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The New School Law, Railroad Bill and Other Important Legislation Now Pending.

The liveliest debate yet heard in the Council occurred over the new school law, introduced by Lemoy, of Maricopa. It was in relation to the amendment offered, giving the Governor power to appoint the Superintendent of Public Instruction. The entire Democratic delegation strenuously opposed the proposition, and quoted the law creating the office, which clearly states that the incumbent shall be elected by the people. The Republican members objected to this view, asserting that the Governor had the right to fill the office by appointment. The debate waxed hot, and the fun, for a while, grew fast and furious.

Davis and Wells championed the side of the Governor, while Bolan, Lemoy, Goldwater, Masterson and Hughes stood for the right of the people to make the choice.

After all parliamentary tactics had been exhausted, a vote was taken on Goldwater's motion to strike out the amendment, and when Lacey's name was called he voted with the Democrats. So the amendment was stricken out, and the bill goes to the House. Had this amendment carried, there is little doubt the latter body would have sat down heavily on the entire bill.

Wardwell's stock bill, whose length created so much comment on its introduction, has been sent to that shadowy shore where hover the legislative ghosts from many a statesman's brain.

Petitions and letters from stockraisers in the southern part of the Territory against the passage of the measure were read by the clerk. The General, not to be outdone in the latter line, sent up one to be read from a leading stockman in Cochise, and announced that he had "fifty more in his desk" in favor of the bill, and threatened to have them all read. On hearing this the clerk turned pale, and when the Huachuca Chieflain further announced that he had the floor and threatened to talk all day against time if an attempt was made to take snap judgment on the bill, the members fairly wilted in their seats. However, the General's fervid eloquence failed to save his pet measure, and the Speaker's mallet sounded its death knell by a heavy majority.

The most remarkable feature of the House proceeding during the past week was the recent session held by that body over the railroad bill. The Council adjourned early and filled the lobby of the assembly, anxious to hear the debate on a measure of so much importance to the entire Territory. The House went into a committee of the whole. No sooner had the Chairman taken his seat than a motion was made to clear the chamber of everyone except the members and the officers. The motion was declared carried by a *vote once*, and the honorable senators, the representatives of the press and many citizens who had assembled to hear the discussion were incidentally "fired out." What was the object of so unusual a proceeding in the Lower House of an Arizona legislature no one seems to understand. It was certainly a silly act, and at the time gave rise to many conjectures and not a few remarks not complimentary either to the integrity or the good sense of the House of Representatives. However, your correspondent is glad to be able to state that these conjectures were entirely

The bill was ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading. It will meet with slight opposition in the House, and while there are some members who are no friends of the measure, not many of them will have the moral courage to place themselves on record against it.

Masterson's reform bill has come to an untimely end in the House. The Judiciary reported adversely, and some of them characterized it as a bill calculated to encourage instead of preventing crime. This statement brought the "war horse" to his feet, who delivered one of his characteristic speeches in its favor. He stated that he believed in civilized methods and reformation in the treatment of convicts; claimed that many a good man had gone to the penitentiary, and wound up by asserting that there were as good men there now "as in the Twelfth Legislative Assembly." From the applause this remark received, it was evident the lobby agreed with him.

ODD AND EVEN.

Bolan's bill regulating the representation for the different counties in the next Legislature meets with much favor. It is based on the number of votes cast at the last election, and seems to be the most practical plan yet devised to do away with census "irregularities" and settle this vexed question.

The telegram from the sub-committee sent to investigate the affairs of the Territorial Prison, urgently calling for "\$600 to meet current expenses" gave rise to much merriment in the House. One honorable member, of sporting proclivities, remarked that "the Yuma tiger must be a tough customer to tackle," while another suggested that the visiting statesmen might find "grub and blankets in the Penitentiary."

The bill concerning the office of Probate Judge, and giving the Governor power to fill vacancies in that office, which passed the Council, has been amended in the House, giving the Boards of Supervisors such power.

Special legislation has begun in earnest. One bill, authorizing the county of Yavapai to issue bonds for the construction of a road from Prescott to Big Bag has already passed the Council and is now in the House. Two other bills of a similar nature for the same county, will soon make their appearance; while bills authorizing subsidies for two branch railroads—one from Prescott to the A. & P., and the other from Tucson to Camp Apache, will soon be introduced. The fate of all these measures is very uncertain.

The members are getting down to hard work, and saloon keepers and faro dealers are looking decidedly blue.

A LOUPE-ON.

McDonald & Mathews, at the Ban Ton, Center street, will furnish the best of meals, at any hour of the day or night.

The Salt River is a navigable stream and should be included in the river and harbor appropriation bill. North Wilcox and Dr. G. E. Andrews, U. S. A., of Melowell, landed at Barnum's pier, on the Salt River Valley Canal, at three o'clock yesterday afternoon, direct from Melowell, having accomplished the voyage from that point to this port, in a canvass skiff. The running time proper was about eighteen hours, and the trip would have been thoroughly pleasant, had rain not fallen upon them, during the night in which they camped out. The jolly ignorers are now enjoying a good time among their friends in this city.

Resenthal & Kutner have just received

Delinquent Tax List of Maricopa County, Arizona Territory,

<FOR THE YEAR 1882.>

Of all persons and property owing Taxes for said year on the 5th day of February, 1883.

Name.	Description of Property.	Original Tax.	Delinquent Tax.
A			
Armstrong, Robert	Lot 14, block 70, lots 2 and 4, block 41, lot 8, block 23, Phoenix	8 00	8 11 12
Avila, Patricia	Lot 1, block 3, Phoenix	7 07	9 02
Avies, G. F.	Personal property	17 58	14 16
Arrowsmith, James	Personal property	5 50	0 67
Averch, John	Sec 16, T 1 N, R 3 E and personal property	11 23	13 76
Anderson, Jesse	6 lots in block 15, Mesa, and personal property	11 00	10 57
Asak, John	Personal property	10 37	11 35
B			
Brown, Mrs. George E.	Lot 7, block 3, Phoenix, and personal property	21 00	26 00
Burt, I. B.	Block 28, Phoenix	7 07	0 03
Byles & Be-	Lot 11, block 3, Neahr's Addition, Phoenix and personal property	25 00	27 07
Burr, J. M.	Personal property	14 50	16 17
Braze, Geo.	Sec 14, T 1 N, R 2 E; Sec 17, T 1 N, R 2 E; Sec 18, T 1 N, R 2 E and personal property	46 52	47 11
Buley, Daniel	N W 1 of N W 1, Sec 14, T 1 N, R 3 E and personal property	0 01	0 01
Baker, E. K.	N E 1/4 Sec 3, T 1 N, R 3 E	20 74	22 70
James, John	House and lot at Vulture	43 00	44 48
Rosa, Francisco	House and lot at Vulture	8 45	4 01
C			
Churchill, Clark	E 1/4 of S E 1/4 Sec 5, T 1 N, R 3 E, and personal property	70 63	81 23
Corbin, —	Lot 6, block 37, Phoenix	3 83	5 00
Clarke, J. W.	Interest in S W 1/4 Sec 20, T 2 N, R 3 E; N E 1/4 Sec 13, T 2 N, R 3 E, and personal property	15 65	19 17
Charter, Edillo	Personal property	3 45	4 41
Casper, Andrew	S E 1/4 Sec 18, T 1 N, R 2 E	9 01	8 23
Conger, D. B.	House and lot at Seymour, and personal property	14 79	18 32
Carr, J. S.	Assigned of E. D. Grant, lot and stock house at Wickenburg, and personal property	117 50	124 04
D			
Downard, W. H.	Sec 20, T 1 N, R 2 E; N 1/4 of S E 1/4, and S 1/4 of N E 1/4 Sec 10, T 1 N, R 2 E, block 43, Phoenix, and personal property	55 83	50 14
Demer, L. G.	Lot 12, block 75, Phoenix	3 83	6 00
Derrick, P. F.	A 1/4 Sec 23, T 2 N, R 2 E, and personal property	7 00	9 83
Davis, J. W.	N W 1/4 Sec 13, T 1 N, R 2 E, and personal property	9 04	11 04
E			
English, S. V.	N E 1/4 Sec 3, T 2 N, R 2 E, and personal property	11 00	10 65
Evelson, Wm.	N E 1/4 Sec 11, T 1 N, R 3 E	8 01	8 23
G			
Grumbles, Samuel	N E 1/4 Sec 10, T 1 N, R 2 E, and personal property	13 82	10 40
Genung, C. B.	Two houses and lots at Vulture, and personal property	40 31	44 21
H			
Hancock, Jous	Lot 3, block 6, Phoenix	3 03	4 22
Hanilton, M.	Personal property	34 50	37 18
Hayden, Mrs. Chas.	T 1 N 1/4 of S E 1/4 of S E 1/4, Sec 5, T 1 N, R 3 E and personal property	52 81	55 80
Hoban, Nathaniel	Lot at Mesa City	1 63	2 81
Horn, H. J.	N E 1/4 Sec 20, T 1 N, R 3 E	5 04	11 04
Hopkins, B. E.	Lot 9, Plat A, Mesa, and personal property	8 04	11 03
Hayden, Chas. T.	S 1/4 of N W 1/4 and N 1/4 of S W 1/4, Sec 15, T 1 N, R 4 E; S 1/4 of N W 1/4, Sec 10, T 1 N, R 4 E; S 1/4 of S W 1/4, Sec 15, T 1 N, R 4 E; S 1/4 of S E 1/4, Sec 12, T 1 N, R 4 E, and personal property	1,040 03	1,103 73
J			
Jones, J. J.	Lots 10 and 12, block 64, Phoenix	3 83	5 00
Jackson, M. M.	N 1/4 of S E 1/4 Sec 15, T 1 N, R 3 E and personal property	10 37	12 83
Jackson, —	Personal property	10 37	11 53
K			
Kindall, S. F.	Lot in N W 1/4, Sec 3, T 1 N, R 3 E and personal property	4 54	6 01
Kendall, L. C.	Lots 4, 10, 12, 10 and 11, block 8, Phoenix	10 17	21 05
Kirk & Hanson	Personal property	7 07	9 03
L			
Llanes, M.	Lot 1, block 59, Phoenix	3 83	6 00
Lanford, Jas.	Personal property	19 17	21 05
Lindsay, Ora	One house and lot at Vulture	3 45	4 01
Leggett, Wm.	Saloon building at Vulture; dwelling house at Vulture and personal property	62 21	63 09
M			
Mankins, John	Personal property	5 75	7 00
Man F.	House and lot at Vulture and personal property	15 55	13 17
Melvin, R. L.	House and lot at Gila Bend and personal property	20 33	23 20
McDonald, H. C.	Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6, block 01, Phoenix, and personal property	38 50	10 65
McGinness, J. W.	House and lot at Vulture, and personal property	11 33	19 70
N			
Nelson, Wm.	Personal property	3 45	4 01
O			
Osborne, Neil	S E 1/4 Sec 20, T 2 N, R 3 E, and personal property	110 03	123 34
Osborne, J. P.	N W 1/4 Sec 25, T 2 N, R 3 E; S W 1/4 Sec 21, T 2 N, R 3 E, personal property	32 10	27 48

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