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HARRISBURG LETTER.

Measures That Occupy the Attention of the Lawmakers.

"PROCESS BUTTER" BILL PASSED.

Manufacturers Must Take Out a License and Label Their Product-A **Bill to Prevent Shipping of Impure** Milk From Other States.

Harrisburg, April 17 .- A bill was introduced in the house yesterday by Mr. Beacom, of Westmoreland, repealing the law requiring stock brokers, bill brokers, exchange brokers, mercantile brokers and real estate brokers to pay an annual license fee of 3 per cent on their business.

Mr. Fox, of Chester, introduced a bill requiring all shippers of milk from other states into Pennsylvania to accompany such shipments with a veterinarian's certificate that the cows from which such milk had been drawn had been found to be in a healthy condition.

Among bills passed finally by the house yesterday were: Prohibiting the employment of women under 21 years old, without the consent of their parents or guardians, for theatrical or athletic performances, singing exhibitions or for playing upon musical instruments; providing that the district attorneys in all counties whose population does not exceed 150,000 shall be paid a salary in lieu of fees; licensing the manufacture of "boiled" or "process" butter, and requiring it to be labeled.

The bill amending the semi-monthly pay law to recognize the right to contract for the payment of wages at any time other than semi-monthly was defeated. The bill was subsequently reconsidered and postponed for the present.

In the senate last night the Palm resolution, which passed the house last week, and which provides for the appointment of a commission to investigate the effect of capital punishment in the various states, was defeated.

Among bills passed finally in the senate last night were: House bill prohibiting the adulteration of and deception in the sale of linseed or flaxseed oil; house bill amending an act relating to free kindergartens so that such schools established by agencies other than the commonwealth can be assisted out of the public school funds; house bill amending an act relating to the regulations of public schools so that a teacher's certificate shall not be given to persons who habitually use opium or any other narcotics.

Among bills passed finally in the house Wednesday of last week were. The judicial apportionment bill; Ford compulsory education bill; the Chew bill punishing kidnaping by hanging; the Creasy road bill.

Among bills passed finally by the senate last Wednesday were: Exempting soda water apparatus and appurtenanTHE WORLD IN A SLOOP.

A YANKEE SEA KING.

The Bold Navigator and His Famous

Craft, the Spray, Will Be at the Pan-American Exposition In Buffalo Next Summer.

The nautical adventures of the Vikings of old, which have been celebrated in song and story, are overshadowed in importance by the remarkable voyage of Captain Joshua Slocum around the world in a sloop 66 feet 9 inches in length over all and nine tons net burden. The solitary Yankee sea king cruised 46,000 miles on all the oceans, ten times the distance ever claimed for a Viking ship. It was the first and only successful attempt to circumnavigate the globe alone in a small boat. The extraordinary character of the voyage can only

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to pay his respects to President Kruger of the Boer Republic. While he was cruising the Spanish-American CAPTAIN SLOCUM SAILED AROUND war broke eut, and his first intimation of the fact was gleaned from the United States cruiser Oregon, which signaled, "Are there any Spanish men-ofwar about?" Captain Slocum knew of none being in that locality. He flippantly replied, "No, but let us keep together for mutual protection!"

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their lives to sailing the seas and | have of a windmill being employed to know their varying moods, and they do any work was in Alexandria 150 one and all regard it as a most remark- B. C., when an invention driven by able exploit. wind power was employed to operate a Captain Slocum and the boat in musical instrument. As even this must which he made his around the world have been the product of en voyage will be at the Pan-American leaves us entirely in the dark as to Exposition next summer. The craft the actual origin. However, we know will ride upon the waters of the Beauthat windmills were employed in usetiful Park Lake, where it may be viewful labor in many parts of Europe long ed or boarded by Exposition visitors. | before Columbus discovered America. That it will prove to be a great at-These old windmills were quaint af fairs. Some of them floated on watraction goes without saying. The intrepid Yankee globe circler is ter and were turned by hand to mee a slender man, not above the medium | the vagarles of the wind. A later de height and is somewhat bald, but there | velopment was built on a post, and still is little gray in the fringe of surviving | later the roof of the building was pivot hair or in his full beard. He has blue ed, which allowed the building itself to eyes, which are frank and direct. He remain stationary. possesses a dry humor which is very It remained for the engineers of the amusing. That he is daring and plucky | nineteenth century to construct a wind is attested by his long and solitary engine that was at once simple, useful trip. and practical. The amount of power The boat in which Captain Slocum developed and usefully applied by this made his voyage is named the Spray. time honored invention amounts in It was originally a fishing boat, sup the aggregate to bundreds of thouposed to be a century old, and when it sands of horsepower. came into Captain Slocum's possession At the Pan-American Exposition s was in process of decay. Unaided, he group of windmills will be gathered to rebuilt it upon the original lines, and gether and planted in a corner of the the splendid manner in which it behavgrounds, where they will be required ed on the long tour is sufficient evito pump water and in other ways dence that he builded well. demonstrate their usefulness. These Captain Slocum sailed from Boston will comprise many different types, on April 24, 1895, and bis voyage conshowing the evolution of the engine from the old fashioned four sall patsumed 3 years and 2 months, coming to a close during the Spanish-American tern down to the ordinary multitudiwar. In lieu of a chronometer be had nous sprocket plan in which the sail an old tin clock, but he was rarely at area is automatically adjusted to the fault in his longitude. The voyage was wind pressure and the speed is reguattended with many unusual incidents. lated by a governor. Some of these The first occurred after the Spray had engines will develop a tremendous left her first port of call, the Azores. power, while others are simply devised The Captain had eaten freely of plums as a cheap and reliable means of work and a native cheese, and they did not ing a farmer's pump. agree with him. He was attacked with Experiments extending over a period stomachic cramps. He double reefed of years have been conducted for the the mainsail and with a full jib put the purpose of generating electricity by sloop on her course, lashed the wheel this means. Developments along these and went below to the cabin, where he lines so far have not been entirely satrolled in agony on the floor. Becoming isfactory, though indications point to delirious, he imagined that a strange ultimate success. The difficulties met man came on board, announced himself with are principally owing to the inas "one of Columbus' crew" and guided constancy of the wind, which must the craft. A blow came up, and the be overcome by storing up the energy Sprayeran like a deer. When the Cap- of the gale to be given off as required. tain regained his full senses and was As the slow development of the storage able to go on deck, she was holding battery retards this important achievetrue to her course. She had made 90 ment we await with impatience the miles during the night in the rough sea. Improvements in this direction that we The Spray went through the very know ought to be made. The time will dangerous Straits of Magellan, whose andoubtedly come when electric lightshores are strewn with wrecks and ining will be done in this manner-in habited by pirates, without accident, fact, the electric light plant in a vilbut after weeks consumed in the paslage in Scotland is now partially opsage was driven by a furious gale erated by a wind wheel which is built bouthward and thence eastward around on the horizontal principal. Cape Horn, necessitating a second pas To those unfamiliar with the prosage of the Straits. duction of the wind engine as used at Capiain Slocum was received at the present time a visit to this section every landing place with the most of the Exposition will be a revelation. cordial hospitality, for his name was Hitherto this early invention has been known the world around among seauseful merely to the farmer and stockfaring men, and the cabled news of man. Possibilities in the immediate his progress went before him. In Sa- future point to a much wider and more moa Mrs. Robert Louis Stevenson visextended usefulness when power from Ited him. In Tasmania Lord Hampden | this source will be bottled up in storage was a caller. At the Cape Sir Alfred | batteries and shipped to distant points Milner saw him. A pass over the to be used in the mechanic arts, Cape rallways permitted the skipper HERBERT SHEARER.

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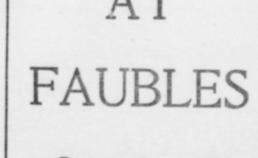
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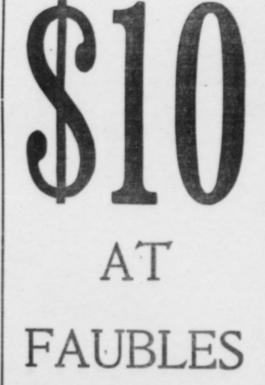
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ces thereto leased or hied from levy of sale on execution or distress for rent; house bill regulating the weight of all black blasting powder used, made of sold in kegs for use in coal mines and providing for the proper stamping for the kegs containing the powder.

The nomination of Nathan C. Schaeffer, of Lancaster, to be superintenden! of public instruction for the next four years was confirmed.

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Senator Grady, of Philadelphia, presented a joint resolution, which was adopted, appropriating \$35,000 to a commission which shall represent Pennsylvania at the St. Louis exposition. The commission is to consist of five members of the senate, in addition to the president pro tem., eight members of the house, in addition to the speaker, seven citizens appointed by the governor, the state treasures and aduitor general. The governot shall be the president of the commission, which shall arrange for the erection of a suitable building on the exposition grounds, the entire cost not to exceed \$30,000.

Governor Stone on Friday of last week signed a number of bills, among them: The McClain-Cooper libel bill; authorizing school boards to grant the use of school houses for lyceum and other literary purposes; establishing a separate orphans' court in Westmoreland county; empowering the owners and lessees o real estate to kill hares or rabbits upor their own premises at all seasons of the year.

A bill was introduced in the house last Friday by Mr. Paul, of Philadelphia to provide for the election of the board of revision of taxes and of real estate assessors for each assessment district in Philadelphia.

Mr. Mayne, of Lehigh, introduced a bill restoring the provisions of the act of 1889 relative to the incorporation of street railway companies and increasing the length of the track to 500 feet. as was intended by the act of 1895.

In the house last Monday night the senate bill authorizing county commissioners to borrow money to improve public roads was recommitted to the general judiclary committee on motion of Mr. Hall, of Allegheny. The bill authorizing the appointment of inspectors of scales and weights in the bituminous region, which was negatived by the committee on mines and mining, was also recommitted. The calendar was cleared of first reading bills.

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