be made president of the republic after a four days peace conference on board the United States cruiser Tacoma.

### ONE MAN KILLED IN ELECTION RIOT

(By Leased Wire to The Times.)  
Chicago, Feb. 28—Arthur Quinn, a young son of James Quinn, former city scaler and twenty-first ward leader, shot and killed an unidentified man today in an election riot and revolver battle at the polling places at North Clark and Erie street. Quinn shot the man under the heart after he himself had been shot at three times, one of the bullets striking him in the leg.

Quinn was taken to the Chicago Avenue police station. He claims he shot in self-defense. The wounded man died on the way to the hospital. The bullet had struck him below the heart. At the hospital it was learned that his name was J. Collingham and that he was an architectural iron worker.

### PROGRESS IN THE TRIAL OF ROBIN

(By Leased Wire to The Times.)  
New York, Feb. 28—Joseph G. Robin, the "skyrocket financier," on trial for the larceny of \$27,000 from the Washington Savings Bank, sat like an inert mannikin while the selection of jurors to decide his case went on today before Judge Searbury.

### MR. STINSON IS OUSTED OF HIS JOB

The Political Mask Is Today Lifted and the Scheme Openly Revealed

### OFFICE IS ABOLISHED

County Commissioners Prefer Slim Charges Against Faithful Man and Fearing the Downfall of Their Plot They Over-ride the People by Act of Legislature—Abolish One Office and Create Two—Must Make Room for Their Helpers—Chairman Johnson Is Backed by Peanut Politician—Control of Machinery is Their Aim.

The mask has been removed and behind it is seen the moving hand of the cheap politician. "To the victor belongs the spoils" is to be carried out in every minute detail as to Wake county's government. Any way to get into office those who helped to win the magnificent (?) victory. Those who have been faithful servants have been dropping down one by one. Now the veil is lifted and the voters of Wake county must see the head of one of their most efficient officials go to the block. The latest deal pulled off is to legislate Capt. W. E. Stinson, county superintendent of roads, out of a job and make way for one of their helpers. Some time ago the board of county commissioners decided to oust Mr. Stinson, even without a hearing, and would have done so, had not ex-Governor C. B. Aycock appeared on the scene and informed them that such procedure as that would not work. He demanded that written charges be preferred. The voice of the people demanded fair play and the board reluctantly acquiesced. Of course every one in the county knows who is behind this deal. The following is the complete record of the actions of the board:

### MAN KILLED IN CHARLOTTE HOTEL

(Special to The Times.)  
Charlotte, Feb. 28—His head pierced with a pistol ball and his blood splattered over the floor, J. A. Wynn, a traveling representative for the May and Ellis Company, and whose home is in New Orleans, was found dead in his hotel room in a local hotel today. The young man, had been in the room with a young woman claiming to be his wife, and blood was found in the water bowl and on the floor. An inquest will be held this afternoon. Apparently death was self-inflicted but further facts may develop at the inquest.

### SERIOUS ACCIDENT ON SANFORD YARDS

(Special to The Times.)  
Sanford, N. C., Feb. 28—While an Atlantic Coast Line extra freight was making up train here this morning for Wilmington, with a long string of cars attached to engine and running down grade, backed into some wrecked cars which the section master with car inspector and a bunch of men were jacking up, killing John Howard, a young white man of Jonesboro instantly, his legs being cut and broken and head crushed beyond recognition. Section Master J. B. Jordan had left leg broken and cut in two places below the knee and bruised about the head, several other men barely escaped being caught by moving cars.



Willie Hoppe, the world's champion billiardist, and his wife, who were ordered out of France while on their honeymoon. Premier Clemenceau issued an order of expulsion in 1907, shortly after Hoppe's first big championship game late in 1906, when he defeated Maurice Vignaux and it was this ancient mandate that was served upon Hoppe when he and his bride arrived in France.

### RAVAGES OF PLAGUE

(By Cable to The Times.)  
St. Petersburg, Feb. 28—Two thousand people are dying daily of bubonic plague at Pai Chuan Lintz, fifty miles north of Harbin, and the city will soon be depopulated. Kirin, Hulanchen, opposite Harbin and Bedune, 100 miles south, are also being devastated by the disease.

### NIGHT RIDERS MAKE THREATS OF DEATH

(By Leased Wire to The Times.)  
Lexington, Ky., Feb. 28—Night riders in Kentucky are threatening death to tobacco growers who defy their orders. Last night, the raiders destroyed 3 big tobacco seed beds owned by Stephen Reynolds in Bath county and left notices on empty carriage boxes that his barns would be burned if he again sowed his fields. In the night riders campaign an empty carriage box is a threat of death.

### OLD GUARD

#### The Direct Election of Senators Killed.

Old Guard Mustered Enough Votes Today to Defeat the Proposition for the Direct Election of Senators—Failed of Two-thirds Majority.

(By Leased Wire to The Times.)  
Washington, Feb. 28—Fighting to the last ditch to defeat the will of the people, the old guard in the senate today succeeded in defeating the measure calling for direct election of United States senators.

Those voting in favor of the amendment were: Bailey, Beveridge, Borah, Boone, Bradley, Briggs, Brewster, Brown, Burdick, Burton, Carter, Chamberlain, Clark, Clark, Wyo., Clark, Ariz., Culberson, Cullom, Cummins, Curtis, Davis, Dixon, Faye, Gammie, Goss, Griggs, Guggenheim, Jones, La Follette, McChesney, Martin, Perkins, Rayner, Simmons, Smith, Michigan; Stevenson, Sutherland, Nelson, Newlands, Nixon, Overman, Owen, Paynter, Pitts, Shively, Smith, Md.; Smith, S. C.; Stone, Swanson, Taylor, Thurston, Warner, Watson, Young—54.

Those voting against the measure were: Bacon, Burkhead, Brandegee, Bristow, Burnham, Burrows, Crane, Depew, Dick, Dillingham, Fletcher, Flint, Foster, Hale, Huxburn, Johnson, Keam, Lodge, Lorimer, Money, Oliver, Page, Penrose, Pendergast, Pomeroy, Root, Scott, Smoot, Tallaferro, Tillman, Warren, Wetmore—33.

It would have required 62 to pass the measure. Therefore direct election of senators was killed for this session, at least, by the narrow margin of eight votes.

### FURTHER DISORDER EXPECTED

(By Leased Wire to The Times.)  
Fresno, Cal., Feb. 28—Disorder has already broken out following the gathering of the Industrial Workers of the World here and the police are today preparing for further trouble when the 250 of the members of the order who are enroute here from the northwest arrive.

### NO SUCCESSOR TO MORTON

(By Leased Wire to The Times.)  
Washington, Feb. 28—A curious misunderstanding seems to prevail as to the successor to Charles D. Norton, as executive secretary. Persons who talked with the president himself said positively that Mr. Taft had told that he had not chosen a successor to Mr. Norton, that he did not know whom he would appoint and that any suggestion that the man was to be Assistant Secretary Hilles of the treasury was a mistake.

### THE LIQUOR INSPECTION BILL REPORT

Bill for the Inspection of Liquors Shipped Into State Favorable Reported

### SOME IMPORTANT BILLS

Many Important Bills Reported From Committees—Bill to Establish a Legislative Reference Library Reported Unfavorably—Free Anti-Toxin Bill Reported Unfavorable. Favorable Report to Prohibit the Use of Dynamite For Fishing in Any Stream—Mr. Cox Arises to a Question of Personal Privilege.

The house was convened at 10:00 o'clock, Speaker Dowd in the chair, and Rev. C. J. Harrell, of Raleigh offering prayer.

**Petitions.**  
Marshall: From citizens of Surry, asking tax on dogs.  
Koonce: From citizens of Onslow, asking for bond issue for roads.

**Committee Reports.**  
(Favorable reports were made, except as otherwise noted.)  
To provide free anti-toxin. (Unfavorable.)  
To provide for paving around the capitol and governor's mansion. (Unfavorable.)  
To drain Walnut creek in Wake county. (Unfavorable.)  
To erect an additional building at the Soldiers' Home.

To promote the higher education of the blind. (Unfavorable.)  
To transfer Pleckford Sanitarium to the state. (Unfavorable.)  
To erect a monument to the women of the Confederacy. (Unfavorable.)  
To establish a legislative reference library. (Unfavorable.)  
To increase the salary of the adjutant general.

To increase the salary of the commissioner of labor and assistant. To increase the clerical force to the governor.

To increase the salary of the state librarian.

To educate negro's on the subject of tuberculosis. (Unfavorable.)  
All the above reports were made by the all-powerful appropriations committee.

Other committees made a great many reports, among them being the following:  
To increase the salary of the pension clerk from \$900 to \$1,000.  
To authorize the issuance of (Continued on Page Six.)

### FRANKIE BURNS WINS

(By Leased Wire to The Times.)  
San Francisco, Cal., Feb. 28—"Frankie" Burns won an easy victory over Low Powell in nineteen rounds before Dreamland ring last night, knocking down his opponent twice during the course of the bout. Powell was on the verge of unconsciousness in the nineteenth round when Referee Eddie Smith stopped the fight, giving the decision to Burns.

In the seventeenth Powell rallied for a few moments but it was only a flash in the pan. Powell went down once in the twelfth and again in the thirteenth. It was reported that Powell was sick. His appearance showed he was in no condition to fight.

### BANK DYNAMITED

Stirling, Ill., Feb. 28—The Citizens Bank at Walnut, Ill., was dynamited early today and several thousand dollars taken by the robbers, who escaped. Posses have started on their trail.