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Mr. Brown, of committee on agriculture, reported adversely to the petition of 73 inhabitants of Davis county, for legislation prohibiting cattle running at large, etc. Report adopted.

Mr. Pace, of committee on library, presented a report of the officers to be elected by the Legislature, which was read, and laid on the table till called for.

Mr. Grover, of committee on roads, bridges, etc., reported adversely to the motion of the member from Wasatch, asking for \$1,000 for the improvement of the road between Heber and Ashley cities, and

On motion of Mr. Smith, the report was adopted.

The minutes were read.
The House took recess till 2 p. m.

2 p. m.

C. F. 25, "Authorizing counties to issue bonds," etc., was read twice, and, on motion of Mr. Carrington, laid on the table indefinitely.

Mr. Pace presented bill of Mrs. Miller, of \$91, for meals furnished jurymen, etc., First District Court; referred to committee on claims.

Council amendment to C. F. 6 was read, and concurred in.

A message was received from the Governor, announcing his approval of H. F. 39, "In relation to proving records and mining rules and regulations in mining districts."

C. F. 31, providing for incorporating, etc., was read and referred to committee on private incorporations.

Messrs. Grover, Smith and Farr were appointed conference committee on the part of the House to consider H. F. 35, relating to irrigation.

Mr. Brown, of committee on agriculture, reported back H. F. 41, with a substitute bill.

H. F. 46, substitute bill, concerning taking fish out of public waters, was read twice.

COUNCIL.

EVENING SESSION.

February 21st.

A communication was received from the Governor returning C. F. No. 10 an act extending city charters, with suggestions for certain amendments; read, adopted and tabled till called for.

Recess for thirty minutes.

The Committee on judiciary reported that C. F. No. 11, the criminal procedure act, had been returned by the Governor with certain proposed amendments; read, accepted and sent to the House.

HOUSE.

February 21st.

Evening session.
Mr. Milner reported a bill H. F. No. 47, to amend section 2386 of the Compiled Laws, cutting out the last two lines and substituting the words "when sitting on civil or criminal cases;" bill passed.

The committee on claims and appropriations, to whom was referred the petitions of District Court clerks, made a report, which was adopted; the committee reported adversely on petition of C. S. Hill for \$337.45.

Mr. Young reported adversely on the petition of the Utah Rifle Association; adopted.

COUNCIL.

February 22d, 10 a. m.

Council met pursuant to adjournment.

Roll called, quorum present.
Prayer by the Chaplain.

A message from the House announced the passage of H. F. 47, amending section 2,387 of Compiled Laws.

The Council agreed to meet the House in joint session at 3 p. m.

Councilor W. R. Smith, from the conference committee on section 5 of H. F. 35, irrigation bill, recommended that the Council recede from their amendments. Recommendation adopted.

Councilor Thatcher reported on the redeemed auditor's warrants, and that they had been burned. Report received and committee discharged.

Councilor Harrington reported back C. F. 29, for the relief of occupying claimants of lands, and, in consideration of its importance and the brief time for careful consideration, recommended that the bill be not put on its passage at this

session; report accepted and the bill tabled.

Councilor Callister submitted a memorial to Congress for an act to enable the Territory to dispose of school lands, and also a resolution conveying instructions to the commissioners to locate university lands. Both adopted.

C. F. 10, "city charters," was amended so as to make it general and sent to the House.

H. F. 38, "election bill," was taken up and amended.

A message was received from the House concurring in the adoption of the suggestions of the governor to C. F. 10. Also one that the House had adopted C. M. 1, "concerning school lands."

Recess till 2 p. m.

2 o'clock p. m.

The Council asked a postponement of the joint session from 3 to 7 p. m.

The reading of H. F. 38, "election bill," was resumed, pending which,

A message was received from the Governor, returning, not approved, C. F. 28, "providing for the health and safety of persons employed in coal mines," together with his reason therefor.

A message from the House was received concurring in the proposition to meet in joint session at 7 p. m.

The reading of the election bill was then resumed and was passed.

Communications were received as follows: From the House, announcing the Governor's veto of H. F. 33; announcing the concurrence of the House in C. R. 3, "concerning university lands;" that the House had passed H. F. 50, "concerning fish;" and that the House did not concur in C. F. 2, "concerning settling with the compilation committee."

H. F. 50, "fish bill," was laid on the table indefinitely.

Councilor Snow presented the report of the Chancellor of the University. Report accepted and the recommendations therein adopted.

C. F. 23, "school bill," was passed. H. F. 49, "militia bill," was referred to the committee on militia.

A message from the Governor, announced his approval of C. F. 6, "to amend sections 1,806, 1,253 and 1,750 compiled laws."

A communication from the House announced the concurrence of that body in the Council amendments to the election bill, and that Messrs. Milner, Carrington and Rockwood had been appointed on the part of the House to act on said amendments.

Councilors Snow and Thatcher were appointed on the part of the Council.

Councilor E. Snow presented petition of Warren N. Dusenberry for compensation for legal services, amounting to \$750. Referred to committee on claims with instructions to insert amount in appropriation bill.

Recess till 6 p. m.

6 o'clock p. m.

A message from the House told of the Governor's disapproval of the revenue bill.

Another from the House announced the passage by that body of H. F. 51, amending section 2,378 Compiled Laws.

And another announced the passage of an accompanying memorial. Said memorial was adopted.

H. F. 51, to amend section 2,378 Compiled Laws, was passed.

H. F. 50, fish bill, was passed.

C. F. 5, to confer on women the right to hold certain offices, was passed.

H. F. 10, amending certain sections of the Compiled Laws, was taken up, the amendments considered, and the Council receded from its amendments.

Councilor Snow reported that the conference committee recommended that certain amendments be inserted in sections 8 and 9 of H. F. 38, election bill; recommendation adopted.

A request was received from the House to postpone the joint session till 10 o'clock.

A message from the House announced the passage by that body of C. F. 18, "jury and witness fund."

The postponement was concurred in.

C. F. 18, "jury and witness fund," was taken up and the amendments concurred in.

A message from the House announced the passage by that body of C. F. 31, "supplemental to an act for incorporations," etc.

A communication from the Governor announced his approval of C. F. 26, "amending the charter, etc., of Washington City."

A message was received from the House announcing the appointment of a conference committee by that body on the revenue bill.

Councilors Burton and Snow were appointed on the part of the Council.

C. F. 21, "to amend section 180 of the civil practice act," was laid over as unfinished business.

A communication from the House announced that the Governor had approved H. F. 36, "incorporating Silver Reef City;" H. F. 37, "incorporating Richfield;" and H. F. 42, "equalizing taxes on transitory herds."

Councilor Cluff, from the militia committee, reported back H. F. 45, "on militia," and recommended its passage. Report accepted and the bill was taken up and passed.

A message from the Governor announced his approval of C. F. 13, "for special elections to fill vacancies, and C. F. 27, "preservation of game."

A communication from the House announced the passage by that body of H. F. 13, "concerning the compiled Laws of Utah," and that the House was in receipt of a communication that his Excellency had approved C. F. 11, "criminal procedure act."

A message also from the House announced that that body had amended C. F. 5, "confering on women the right to hold certain offices."

H. F. 13 was passed.

Councilor S. S. Smith reported unfavorably on petition for removal of county seat of Kane county. Report accepted.

Councilor S. S. Smith also reported further legislation this session inexpedient, relating to county boundaries. Report accepted.

The sum of \$200 was ordered placed in the appropriation bill for Helaman Pratt for services as chaplain, and \$40 for Zebedee Coltrin for services as chaplain during a portion of the session.

C. F. 5 was taken up and the amendments were concurred in.

Councilor Thatcher reported a bill of \$62 for extra clerk service for engrossing, and recommended that the amount be allowed and appropriated.

The committee on judiciary reported back C. F. 19, "solemnization of marriages," and recommended that the bill lay over as unfinished business. Report accepted and the bill laid over accordingly.

The following motion was presented and carried.

I move that the thanks of the Legislative Council are justly due to the Honorable Lorenzo Snow, President of the Council, to L. J. Nuttall, Esq., chief clerk, and all the other officers, for the promptitude and efficiency they have manifested in the discharge of the duties of their several offices.

L. E. HARRINGTON.

The Council went into joint session.

HOUSE.

Feb. 22d, 10 a. m.

Mr. Preston presented a petition of citizens of Rich county to change the county seat from Randolph to Laketown. Referred to committee on unfinished business.

Mr. Rockwood reported adversely on petitions of Elias Morris and Jas. H. Martin; recommended that \$79.60 be appropriated to H. H. Cluff; recommended an appropriation of \$72.50 for DESERET NEWS; and adversely on petition of Warren N. Dusenberry, for services as assistant district attorney. Report adopted.

Petition of S. B. Young for the institution of charitable, reformatory and other institutions, was referred to committee on unfinished business.

Account of sergeant-at-arms was referred to the committee on claims with instructions.

Mr. Young presented H. F. 49, "to amend certain sections of the compiled laws in relation to the militia," passed.

Mr. Milner reported petition of 630 citizens of Beaver county for an appropriation of \$2,000 for a normal school, with recommendation to insert that amount in appropriation bill.

The Council notified the House of the adoption by that body of the report of the committee of conference on the "irrigation bill;" also the adoption of C. F. 2, "concerning university lands."

The memorial was adopted.

Mr. Attwood reported that the committee on auditor's warrants had performed their duty. Report adopted.

H. F. 50, substitute fish bill was received, and pending its second reading the House took recess till 2 p. m.

2 o'clock p. m.

H. F. 50, prescribing time and mode of taking fish out of the public waters, was passed.

The Governor returned H. F. 33, an act amending section 1,399 of the Compiled Laws, with suggestion.

A message from the Council asked the postponement of the joint session till 7 p. m., concurred in.

C. F. 3, disposal of university lands, was adopted.

A motion to insert in the appropriation bill the item of \$200 for services of chaplain, was carried.

Mr. Rockwood, from the committee on claims, recommended the appropriation of \$132.45 for C. S. Hill, for services as clerk of the Third district court; \$45.33 for the relief of Cache County, and \$428.20 for sergeant-at-arms.

C. F. 2, authorizing auditing accounts of and settling with the committee on compilation, was not concurred in.

Council notified the House of its passage of H. F. 38, "election bill."

A committee of conference on the part of the House was appointed, consisting of Messrs. Milner, Carrington and Rockwood.

A message from the Governor was received, approving H. F. 31, "supplemental to the penal code."

The Council announced that it had laid H. F. 47, "relative to the justices' fees," on the table, and that it had passed C. F. 23, "school bill."

C. F. 23, was referred to the committee on education.

Mr. Pace, from the penitentiary committee, reported that no legislation was necessary on the portion of the Governor's message pertaining to the penitentiary. Report adopted.

Mr. Pace, from the library committee, reported on the removal of the library, and recommended \$100 to defray the expenses of moving, and \$500 for librarian's salary for '78 and '79. Report adopted.

Mr. Birch moved that the Governor's veto of the revenue bill, with his Excellency's suggestions, be referred to the committee on revenue. Carried.

Mr. Preston presented H. F. 51, bill to amend section 2,378 Compiled Laws, which was passed.

A memorial to Congress for an extension of the Legislative session to 60 days was adopted.

The Council announced the appointment of a conference to consider section 8 of the election bill; also that the Governor had approved C. F. 6, amending sections 1806, 1253 and 1750 of the Compiled Laws.

Mr. Murdock, from the claim committee, submitted bill of W. C. Dunbar, public printer, for \$1,331 and recommended the amount be inserted in the general appropriation bill. Report adopted and committee instructed accordingly.

Recess till 6:30 p. m.

6:30 o'clock p. m.

The Council announced the adoption of H. F. 3; also H. F. 50, "on fish," and C. F. 5, "to confer on women the right to hold certain offices."

C. F. 5 was referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Milner presented accounts against the investigating committee.

The Council was requested to postpone the joint session till 10 o'clock.

Mr. Farr reported C. F. 18, "fees for juries," which was passed.

Mr. Wright reported C. F. 31, and recommended its passage. Said bill, "for incorporating industrial pursuits," was passed.

The Council announced it had receded from its amendments to H. F. 10, "to repeal sections 338 and 389 compiled laws."

Mr. Atwood moved that the per diem allowed to the chaplain be increased to \$240. Motion carried.

Mr. Young moved for a special committee to consider the feasibility of amending the revenue bill, which was carried, and Messrs. Milner, Pace and Lyman were appointed said committee.

Council announced they had concurred in House amendments to C. F. 18, "jury and witness fund;" they also adopted recommendation of

conference committee on election bill.

Mr. Milner reported the election bill, amended, and the amendments were concurred in.

A message from the Governor announced his approval of H. F. 42, equalization of taxes on transitory herds. Also one that his Excellency had approved H. F. 36, incorporating Silver Reef City; and H. F. 37, incorporating Richfield.

Mr. Pace, from the penitentiary committee, recommended that the reports of the directors and warden be spread on the minute; report adopted.

A message from the Council announced the approval of the Governor of C. F. 26, amending charter of Washington City; also that the Council had appointed a committee to consider the revenue bill.

Mr. Farr reported C. F. 5, to confer on women the right to hold certain offices, which was amended and passed.

The Council announced the passage by that body of H. F. 49, on militia.

Mr. Farr reported H. F. 13, to approve Compiled Laws, which was passed.

A message from the Governor announced his approval of the act regulating the mode of procedure in criminal cases.

Mr. Milner recommended that the committee on claims be instructed to insert in the appropriation bill the following sums: \$3,000 for salary for two years of Territorial Superintendent of District Schools, and \$500 for printing and contingencies for the same time; recommendation adopted.

JOINT SESSION.

At the joint session the following were elected to the offices indicated: George Q. Cannon, chancellor of the University; Karl G. Maeser, David McKenzie, W. W. Cluff, John T. Caine, George J. Taylor, R. T. Burton, George Reynolds, James Sharp, Wm. Jennings, H. S. Eldredge, D. O. Calder and Moses Thatcher, regents of the university; George F. Gibbs, treasurer of the university; William Clayton, auditor of public accounts; James Jack, Territorial treasurer; Nephi W. Clayton, librarian; Albert P. Rockwood, warden of the penitentiary; William Clayton, recorder of marks and brands; Martin H. Peck, sealer of weights and measures; Jesse W. Fox, Territorial surveyor general.

COUNCIL.

The Council resumed its session. The following communication was received and read:

"The House request a conference committee on H. F. 24, changing county seat of Piute County, to act with a similar committee of the House." The President appointed Councilors Thurber and Cluff said committee.

The Governor announced his approval of C. F. No. 10, entitled an act "amending the charters of incorporated cities."

Councilor Thurber presented the following report:

Your committee appointed to confer with a like committee from the Council on the petition for changing the county seat from Piute county from Marysville to Junction, in said county, have agreed to recommend the granting said petition. Report accepted and recommendation adopted.

Councilor E. Snow presented the following report:

Your committee on claims and appropriations report that the petition of Maria Smith, accompanied with a bill for an act for her relief is superseded by an appropriation for the Territorial taxes with recommendation that they lay on the table indefinitely. Report accepted and recommendation adopted.

The Council was notified that the House had passed H. F. 52, Appropriation bill, and that they concurred in the concurrent resolution relating to the distributing the laws. Also had adopted a resolution to print one thousand copies of the amended sections of the compiled laws, for distribution, the Council concurring.

Some suggestions were made by the Governor on the revenue bill, which the House having adopted were concurred in by the Council.

Some amendments were made to the appropriation bill and were non-concurred in by the House, but a committee of conference recommended certain provisions which were adopted, and the bill passed, and went to the Governor for his approval.