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### ALL OVER NOW.

Legislature Adjourns at Noon. Presentation to Speaker Connor. All Sing Together.

Special to Journal  
BALDWIN, March 8.—The Legislature adjourned today at 12 o'clock, noon, by the "legislative clock," the real time being seven minutes after two o'clock.

Every bill on the calendar was disposed of, and every act that was passed was ratified.

In the House Speaker Connor was presented with a solid silver tea set, the presentation speech being made by Lee S. Overman, Mr. Connor making a happy response in reply.

The ladies were invited on the floor and the Senators came over from their side of the Capitol, all joining in singing patriotic songs.

Tonight the last of the members of the Legislature are leaving the city.

### FIGHTING ALL DAY.

Natives Forced to Retreat But They Hold In Jungles And Harass Their Foes.

MANILA, March 7.—Generals Hays and Weston determined this morning to clear away the Filipinos in front of their brigades near Manila. A gunshot under Major Grant, began shelling the natives position.

Two companies of the Twentieth Infantry and three companies of the First Nebraska swung in from the road to the waterworks, driving the Filipinos toward the Pasig river. The First Wyoming advanced directly on the Filipino position in front. Meanwhile the gunboat pounded the natives from the river.

Capt. J. D. O'Brien, of the First Wyoming, was shot in the wrist and Major DeWitt, of the bureau of Information, was slightly wounded. Complete returns of the wounded are not yet in. General Hays estimates the Filipino loss at 250 in this skirmish.

The Filipinos also opened fire across the river from Guadalupe, killing Private Loyjoy, of the First Washington, and wounding two others. They have been concentrating to the east of the city and will probably try an attack from that side. Their principal object is to cut off the water supply. The American positions are strong and the attempts will doubtless be futile.

MANILA, March 7.—A detachment of General Hale's and General Weston's brigades was engaged this morning clearing the country in front of their lines on both sides of the river, the Filipinos having concentrated with the apparent purpose of cutting off the garrison at the waterworks.

The natives bolted at the first sign of the advance, but they separated into small bodies whenever the jungle afforded opportunities and kept up a running fire. By a series of rapid advances, followed by flank movements, the Filipinos were driven as far out as Guadalupe, on the right, and almost to Marquina, on the left.

In the afternoon General Hale's brigade continued the work of driving out the Filipinos from the country between the reservoir and the waterworks, a distance of about three miles.

The country is now clear on the left of the river, but the Filipinos are still in front of General Weston's line. Near San Pedro Macati they have been actively attempting to make the position of the Sixth Artillery on the hills untenable, the sharpshooters keeping up a fire all day.

Private Loyjoy, of the First Washington, was killed by a stray bullet. Major Bell, Captain O'Brien, Privates Young, Curran and Sparks were wounded.

The Filipinos in front of General Owenshine's line sent out a flag of truce, but retired when Lieutenant Koehler, with two men advanced to meet it. Later they again showed a white flag and a general, with two officers and an interpreter, advanced.

When the Americans were within about two hundred yards of the Filipinos the latter dragged rifles from behind their backs and opened fire, but without effect. Hawthorn's Battery fired two shells, killing several of the natives in the party.

The heat is intense, especially on the firing lines, where twenty-five Americans were temporarily prostrated during the day.

In accordance with instructions to the land and naval forces, a general order was issued today directing the United States troops to give particular attention to the specific duty of furnishing full protection to the lives and property of all German, Austrian, Dutch, Italian and Portuguese residents, and, with the cooperation of the resident German consul to give aid and assistance wherever necessary.

### THE SPECULATIVE MARKETS.

Today's quotations furnished by W. L. Galbraith, New York, Represented by A. O. Newberry.

NEW YORK, March 8  
STOCKS.  
Open, High, Low, Close  
Sugar..... 139 1/2 140 137 1/2 140  
Am Tobacco... 104 1/2 105 101 1/2 105  
J. C..... 114 115 110 115  
C. R. & Q..... 138 139 138 139  
COTTON.  
Open, High, Low, Close  
May..... 8.85 9.25 8.87 8.97  
CHICAGO MARKETS.  
WHEAT—Open, High, Low, Close  
May..... 7 1/2 7 1/2 7 1/2 7 1/2  
Corn..... 35 35 35 35  
May..... 35 35 35 35

### CLOSING HOURS.

Immense Number Bills Hurried Through Readings.

Appropriations for State Institutions. The Jones-Powell Fight. Otho Wilson Hubs Up Again. Claims Commissionership.

BALDWIN, March 8.—The House concurred in the Senate amendments to the bills making appropriations to the school for deaf mutes at Morganton (\$40,000 for maintenance and \$7,500 for an addition to the buildings.)

The bill making appropriations to the three hospitals for the insane was taken up. It appropriates \$90,000 for maintenance and \$30,000 for new buildings for female patients; \$40,000 for maintenance and \$40,000 for two buildings for male and female patients at the Eastern Hospital at Goldsboro; \$55,000 for maintenance, \$13,000 for debts and \$5,500 for repairs and additions to buildings. The bill passed without debate.

Bill passed allowing the State Treasurer to lend the Agricultural and Mechanical College at Raleigh \$2,500 for a sewerage system.

Moore said he rose to perform a very pleasant duty, delegated to him by the House in the presentation of a cane to Reading Clerk Wilson for his promptness and courtesy and ability. Wilson made a speech in reply and was heartily applauded. Council presented gold sleeve links to Journal Clerk Cowan.

The sum of \$50,000 a year for the next two years was appropriated for the support and maintenance of the penitentiary. The State Treasurer was authorized to pay \$5,000 to the Vance monument fund and \$2,500 to the A. and M. College for the installment of a sewerage system.

The bill instituting was given an appropriation of \$32,500 for maintenance and \$15,000 for repairs.

The act making appropriations to the State hospitals passed. The following are the terms: State hospital at Raleigh: For support and maintenance, \$55,000 a year. For paying indebtedness, \$5,549.95; for enlarging stables and barn and repairing administration building, to change water supply and for store-room and cold storage plant, \$5,500.

State Hospital at Morganton: For support and maintenance and necessary repairs and improvements \$100,000 a year. For a building for use of female patients and a building for colonizing male patients, \$10,000 a year for 1899 and 1900.

State Hospital at Goldsboro: For support and maintenance and necessary repairs and improvements, \$45,000 a year. An amendment to the school law was agreed on by a conference committee, by which in case a holder of a teachers' certificate for the normal schools, Peabody school, etc., fails to teach schools for three consecutive years it shall be void.

Holman introduced a bill to allow the Railroad Commission or the Corporation Commission to assess property which has escaped taxation. A bill passed yesterday which gave the Railroad Commission this power, but which did not give it to the Corporation Commission.

Holland, of Wake, introduced resolution No. 2,043, that Robert H. Jones, of Raleigh, be summoned before the bar of the House and show cause why he is not guilty of contempt in assaulting Representative Gaston Powell. McLean, of Harnett, said that such an offence to be contempt had to be committed in the presence of the House. Boushall said that the member was attacked in the entrance of the House. He said that it was an abuse of the privilege of a member and of his privilege of voting. Clarkson said he agreed with McLean. He moved to indefinitely postpone. Overman said there was not time to take up the matter; that at all events it ought not to be taken up in the shape of specific charges, and that Jones was entitled to counsel. He cited the McAden and Pearson case a few years ago. Powell said he declared himself innocent of any attempt to do wrong; that he had done as much as he could; that he had never had a fight before; that he left the matter in the hands of the House. Overman said that he deeply sympathized with Powell, but thought the courts should attend to the matter. The speaker asked Overman if a member passing from one hall to another was not within the verge of the House; that this was his view. Overman said that this view was correct. McLean said he wanted the House to show its opinion that Powell was guilty of no offence but that he had most properly defined himself and successfully. Allen, of Wayne, said that it must be understood that the privileges of members should not be infringed upon, and that they must be fully protected for any vote they might take. Clarkson's motion to indefinitely postpone was then adopted.

In the Senate the revenue act came up as a special order. That part of section 30 which provides that all persons or firms who buy and sell horses or mules as a business shall pay an annual tax of \$3.00 to the State and no tax to the county was stricken out. An amendment to section 23, offered by Senator Butler, was adopted, which provides that individuals, firms or associations conducting the business of buying or selling merchandise or produce, or manufacturers of any kind, shall not be required to pay tax as commission merchants or brokers. An amendment to section 26 was adopted. It provides that when the capital stock of any land company or corporation shall not amount in actual value to more than \$70,000, the tax imposed by this section shall be \$25.00 and no more. Provided, that only capital stock subscribed for shall be taxed here. The Stevens Act, as amended, then passed final reading.

Bills passed to supplement the act changing the terms of court in Bertie and Craven counties.

The bill to authorize the corporation commissioners to assess railroad, telegraph, canal, steamboat, express, sleeping car, car lines or any other transportation company that have escaped taxation, passed final reading.

Forty days ago and pending his hearing by the Legislature of Governor Russell's reasons for removing him as railway commissioner Otho Wilson placed his resignation in the hands of the House, to be accepted as soon as his case was disposed of.

Last Tuesday night it was decided that his removal was illegal. His resignation was then accepted. Yesterday his attorney created a great sensation here by going before the railway commission and protesting against the assumption of duties by Samuel L. Rogers, who was elected by the Legislature as commissioner and successor to Wilson, on the ground that Wilson is yet railway commissioner and does not abandon the title.

The attorney says he made this statement without Wilson's knowledge. Chairman James W. Wilson then announced that he had repeatedly been told by Otho Wilson that his resignation was written in good faith and so he (Chairman Wilson) recognized Rogers as duly elected and qualified. Otho Wilson's lawyer says he will contest the right of a successor appointed by Governor Russell in case the courts decide the act abolishing the railway commission unconstitutional.

Commissioner Abbott will bring suit, as stated, to test this matter of constitutionality.

A bill passed the Legislature giving extraordinary powers to the newly created corporation commission in assessing property which has in any escaped taxation, also a resolution providing for a thorough investigation of agricultural department and penitentiary.

The House passed the Senate bill appropriating \$5,000 for a statute to Z. B. Vance in Capitol Square.

Appropriations for the insane, aggregating \$247,000, were made; also \$11,500

for schools for deaf mutes and blind.

The House concurred in the Senate amendments to the Stevens anti-trust bill. These strike out the very objectionable fifth section.

The contract for the public printing was awarded to Edwards & Broughton and E. M. Uzzell, of Raleigh.

The House agreed after many hours conference to all the Senate amendments to the revenue act. These strike out the much talked of 2 per cent. tax on gross earnings of railways. The House under whip and spur adopted these sections, but after long debate, the Senate struck them out.

The House and Senate adopted a resolution to adjourn until the second Tuesday in June, 1900.

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It is the purpose of the President to make this trip one exclusively for rest, so he will make no speeches and hope to be relieved of public attention as much as possible.

It is possible that if this wish be favored, the Presidential party will go to Savannah from Thomasville and going aboard the Dolphin make a short voyage in the warm waters of Florida and Georgia.

J. Sheer, Sedalia, Mo., conductor on electric street car line, writes that his little daughter was very low with croup, and her life saved after all physicians had failed, only by using One Minute Cough Cure. F. S. Duffy.

A Carolina Freeze Up.  
COLUMBIA, S. C., March 7.—Central, western and northern South Carolina experienced more blizzard weather yesterday and today, the day preceding being characterized by spring weather, with the thermometer at 84.

In some places the mercury went as low as 10 above zero. Here it reached 20, and has not been above freezing in twenty four hours. The cold has been accompanied by severe northwest winds.

Reports from various points bring news of brief, but heavy snowfalls, and statements to the effect that farmers believe this spring freeze has killed all the fruit and vegetable crop.

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