

Legislature.

In the senate the unfavorable report of the committee on the bill to require trustees of schools to make reports to patrons was adopted and the bill rejected.

The unfavorable report on the bill extending the powers of the railroad commission as to telephone companies was also adopted and the bill was rejected.

The bill to establish a juvenile reformatory, which passed the house, was referred to the committee on finance.

Senator Maclean's bill to submit to voters of various counties where dispensaries are established the question of "dispensary" or "prohibition" was on motion of the author of the bill continued until next session.

The ten-circuit bill came up again for discussion on motion of Senator McGowan, after a great deal of discussion for and against, the bill was amended finally passed.

A resolution was adopted referring to a special committee consisting of two senators and three representatives to report at the next session what is necessary to carry out the proposed biennial sessions.

HOUSE.

Mr. Patterson's bill to establish an industrial school for boys was reached when a snag was struck in the shape of a motion to recommmit from Mr. Laney, who thought the house had "gone off half cocked" the day before.

Mr. Kershaw declared that Mr. Laney was mistaken; that the friends of the bill knew what they were doing. Their purpose was to divorce the institution from the penitentiary.

Mr. Etheredge, of Lexington, spoke against the bill. He thought it a slur on the penitentiary directors, to whom he had been talking.

Mr. Patterson defended the bill and said that Superintendent of the Penitentiary Griffith was in thorough accord with its provisions.

By a ye and nay vote of 30 to 67 the motion to recommit was lost and the bill was given its third reading.

Mr. Doar opposed it because it applied only to cotton mill operatives. It should be made to apply to lumber mills and other manufacturing plants and to the farms.

Mr. Gibson of Marlboro, opposed the bill because he was satisfied both the mill managements and the operatives looked upon it as likely to disrupt the present amicable feeling between the managements and the operatives.

Mr. Yeldell pointed out that limiting the hours to ten does not prevent working overtime for extra pay, but only prevents the mill managements demanding more than ten hours from the women and children.

By a vote of 57 to 39 the house refused to order the previous question.

Mr. Taylor of Newberry, said that the operatives were demanding this humane legislation. If the conditions in the mills without labor unions were to continue such a law would have to pass. If this is not done every mill community in the state will be organized and there will be a battle royal between capital and labor.

After a total of five hours' debating, the house by a ye and nay vote of 65 to 40 indefinitely postponed the bill.

Mr. D. O. Herbert's bill to codify the military laws of the state passed without objection. The bill increases the adjutant general's salary from \$1,400 to \$1,900, the amount paid other state officers.

The resolution calling for a special committee of three representatives and two senators to examine the books and vouchers of state officers passed amended so as to allow the committee a stenographer. The committee is larger this year by two members.

Senator McGowan a reconsideration of the ten judicial circuit bill in order to correct clerical errors.

Senator Bleese, of Saluda, objected to reconsideration, but the senate agreed and the bill finally received its third reading.

Senator Marshall introduced a bill to authorize the state house commission to erect a new dome, and to sell the old boilers of the heating plant.

Senator Brown's bill to require railroads to transport sheriffs and deputies free was killed by a large viva voce vote.

Senator Johnson, of Fairfield, called up his bill to divert a part of the privilege tax from Clemson to Winthrop, and went into a statistical argument to show that Clemson got too much money for its needs and that it cost a great deal more to educate a

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student at that college than it did in others. Senator Carpenter, of Pickens, replied, holding that the work of Clemson, which in some respects was not strictly educational, was required of it and that the amount received of it was not too large.

The medical committee made a special report on the coca cola license bill and recommended that it be continued until the next sessions, which was agreed to.

By a vote of 67 to 36, the house indefinitely postponed Mr. Ashley's bill to abolish the bureau of immigration. Messrs. Etheredge, Epting and Hutto voted against the motion to indefinitely postpone.

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Pointed Paragraphs.

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Negro Found Dead.

Special to The State. North, Feb. 8.—A negro, Cal Ashley, was found dead Monday near North Edisto trestle. Magistrate Johnson was notified and held the inquest. The jury has not yet arrived at a verdict, but it is public opinion that death resulted from freezing.

British Collier Captured.

London, Feb. 8.—A dispatch received this morning reports the capture of the British collier Eastry by the Japanese.

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Calhoun County Doomed. The house Thursday night received from the judiciary committee an unfavorable report on the bill to create Calhoun county. There was a minority report signed by five members.

For Coughs—at your druggists or direct from Murray Drug Co., Columbia, S. C.,—"Murray's Horehound, Mullein and Tar. 25c. for large size bottle.

Express Office Closed. North, Feb. 8.—The sudden closing up of the office of the Southern Express company here has been the topic of much discussion. Numerous packages for people at this point have been pigeon-holed elsewhere.

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Rogues Run to Earth. London, Feb. 8.—A decision favorable to the United States was rendered by the privy council in the Greene and Gaynor case today. Greene and Gaynor, who were indicted with Capt. O. M. Carter in connection with the Savannah harbor frauds, escaped to Canada and United States officials have been unable to arrest them.

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